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# Agenda

- 15h00 (CET) - Welcome
- 15h10 (CET) - Roundtable - Brief presentation of practices and experiences from the field
- 16h10 (CET) - Conclusions
- 16h20 (CET) - Upcoming Sessions
- 16h25 (CET) - Closing Remarks



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# The role of leadership

Leadership impacts/ Motivation



## REWARD

Differentiate relevant performance  
Rewards to performance  
Salary policy



## PROJECT

- Design roles that have a meaning and explain the purpose
- Valorise every role



## CULTURE

- Promote trust between workers
- Value collaboration and teamwork
- Incentive sharing good practices

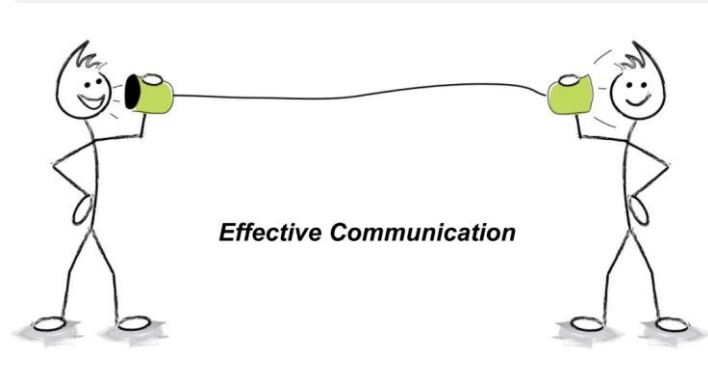


## MANAGEMENT & ALOCATION

- Transparency
- Justice

# The role of leadership

## The importance of Communication



- CLEAR | COMPASSIVE | INCLUSIVE
- LISTENING ACTIVELY
- BEING EMPATHIC
- CO-DEFINE GOALS (and feedback)
- CELEBRATE !

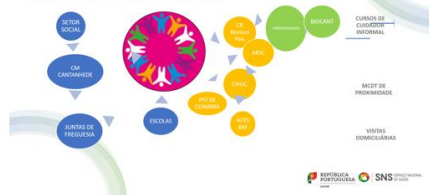
# Presentation of “Age Friendly Institution”

## Integration of care



- Intersectoral coordination
- Convergence of wills | resources | actions with local partners

### INTEGRAÇÃO DE CUIDADOS | HOSPITAL DE PROXIMIDADE



### Cinema ao Ar Livre 10 Hospital de Cantanhede



### Idosos acarinham utensílios no Hospital de Cantanhede



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## The “4Ms” Framework of an Age-Friendly Health System

### What Does It Mean to Be Age-Friendly?



#### What Matters

Know and align care with each older adult's specific health outcome goals and care preferences including, but not limited to, end-of-life care, and across settings of care.

#### Medication

If medication is necessary, use Age-Friendly medication that does not interfere with What Matters to the older adult, Mobility, or Mentation across settings of care.

#### Mentation

Prevent, identify, treat, and manage dementia, depression, and delirium across settings of care.

#### Mobility

Ensure that older adults move safely every day in order to maintain function and do What Matters.

First Portuguese Institution to be recognized by IHF (2023)

