



The professional association for homecare providers

What everyone ought to know about the homecare sector and how we could revolutionise it

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Purpose

To enable a strong, sustainable, innovative and person-led homecare market to flourish across the UK, supporting members so they can help people live well and independently at home

Small



Large

State-funded



Self-funded

Generalist



Specialist

Regulated



Un-regulated

Start-up



Mature



9 out of 10 people want to live independently at home

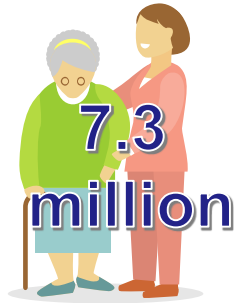
State-funded
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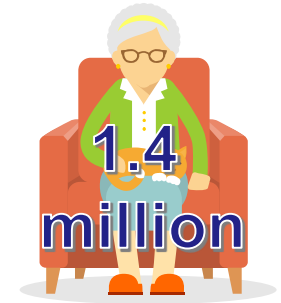
Self-funded homecare
helps over 360,000
people to live
independently at home



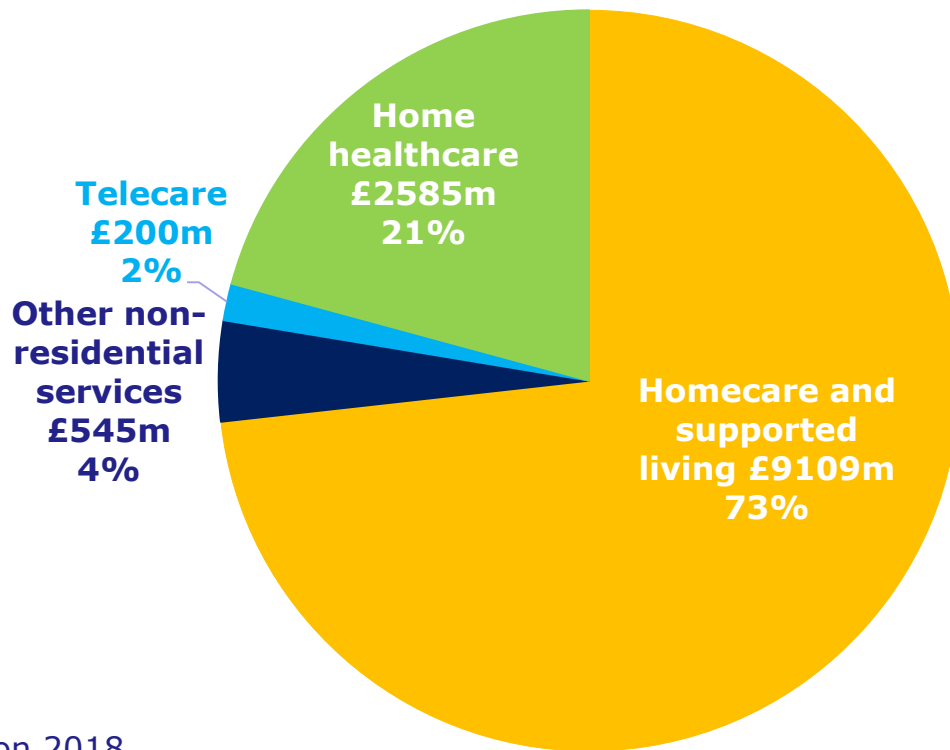
7.3 million people
provide unpaid care at
home for loved ones



1.4 million people do
not receive the
support and care they
need at home



Market value of all care in the home



Source: Laing Buisson 2018

“Occasionally, I
feel like I’d like
to see
somebody,
but there isn’t
anybody who
can come”

