



Addressing the gaps in skills in home care for older people in Europe

Final event of the CARESS Erasmus+ project

Wednesday 3rd October 2018, 09:30 – 13:15

Regione Piemonte EU Office
Rue du Trône 62, Brussels

Agenda

09:00 – 09.30: Registration

09.30 – 10.00: Opening

- **European Union's commitment to the Sector Skill Alliances**

Pavol Krempaský, Project Manager at the Executive Agency for Education, Audiovisual and Culture of the European Commission

- **From dreams to practice: an overview of the CARESS project**

Serena Alvino, SI4Life (Italy), project coordinator

10.00 – 10.30: Addressing the skills gap in home care and putting words into action: experiences from the CARESS project

- **Which gaps between skills needs and current professional profiles in home care across Europe?**

Developing innovative European common educational modules in home care

Sirje Hassinen, OMNIA (Espoo, Finland)

- **EU Framework and Wizard: how to use and how to benefit from them**

Barbara Mazzarino, SI4Life (Italy)

10.30 – 11.00: Coffee break

11.00 – 12:00: The real-world experiences from the pilots in Italy, Finland and Spain

Serena Alvino SI4Life (Italy): Overall objectives of the pilots and the Virtual Community of Practice

Maria Rosaria Troiani, Vittorio Emanuele II (Genova, Italy)

Jenni Nurmisto, OMNIA (Espoo, Finland)

Leonor Pérez Ruiz, Universidad de Valladolid (Spain) (tbc)

12.00 – 13.00: Policy panel: skills of professionals, care as an attractive career option and quality of services: what role for the EU?

Moderator: Anne-Sophie Parent, Secretary-General of AGE Platform Europe (tbc)

Ingrid Keller, Directorate-General for Health of the European Commission (tbc)

Service providers (tbc)

Adrian Durtschi, UNICARE-UNI Europa, service trade unions

Brikena Xhomaqi, Director of the Lifelong Learning Platform and member of the CARESS Advisory Board (tbc)

13:00 – 13:15: Closing words

Pavol Krempaský, Project Manager at the Executive Agency for Education, Audiovisual and Culture of the European Commission (tbc)

Serena Alvino, SI4Life (Italy), project coordinator (tbc)

End of conference