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Designed for Ageing Competition

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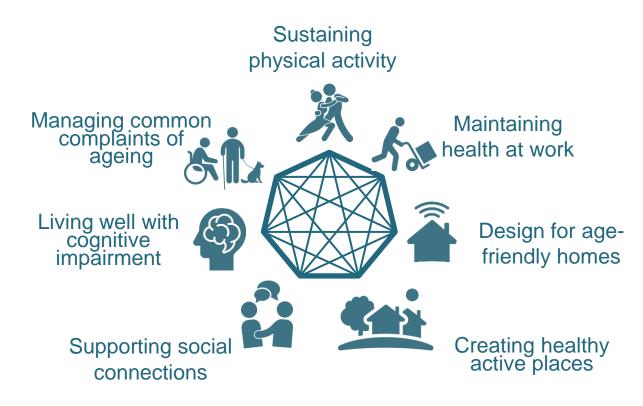
Healthy Ageing Challenge

Vision

To enable businesses, including social enterprises, to develop and deliver services and products which support people as they age and the innovative business models that enable then to be adopted at scale.

This will allow people to remain active, productive, independent and socially connected across generations for as long as possible





- £98M investment in research and innovation
- Broad scope with 7 themes
- 5-year programme with an emphasis on scalability and sustainability, launched in 2019

^{*} The Challenge themes, developed by the Centre for Ageing Better, offer the greatest opportunities to tackle market failures and stimulate innovation



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The Designed for Ageing Competition Presents an opportunity to:

- Receive up to £2m in grant funding to advance your business
- Fund eligible project costs* for up to two years
- Leverage the competition's unique design stage gate to make your organization more sustainable longer-term, and more likely to capture viable market share





Designed for Ageing - Competition Profile

Sept 2021
Pre-
competition
workshop

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durationFund2 Year withAvailabledesign

£14.5m

2 Year with design stage gate

Project

ProjectTotal ProjectStartEligibleCosts:April£500K2022- £2m

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Research stage -Industrial research Planned R&D to gain new knowledge and skills for service/process/ product development leading to an improvement in existing service/products

Grant funding for eligible project costs of:

- up to 70% if you are a micro or small organisation
- up to 60% if you are a medium-sized organisation
- up to 50% if you are a large organisation



Proposed Competition Profile Cont.

Scope:

- Service-led innovation that enables **self-care** and new models of care for independent living.
- Service-led innovation that encourages **sustaining physical activity** for people aged 50+, including for instance, active travel.
- Service-led innovation that improves mental health and/or addresses the 'common complaints' of ageing (such as incontinence, pain, mobility, hearing and eyesight).

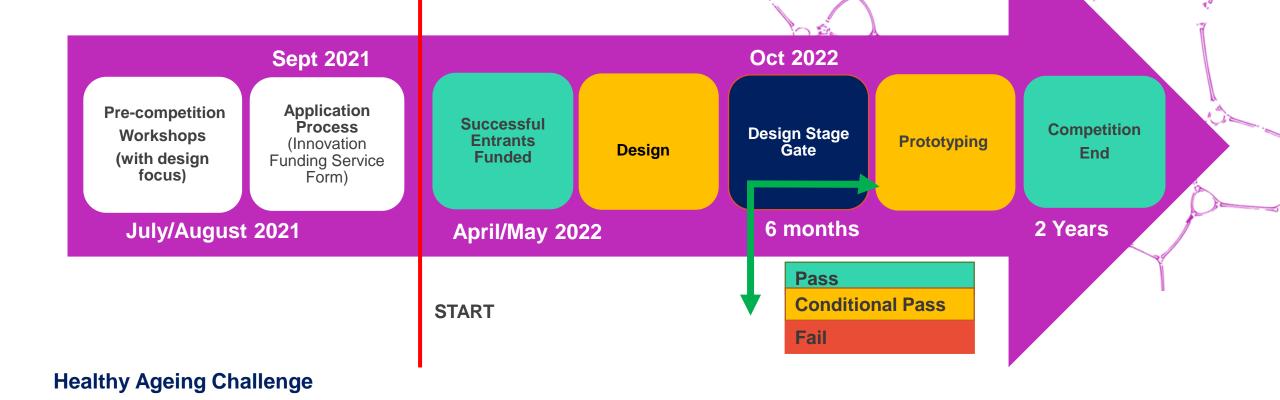
Applicant Profile:

- Business-led
- Service innovation
- Solutions must address inequalities in healthy ageing
- Able to be shaped for market readiness by Design Stage Gate

Bid Assessment: Written and Interview



Design Focus Through Competition Lifecycle





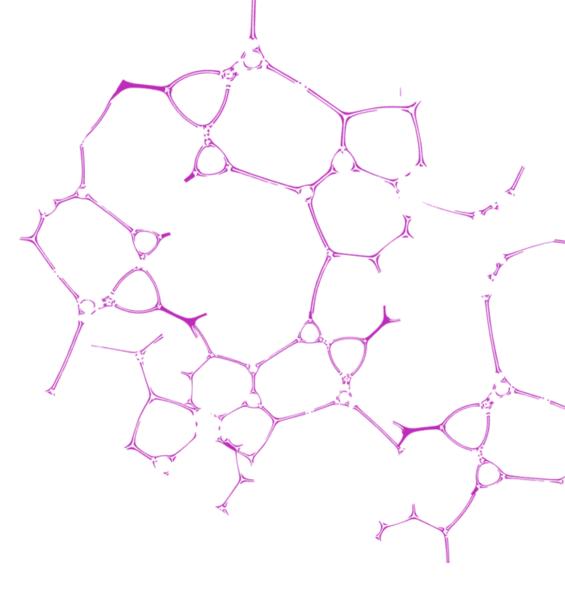
Differential: Design Stage Gate Amplifier

Gate	Criteria	
1	User Engagement	
2	People-Centred Design	
3	Take Up & Acceptance Within Practice Community	
4	Augmented Proof of Market Statistics	
5	Updated Business Plan: Fair View	



The Design Stage Gate will help you focus your attention on:

- ✓ Your user engagement.
- ✓ Your human-centred design rigour.
- ✓ The feedback you receive from your users and how you leverage this.
- ✓ How you use co-creation as an asset to give your organisation the best chance of success.



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Thank You

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