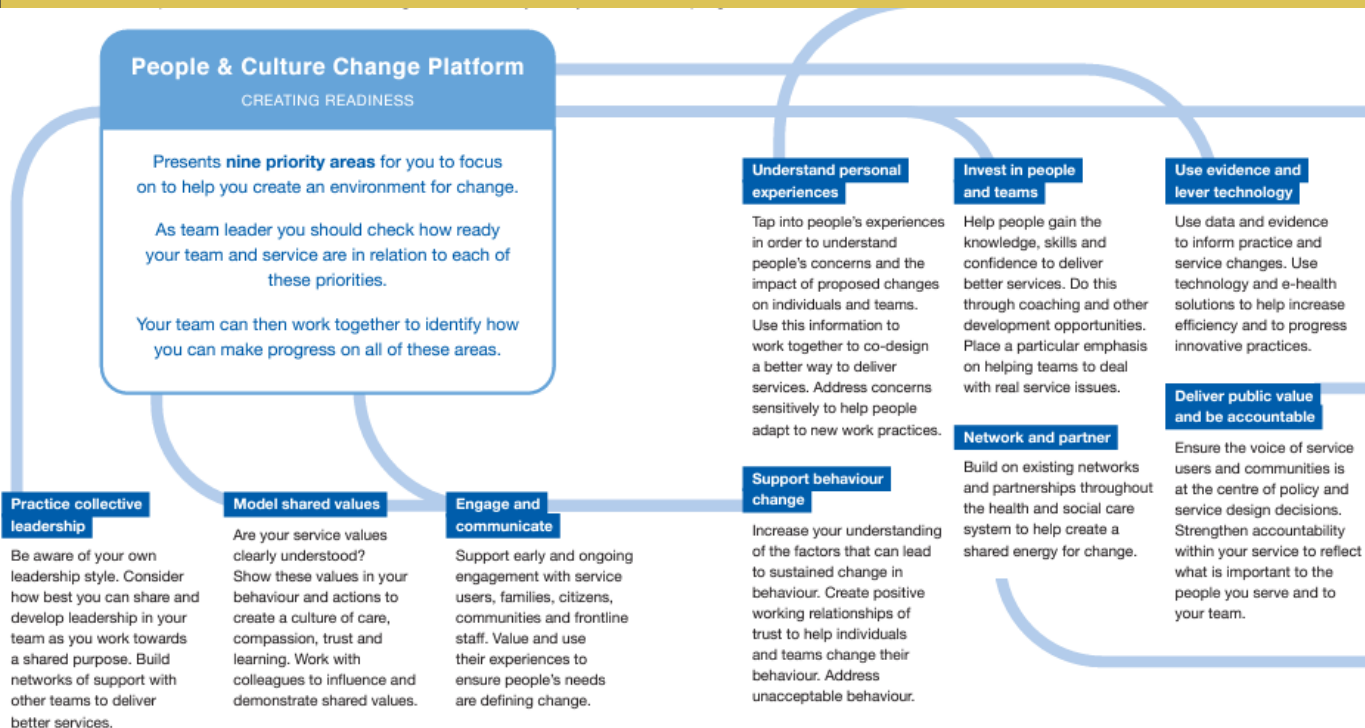


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# How to manage change in the context of complexity of person-centred care approaches

Change within health and social care systems is complex, unpredictable and often quite messy...

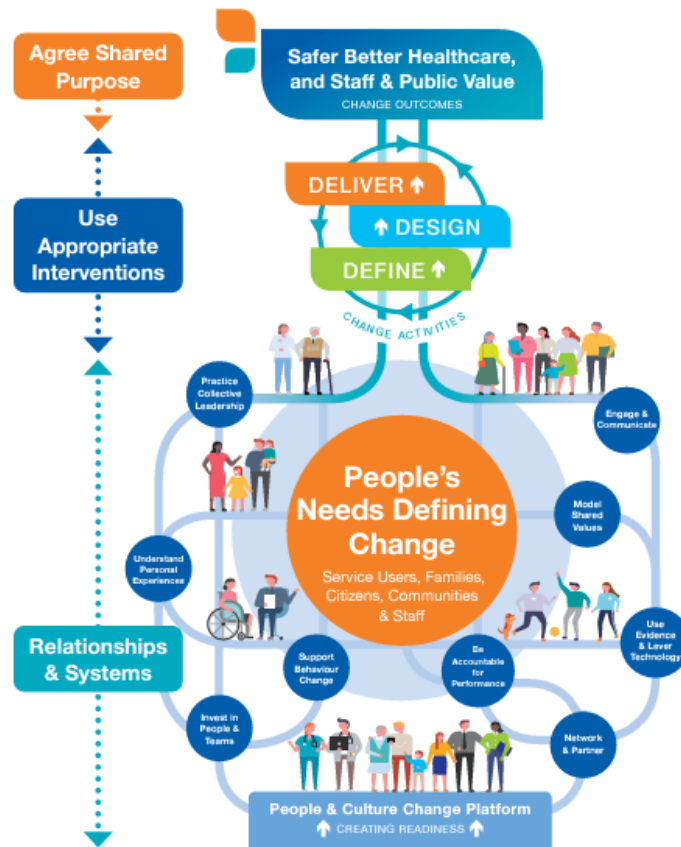




# Change is not linear...

...It requires trust in relationships

- Allow what's emerging and respond flexibly
- One change can result in unforeseen outcomes
- Making sense of disruption and chaos helps us to adapt to emerging challenges and opportunities





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- The role of leadership in the institution
  - Leadership models, practices and impacts
- How to manage change in the context of complexity of person-centered care approaches

## General presentation of IHSCJ – Psychogeriatric Center Paredede|Cascais

- The Psychogeriatric Center is one of the 12 health institutions of the Hospitaller Sisters in Portugal
- It was founded in 1948

### Mission:

Provide specialized and humanized care in mental health and global rehabilitation;

With clinical and technical quality, scientific rigor and innovation;

Looking for person-centered care with respect for the individuality;

It combines science and humanity in integral care for the person.

