



Dear Members of Eurocarers,

You will find below the latest news published on the Eurocarers website as well as the news items restricted to the members of Eurocarers. We hope you will enjoy the reading.

We wanted to remind you that this newsletter is yours; you are kindly encouraged to share your achievements and challenges with the other members of Eurocarers. So if you wish to submit an article to the Eurocarers website (and therefore to this compilation) or subscribe one of your colleagues to the newsletter, please send a message to [Olivier Jacqmain](#).

If you have any question or suggestion, feel free to reply to this email and share them with us.

With best regards,

The Eurocarers Secretariat

**[Invitation to attend the 7th Scottish Carers Parliament,
30th October 2019, Edinburg – Scotland](#)**

On Sep 23, 2019 09:10 am

Members only



Dear Eurocarers members, On Wednesday 30 October 2019 the Scottish Government, in partnership with Scotland's national carer organisations, is holding the 7th Scottish Carers Parliament. Every year, over 100 carers from all parts of Scotland meet with government ministers in...

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Norway on its way to the first National Carers strategy

On Sep 24, 2019 01:21 pm

Members, Policy development



We are pleased to share with you this very promising update from the Norwegian alliance for informal Carers, our member from Norway: After Pårørendealliansen (Norwegian alliance for informal Carers) launched the idea for a National Carers Strategy in 2016,...

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Launch of Policy briefs “Enabling young carers to pursue their goals in life and reach their full potential – converting research findings into policy actions”

On Sep 24, 2019 10:02 am

Members, Press release, Young carers



PRESS RELEASE for the ME-WE project Across Europe, a substantial number of children and young people provide care (emotional, personal, practical, financial) to a family member or a friend who is an older person, has a disability, chronic disease,...

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Towards a rights-based approach in long-term care: Building an index of rights-based policies for older people in Europe

On Sep 24, 2019 08:09 am

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One of our members from Vienna, the European Centre for Social Welfare Policy and Research, has just released the Final Report of the project 'Towards a rights-based approach in long-term care: Building an index of rights-based policies for older people...

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The Social Platform in Helsinki – Family care is an essential part of long-term care

On Sep 23, 2019 02:12 pm

Eurocarers, Events, Members, Policy development, Press release



In September Eurocarers together with AGE Platform Europe, COFACE Families Europe arranged a workshop in the Social Platform's conference Building Social Europe. The conference organised as a part of High-Level Conference on the Economy of Wellbeing of the Finnish Presidency...

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Discount for the members: International Conference on Integrated Care

On Sep 23, 2019 09:02 am

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The International Foundation of Integrated Care (IFIC) in partnership with the Ministry of Health of the Republic of Croatia, the City of Zagreb, Health Center Zagreb – Centar, Croatian Academy of Sciences and Arts, University of Zagreb, Libertas International University...

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WHO – Countries must invest at least 1% more of GDP on primary health care to eliminate glaring coverage gaps

On Sep 21, 2019 02:42 pm

Policy development, Press release



PRESS RELEASE BY WHO At current rates of progress up to 5 billion people will miss out on health care in 2030 Countries must increase spending on primary healthcare by at least 1% of their gross domestic product (GDP) if...

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Supporting informal carers – six policy challenges and how to meet them

On Sep 19, 2019 02:33 pm

Policy development, Press release



PRESS RELEASE by the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE) Everybody is likely to become a carer at some point in life, providing care for a spouse, family member, friend or neighbour with long-term care needs. The majority of...

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PRESS RELEASE – To preserve their legitimacy, the EU and member states need to care for citizens!

On Sep 19, 2019 02:27 pm

Press release



JOINT PRESS RELEASE Brussels, Belgium – 19 September 2019 To preserve their legitimacy, the EU and member states need to care for citizens! Placing wellbeing at the core of our economic models and welfare states is not only an...

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[Nordic call for action on carers' rights](#)

On Sep 18, 2019 09:11 am

Events, Members, Policy development



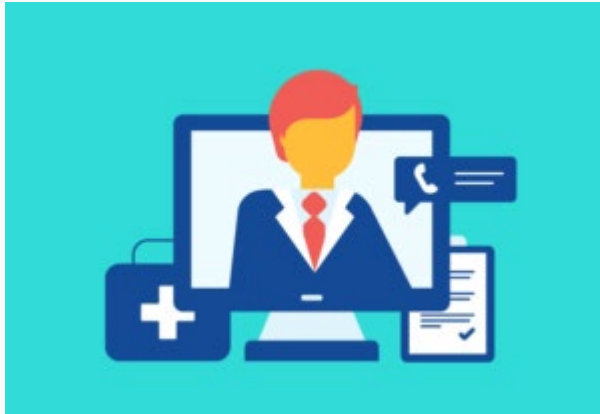
In the framework of the Eurocarers General Assembly 2019 which took place in Copenhagen on May 20-21 2019, our Nordic Members Associations met to discuss the situation of care and caring in their respective countries, the result is a joint...

