

HOW TO USE THE REPOSITORY?

This is a guide to describe the added value of using the AFE-INNOVNET repository and how to use it.

Do you know the AFE-INNOVNET repository?

You can consult it in the AFE-INNOVNET website (<http://afeinnovnet.eu/>):

The screenshot shows the AFE-INNOVNET website header with the logo 'AFE-INNOVNET TOWARDS AN AGE-FRIENDLY EUROPE'. Navigation links include 'About', 'News', 'Events', 'Blog', 'The Network', 'Library', 'Repository' (circled in red), and 'Towards a covenant'. A search bar is present. Below the navigation, a banner features a photo of three women and the text: 'We are connecting stakeholders to promote innovative solutions that support active and healthy ageing across Europe'. A red arrow points from the 'Repository' link to the banner.

You don't need to be logged to consult it, but in case you want to submit your good practice on age-friendly environments you should be registered. For that, you can consult our [guide about how to submit good practices](#).

How you can consult the good practices submitted in the repository?

Once you have accessed to the repository, you can search good practices by objectives (based on the 8 WHO petals¹), country and status (completed, ongoing or planned). When you have your selection, click apply.

Objectives

Country **Status**

- Any - - Any -

¹ The 8 WHO petals for age-friendly cities are: housing, social participation, respect and social inclusion, civic participation and employment, communication and information, community support and health services, outdoor spaces and buildings and transportation. You can consult the complete guide [here](#).



The repository will offer then an overview (title, summary and logo) of the good practices that respond to your selection criteria, as below:

The screenshot shows a search interface with the following elements:

- Objectives:** A search bar containing "xCommunity support and health services: increase in client-oriented and -centered".
- Country:** A dropdown menu set to "Spain".
- Status:** A dropdown menu set to "Completed".
- Apply:** A blue button to execute the search.
- Search Result:**
 - Logo:** Polibienestar UNIVERSITAT DE VALÈNCIA.
 - Name:** Alzheimer: Tremplin intergénérationnel d'Insertion Sociale et Professionnelle: The Spanish implementation.
 - Country:** Spain ESPAÑA Burriana (Valencia).
 - Summary:** Training unemployed people to develop musical reminiscence and intergenerational activities with people with Alzheimer's disease (AD).
 - Read more:** A green link circled in red.

You can read more of the initiatives you want, by clicking in "Read More".

What is the added value of using the AFE-INNOVNET repository?

- You can consult good practices in the field of age-friendly environments around Europe.
- The initiatives are described by local and regional authorities or other stakeholders that had already implemented them.
- You have a complete description of interesting good practices and their impacts.
- You can use the information contained to implement these practices at your local or regional level.
- You can adapt these good practices to your own reality.
- Each initiative has contact details, you can contact directly to the organization/person for asking more information or to resolve your particular doubts.
- You can design the implementation plan of your initiative using data from the repository (approximately budget needed, stakeholders that should be involved, etc.).

If you apply any of the initiatives submitted in the repository to your regional or local context, **PLEASE LET AS KNOW** to contact@afeinnovnet.eu and include it in the repository!

