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CAPACITY-BUILDING ASSETS FOR INTEGRATED CARE: HOW TO USE THE EXISTING EVIDENCE TO ACCELERATE THE ADOPTION AND SCALING-UP OF INTEGRATED CARE?

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WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

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INTRODUCTION TO SCIROCCO EXCHANGE PROJECT

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Who we are?

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9 Health and Social Care Authorities:

- Flanders Agency for Health and Care, Belgium
- Optimedis, Germany
- AReSS Puglia, Italy
- Vilnius University Hospital, Latvia
- National Health Fund, Poland
- **TEC Division, Scottish Government (Coordinator)**
- Safarik University, Slovakia
- Social Protection Institute of the Republic of Slovenia
- Osakidetza, Basque Country, Spain

3 Universities and Competence Centers

- University of Edinburgh, Scotland
- University of Valencia, Spain
- Kronikgune, Basque Country, Spain

2 Membership Organisations

- EHTEL (European Health Telematics Association), Belgium
- AER (Assembly of European regions), France

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Objectives of SCIROCCO Exchange

1.Maturity assessment for integrated care

Priorities for improvement: strengths and weaknesses of local environment for integrated care

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4. Improvement Plans

Co-designing technical assistance tailored to the maturity and local context

2. Capacity-building assets

Access to existing evidence

3. Knowledge transfer

Capacity-building support

SCIROCCO Exchange Tool for Integrated Care

https://scirocco-exchange-tool.inf.ed.ac.uk

Online

self-assessment tool

to assess readiness for

integrated care

Validated and tested in over

90 regions/organisations

Available in 9 languages

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Capturing Maturity Level

Objectives

If the existing systems of care need to be re-designed to provide a more integrated services, this will require change across many levels, the creation of new roles, processes and working practices, and new systems to support information sharing and collaboration across care teams. This will be disruptive and may be viewed negatively by workers, press and public, so a clear case needs to be made for those changes, including a justification, a strategic plan, and a vision of better care.

Assessment scale

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UNDERSTANDING THE LOCAL READINESS FOR INTEGRATED CARE

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Assessing the Maturity of a Healthcare System

- **The self-assessment process consist of the following steps:**

1. Local organisers **identify local experts** to be involved in the assessment

2. The experts **individually perform the assessment** by filling in a questionnaire on the Scirocco tool

3. The experts **share their individual questionnaires** with the organisers

4. A **workshop** is organised to **discuss and reach a consensus** amongst the different experts about the maturity of the healthcare system

Step 1: A Multidisciplinary Team

Doctor

Information Technology (IT) Specialist

Nurse

Administrator

Step 2: Performing an Individual Assessment

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Maturity Assessment

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Questions marked with * are compulsory. Please fill in the 'Assessment' tab, and then the 'Country/region' tab to choose the country/region this assessment is for.

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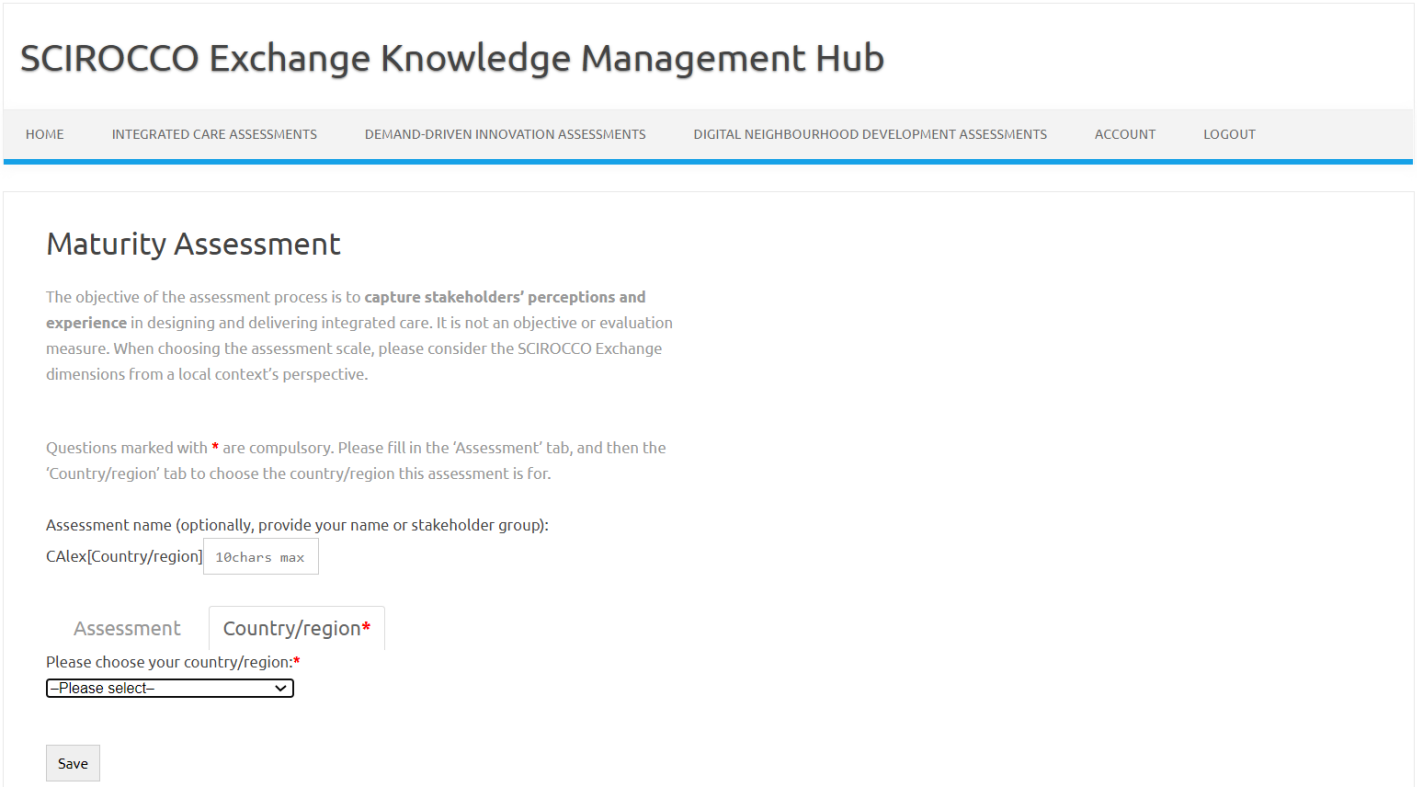
Step 2: Performing an Individual Assessment



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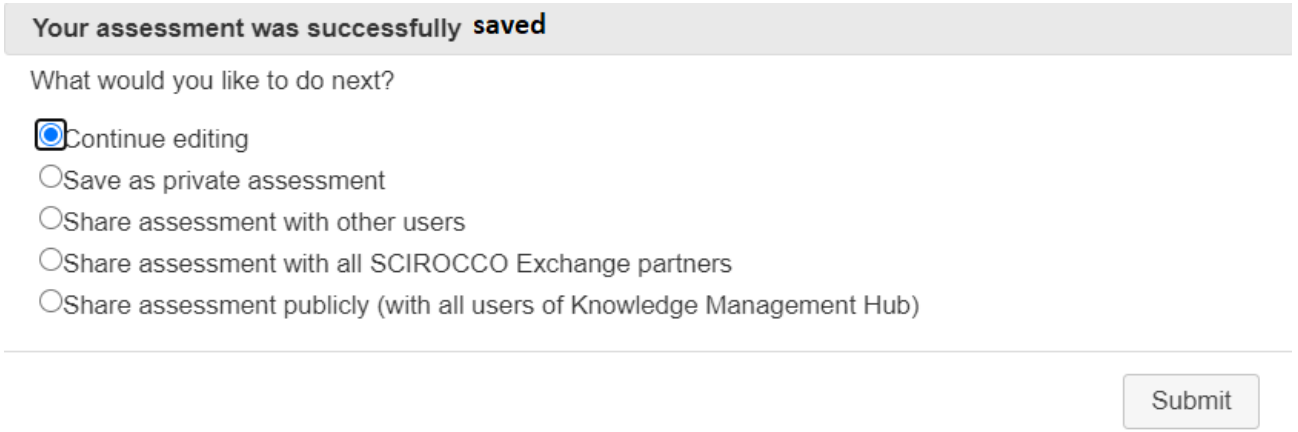

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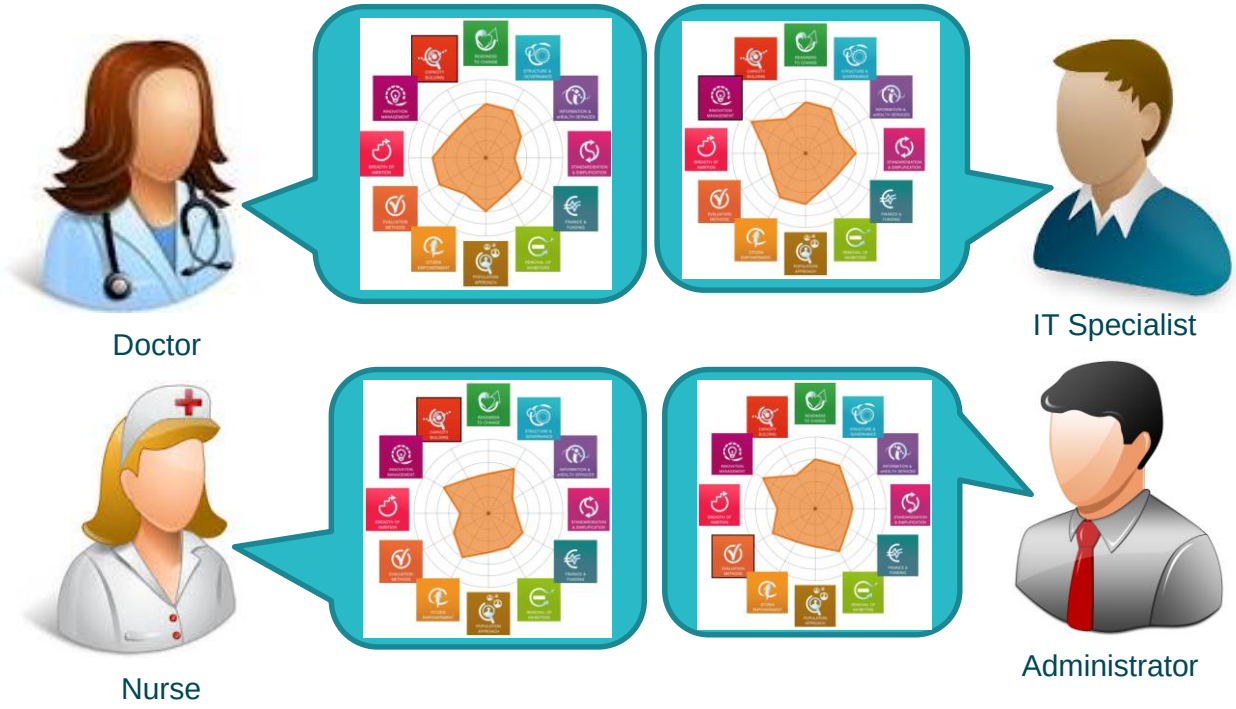

