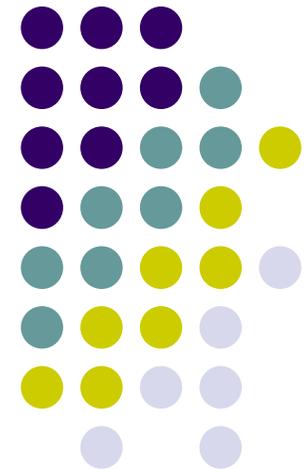


Intergenerational relationships

Policy Overview - Portugal



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National priorities (for social protection and social inclusion)



Facing the impact of demographic changes

- Supporting fertility and children
- Supporting the reconciliation of work and personal and family life
- Promoting quality active ageing, and preventing and supporting situations of dependency

National priorities



Facing ageing, reinforce protection and support for the older ones

Promoting quality active ageing, and preventing and supporting situations of dependency



More suitable services in order to care and to face new risks or new social realities

Provide better income

Promote ageing in an active manner

Mix care services and income transfers



- **Solidary Supplement for the Elderly (CSI).**

The CSI is a monetary payment of differentiated amounts, is submitted to means testing, and is designed to combat poverty among the elderly (since 2006).

- **Social Services and Equipment Network Programme (PARES):**

- provide solutions for the general need to improve access to social facilities for the elderly and individuals in a situation of dependency, as well as reconciling work and personal and family life.

- Programme for the **Housing Comfort of the Elderly**

Mix care services and income transfers



- The general objective of the **National Network for Integrated Long Term Care (LTC)** network is the provision of integrated long care to people who, despite their age, are in a situation of dependency, with a strong focus on home care, allowing people to remain at home as long as possible.

- Health promotion; Social reinsertion; maintenance of well-being
- Partnerships (Ministry of Health; Ministry for labour and Social Solidarity)

Mix care services and income transfers



- **Active ageing:**

New Opportunities Initiative:

- aims at to improve quality assurance in the validation of non-formal and informal learning process and the activities performance carried out by the network.

Qualification-Employment Program:

- avoid a sudden and major increase in unemployment level and to promote vocational training of employees

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