

Title: The great challenge in territorial services

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Health and human services currently face a series of challenges - such as ageing populations, chronic diseases and new endemics - that require highly complex responses, and take place in multiple care environments including acute medicine, chronic care facilities and the community.

A great challenge in territorial work aimed at the population and in particular at the integration of elderly people concerns the community orientation of the action of community and family nurses. The mapping of the health structures that concern the territory is fundamental: the person integrated into the family, in the group, in the neighborhood, in the community. A common thread of experiences, knowledge, care, time and interconnections of interests and passions can make the place where you live better and therefore improve life in the community. The role of the family and community nurse is important in order to obtain these reflections.

The association space also creates a network of shared knowledge and shared visions regarding aggregation and mutual self-help, both in patient associations and in the informal assistance network.

To be considered due to the great importance of spaces and infrastructures are all the buildings and shared spaces in order to get to know and create the community.

At a cultural and economic level there are shared spaces and experiences that influence people's state of health and balance.

The answer is given to the institutions and services, but it is necessary to know them deeply through careful mapping in order to understand the role plays and influences of real and potential services and to be able to have a form of power in guiding the change of good practices related to improving the health of a community that must remain vital and positively interconnected to improve the process of negotiation and construction of proposals.

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