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Innovations in nursing homes for people in situations of dependency:

Architectural design and care model

30th November and 1st December 2011
Palacio de Congresos de Madrid
Paseo de la Castellana, 99
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CONFERENCE PRESENTATION AND OBJECTIVES

The well-known phenomenon of an aging population will, as all the population projections have announced, increase markedly in Spain. This fact, coupled with the need to adjust the supply of services to the wishes of their potential recipients, makes it necessary for public authorities, service providers and society as a whole, to get to know the different solutions and international trends in this field, and to compare them with ours.

When designing the content of this Conference we have tried to start out from a key objective: To provide a space for meeting and reflection in which to display a variety of experiences from outside and within Spain, related to residential care design and models that are being proposed internationally, as suitable to offer to people who need support due to their dependency - quality care without compromising principles such as personal autonomy and which are also affordable.

The results of surveys and qualitative studies on the wishes and expectations of citizens, regarding where they would like to receive care and attention in case they need them, are well known and recurrent: home, their own environment and, failing that, a place (home, flats or housing with services) where they do not have the feeling of their lives being controlled.

By holding this Meeting, we hope to contribute to the debate opened for some years in most countries in our sphere of influence, and which has also begun to be discussed in Spain, regarding architectural designs and care models that might be able to respond to issues such as:

- How to make principles of dignity, autonomy and rights viable, when people live in long stay accommodation, due to their need to receive support and permanent care?
- What architectural and design criteria are required to provide environments that support the control of space and one’s own life?
- Can “home” accommodation costs, where quality care, is ensured, be assumed?
- How to advance in the person-centered care model, based on existing equipment?

CONFERENCE RECIPIENTS

Given that the Conference participants come from diverse backgrounds, both territorial and cultural, as well as the focus of the papers having a multidisciplinary scope, the debate within the Conference will also be enriched if it is attended by various agents involved in this field of reflection:

- Associative movement of the elderly
- Associative movement of the persons with disabilities
- Those in charge of public policy
- Planners, managers and service providers
- Experts in social and housing policies
- Social and health professionals
- Third sector Organizations
- Construction companies
- Architecture professionals
- Other professionals (sociology, psychology, philosophy, anthropology, etc.)
- Students
30th November
First Conference: Rights, scientific evidence and expectations

Morning

9:00
INTRODUCTION AND OBJECTIVES OF THE CONFERENCE

9:30 - 10:30
CONFERENCE: Autonomy and dignity throughout life. Special reference to people living in nursing homes
Adela Cortina Orts, Professor of ethics and political philosophy of the University of Valencia

10:30
OFFICIAL OPENING

11:30
Coffee break

12:00 - 14:00
EXPERIENCES ROUNDTABLE: Conceptual advances and architectural design based on scientific evidence

- **Scandinavia**: Evidence on the relationship between architectural design and subjective well-being
  Mary-Ann Knudstrup, Associate Professor, Department of Architecture, Design and Media Technology, Aalborg University, Denmark, director of the project "Trivsel og Boligform"

- **Germany**: Legislative changes to progress in guaranteeing rights and innovative experiences in care models
  Miguel Montero Lange, Sociologist. Specialist on Social Care Policy for dependant persons. Berlin

- **United Kingdom**: Evolution and tendencies of care housing for elderly people to maximize their independency in the United Kingdom: the extra care housing programme
  Jeremy Porteous, Ex manager of the National Programme For Housing at the Department of Health in the United Kingdom

- **United States**: Changes in nursing homes to ensure the dignity of the individual
  Karen C. Schoeneman, Deputy Director of the Division of Nursing Homes, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), the US Department of Health and Human Services, and active member of the Pioneer Network for Culture Change in Nursing Homes
Afternoon

16:00 - 18:30 ROUNDTABLE: Expectations for the care of dependent people in Spain, according to research results

- IMSERSO
  Cristina Rodríguez Porrero Miret, Director of CEAPAT

- Centre to make health more human
  José Carlos Bermejo Higuera, Director

- Caser Foundation for Dependency:
  Spanish Population’s Perceptions of the care services for dependent persons
  Antonio Flores Alba

- Matía Foundation/INGEMA, Public and Professional’s opinion on the care model for the future
  Mayte Sancho Castiello, Scientific Director

- Catalonian Elderly People Federation (FATEC),
  The home where we would like to live in
  Mercè Mas i Quintana, Consell de la Gent Gran de Catalunya
1st December

Second Conference: Some answers

Morning

9:00 - 10:30 CONFERENCE: Architectural design, dependency and everyday life in accommodation

Victor Regnier, Architect and gerontologist. Professor at the University of Southern California, and Kansas State University, USA.