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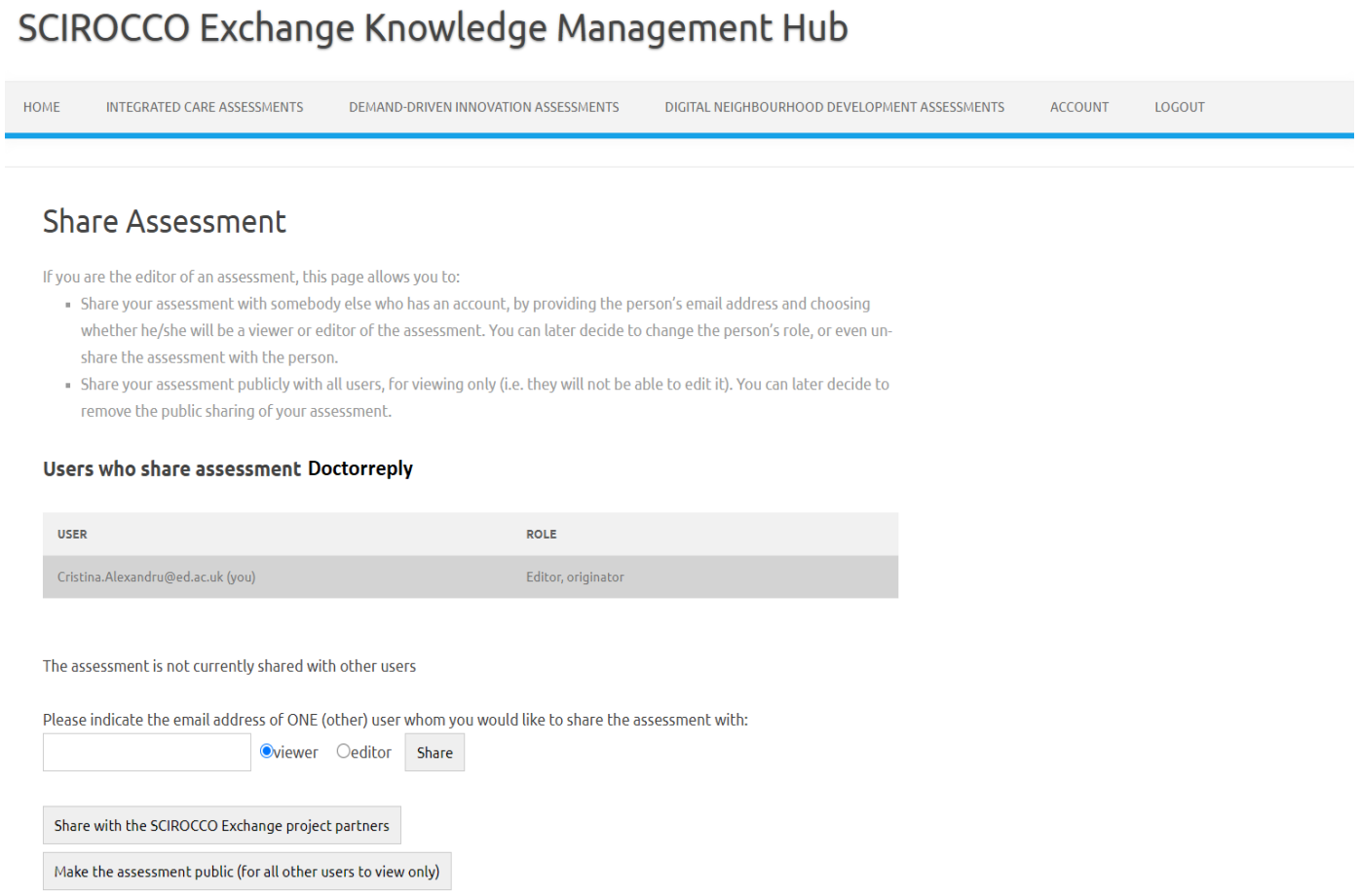

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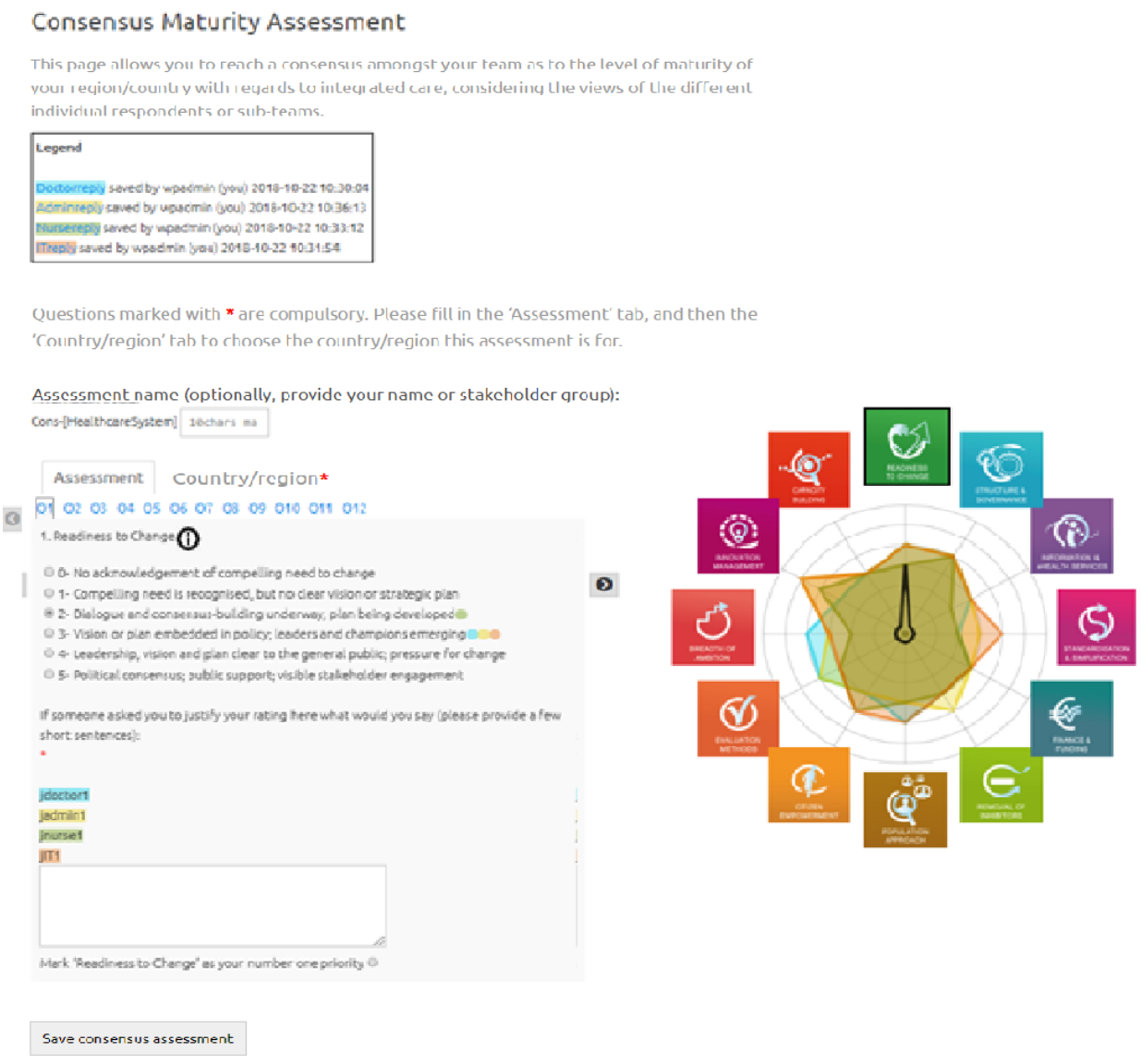

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Consensus Maturity Assessment

This page allows you to reach a consensus amongst your team as to the level of maturity of your region/country with regards to integrated care, considering the views of the different individual respondents or sub-teams.