~ Pat

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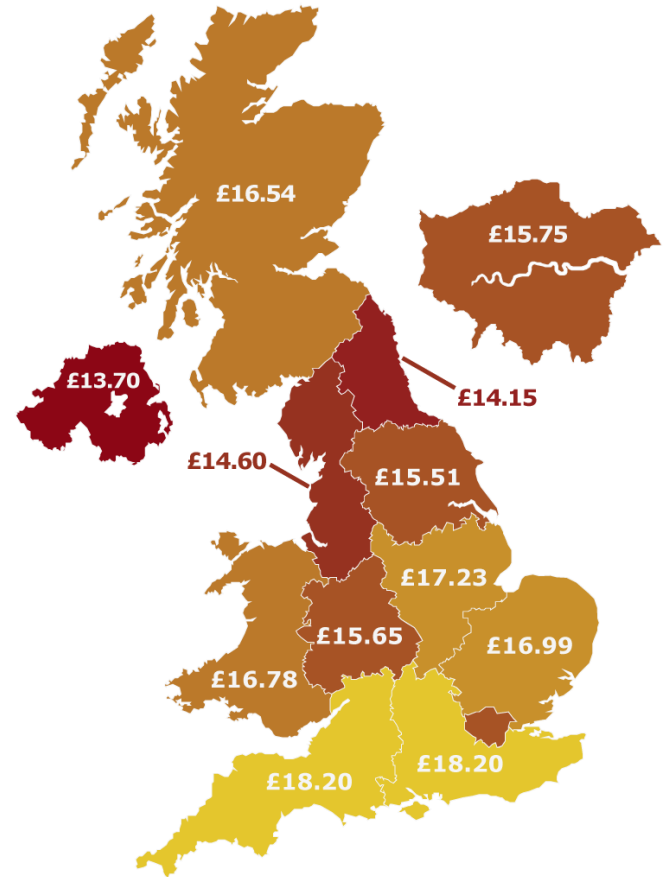
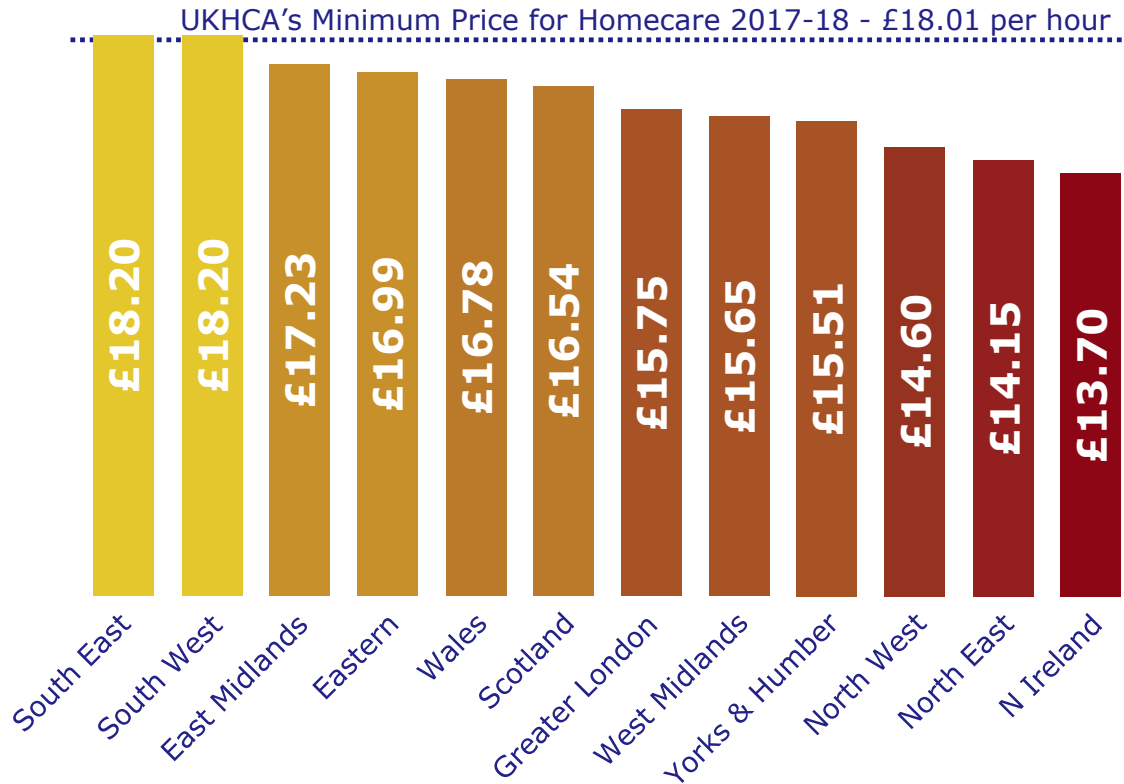


