

# Discussion on Social Innovation – SI4CARE and CC UL SI-AHA

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## SI4CARE

- Social Innovation for Integrated Health CARE of ageing population in ADRION region – **SI4CARE**.
- International project. Not a research project – oriented to practice.
- **10 project partners, 7 countries.** University of Ljubljana – lead partner.
- **1.12.2020-31.5.2023.**
- **2,37 million €.**

## About the project:

<https://youtu.be/-zUT1O0wjh8>

## Project webpage:

<https://si4care.adrioninterreg.eu/>

## Pilot activities within the project:

<https://youtu.be/ZNmLT0aAzE0>



## SI4CARE

**Quadruple helix** (including **bottom-up**) approach – **collaboration of different stakeholders:**

- Innovators, academia, researchers, business sector, healthcare service providers, users, PAs and administration, citizens.
- **In-person and virtual events to gain valuable input** from stakeholders, citizens (**bottom-up approach**).
- **My role in the project:** Communication Manager, Steering Group President.



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### Project workflow:

- **Status quo** report
- **Challenges** report
- **Best practices** – per country
- **Wish list** – per country; opportunity to learn from others
- **Pilot activities**
- **Action plan** – 21 proposed actions for Slovenia
- **Transnational strategy** – with 5 main pillars





## SI4CARE Outcome

- **Competence Center of University of Ljubljana for Social Innovations for Active and Healthy Ageing.**
- **Technological and non-technological social innovations.**
- **Positive attitude towards all age groups and future of solidarity for everyone.**

### Stakeholders:

**School of Economics and Business, UL**, Faculty of Social Work, UL, Faculty of Social Sciences, UL, Faculty of Public Administration, UL, Faculty of Medicine, UL, Faculty of Sport, UL, Faculty of Civil and Geodetic Engineering, UL, Faculty of Arts, UL, Biotechnical Faculty, UL, Jožef Stefan Institute and National Institute of Biology.

- **Multidisciplinary approach.**
- Potential **flagship** project.

## CC UL SI-AHA

Building the **ecosystem** of stakeholders and **internal meetings** in 2023.

### Public Events in 2024:

*Work Challenges and Opportunities*

*For Innovation in an Ageing Society – February 2024.*

*Role of Physical Exercise in an Ageing Society – May 2024.*

*Engaged University in a Long-lived Society – November 2024.*

**Good participation** and **well-covered** events **by the media**  
– topic of interest and relevance.

Applying to national and international **tenders** in 2025.

**Organizing conference** in October 2025.



### Staranje družbe je lahko problem ali pa priložnost

Med člani multidisciplinarnega centra za zdravo staranje je devet ljubljanskih fakultet, Institut Jožef Stefan in Nacionalni inštitut za biologijo.

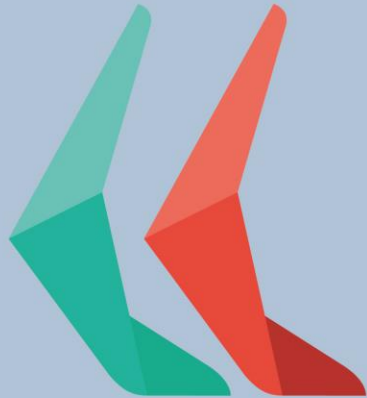




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