Legend

Total of 9 responses selected. See individual assessments

- Voted by 1-25% respondents (1-2 respondent(s))
- Voted by 26-50% respondents (3-4 respondent(s))
- Voted by 51-75% respondents (5-6 respondent(s))
- Voted by 76-100% respondents (7-9 respondent(s))

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- 5- Political consensus; public support; visible stakeholder engagement (Voted by 3)

If someone asked you to justify your rating here what would you say (please provide a few short sentences):

*

Justifications from respondents ranking 2
Justifications from respondents ranking 3
Justifications from respondents ranking 4
Justifications from respondents ranking 5

Mark this dimension as your number one priority

Update consensus assessment

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LOCAL NEEDS FOR INTEGRATED CARE – REGION/COUNTRY

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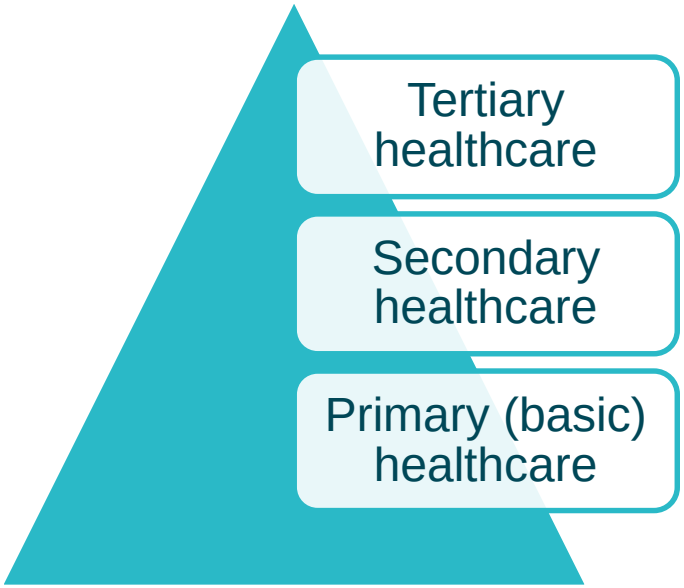
Healthcare System in Slovenia

- The Slovenian health system is largely financed by compulsory health insurance with the only provider the Health Insurance Institute of Slovenia.
- The compulsory health insurance does not cover all financial costs incurred during treatment. The other part of costs is covered by supplementary health insurance.
- With the collected funds, the Insurance Institute provides insured persons equal access to health services.

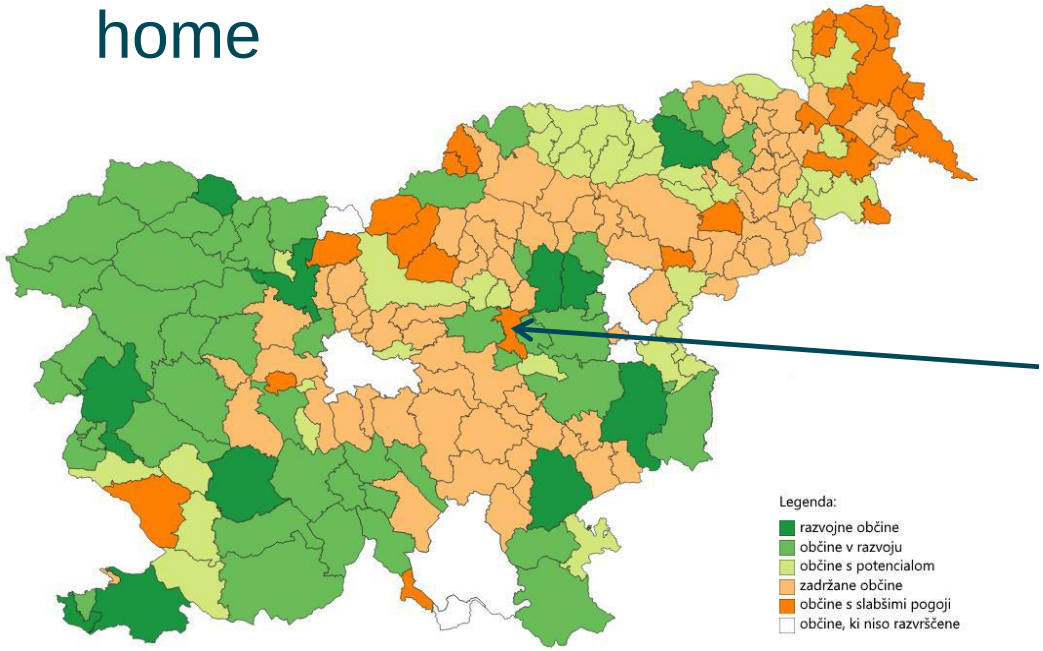


What does integrated care mean for Slovenia?

- Integration of social and health care services and sectors in LTC.
- Existing services are not integrated into one uniform system.
- In practice, there is no coordination of services which makes accessibility to services difficult and decreases its quality.
- Beneficiaries are not always provided with quality, equal and needed services.

Maturity assessment process

- **Local level** vs. national level
  - 27 municipalities (out of 212): with worse conditions and less successful when performing social care at home



Municipality of Trbovlje

Maturity assessment process

- **Stakeholders**

Invited	Participated
Health centre of Trbovlje	
Centre for Social Work	
Zagorje ob Savi Occupational Activity Centre	
Nursing home of France Salamon Trbovlje	
Association of people with disabilities Trbovlje	
Municipality of Trbovlje	
Youth centre of Trbovlje	
Adult education centre of Zasavje	
Seniors Association Trbovlje	
Intergenerational association Upanje, Trbovlje	

Maturity assessment process

- *I have a feeling that the local community waits for country to make first systematic moves, because it is the problem at the national level.*

Maturity of integrated care in Trbovlje

SUCCESS FACTORS

- Implementation of telecare.
- Decision to employ a social worker at the hospital.
- Decision to organise local stakeholders meetings.

CHALLENGES

- Development of coordinated actions.
- Capacity building.
- Evluation of the development in LTC.

Local needs for integrated care

- Creation of a local action group
- Regular meetings organised by the municipality
- Comprehensive needs assessment in the area

How to address the local needs?

- 2 study visits to the Basque country and Scotland (autumn 2020 – spring 2021)
- Presenting good practices from other regions (knowledge transfer)

- Encouraging piloting and innovations.

- Implementing good practices at the national level (formalize the innovation management process).

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LOCAL NEEDS FOR INTEGRATED CARE – LITHUANIA

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Healthcare System evolution in Lithuania

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Healthcare System in Lithuania

Insurance coverage – 95 % of the population provided by the NHIF.

Health policy and regulations – the Ministry of Health.

Health policy implementation at local level – the Municipal health boards.

Health policy implementation at national level – the National Health Board, subordinated to Parlament.

Teem work in family medicine has been introduced an expanded.

Family medicine centers (FMC)/ polyclinics and small-to-medium sized hospitals – owners are 60 municipalities of Lithuania.

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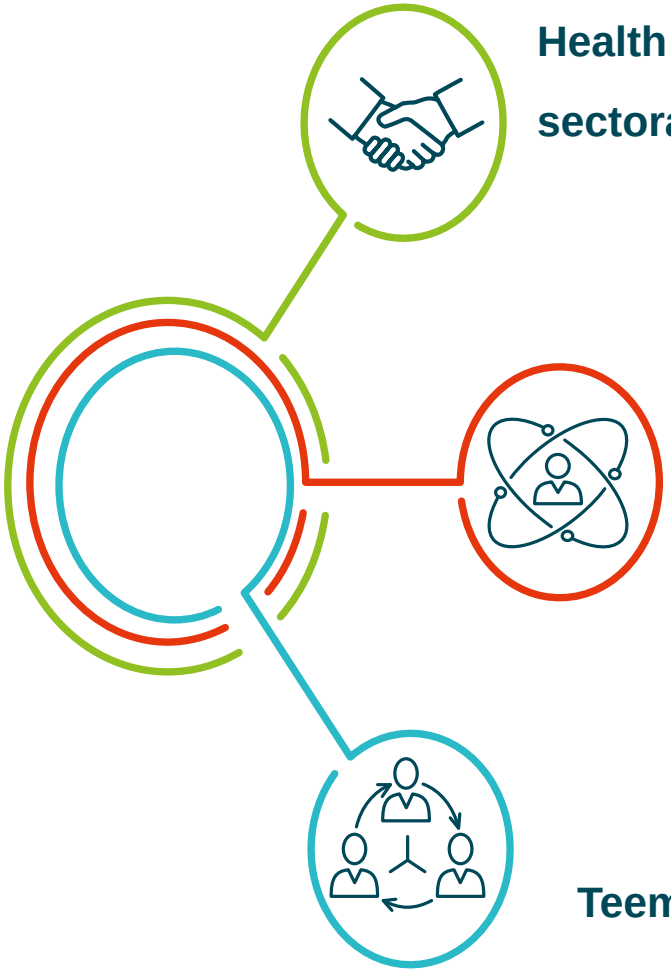
Integrated Care in Lithuania



Health care and social inter-sectoral collaboration.

A functional integration of primary health care and public health surveillance activities started 2015.

Teem work in primary care

Are we there yet?