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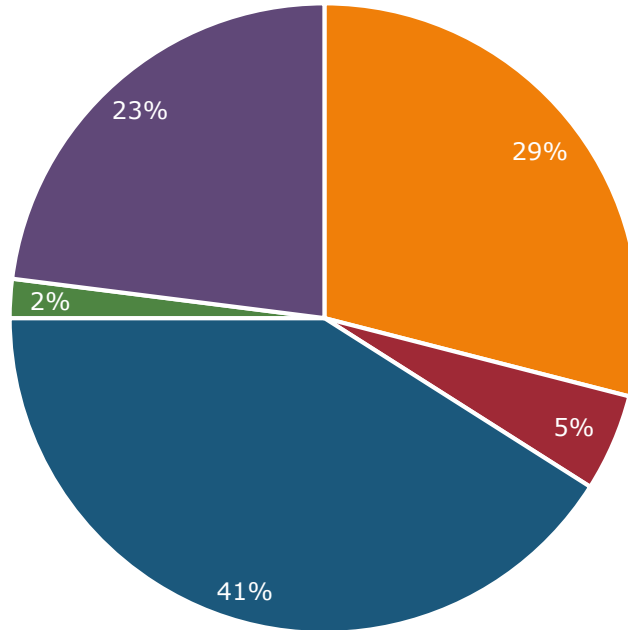
Few councils are meeting providers' costs

UKHCA: "The Homecare Deficit 2018"





Homecare market segments



- Private pay, direct payments - short visits
- Private pay, direct payments - sleep-ins
- Public sector commissioned - short visits
- Public sector commissioned - sleep-ins
- NHS commissioned complex care

Source: Laing Buisson, 2018



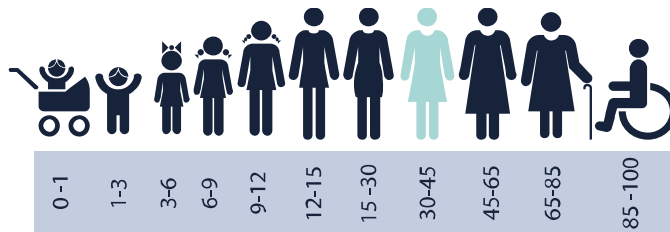
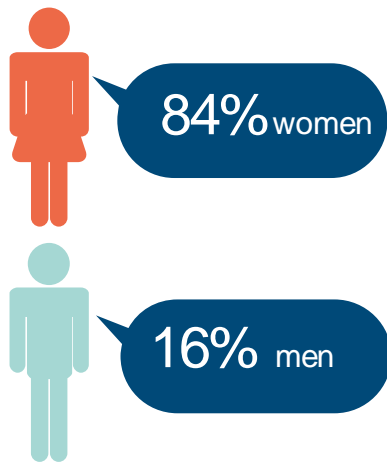
685,000 jobs



