



WORKPLAN FOR IAAP DIVISION 7: APPLIED GERONTOLOGY - 2026-2029

The general purpose is to cooperate with other IAAP divisions (and their members interested in Applied Gerontology), for:

1. Research

- 1.1 Exchange of links to articles or books on applied gerontology published by the members, in international editorial sites, preferably in open access to the full text.
- 1.2 Planning of cooperative research in intercultural comparative studies, about issues regarding:
 - 1.2.1 Neuropsychological aspects of the elderly
 - 1.2.2 Assessment instruments
 - 1.2.3 Social and cultural aspects of ageing
 - 1.2.4 Services for healthy older persons
 - 1.2.5 Prevention of Dementia (e.g. studies on Mild Cognitive Impairment)
 - 1.2.6 Services for pathologies of the elderly
 - 1.2.7 Support to caregivers... other issues members will propose.

2. News about **publishers, Journals** (IAAP or other) suitable as output for studies on the elderly

3. Proposal of **joint conferences or other initiatives** (e.g., webinars, blogs, etc) to organize and share among members. A Division webinar is already formally planned by IAAP in the Autumn, 2027.

Communication means:

4. Periodical **newsletter** for members (the e-mail addresses should be updated periodically; we ask members to communicate changes and/or to show interest to receive the Division 7th newsletter)

5. IAAP **e-news** - published on the IAAP website: <https://www.iaapsy.org/news/e-news>

6. Updating of the **webpage of the 7th Division**: <https://www.iaapsy.org/division-7>

The invitation will be also extended to scholars of Gerontological psychology or members of associations in this scientific field, who could join in view of a possible membership to IAAP and our Division.

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