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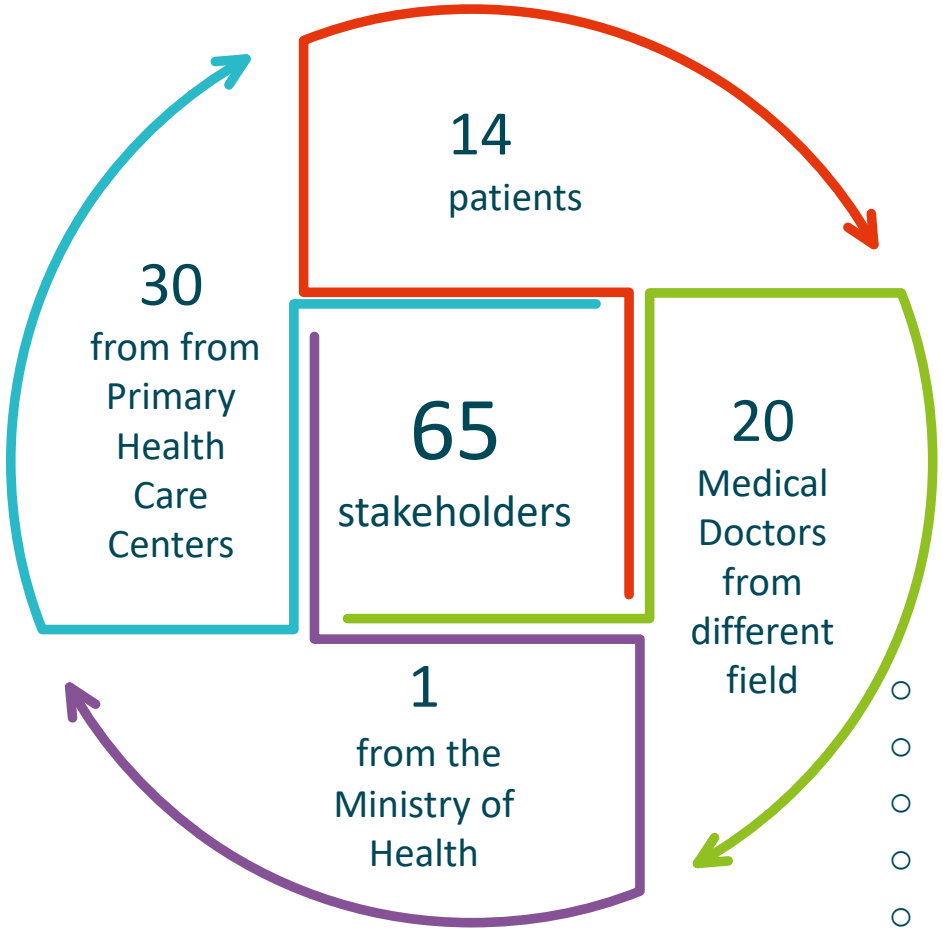
Translated Maturity Model

Some cultural factors restricted the smooth completion of the questionnaire, and the lack of benevolence to delve into complex issues caused some difficulties in cooperating with the stakeholders.
Unfamiliar wording meant some clarifications were needed most of the time.

Maturity assessment process in Lithuania

- Public PHCC, Vilnius: administrator, chief, nurse, resident, a family physician.
- Public PHCC, Panevėžys: a family physician, midwife, chief, lawyer, social worker.
- Public PHCC, Vilnius: family physician, administrator, chief, nurse.
- Private PHCC, Kaunas: family physician, chief, nurse.
- Private PHCC, Vilnius: family physician, regional manager, administrator, chief, nurse.



- cardiologists
- pulmonologists
- allergist
- endocrinologists
- gastroenterologists
- nephrologists
- geneticists
- pediatricians

The selection of the stakeholders was made based on the idea to cover a more comprehensive assessment of integrated care maturity in Lithuania.

Maturity of integrated care in Lithuania

PHCC final spider diagram

Medical doctors final spider diagram

Some dimensions were ranked more positively by PHCC; such results may have been influenced by the specialists' more practical point of view as they rely on practice.

The Ministry of Health final spider diagram

Patients final spider diagram

The results of Patients and the Ministry of Health highlights the problem of miscommunication between patients and the government.

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THE FINAL RESULTS

The spider diagram of the total results before the workshop

The spider diagram of the total results after the workshop

The results of the self-assessment process before the consensus-building workshop and after vary quite strongly. The following three dimensions were highlighted as priority dimensions for changes:

- Process Coordination,
- Removal of inhibitors,
- Capacity Building.

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Local needs for integrated care

KEY MESSAGES

3 key success factors:

- PHC in Lithuania is well developed, majority privately owned.
- PHCCs are willing to cooperate in order to adopt further change.
- Government support on quality improvements.

3 key challenges:

- Better intersectoral cooperation between the health care system and social care system.
- A big difference between rural and urban areas.
- Large workload for GPs.

How to address the local needs?

DIMENSION(S) FOR IMPROVEMENT - WEAKNESSES	RATIONALE & MATURITY LEVEL
Capacity Building **CB=2**	Considerable variation between the results of the self-assessment process before and after the consensus-building workshop was noted. The Capacity Building was highlighted as one of the priority dimensions for changes in the region. Due to limited know how, cooperation on capacity building for integrated care could enable the teams or institutions. Individual approaches exist at the MoH level, but there is a lack of communication and collaboration between the different players. The process of sharing experience and lessons learnt among service providers is fragmented and does not work in the region
Removal of inhibitors **RI=1**	The removal of inhibitors has the lowest evaluation in the overal consensus diagram and should be considered as the bottle neck. It was highlighted as a priority dimension for change. The awareness of inhibitors exists but no systematic approach to their management is in place.

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LOCAL NEEDS FOR INTEGRATED CARE – FLANDERS - BELGIUM

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- Flanders Agency for Care and Health

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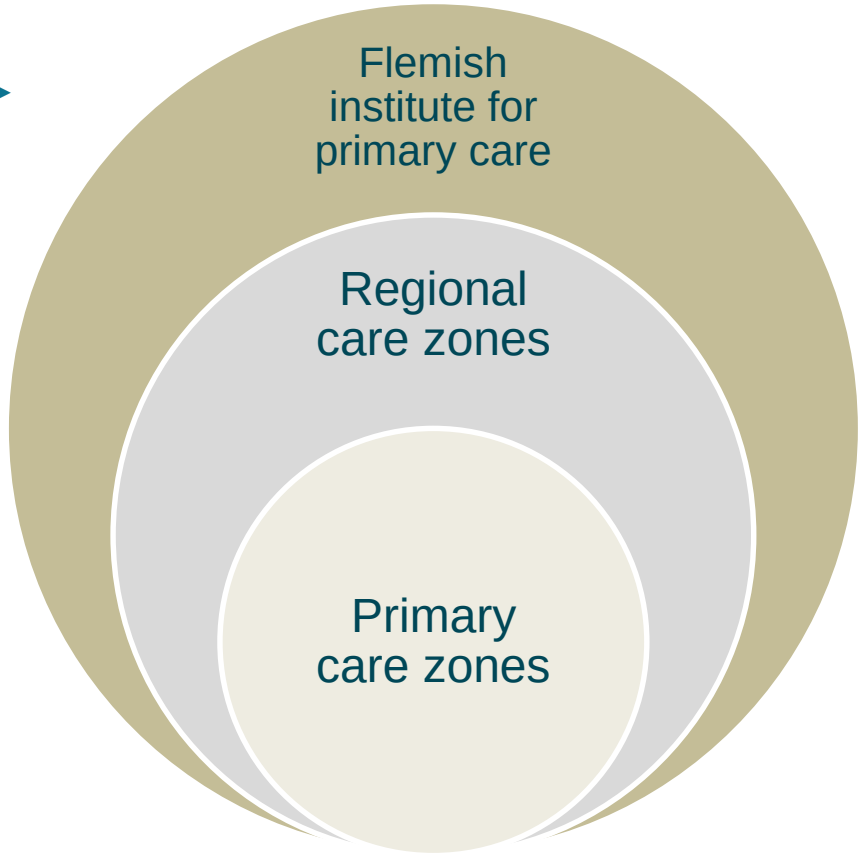
Healthcare System in Belgium – IC in Flanders

1. Solidarity in financing
2. Freedom of choice for patients
3. Independency for physicians
4. Private NFP & state controlled
5. Fee-for-service payments
6. Multi-payer health care system

- Since 2014: reform of primary care (integrating health and social care), mental health care, hospital care and rehabilitation.
- via a comprehensive approach to reform health and social care,
- characterised by bottom-up approach
- focus on multi-disciplinary cooperation and
- Goal: towards person centred care

What does integrated care mean for Flanders?

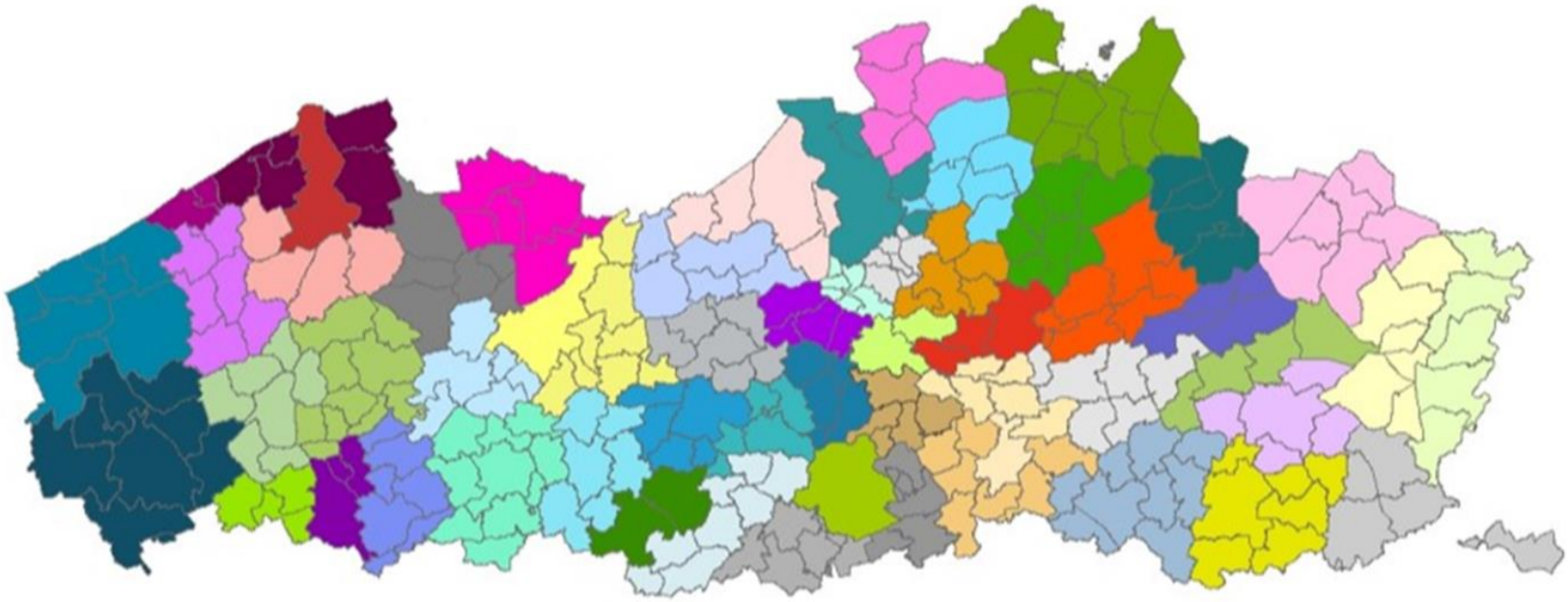


- Digital education
- Informal care – Flemish Centre for expertise in informal care
- Forum for stakeholders – Collaboration Platform of Primary Care

- Centres of expertise in prevention
- Centres of expertise in palliation
- Centres of expertise in dementia
- Centres of expertise in mental health

- Merging existing structures (SEL,LMN,...to one structure (Primary care areas)

60 Primary Care Boards



To strengthen collaboration and coordination between local authorities, primary care professionals, associations of people with a need of care and support, associations of informal carers and volunteers.

