

# The VALLI Gerontechnology Centre



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**The VALLI Gerontechnology Centre is a nationwide centre of expertise which assembles and shares information and experiences related to technology and digitalisation. Technology belongs to everyone!**

## **What we do**

- Strengthen older people's digital inclusiveness
- Involve the older people to the user-driven development
- Produce information by asking and meeting the older people
- Produce information about the experiences, needs and motivation of the older people
- Assemble and distribute information about to different levels of society
- Act as a nationwide independent expert and participates in the preparation of decision-making
- Bring together the older people, NGO's, researchers, public authorities, IT developers and service providers

# Producing information, ex.

- Surveys about the older people's experiences and needs in relation to e-services and banking (in cooperation Finland's major banks)
- Surveys about the older people's experiences about their digital inclusiveness
- The development processes of digitalisation, ex. the development of the digital identity card by The Ministry of Finance of Finland.
- Konstikoppa® Travelling Technology Exhibition, introducing small technological products for better everyday life for the older people
- Events and forums, ex. the annual high-level event DigiAgeTalk



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## The VALLI Gerontechnology Centre

is an Activity of the non-governmental organization The Union for Senior Services, VALLI. VALLI is founded in 1953. The organization has approximately 62 member associations around Finland, which serve about 20000 older people with 2000 professionals.