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**Transforming the challenge of an ageing population into an opportunity. The
experience of the European Region**

*Reference Site Collaborative Network
Supporting Reference Sites*

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RSCN AIM

Working with Reference Sites and Regions the RSCN will contribute to:

- Improving the health and quality of life of citizens, with a focus on older people;
- Supporting the long-term sustainability and efficiency of health and social care systems; and
- Enhancing the competitiveness of EU industry through business and expansion in new markets

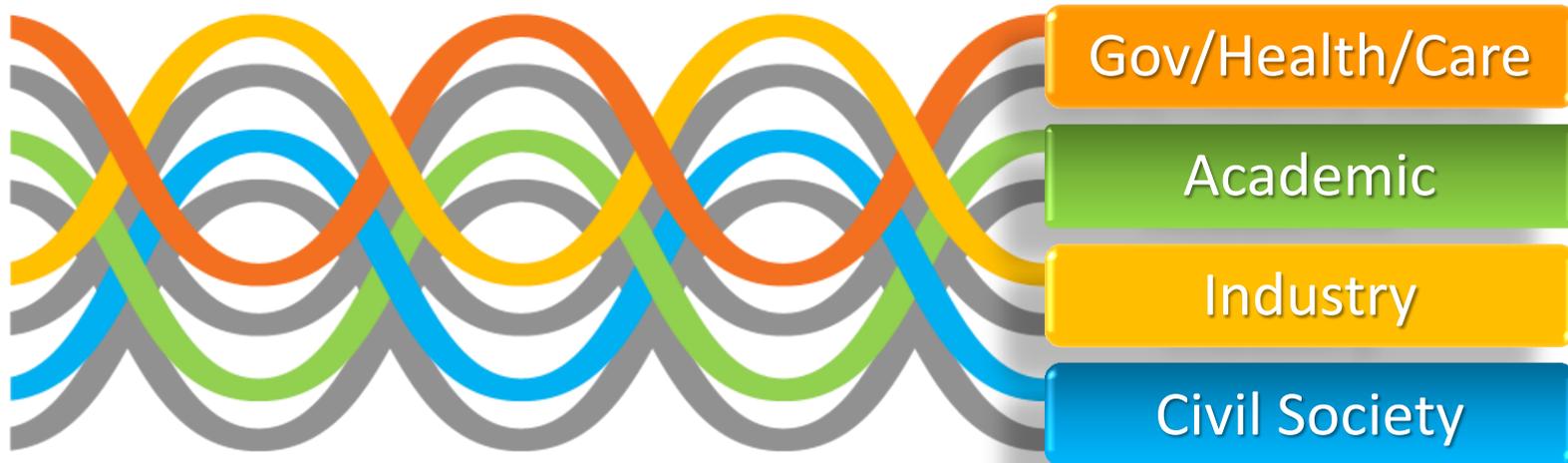
By providing leadership and inspiration to the development, implementation, and transfer of innovation and best practice in the development and deployment at scale of health and care policies, strategies, and service delivery models, and supporting the active co-operation of Reference Sites with each other.

EIP-AHA RSCN - Quadruple Helix

What it Is

Regional Government, Health & Care Providers, Academia, Industry and Civil Society collaborating together to drive structural changes far beyond the scope any one organization could achieve on it's own

Involve all stakeholders in quadruple helix to innovate and experiment in real world settings.



Role of the RSCN

Facilitate Reference Sites and Regions planning to become Reference Sites to:

- ❑ Share experiences in evidence-based innovation practices and solutions in developing Health and Care strategies; policies; and service delivery models
- ❑ Consider whether each good practice is ready for scale application across Europe, or whether further evaluation and testing is needed
- ❑ Identify and address horizontal issues across the 3 EIP Pillars and consider how the different elements could be incorporated to provide a holistic picture
- ❑ Provide a high quality regional and local perspective on health and care issues and provide assistance, from both operational and policy perspectives, to the Commission in the process of developing new policies, programs and initiatives under the objectives of EIP - AHA.

Role of the RSCN (cont)

- ❑ Facilitate Reference Sites and candidate Reference Sites to: Communicate with the European Commission and react to EU policy developments from a regional perspective.
- ❑ Through its Members develop existing and new collaborations with others in the RSCN where there are shared objectives and common areas of interest in order to identify suitable projects where solution development was required;
- ❑ Identify and support the development of Reference Site partnerships in calls for EC funding.
- ❑ Through its knowledge and expertise work with Regions looking to develop new Reference Sites

How Will Reference Sites and Regions Benefit?

- Understand how others are addressing AHA and health and care challenges through sharing of Best Practice in development and implementation of strategies, policies, and service delivery models
- Increased awareness of new and emerging technologies and its impact on patients/service users
- Access to partners right across Europe to develop and work on Joint projects where there are shared challenges and objectives
- Participation in Twinning opportunities with other Reference Sites and regions
- Transfer and adoption at scale of evidence based innovative solutions where they can address AHA and health and care priorities in a region
- Influence and inform European policy on AHA and health and social care
- Membership of the General Assembly with opportunities to become Members of the Executive Board

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