Maturity assessment process in Flanders

- **Implement gradually and on a voluntary basis the MMA within every PC Board.**
- **The first step is to test the self-assessment within the Governing Board of Directors of VIVEL.**
- **The Board is composed of 15 members, 12 participated in the self-assessment.**
- **The organisations participating are a combination of health and care umbrella organisations; patient organization; insurance company**
  - Representing the Flanders local situation in the PC
  - With the exception of the Cities and Communities organisation

Maturity of integrated care in Flanders

Looking at the overall consensus diagram, there is not a lot of dimensions which one would consider as strengths for Flanders' region. None of the dimensions scored very high. The dimension of "Readiness to change", "Innovation Management" and "Structure and Governance" reached the best score.

Local needs for integrated care

- **Flanders will move on with the use of the Scirocco Exchange Maturity Assessment Tool towards the local level – Primary Care Boards.**

- **Change management is hard to comply with to change from working in silo's to integration of care.**
  - Primary – secondary care
  - Health and social care
  - However, COVID-19 opened interesting cooperation opportunities

How to address the local needs?

- Learn from the Scirocco partners how to address our challenges
- Adapt the MM Dimensions to the Flemish context (include a tailor made narrative)
- Improve communication regional – local level and between health and social care organisations.

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MAPPING OF CAPACITY-BUILDING ASSETS FOR INTEGRATED CARE

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Capacity building assets
Objetives

1. **Map the existing assets and evidence on integrated care** at international, European, national and regional levels

2. **Facilitate the integration** of identified capacity-building assets with the SCIROCCO Exchange Knowledge Management Hub (KMH).

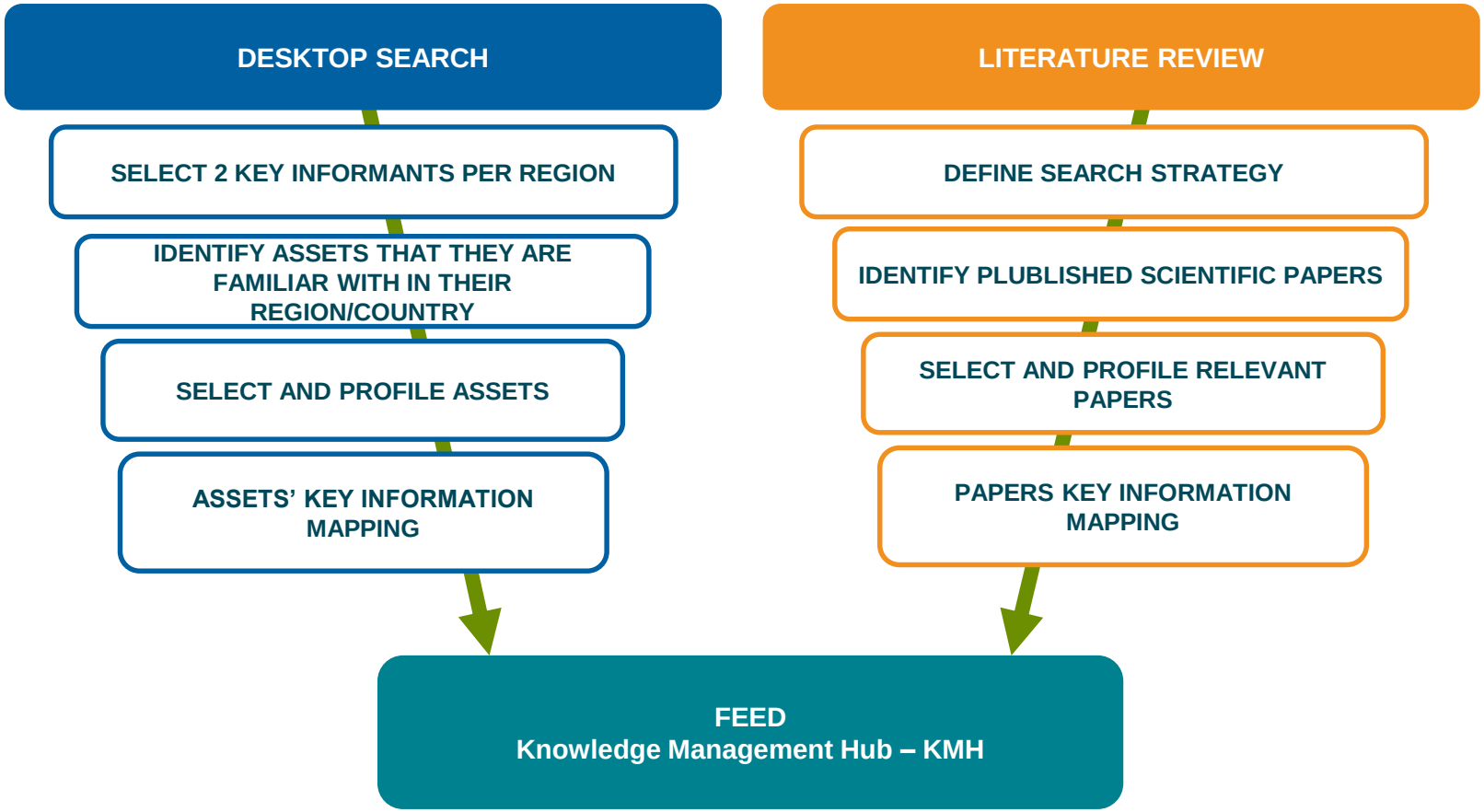
3. Identify and tailor relevant capacity-building assets on integrated care that **help to address the needs and priorities of nine European regions.**

Capacity building assets
Definition

"Capacity-building assets are available resources and evidence that support stakeholders to increase context' maturity for integrated health and social care in the twelve dimensions of the SCIROCCO Maturity Model"

Mapping strategy

Objective: Find and select capacity-building assets that are associated with the twelve SCIROCCO Maturity Model's dimensions.



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Mapping strategy

Assets selection criteria and sources

Desktop search	Literature review
Inclusion criteria: ▪ Related to integrated care ▪ Linkable to at least one of the SCIROCCO Maturity Model dimensions ▪ Timeframe: 10 years ▪ Accessible (non confidential, no drafts) ▪ Languages: English and SCIROCCO Exchange project participant regions' languages ▪ Geographic coverage: International **Exclusion criteria:** ▪ Published in traditional academic publishing and distribution channels ▪ Documents/resources still in draft status ▪ Confidential material under non-disclosure agreements	**Inclusion criteria:** ▪ Related to integrated care ▪ Linkable to at least one of the SCIROCCO Maturity Model dimensions ▪ Timeframe: 10 years ▪ Accessible (non confidential, no drafts) ▪ Languages: English ▪ Geographic coverage: International
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Profiling

- **Objective:** Connect each asset to the dimension it links to a Scirocco Model dimension, and if possible, to a score of the assessment scale of the dimension it links to that could help a healthcare system to reach.
- **Assets are profiled based on:**
  - The typology of the asset
  - The dimension/dimensions to which it is linked and
  - The Maturity Readiness Level (MRL) it could contribute to reaching.

Profiling
Type of assets

- **Literature review:**
  - Scientific papers

- **Desktop search:**
  - Regulation and/or guidelines/"norms" document(s)
  - Strategic and consultation document(s) (plans, green papers, white papers, ...)
  - Report(s) (institutional, internal, technical, or statistical)
  - Project document(s) (deliverables, products, outcomes, from regional, national or European and international projects, …)
  - Guidance document(s) (guidelines on implementation, evaluation, …)
  - Good practice(s)
  - Tool(s) (planning, implementation, management, evaluation, software…)
  - Technical and commercial documentation (brochures, manuals, leaflets, …)

Profiling Dimension

Qualitative Questions: The PS Model

McMaster University

P - Patient/Population/Problem

S- Situation

How do/does ___**[P]**____ experience _____**[S]**_____?

Integrated care (general): How do healthcare stakeholders deal with building integrated care?

READINESS TO CHANGE	How do healthcare stakeholders deal with fostering readiness to change from a fragmented model to an integrated one?
STRUCTURE AND GOVERNANCE	How do healthcare stakeholders deal with implementing changes at structural and at governance level for the integration of care system?
DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE	How do healthcare stakeholders deal with building digital infrastructure to support integrated care?
FUNDING	How do healthcare stakeholders deal with ensuring available funding to support integrated care?
PROCESS COORDINATION	How do healthcare stakeholders deal with implementing coordinated care processes for the effective deployment of integrated care?
REMOVAL OF INHIBITORS	How do healthcare stakeholders deal with withdrawing legal, organisational, financial, skill concerning and cultural barriers related with integrated care?

