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## **REPORT ON LP\_1 TARGET GROUP FORMATION**

By discussing in common meeting of project partners as community members of Latvian and Lithuanian social care providers (PP\_2 and PP\_3), informatics engineering science representatives and other education Project participants (LP\_1) agreed the target group for trainings on smart eldercare services. The formation of target groups was based on increasing the capacity and share best practices to develop smart elderly care services and to promote the use of these services.

The first target group was formed as higher education and research representatives, capable to develop and to maintain tools and means for smart eldercare services. This target group is represented by ICT professionals from a variety of fields, such as technical information system engineers, software designers and developers, communication and network professionals, etc. Also they will be involved in preparation of the training material for the training courses and will be trained to develop, test and support the system. This target group also includes bachelor and master students from Klaipeda University in order to train as wide an ICT specialists as possible.

Another target group was formed as representatives of local public authority which includes a staff of institutions (as Klaipeda City Care Home and Local authority Ventspils City social service) providing and installing eldercare social services. These people will participate in the trainings as experts of social services, able to bring best practices, discussions on eldercare services. This target group will perform constant exchange of experience during meetings, trainings and capacity building activities to improve joint development plans of smart social services and their dissemination throughout the cross-border regions of the Programme area. During trainings, at least 30 specialists will be trained to work with the new social electronic services and ICT tools.