# The role of leadership

## Leadership models and practices

### Hospitaller Model:

#### 1. Assistance Model

Holistic care; person-centered care; multidisciplinary care; continuous improvement; science and humanity

#### 2. Management and administration model

Based on institutional identity; ethical conduct; equity and solidarity; sustainability; innovation; promoting technical capacity; identification of new community needs; establishing synergies

# The role of leadership

## Leadership models and practices

### Hospitaller Model:

3. A model of relationships with professionals and society;

Continuous development of professionals; dissemination of the institutional mission; professional admission process; work model based on ethics, trust, effective communication and active participation;

Social commitment.



# The role of leadership

## Leadership impacts

Attention to the people who collaborate in the hospitaller mission is important for us.

Values inspire us in learning about being and know-how.

### **Desired behaviors:**

Promote that professionals feel part of the hospitaller mission and share it;

Motivate professionals to know and put into practice the institution's values;

Strengthen the feeling of belonging and motivation;

Try to do good freely, focusing on the positive impact it will have on the lives of sick people;

Provide holistic care;

Promote respect for others;

Put the sick person at the center of action.

# The role of leadership

## Leadership impacts

### Desired behaviors:

Encourage team participation in decision-making;

Share new challenges and scientific knowledge with the team;

Establish close and trusting relationships with the team;

Be an example to others;

Communicate assertively, developing in others feelings that combine good practices;

Ensure team cohesion and a sense of co-responsibility;

Encourage moments of reflection; understand the error;

Encourage the development of human capabilities.

# How to manage change in the context of complexity of person-centered care approaches

We understand that leaders are multipliers of hospitaller style and values. The awareness and responsibility we assume towards the teams and the mission project make us catalysts for change and growth.

Make the team feel like they are part of a big family, which welcomes, brings together, cares for and respects each person.

The permanent application of the Hospitaller Model, rigor, human and professional skills, management efficiency, teamwork, adaptation and permanent updating of teams, is our way of responding to the complexity of person-centered care.

# Thank you

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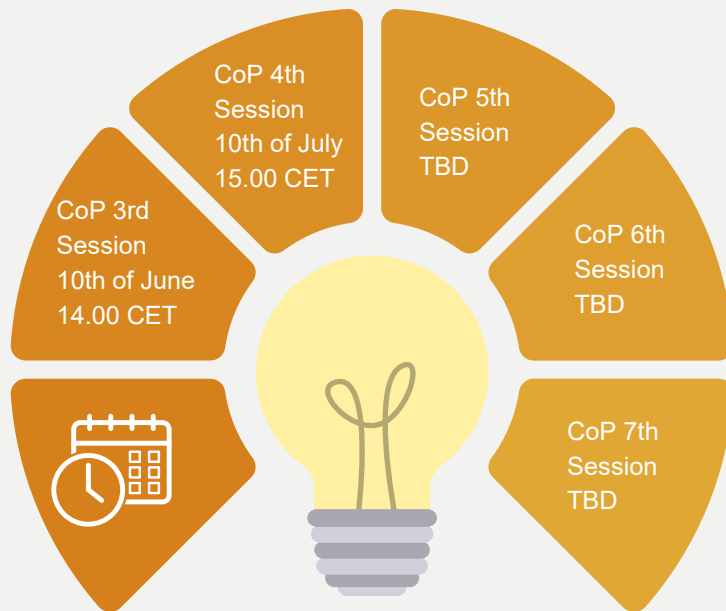
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## Upcoming CoP sessions





# The Compass platform

**A Community of Practice (CoP) is a group of people who share a common concern, a set of problems, or an interest in a topic and who come together to fulfill both individual and group goals. According to Wenger (1998), CoPs:**

- (1) Educate by collecting and sharing information related to questions and issues of practice;
- (2) Support by organizing interactions and collaboration among members;
- (3) Cultivate by assisting groups to start and sustain their learning;
- (4) Encourage by promoting the work of members through discussion and sharing and
- (5) Integrate by encouraging members to use their new knowledge for real change in their own work.

COMPASS' CoP is an European Network of care managers and care workers interested to share experience and skills, build a common language, and support the consolidation of a new professional vision in the context of Person Centered Care Practices in aged-care.

## Forum

A forum where you can network with your colleagues across Europe

[Read more](#)

## Resources

A repository of resources, practices, tools and best practices on person-centered aged-care and leadership in person-centered care

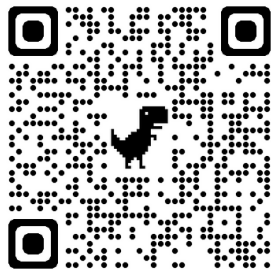
[Read more](#)

## Events & seminars

During 2024 we will organize monthly online webinars dedicated to person-centered care related issues.

[Read more](#)

[leadingcare.eu/community-of-practice](https://leadingcare.eu/community-of-practice)



# Evaluation Questionnaire of the 2<sup>a</sup> Session





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