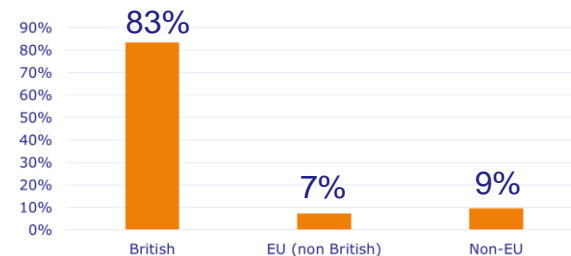
40% staff turnover



10% vacancy rate



Average age 43 years

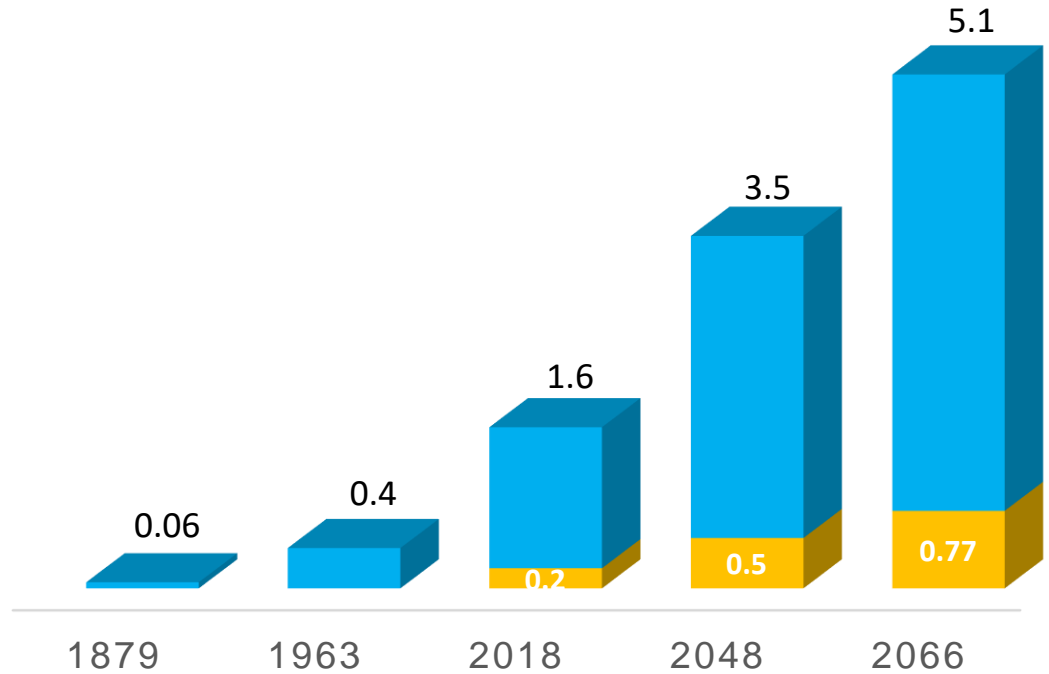


Nationality



MILLIONS OVER 85

■ Need 24/7 care ■ Total



Sources: ONS, Lancet 2018



Flourishing at 100



Purpose



Connection



Work



Wealth



Home



Exercise



Sleep



Food



Mind



Learning





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Starting a new career... in your 80s

For many people, retirement is a chance to finally take it easy and have a quiet life.

But 82-year-old Hilary Forde-Chalkly says she got "bored to tears".

Having stopped working in her 60s, she's now back at it. She's just graduated with a Masters from Kingston University London, and is pursuing a career as an author.

Her husband Syd has also come out of retirement to help her.

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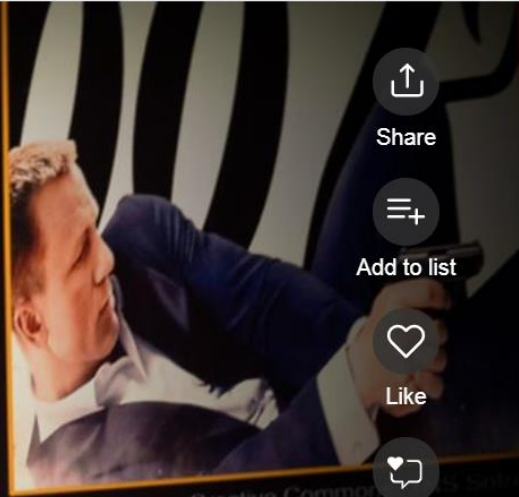
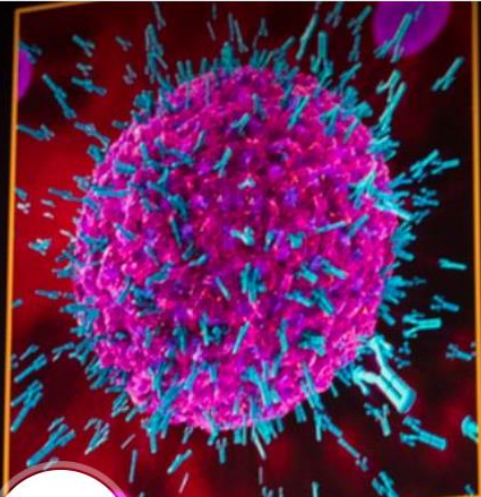
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Tao Parchon-Lynch, who will turn 100 in a few months, is the world's oldest yoga teacher and the founder of the Westchester Yoga Institute, leads a class at the Fred Astaire Studio in Hartsdale on Feb. 5, 2018.

