

## AI-Mind consortium

Our multidisciplinary consortium pushes the boundaries of brain research and addresses the challenge of effective dementia prevention.



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*"We are doing it for people - to give them a chance to respond to the dementia challenge as early as possible."*



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## Intelligent tools for dementia prevention

### Project key facts

- Five-years duration
- Budget of 14 million €
- EU-funded under H2020
- 15 partners from 8 countries



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## Challenge

According to the World Health Organization (WHO), dementia affects around **55 million people worldwide**. Estimates show that, globally, nearly 9.9 million people develop dementia every year, which translates into one new case every three seconds. 50% of dementia cases globally are attributable to only seven risk factors: diabetes, hypertension, obesity, depression, physical inactivity, smoking and low education.



## Mild cognitive impairment

The ageing brain becomes vulnerable to decline and keeping independency in daily life can become a challenge for the elderly. Mild cognitive impairment (MCI) is the stage between normal brain ageing and dementia and it affects up to 18% of people aged 60 or older. People with MCI may develop dementia in the future. Current clinical practice, however, lacks the necessary screening tools to identify those at risk.



## AI-Mind aim

AI-Mind researchers aim to reduce the disease's burden by developing novel, Artificial Intelligence (AI) - based tools for screening brain connectivity and dementia risk estimation to support healthcare professionals in their diagnosis. Ultimately offering timely interventions to patients.

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## About AI-Mind

The AI-Mind project is a **five-year research and innovation action (RIA)** that officially started in March 2021 with a consortium of 15 partners from eight European countries. **AI-Mind brings together professionals from multiple sectors**, including academic institutions, medical centres, small and medium-sized enterprises, spin-off companies and patient associations, with a common goal of providing future patients with a better and personalised diagnosis.

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## AI-Mind approach

Through international collaboration, consortium members will develop two AI-based tools: the **AI-Mind Connector** and the **AI-Mind Predictor**. The AI-Mind Connector will identify dysfunctional brain networks and the AI-Mind Predictor will assess dementia risk using data from the Connector, enriched with information collected through the study. These two tools will be integrated into a **cloud-based diagnostic platform**.

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## AI-Mind study

This clinical study is a key part of the AI-Mind project and aims to enrol **1'000 participants with MCI aged between 60 and 80** at five clinical centres in Norway, Italy, Finland and Spain. The data collected in the study will help develop and validate AI-Mind tools to predict who is likely to develop dementia.

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