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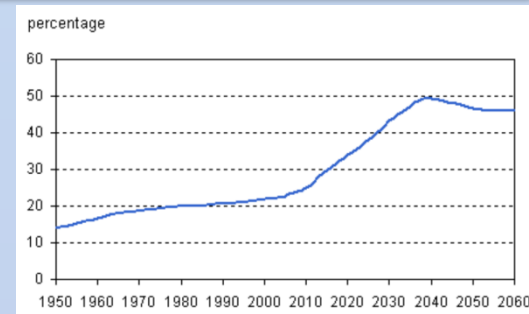
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Ageing population projection

- Aging population is increasing
 - Baby boom
 - Living longer
- Ratio of carers to aging is decreasing
 - Demand is growing at 1.4% a year
 - Supply is decreasing 0.2% a year
 - 1.6% a year gap with the absolute population growing 3.5% a year – through 2030!
- Government spending – e.g. Netherlands is growing at 6.8% a year – unsustainable
- Demand for care will out strip ability to support, new solutions and investments are needed
- In the future, demand for support services for the elderly is likely to exceed the potential population of carers





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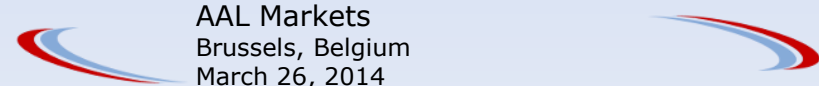
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Key learning

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SUPPORT SERVICES FOR THE
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PREVENTION

Tasks supporting and maintaining cognitive and motor abilities before severe diseases

(i.e. health periodic

COMPENSATION & SUPPORT

Tasks supporting cognitive and motor abilities after severe diseases

(i.e. smart walker, pedestrian

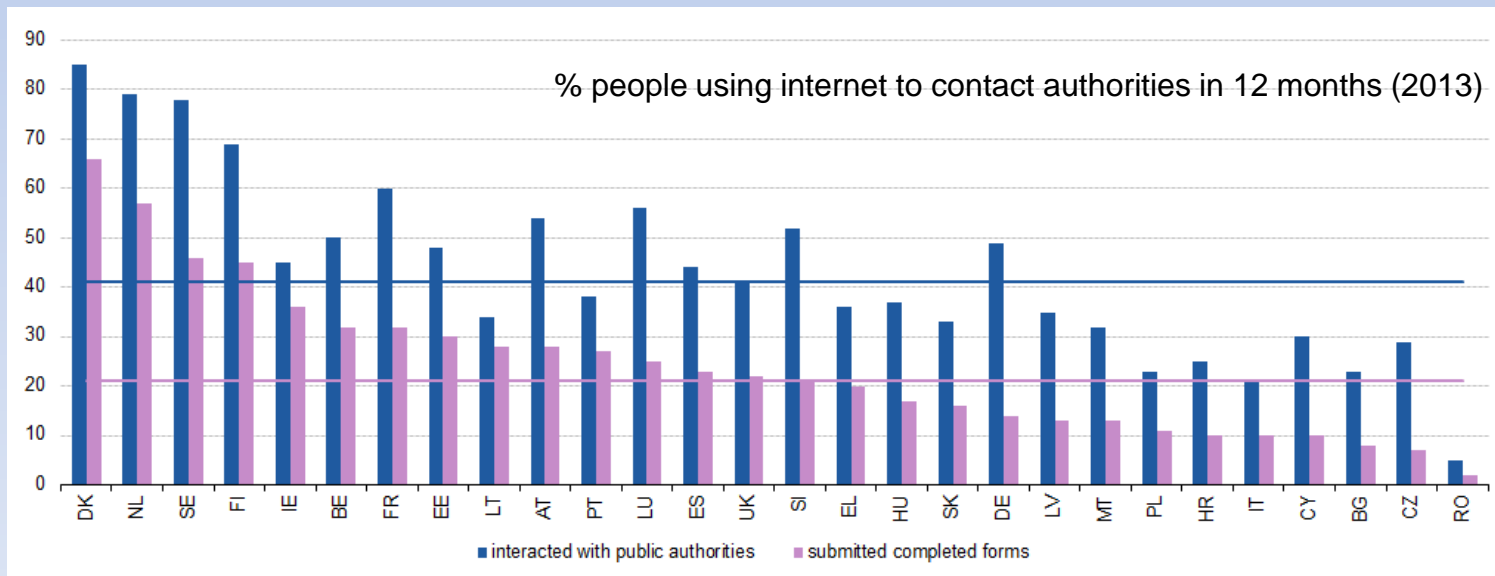
INDEPENDENT & ACTIVE AGEING

Tasks supporting independence of elderly

(i.e. social inclusion, work, leisure and entertainment, etc.)