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Retirement villages extend life expectancy for women

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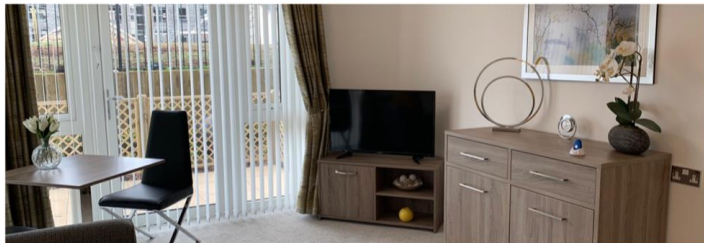


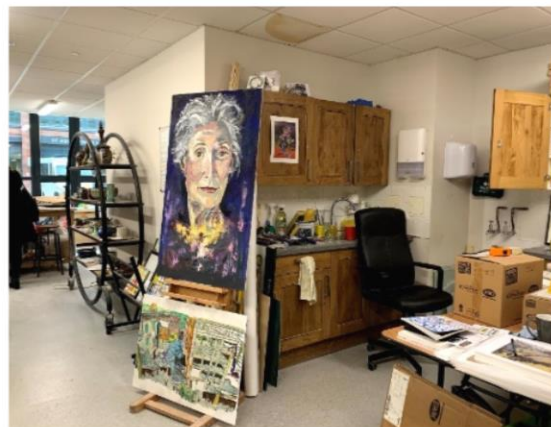
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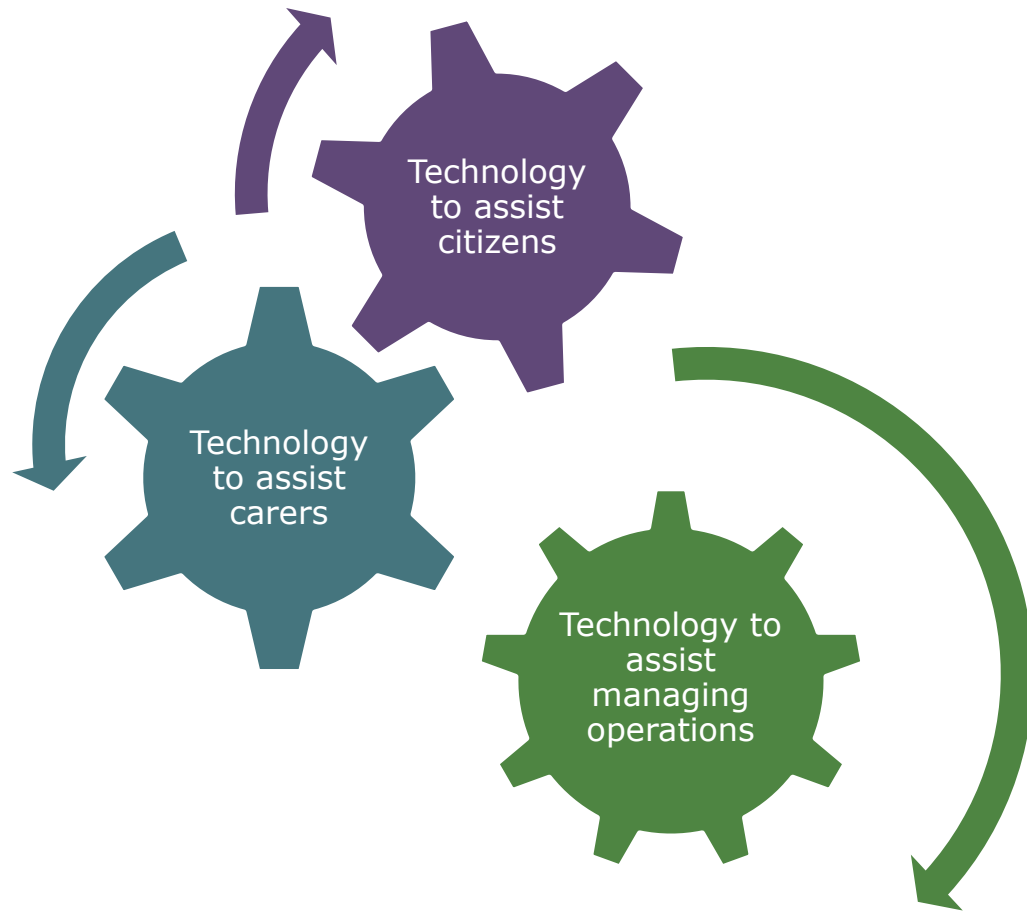


It is possible to create a socially stimulating and safe environment in which older people can enjoy a longer retirement in peace and comfort. (Source: Getty)

Retirement villages can boost the longevity of women by as much as five years compared to the general population, according to a new [Cass Business School](#) report.







