

# Partners

The program is being implemented by 8 partners from Denmark, Greece, Italy, Netherlands & Spain, which work in the field of education, training and/or care of people who are in vulnerable position by suffering from dementia.



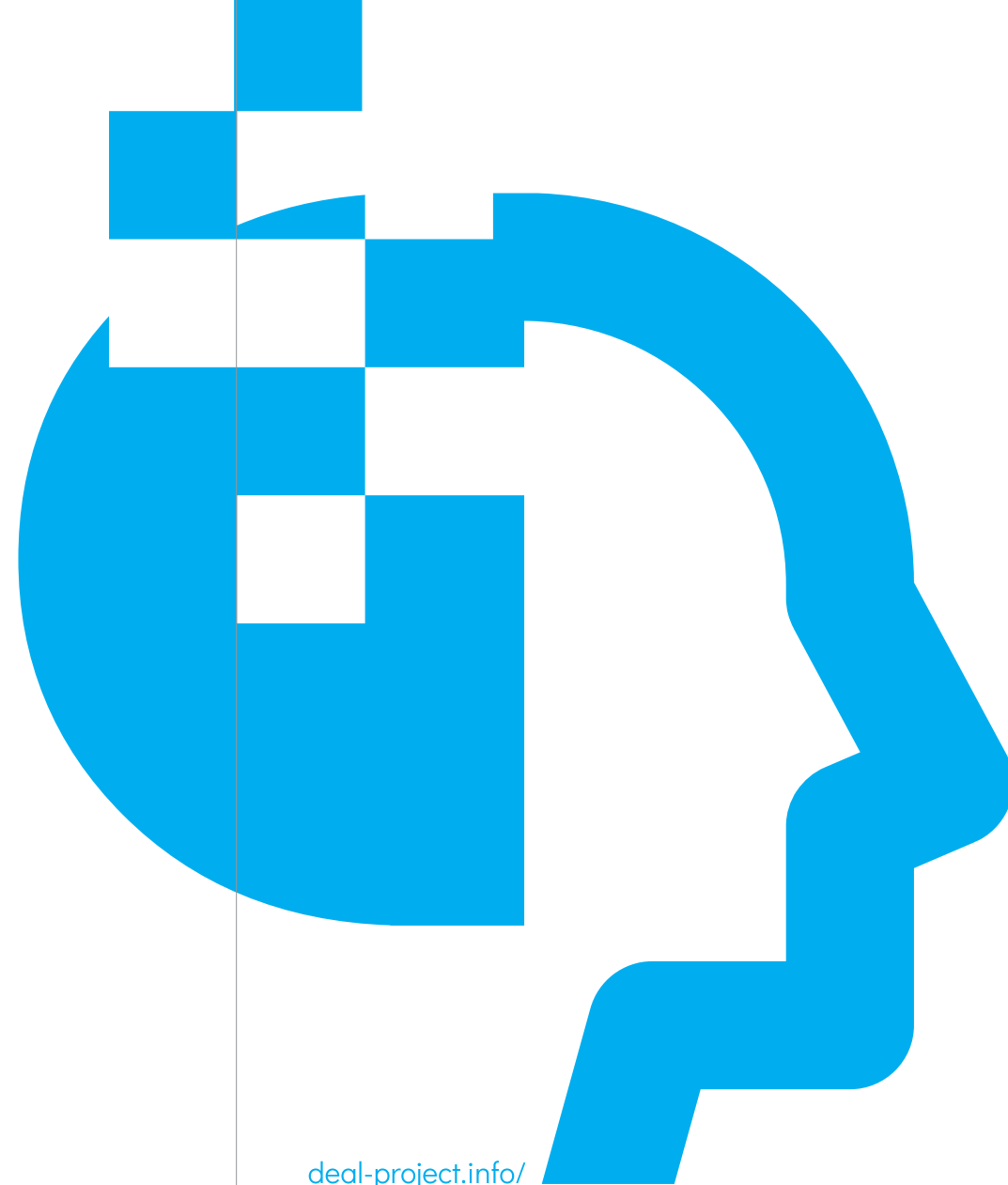
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# What is DEAL?

The number of people suffering from dementia will grow and consequently at the same time the socio-economic burden will continue to increase. Due to their prevalence, cost and profound impact on society, Alzheimer's disease and dementia are now public health priorities in EU Member States. This is why there is a great need for drastic solutions.

DEAL is a 2-year European project which aims to improve the competences of teachers and caregivers in order to extend the cooperation between educational institutions and caregiving organizations.

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# DEAL's Aims

- ≡ improve the competences of teachers and trainers who educate and train care givers with regard to dementia
- ≡ improve competences of the care givers with regard to dementia
- ≡ extend and qualify the cooperation between educational institutions and care giver organizations
- ≡ elevate the status of care for people with dementia as it is a low-status area in the field of care.
- ≡ give suggestions and recommendation to the decision makers in the field of basic health care education.

# DEAL's Challenge

- ≡ establish permanent procedures that will ensure the continuous communication between education and work life of teachers and trainers
- ≡ enhance the workers' sense of initiative by increasing their self-confidence and prepare them working with people with dementia
- ≡ create a training program & material accessible on the internet for free
- ≡ focus on changing the attitude to people with dementia
- ≡ organize learning & training activities for work place and education

**Dementia. Education. Approach. Life**