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[Eurocarers contributed to the article 'ECCO Essential Requirements for Quality Cancer Care'](#)

On Sep 17, 2019 11:34 am

Repository, Research



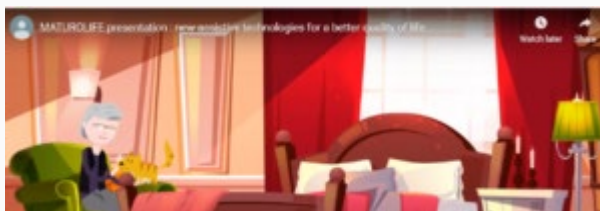
ECCO (the European CanCer Organisation) connects the European cancer community by leveraging knowledge, promoting education and building awareness. ECCO Essential Requirements for Quality Cancer Care (ERQCC) are checklists and explanations of organisation and actions that are necessary to give high-quality...

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[New and smart assistive technologies for a better quality of life](#)

On Sep 16, 2019 04:36 pm

Maturolife, assistive technologies, autonomy, co-creation, co-design, independence, sensors, smart textiles, user-driven



Join the MATUROLIFE community here to learn more about how user-centred design coupled with material innovation and sensor integration will aim to produce “smart” furniture, clothing and footwear with assistive functionality in this EU-funded Horizon 2020 Innovation Action running until...

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Homes4life Stakeholder Workshop

On Sep 13, 2019 09:31 am

Homes4Life, News, age-friendly housing, ageing in place, housing



Presentations from the successful “Homes4Life” Stakeholder Workshop, held on 24 June in Brussels, have been available here. The workshop consisted of 3 sessions and roundtables to gather external stakeholders’ feedback on key issues for developing a strategy and vision of...

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Stella Kyriakides’ nomination puts patient advocate in top EU health post

On Sep 12, 2019 10:03 am

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A graphic with the text "Stella Kyriakides:" in a large, dark serif font, and "the torch bearer" in a smaller, light blue sans-serif font below it.

A professional patient advocate is set to take charge of the Commission’s health department. Stella Kyriakides, 63, is a breast cancer patient, the daughter of a breast cancer patient, and a past president of the Continent’s most prominent breast cancer...

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Expert panel on effective ways of investing in health end of mandate conference: “Evidence-based expertise for better policy-making”

On Sep 12, 2019 09:59 am

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The conference will be an occasion to reflect on the Panel’s work at the end of the mandate of the current membership and, based on this experience, more broadly on the role of evidence-based expert’s advice in policy making. It...

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Recent Trends in Child and Family Policy in the EU – European Platform for Investing in Children: Annual thematic report

On Sep 12, 2019 09:57 am

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This second annual trend report outlines and summarises new policy developments in the area of child and family policy in the 28 EU Member States (EU28), and reports on progress with policies and activities initiated in earlier years. It is drafted...

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[WHO report: Lack of income security biggest barrier to European health](#)

On Sep 12, 2019 09:54 am

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The World Health Organization has published its first report identifying the top reasons why countries in the European region are failing to close the gap in health inequities. In its first wide-reaching report on the topic, WHO found that the...

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United Nations Economic Commission for Europe: UNECE – Supporting informal carers – six policy challenges and how to meet them

On Sep 12, 2019 09:45 am

Policy development



PRESS RELEASE by UNECE Everybody is likely to become a carer at some point in life, providing care for a spouse, family member, friend or neighbour with long-term care needs. The majority of such non-professional care, referred to as informal...

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What are the competencies needed to facilitate an online Mutual Aid Group? CARE4DEM developed a specific Competence Profile

On Sep 11, 2019 05:20 pm

Care4Dem

This publication presents one of the outcomes of the project 'CARE4DEM', a Competence Profile, listing the Knowledges, Skills and Abilities that are desirable for professionals and volunteers willing to facilitate MAGs for informal carers of people with Dementia. This outcome...

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France tops EU in health care spending

On Sep 05, 2019 12:19 pm

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France, Germany and Sweden spend the most on health care in the EU as a proportion of their country's gross domestic product, according to the latest figures released today by Eurostat. In 2016, the most recent year with full data,...

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[EU offers UK option of participating in 2020 budget programs](#)

On Sep 05, 2019 12:14 pm

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The European Commission today proposed a regulation which would allow the U.K. to continue benefiting from EU-funded programs in 2020 even if it leaves the bloc without a deal. The offer is contingent upon the U.K. continuing to pay into...

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[«Young Carers in Switzerland» Register now](#)

On Sep 05, 2019 12:10 pm

Events, Young carers



Dear Colleagues Prof. Dr. Agnes Leu and her Team are inviting you to attend the second Young Carers Conference in Switzerland, the final programme is now available. The event is open to the public and participation is free of charge. As...

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Ageing Well in the Digital World – Have your Say

On Sep 03, 2019 12:02 pm

Policy development



The European Commission is currently considering how to meet the challenges of our ageing population as well as make the most of its many opportunities. It is likely that a new partnership programme will emerge from these deliberations that both...

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