Available in different styles

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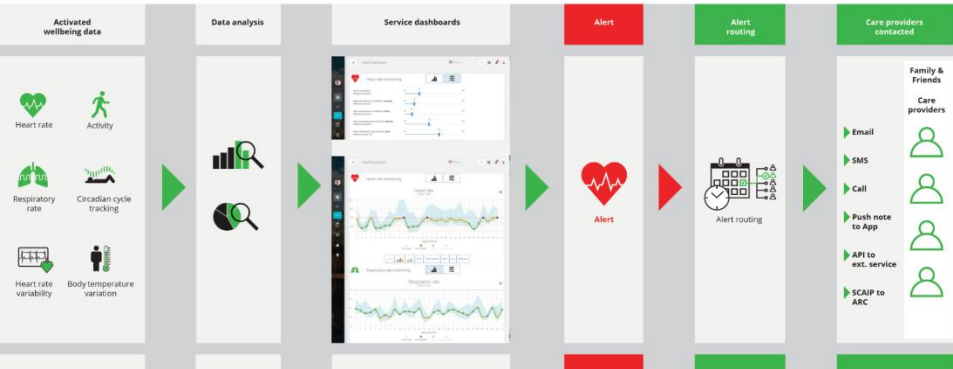
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Silver Beige



One button emergency call

Alert help

Call for help in an emergency by pressing one button, automatically in case of fall or loss of consciousness. Notification to family or professional help.

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Take a deep breath

Respiratory rate

Naigel Soft monitors activity level and respiratory rate. Level of activity and heart rate in relation to respiratory rate can identify the most important indicators of a person's health and wellbeing.

Safe & Independent freedom

Live your life on your own terms on the go. With an alert or a location history on when leaving home and a fall detection, the Naigel Soft can ensure you're safe and healthy.

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Feeling good at 65 bpm

Heart rate monitoring & wellness

Naigel Soft monitors your heart rate continuously and rising heart rate during the night could be a warning sign of an irregular heart rate. It's able to bring this to your attention so you can get help.

The smartest route for help

Alert and notification service

A predetermined, calendar controlled help request call sequence with backup. If family members are not reachable, this smart notification service ensures that the messages get through, when emergency calls.

Such a lovely temperature

Body temperature variations

Monitor the variations of the user's body temperature is of great value as it provides the most timely and accurate respiratory rate information. The Naigel Soft and help of our services can be used to help you to go to bed.

Getting zzz's right

Circadian cycle tracking

A good night's sleep is the key to a host of health benefits. Deviations in the circadian cycle, combined with additional data required by Naigel Soft can be used to detect stress, depression and to enable early warning on wellbeing risks in advance.

Like a walk in the park

Activity monitoring

Activity is essential for long-term health. Regular monitoring of heart rate, step count, distance and respiratory rate information. The Naigel Soft and help of our services can be used to help you to go to bed.





The bed with the section transformed into an electric reclining wheelchair



The bed with the wheelchair section separated



Electric care bed in its normal position



WHAT IS KRAYDEL?

Peace of mind in a box

EFFORTLESS SETUP

We designed Kraydel specifically for people who may not be familiar or comfortable using SmartScreen technologies (e.g. mobiles and tablets) to stay in touch with their loved ones. Kraydel is a small box (attached to the top of the TV) that enables quick and easy TV video calling from the user's TV to mobiles or computers.



LOW-PROFILE TECHNOLOGY

Kraydel is designed to be unobtrusive - supporting independent living, whilst giving carers insight when there's a marked change in daily routines.

EASY TO USE

The Kraydel device can be set up by anyone in minutes. Users can easily stay in touch with friends, family, carers and even health professionals through their TVs, with the help of Kraydel's intuitive, large-buttoned remote control.



