

Dynamic nutrition bEhaviour awareness sysTem FOR the Elders

#### **DIET4Elders**

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#### The project concept



#### The current situation

- In Europe more than 15% of the older population is affected by poor nutrition and malnutrition caused by the problems of ageing:
  - Decrease in sensitivity
  - Physical difficulties
  - Forgetfulness
  - Other health problems



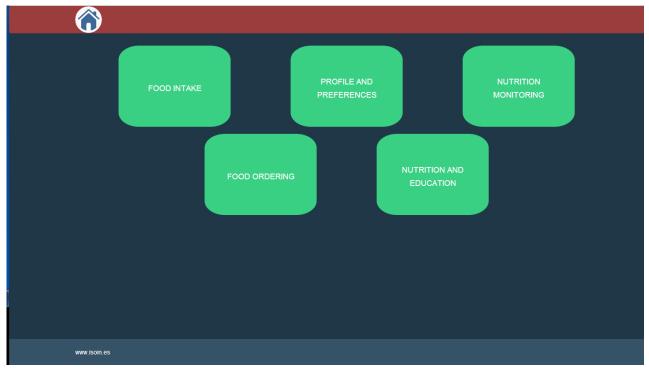
- There are none/few services that ease the self-feeding activities to the elderly:
  - Doctors and nutritionists monitoring is sporadic
  - The elderly may not understand dietary concepts
  - Usually they don't have any supporting tool when buying food



#### The idea behind

The idea is not only a food ordering service, the idea is to create a new self-feeding experience for the elderly.

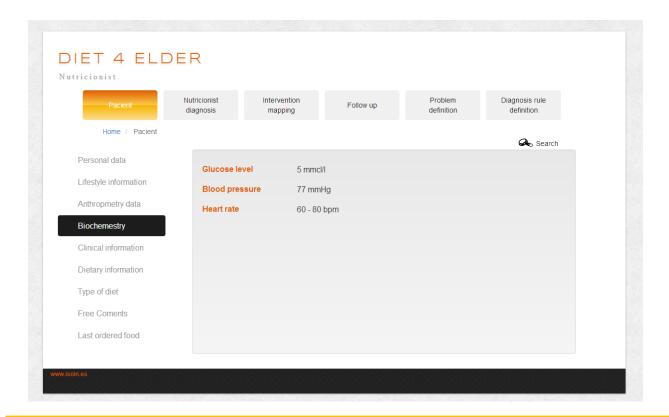
- Healthier diets based on personal profile and activity monitoring
- Nutritional monitoring
- Pseudo autonomously food intake assessment





#### The idea behind

- Dynamic selection of suitable food providers
- Food ordering based on profiles and nutritional knowledge
- Follow up of prescribed diets and adjustment.
- Reduce the effects of malnutrition on chronic diseases





#### The structure of the system

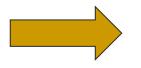


#### The structure: Support Services



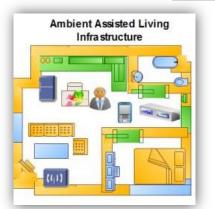
#### Nutrition monitoring service

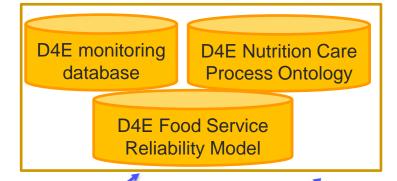
OBJ: acquire data regarding the older adult

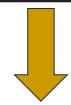


# Nutrition assessment service

OBJ: assessment of the older adult nutrition and identifying unhealthy behaviours







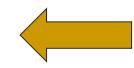
# Nutrition diagnosis service

OBJ: identify potential nutrition associated diseases



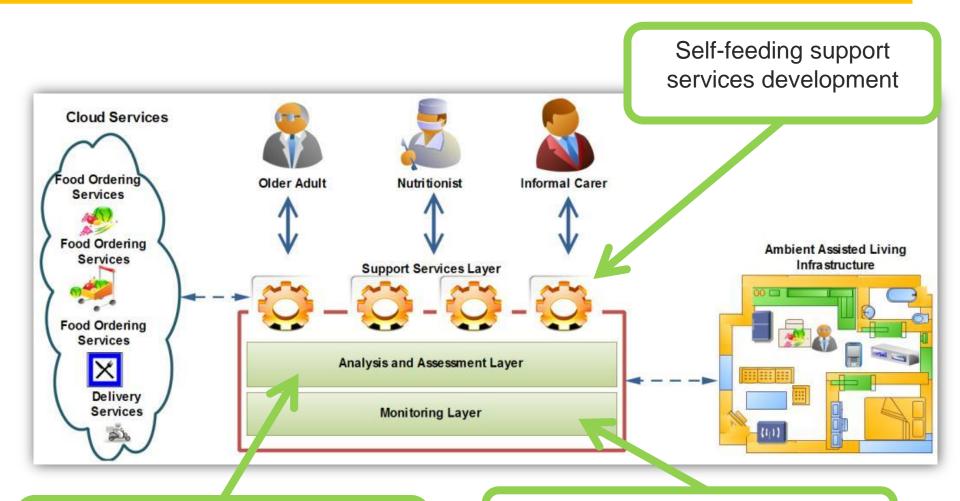
# Nutrition intervention service

OBJ: intervention by means of nutrition prescription, education and food ordering





