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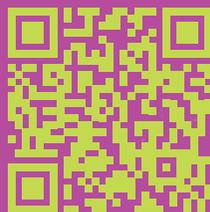
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THE PROJECT

The project aims to strengthen the capacity of Higher Education Institutions in the health and social sector, as well as in the VET sector, to provide and support in the acquisition of the necessary competences and skills to deliver diversity-sensitive care towards older migrants, valuing diversity and promoting inclusive care practices for families and patients of all ages and cultural backgrounds.

Furthermore, the project intends to promote innovative learning and teaching practices.



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BACKGROUND

Providing high quality care services and good accessibility of care to all individuals and their families regardless of age, ethnic and cultural background is the main goal of health care today. One of the most important factors in this context is to consider users as persons, considering their views, beliefs and cultural origins. The increasing ethno-cultural diversity of our society can make access to social and health services a very different experience among users. In order to ensure high quality care and good accessibility to care for all individuals and their families, the implementation of social and health services that keep pace with contemporary interculturalism and value diversity in all its manifestations are central. Therefore, inclusive and diversity-conscious care is one of the keystones of today's health policy to provide personalised and quality care, respecting the beliefs, origins, life experience and needs of each individual.

THE DI.S.C.O.P.M.B. PROJECT AIMS TO DEVELOP:

- ✓ A training programme for students of Higher Education and health care professionals that supports the acquisition of competences and skills needed to provide inclusive care practices;
- ✓ A self-directed online resource about the care of older persons with migrant backgrounds and their families/informal carers in order to be used in education for healthcare and social care students and practitioners;

THE CONSORTIUM INTENDS TO REACH THESE AIMS BY DEVELOPING, TESTING AND DISSEMINATING THREE RESULTS:

- ✓ A multi-language training program on person-centred, diversity-sensitive care for older persons with migrant backgrounds and their families/informal carers.
- ✓ An open online educational resource (OER) regarding care for older people with migrant backgrounds and their families/informal carers.
- ✓ Policy recommendations to raise the optimal standard of person centred, diversity-sensitive healthcare for older persons with migrant backgrounds and their families.

