



CHALLENGE

Over the next 40 years the proportion of the population over the age of 65 in the European Union will double, rising from 17% in 2005 to 30% in 2050.



VISION The cooperative concept is already well-established and successful in domains such as food supply. Care Cooperatives will encourage autonomous, regional care systems empowered by emerging information and communication technologies.

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ELABORATE the foundation of iCareCoops to support and promote Elderly Care Cooperatives by conducting research on existing best-practice cooperatives in different domains (e.g. food).

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STUDY concepts, approaches, and workflows of care communities in Europe, to achieve a sound understanding of services offered and requirements to support these services with ICT and AAL.

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BUILD an innovative, web-based software solution, which offers interactive services, processes, and mobile applications to enable an environment of collaboration and cooperation.

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INTEGRATE existing AAL gateways, devices, and services on the platform serving as technical triggers for care actions and promote AAL solutions over an agent-based directory.

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IMPLEMENT, demonstrate and validate iCareCoops in a realistic pilot environment which strongly involves care cooperatives, informal and formal carers, care receivers and other relevant stakeholders.

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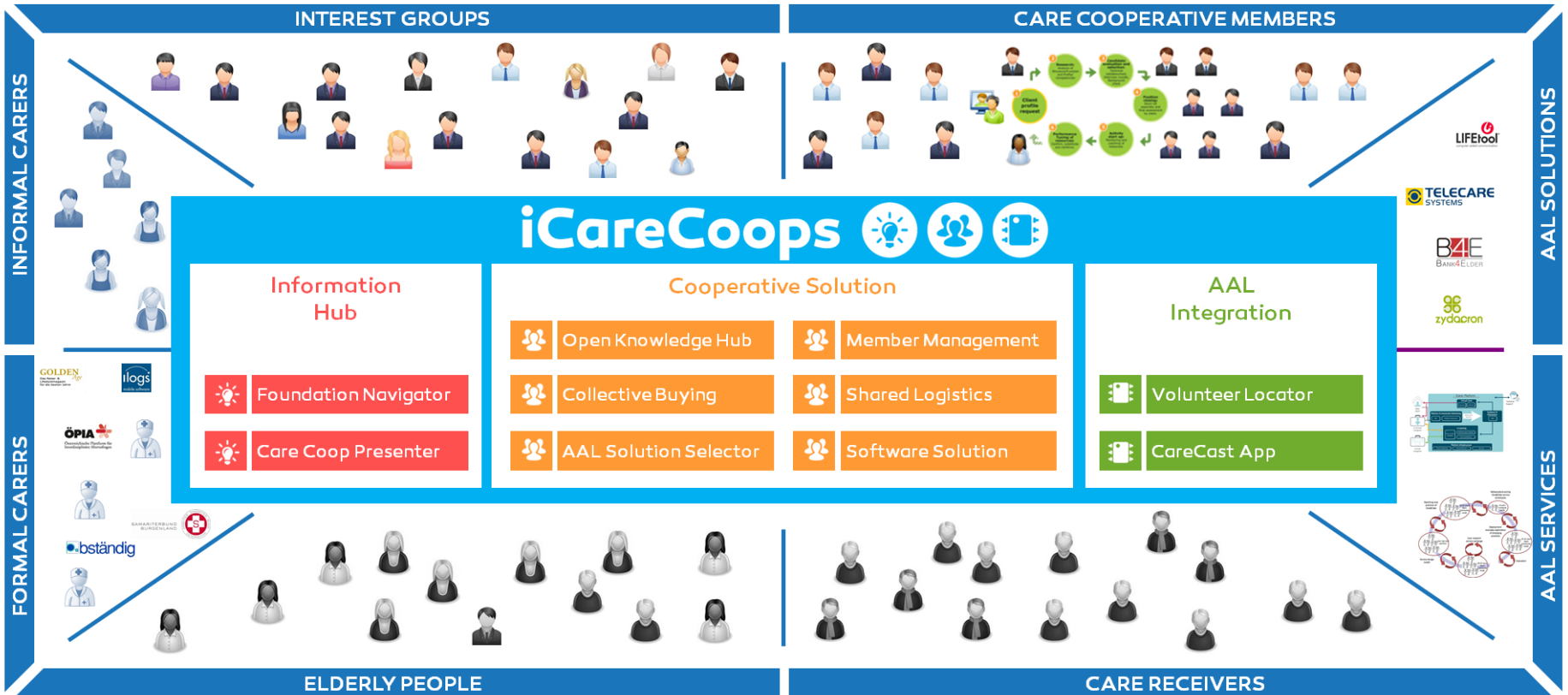
DEVELOP sustainable strategies for the rollout of Elderly Care Cooperatives in Europe including a service portfolio fostering elderly care efficiency and distribution of AAL solutions.

Fostering Care Cooperatives in Europe by Building an Innovative Platform with ICT-Based and AAL-Driven Services

iCareCoops
initiate . interact . integrate



CARE COOPERATIVE CONCEPT: STAKEHOLDERS AND SERVICES



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