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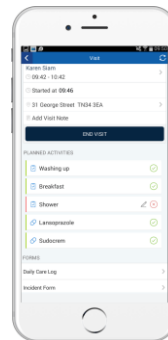
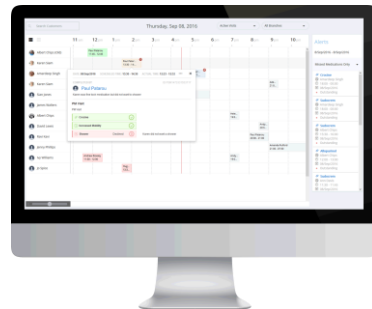
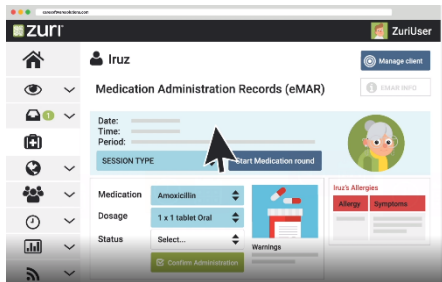
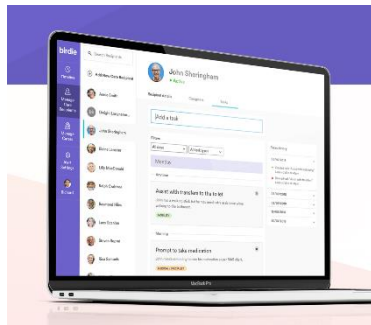
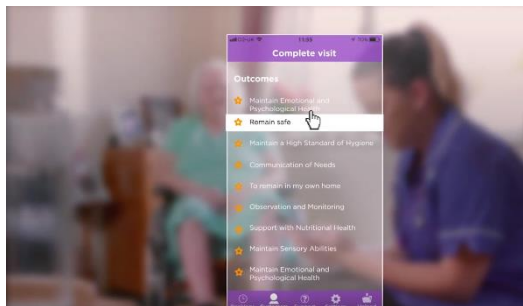
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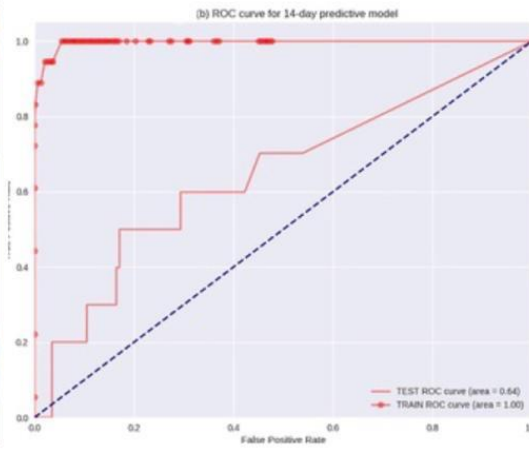
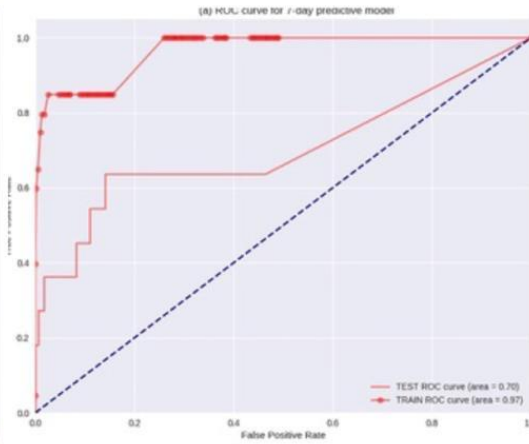
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Home care aides' observations and machine learning algorithms for the prediction of visits to emergency departments by older community-dwelling individuals receiving home care assistance: A proof of concept study

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Abstract

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Abstract

Background

Older individuals receiving home assistance are at high risk for emergency visits and unplanned hospitalization. Anticipating their health difficulties could prevent these events. This study investigated the effectiveness of an at-home monitoring method using social workers' observations to predict risk for 7- and 14-day emergency department (ED) visits.

Methods

This was a prospective cohort study of persons ≥ 75 years, living at home and receiving assistance from home care aides (HCA) at 6 French facilities. After each home visit, HCAs reported on participants' functional status using a smartphone application that recorded 27 functional items about each participant (e.g., ability to stand, move, eat, mood, loneliness). We recorded ED visits. Finally, we used machine learning techniques (i.e., leveraging random forest predictors) to develop a 7- and 14-day predictive algorithm for the risk of ED visit.

Results

9 variables significant:

- Able to move in his/her home
- Has prepared his/her meal
- Temperature, pain, breathing, falls
- Communication, mood, social contact

Conclusions

- Exciting times for homecare
- People want to live well and independently at home
- High quality home-based support and care can extend healthy lifespan and enhance quality of life; delay or prevent admission to hospital and residential care; and save money for the health and care system
- Entrepreneurial flair in abundance – numerous innovations
- Investment needed in workforce, technology solutions and data science, in collaboration with NHS, to help improve health outcomes



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