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PROGRESSIVE STANDARDS IN ICT FOR ACTIVE AND HEALTHY AGEING

Active and Healthy Ageing

Process of optimising opportunities for health, participation and security in order to enhance quality of life as people age

WHO Definition

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Making ICT Standards 'Fit' for Active and Healthy Ageing

- *Putting things in Perspective
Stakeholders Perspectives (What are the Priorities?)*

- *Why ICT for AHA Standards are Instrumental?*

- *How and Where (Issues for Coordination)?*

Breakouts to Explore Solutions

Conclusions and Next Steps



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The PROGRESSIVE Project

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 - Call H2020-SC1-2016 re. Standardisation Needs in the Field of ICT for AHA.
- From 1st October 2016 to 30th September 2018.
 - Contract Sum €905,781.
 - 10 Partners

Who are the PROGRESSIVE Partners?

- De Montfort University – UK 
- The Open University – UK 
- Age Platform Europe AISBL – BE 
- European Health Telematics Association (EHTEL) – BE 
 - Telehealth Quality Group EEIG – UK 
 - Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche (CNR) – IT 
- Asociacion Española de Normalizacion y Certificacion (UNE) - ES 
 - DIN Deutsches Institut fuer Normung E.V – DE 
 - Stichting Nederlands Normalisatie – Instituut (NEN) – NL 
 - UNINFO Associazione di Normazione Informatica – IT 





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Our Kind of Active and Healthy Ageing
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Our Kind of **ICT**
*ICT that
enables,
includes and
empowers*

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- *‘Setting in place a dynamic and sustainable framework where the contribution of standards and standardisation for ICT can be maximised for Active and Healthy Ageing’*
- *Focus on standards for products **and** services*
- *Concern that standards haven’t listened (enough) to the voice of older people*
- *Concern that standards have too often reflected top-down ‘we know what’s best for you’ approaches.*



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Deliverables

- *Platform providing information on applicable standards around ICT for AHA*
- *Sustainable organisation to take our work forward*
- *Guidelines around key issues*
 - *Co-production*
 - *Interoperability*
 - *Age-Friendly Communities*
 - *Smart Homes*



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The Year Ahead

- *Building on the first ‘preparatory’ year of the project;*
- *Being more assertive about changing mindsets (where needed) around ICT for AHA;*
- *Working with you and other stakeholders in ways that (per the title of today’s forum) will help **Make ICT Standards ‘Fit’ for Active and Healthy Ageing***