ICT technology will contribute to addressing the “carer gap”

- Connected devices are the focus on ICT
- Without affordable coverage to data services, ICT solutions will be limited
- In 2013 over 40% of Romanians have never used the internet
- Tools that are common and readily available in some member states are uncommon in others





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**USAGE OF ICT SERVICES IS NOT
UNIFORM ACROSS MEMBER STATES**



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European eldercare regime context

	Characteristics	Care regime examples
Formal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Provision 'in-kind' and 'tied' monetary transfers as cash benefits not for free disposition ▶ Can lead to more vibrant market with skilled and professional workers and appropriate pay and career structures 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Scandinavia: 'in-kind' provision ▶ Anglo-Saxon: contracting-out ▶ Continental: France, NL: 'tied' cash
Mixed	Shows a mix of both formal and informal eldercare markets	Continental, Germany: through mandatory care insurance paid 'in-kind' (can also be paid in unconditional cash)
Informal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Unconditional cash transfers, tend to be for free disposition ▶ Can lead to 'grey' market dominated by informals and/or a low-skilled and low-paid workforce 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Continental, Austria and Germany: unconditional cash benefits (e.g. through mandatory care insurance paid in unconditional cash) ▶ Mediterranean: unconditional monetary transfers, e.g. Italy with attendance allowances to recompense the family carer

Adapted and updated from Simonazzi (2009/)

Total care funding

- Government Support

- Formal
- Mixed
- Informal

GEO/ICHA_HF	General government except social security funds	Social security funds	Private social insurance	Private insurance enterprises (including private social insurance)	Private household out-of-pocket expenditure
Netherlands	8.13	77.47	:	5.58	5.96
France	3.74	73.46	:	14.40	7.73
Germany	6.88	70.08	0.25	9.72	12.38
Sweden	81.59	:	:	0.30	17.16
Estonia	10.73	69.44	0.00	0.26	17.78
Belgium	10.47	65.45	1.95	4.21	19.68
Romania	12.71	66.15	0.00	0.13	20.67
Spain	68.21	4.72	0.00	5.67	21.07
Poland	6.34	64.53	:	0.74	23.95
Hungary	8.45	56.05	0.00	2.67	26.81
Lithuania	9.52	61.34	0.00	0.64	28.24

Percentual share of total current health expenditure (CHE)
2011

- Non-governmental

- Private Insurance
- Household “out-of-pocket” payments

- Range from a low of 6% in NL to over 25% in LT



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THE METHOD OF PAYING FOR SERVICES VARIES GREATLY ACROSS THE EU



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- Three constituent markets
 - Telecare
 - Telehealth
 - Smart Home
- One trend stands out - “Managed Service”
 - Combine social and medial care to address both prevention and support systemically
 - Shift focus on populations’ wellbeing, from post-event care
 - Basque, UK (Scotland/North Ireland) and Denmark
 - ICT Technolage
- Focused on countries with a “Formal” benefits structure

Mixed and Informal markets

- Unlikely to use managed service approach
- Direct to consumer marketing
 - Commercial model (B2C)
 - Networked business model (peer to peer)
 - Advertising based business model (Google, Facebook)
 - Issues:
 - Favours media dense locations (may disadvantage rural users)
 - Favours technology savvy users (may disadvantage lower internet use countries)



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Summary of learning

- In the future, demand for support services for the elderly is likely to exceed the potential population of carers
- Usage of ICT services is not uniform across member states
- The method of paying for services varies greatly across the EU
- EU markets are diverse based on Social spending structure and use of technology



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Additional Question

**THERE MAY BE A MISALIGNMENT
BETWEEN MARKETS THAT NEED
DIRECT-TO-CONSUMER SOLUTIONS AND
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