POPPULATION APPROACH	How do healthcare stakeholders deal with deploying population risk approach ?
CITIZEN EMPOWERMENT	How do healthcare stakeholders deal with empowering citizens and including them in decision-making processes?
EVALUATION METHODS	How do healthcare stakeholders deal with evaluating integrated care services?
BREADTH OF AMBITION	How do healthcare stakeholders deal with ambitioning integration of health and social care services?
INNOVATION MANAGEMENT	How do healthcare stakeholders deal with managing innovation supporting integrated care?
CAPACITY BUILDING	How do healthcare systems stakeholders deal with building capacity for integrated care?

https://hslmcmaster.libguides.com/c.php?g=441702&p=3590259

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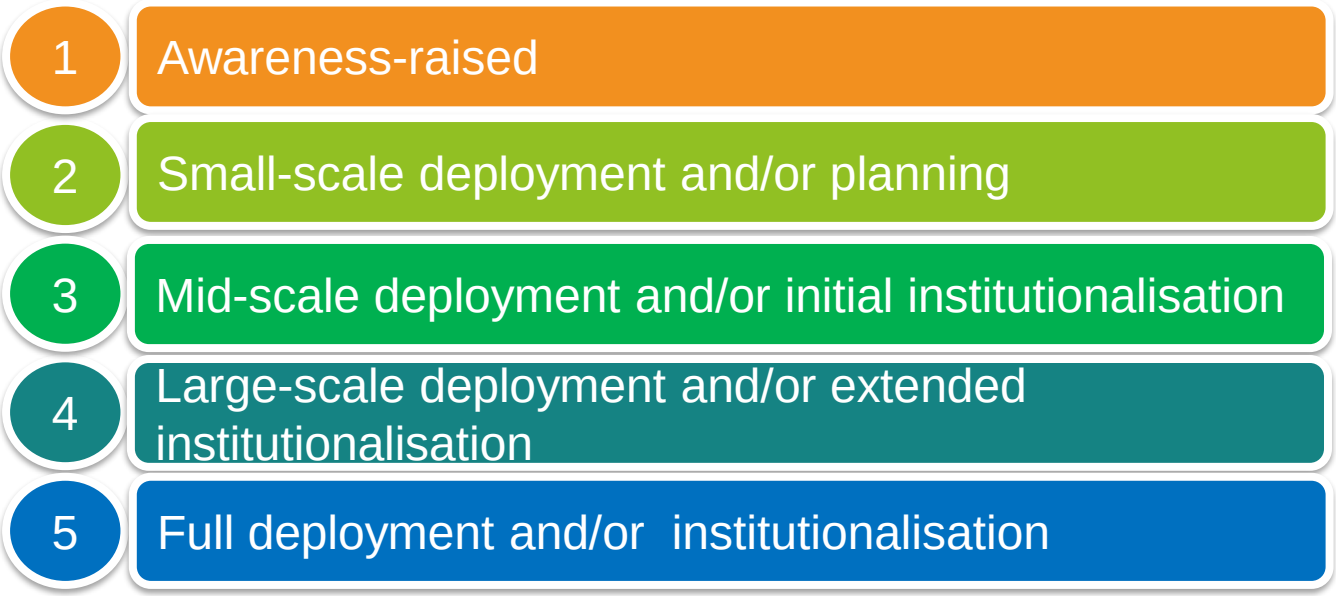
Profiling
Maturity Readiness Levels (MRL)

- The MRL standardizes the scores of the dimensions' scales



Example: Population Approach dimension

Assessment scale	MRL
0 – Population health approach is not applied to the provision of integrated care services	0
1 – Population-wide risk stratification considered but not started	1
2 – Risk stratification approach is used in certain projects on an experimental basis	2
3 – Risk stratification used for specific groups i.e. those who are at risk of becoming frequent service users –	3
4 – A population risk approach is applied to integrated care services but not yet systematically or to the full population	4
5 – Whole population stratification deployed and fully implemented.	5

BC's strategy on Chronicity

A guide on Risk Stratification tools

Pilot Project evaluation

White Paper of the ASSEHS project

2016-2020 Health Services Strategic Plan

Results 30/8/2020

Desktop search: 291 assets:

Dimension	Assets
D1 – Readiness to change	69
D2 – Structure & Governance	89
D3 – Digital infrastructure	44
D4 – Funding	71
D5 – Process Coordination	68
D6 – Removal of Inhibitors	31
D7 – Population approach	63
D8 – Citizen empowerment	77
D9 – Evaluation methods	45
D10 – Breadth of Ambition	61
D11 – Innovation management	65
D12 – Capacity Building	71

Literature review: 1899 assets found 232 assets selected

Dimension	Identified assets	Selected assets
D1 – Readiness to change	82	36
D2 – Structure & Governance	118	35
D3 – Digital infrastructure	177	29
D4 – Funding	58	16
D5 – Process Coordination	158	25
D6 – Removal of Inhibitors	99	11
D7 – Population approach	143	7
D8 – Citizen empowerment	72	10
D9 – Evaluation methods	214	26
D10 – Breadth of Ambition	54	14
D11 – Innovation management	56	11
D12 – Capacity Building	36	12

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HOW TO USE THE EXISTING EVIDENCE FOR INTEGRATED CARE?

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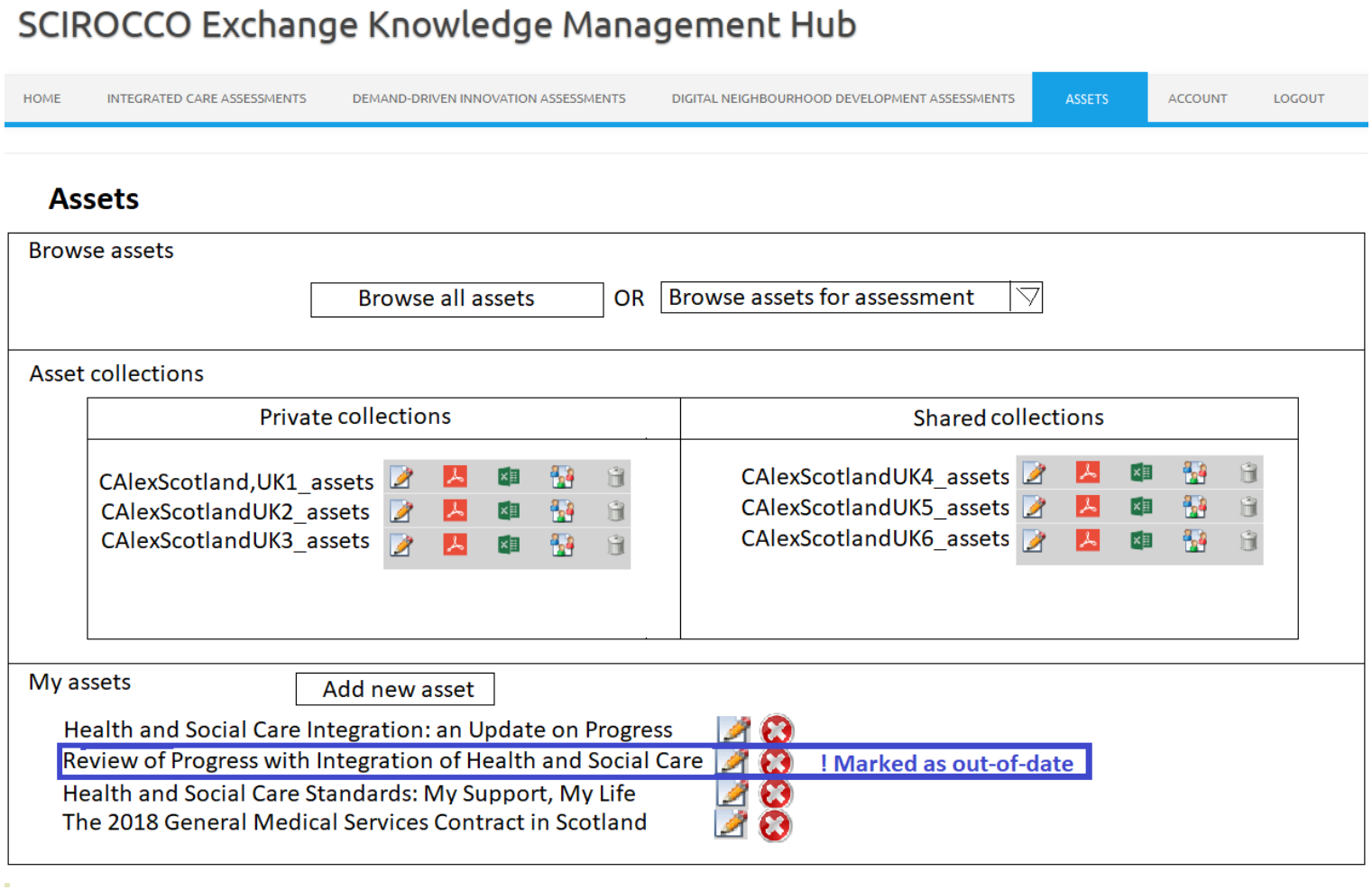
Assets and the SCIROCCO Exchange Knowledge Management Hub

- **SCIROCCO Exchange aims to support use and reuse of knowledge, evidence and experience**
- The SCIROCCO Knowledge Hub creates a **curated collection of assets** that are **meaningful** to the community of users**:**
  - published works,
  - local working documents,
  - experience reports
- Assets are linked to each other, users, and to the dimensions of the SCIROCCO tool
- Search is linked to SCIROCCO assessments