Reply from the Chairman of the Antonio Camuñas Architecture Foundation José Antonio Camuñas Solís

Discussion with the audience

10:30 Coffee break

11:00 - 13:00 EXPERIENCES PANEL: Reality and future trends in care home model in Europe

• The Nordic Model: Evolutions in care and space for the frail ageing in Sweden with some relevance to Denmark and Norway

Jonas E. Anderson, Architect/Ph D, and Assistant Professor at the School of Architecture and Built Environment, KTH - the Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden

• France: The influence of the environment and social relations in the welfare of people with cognitive impairment living in nursing homes

Marie Jo Guisset, Gerontologist. Fondation Médéric Alzheimer. Paris

• Spain: Experience in the management of the Public Administrations

Jesus Fuertes Zurita, Social Service’s Manager in Castilla-Leon Regional Government

Future trends of the care homes for elderly people in the Castilla- Leon Autonomous Community

Francisco Javier Leturia Arrazola, Deputy Director of the Area for people with disabilities in the Regional Social Welfare Institute in Álava
13:00 - 14:00  **ROUNDTABLE:** The wishes of the people. Perspective of older people and people with disabilities

- Elderly people’s opinion
  Luis Martín Pindado, President of the Democratic Union of Pensioners (UDP) and Vice-president of the State Council for Elderly People

- People with disabilities’ opinion. Access to the environment to live an independent life
  Miguel Ángel García Oca, President of Aspaym-Madrid and Representative of CERMI

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**Afternoon**

16:00 - 18:00  **EXPERIENCES PANEL:** Advances in care models focused on the individual in Spain

- Social services suppliers’ Innovations
  - LARES Federation, José Ignacio Santaolalla Sáez, Chairman
  - Care Home Caser, Pablo González Álvarez, Quality and Process Manager and María Ruiz Cejudo, Manager of Caser Nursing Home “Arturo Soria”

- Innovations promoted by people themselves
  The experience of the Cooperative “Los Milagros” S.C.A.R. Santa Clara, Málaga
  Aurora Moreno González

- Etxean ondo Project on the whole person-centred care
  Alfonso Gurpegui Ruiz, Vice-Councillor of Social Services in the Basque Government

18:30  **GENERAL DISCUSSION, CONCLUSIONS AND CLOSING OF THE CONFERENCE**
GENERAL INFORMATION

Venue:
All scientific sessions will take place in room 1 (UNESCO) of the Palacio de Congresos de Madrid
Paseo de la Castellana, 99 – 28046 Madrid

Transport:
Metro: “Santiago Bernabéu” station, line 10
Buses: 27, 150, 40 and 147

Technical Secretariat during the conference:
The technical Secretariat will be located next to the meeting room in the Palacio de Congresos.

Working hours:
Wednesday, 30th November 2011: 9pm – 2pm  4pm – 6,30pm
Thursday, 1st December 2011: 9pm – 2pm  4pm – 6,30pm

Registration:
Registration is available online or by e-mail,
- On-line at these web sites www.fundacioncaser.es - www.siasa.es
- By e-mail using the registration form available at www.fundacioncaser.es - www.siasa.es

Registration Fees
General:
Before 4th November 2011: 75,00 €
After 4th November 2011: 100,00 €

Registration fee includes: Access to all scientific sessions, documents, and coffee breaks

Student:
Limited number:
It is compulsory to submit a copy of the receipt for the 2011-2012 enrolment fees.
Before 20th October 2011: 50,00 €
After 20th October 2011: 75,00 €

Registration fee includes: Access to all scientific sessions, documents, and coffee breaks

Simultaneous Interpretation:
Simultaneous Interpretation will be provided English/Spanish

Cancellations:
The technical secretariat must be notified of cancellation in writing
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