



...at the end of life

Newsletter 5

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Transnational Partnership Meeting in Stockholm... The final phase!

We are thrilled to share the outcomes of our third transnational partner meeting on the 9th of April in Stockholm. Representatives from our four partner countries - Italy, Portugal, Belgium, and Sweden - came together to evaluate and test the newly developed eLearning platform for our project centred on dealing emotionally and practically with the end of life.

The primary focus of the meeting was to go through our content for toolkit to support those facing situations where they are faced with end of life directly, as a carer or as a professional.

We are delighted to announce that the eLearning platform received unanimous approval from all participating countries. This achievement reflects the collaborative efforts and shared vision of our European partners in addressing the sensitive and essential topic of end-of-life care and support.

Highlights for partners were:

The friendly interface of the platform, the platform's intuitive design was well-received, ensuring accessibility and ease of use for individuals of varying technological proficiency.

In depth content, partners appreciated the depth and breadth of the content, which covers various aspects of coping with the end of life, including emotional support, practical guidance, and communication strategies.

We also have an extensive range of non-medical related resources for healthcare professionals to aid them in supporting patients and families.

Once complete the platform with content will be available in all partner languages, the platform caters to a diverse European audience, fostering inclusivity and broadening its reach.

Next Steps!

With the platform approved, our focus will now shift towards the next phase of implementation and dissemination. We encourage all partners to start preparing for the rollout of the eLearning platform within their respective communities, promoting its use and leveraging its resources to support individuals and family members who are dealing with end-of-life challenges.

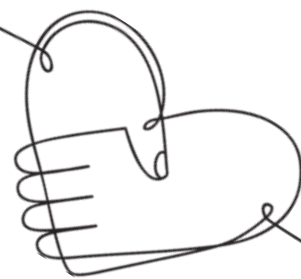
We would like to extend our gratitude to all partners for their valuable input, dedication, and commitment throughout this testing phase. Your contributions have been instrumental in shaping a platform that we believe will make a meaningful difference in the lives of many.

Stay connected...

As we move forward, we will continue to keep you updated on our progress and upcoming milestones. Your ongoing support and collaboration are vital to the success of this project, and we look forward to our continued partnerships.



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The partnership implementing Hold my Hand:

- Anziani e non solo (ANS) - Italian
- Elderberry - Swedish
- Santa Casa da Misericórdia de Lisboa (SCML) - Portuguese
- Unessa - Belgian/ leader partner

Project objectives:

- To work on the development of a culture that addresses the issue of end-of-life support with full awareness
- To produce socio-pedagogical tools for the adult population to help them address the issue of the end of life with their families and health professionals
- Facilitate the transmission of information between the person, his or her family and friends, and health care institutions and facilities

Next meetings :

May - June 2024 : Local events to discover the e-learning platform

October 2024 : Transnational final conference

To learn more about the project and to download the results visit the website

<https://hold-my-hand.eu/>



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