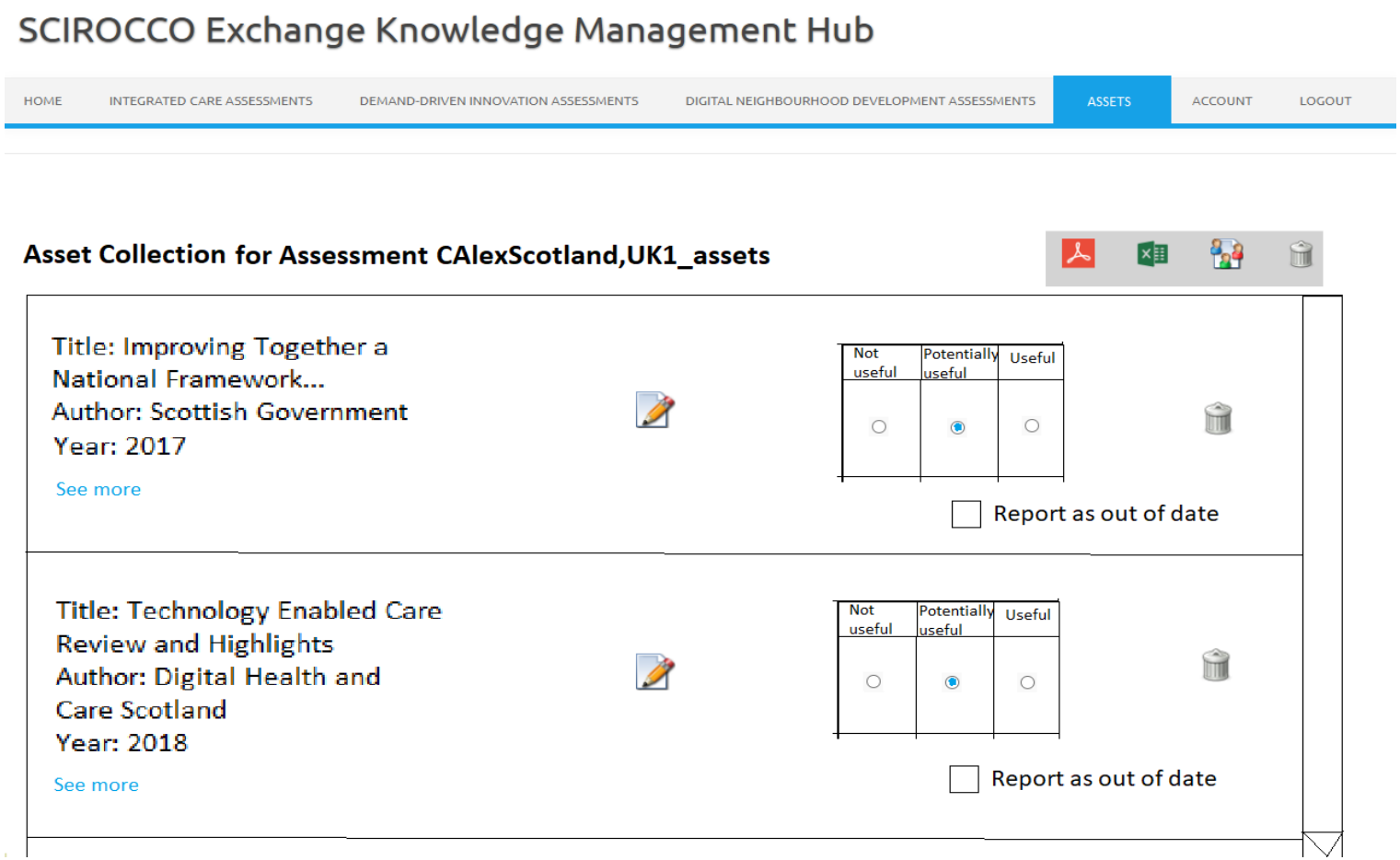
Main functionality for managing assets

- Managing/curating assets
- Searching for assets
- Adding new assets

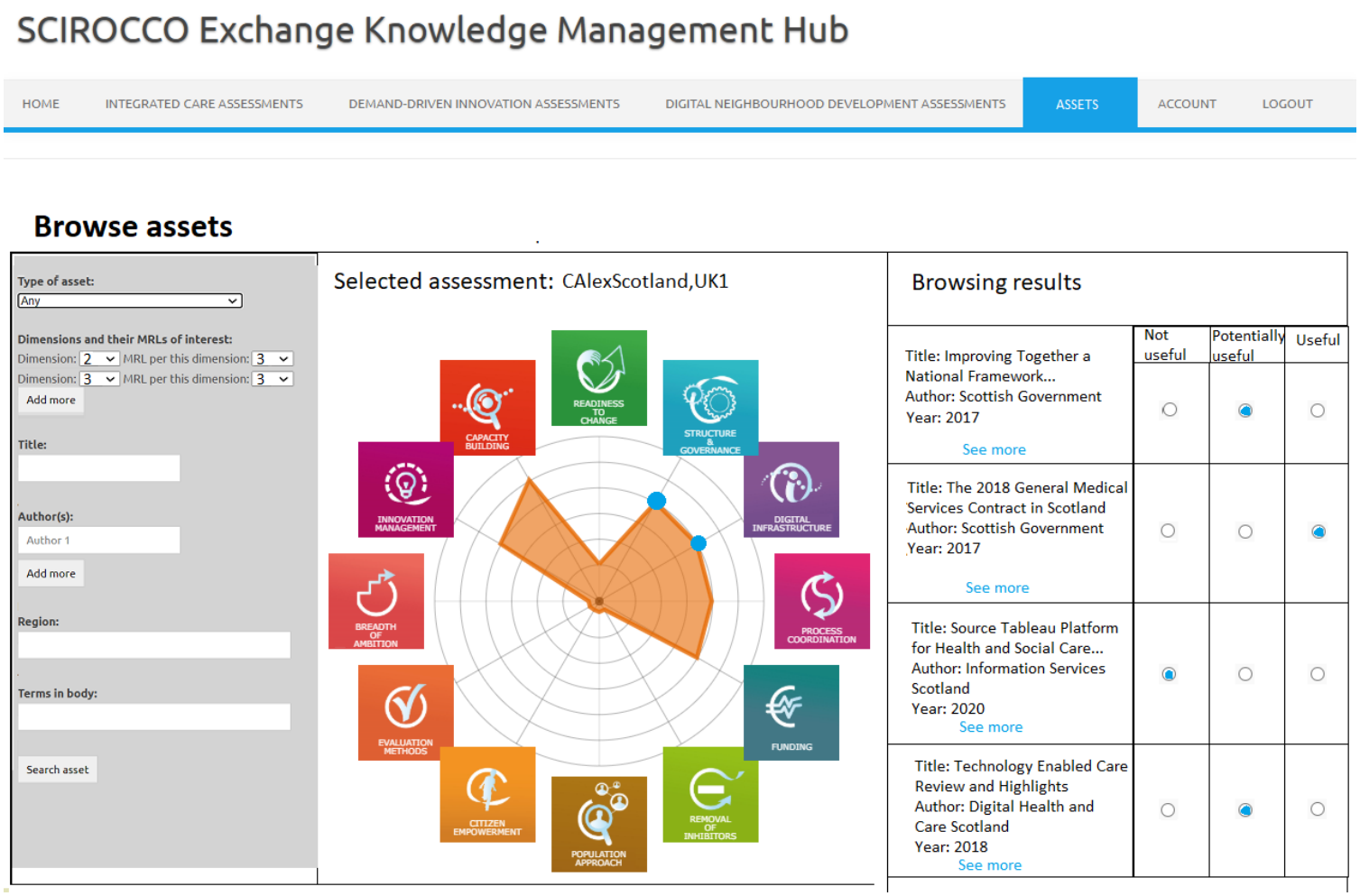
Managing and Curating Assets



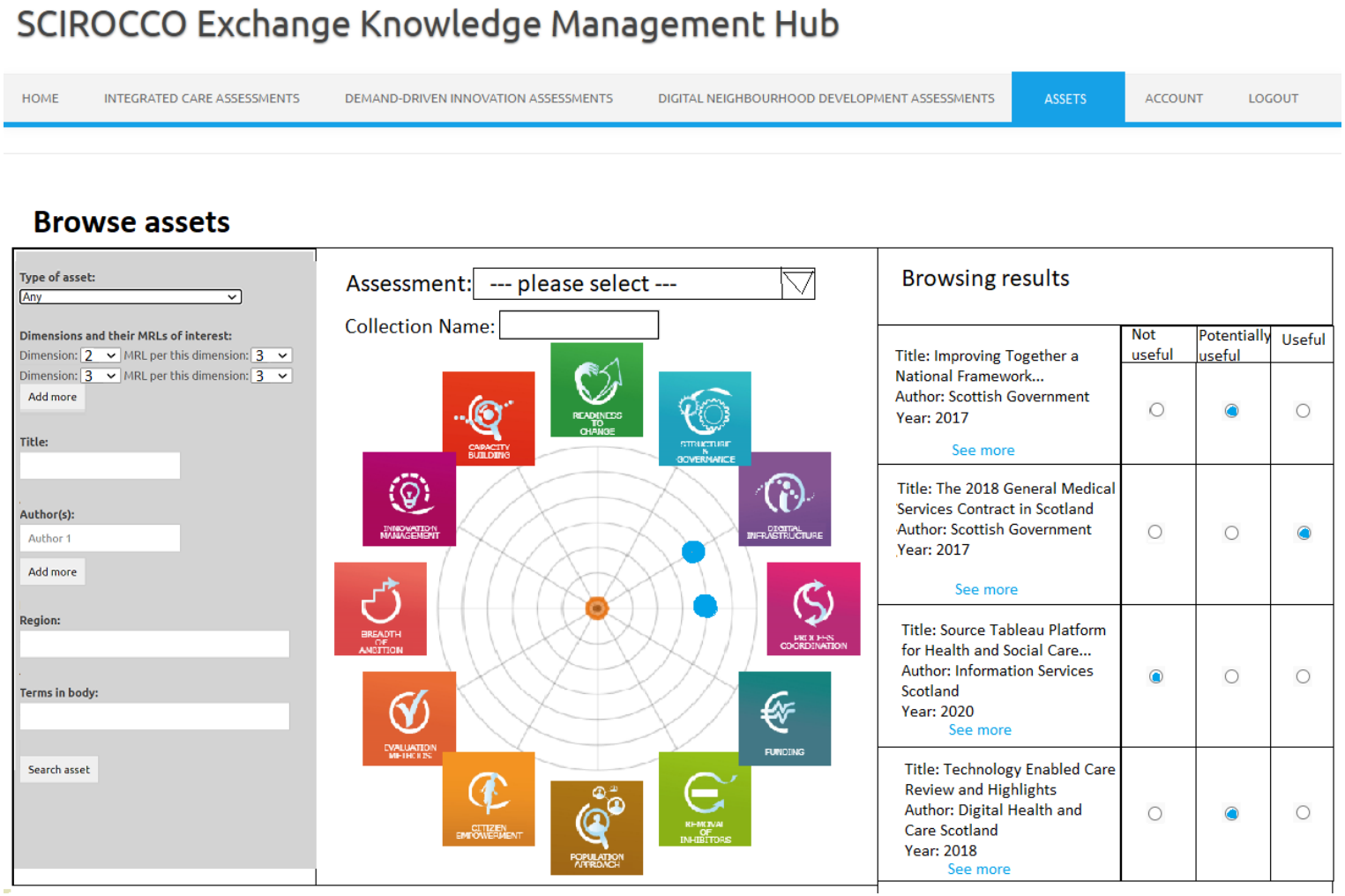
Editing Asset Collections



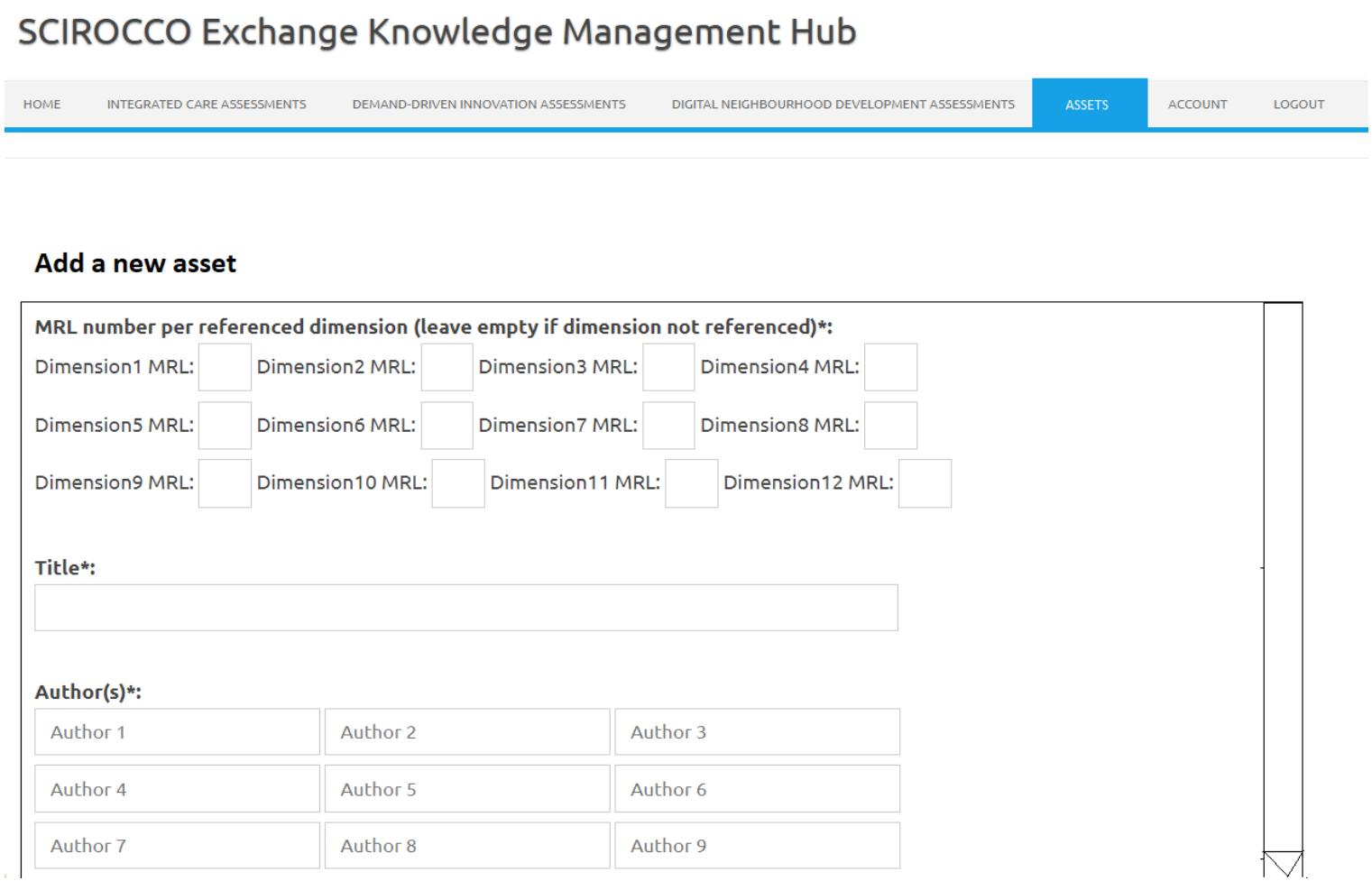
Searching Assets for Existing Assessment



Searching Assets by Choosing the Shape of the Assessment



Adding a new asset



Language is a Big Obstacle

- SCIROCCO Exchange aims to share experience across Europe
- Health workers mostly work in their mother tongue
- SCIROCCO Exchange already uses the community to work multilingually

=> **Key assets will include: translations, summaries in different languages, translation skills**, … with support to ease moving assets from language to language.

Future Work

- The Knowledge Hub is still in development
- We know that initiatives like this often fail when the project finishes

⇒ **A key goal is to make the Knowledge Hub sustainable**

- To be sustainable it is necessary:
  - That its use is sufficiently valuable to the community
  - It is easy to use.
  - Curating assets and developing the assets is simple and intuitive.

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EXPANSION OF SCIROCCO EXCHANGE KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT HUB

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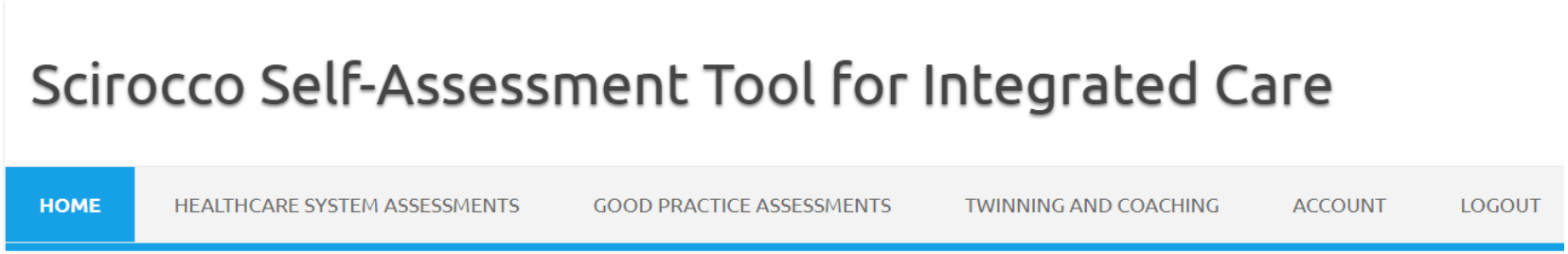
Facing expansion, many questions arise

- Can SCIROCCO be expanded?
- What exactly can be expanded?
- In which direction can SCIROCCO expand?
- How the expansion needs to be implemented to be successful?

First, we need to clarify some concepts…

- Scirocco is both a **model** and a **tool**



- It is a maturity model for **integrated care** and an assessment tool
- Their users are **health and care stakeholders** from a given integrated care area (national, subnational).

…and then deconstruct

- Scirocco holds different type of **assets**:
  - **Content**-based assets: multidimensional assessment of integrated care with maturity scales (12 domains, 6-levels)
  - **Process**-based assets: multistakeholder, consensus-building, co-creation of implementation plans
  - **Format**-based assets: templates, web-based application

Expansion matrix

- Topic: integrated care or other
- User: integrated care stakeholder or other

Topic / User	Incumbent user	New user