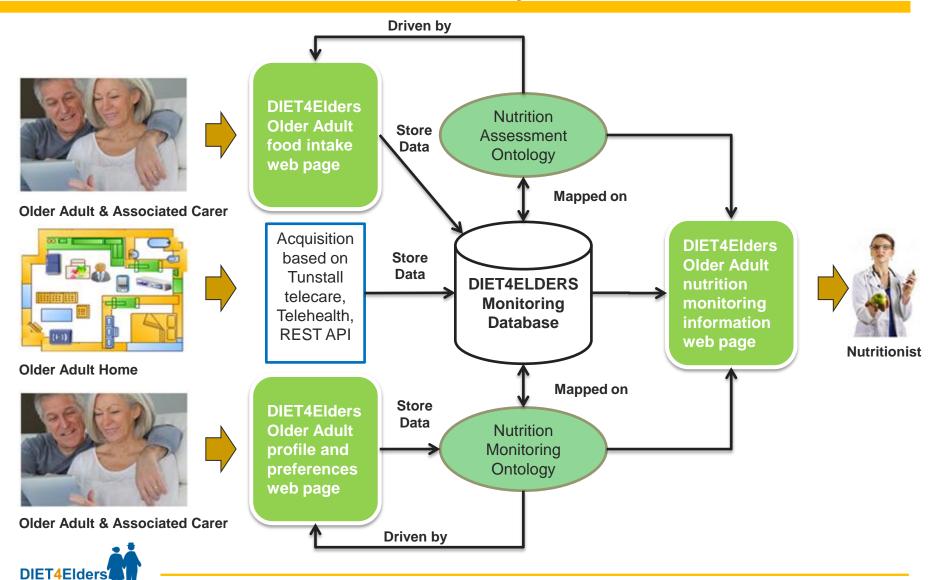
#### The structure of the system: Overview



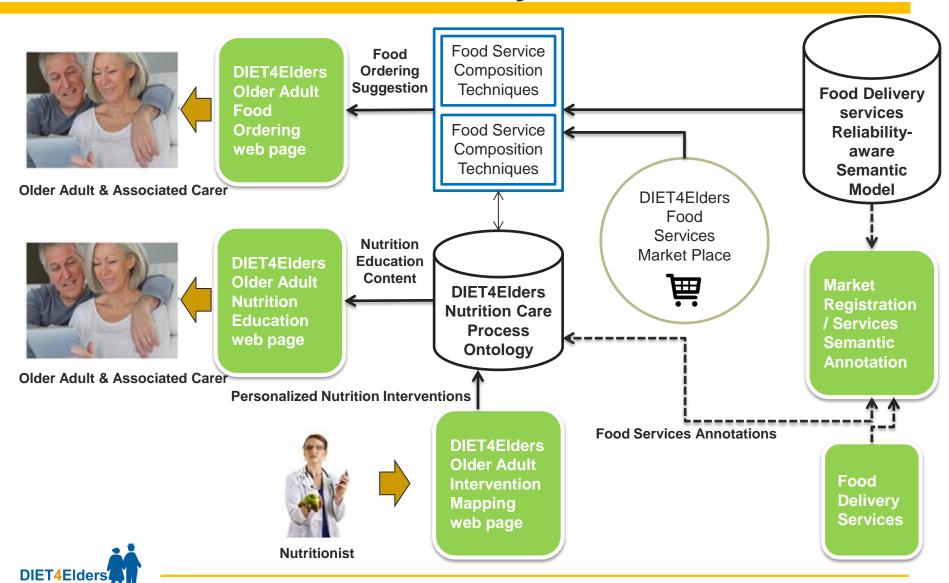
Domain knowledge construction,
Data Analysis and self-feeding
behaviour analysis

Data Monitoring, acquisition and representation

#### The structure of the system



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### The project services and the users



#### The users



Elderly



Nutritionists/Doctors



Food companies



Carers



#### The S&T resources

o Can we build something to solve this situation?

# S&T resources

Information and communications technologies

Dietary and medical knowledge

Tools for representing and performing resoning techniques on the knowledge

An emerging number of food e-services

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Older adults' remote diet monitoring service

Diet adjustment service

Unhealthy behaviour notification service

Diet aware food ordering service



#### Services and stakeholders

Older adults' remote diet monitoring service



Data management companies



Unhealthy behaviour notification service

Nutritionist centers

Medicine professionals

 Meal on wheels services





Diet aware food ordering service

Diet adjustment service





## Thank you for your attention



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