Incumbent topic		
New topic		

I. Drill-down expansion

- Select one domain and deepen one level down to gain specificity
- Example: from Digital infrastructure to Digital maturity for integrated care
- Includes: EHRs, health information exchange, eHealth services, mHealth, analytics, digital innovation, standardization, etc.

II. User expansion

Long-term care policy in Estonia

- Structural reform process (Ministry of Health) to improve health and care integration in Estonia
- Scirocco Model used as assessment tool in 5 pilot areas to define new health policies for long-term care
- New user: **policy-makers**

III. Topic expansion

Open innovation

- ACSELL focus on accelerating SME innovation with a Living Lab approach.
- One of the domains for open innovation is digital health and care innovation.
- ACSELL has applied the Scirocco Model without a specific validation process of the tool.

https://www.interregeurope.eu/acsell/

Full-blown expansion

Digital Neighbourhood Maturity Model

- Project “Technik im Quartier” (Technology in the neighbourhood) led by Furtwangen University
- The project aims to investigate how neighbourhood development concepts and technical assistance systems can mutually benefit from an integrated approach.
- Expansion required to adapt dimensions

Adaptation to Digital Neighbourhood Maturity Model

Original	Adaptation
Readiness to change	Willingness to change for social space-oriented development
Structure and governance	Regulation of responsibilities and organizational structure
eHealth services	Digitization
Standardisation and simplification	Unification and simplification
Funding	Funding
Removal of inhibitors	Overcoming barriers
Population approach	Integration of disadvantaged groups
Citizen empowerment	Citizen empowerment & participation in neighbourhood work
Evaluation methods	Evaluation and assessment methods
Breadth of ambition	Degree of networking
Innovation management	Dealing with ideas and new projects
Capacity building	Competence building to promote neighbourhood development

Way forward

- Complete documentation of examples
- Develop a methodology for expanding the Scirocco Model and tool in all four directions
- Develop a guideline for implementing the expansion based on the lessons learned

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FACILITATED DISCUSSION

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