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MELTIC Project (Ideas MELting pot for TIC and health science for citizens in small communities) is a project for co-creation of useful information in Health and ICT research to improve the quality of life of European citizens in small communities.

**Meltic’s goals are**
- Identify research activities in ICT in health and biomedicine.
- Establish recommendations and ideas to make them more open, transparent and accessible, and to increase their social impact and contribute to improving the quality of life of citizens in Europe in small communities.

**WHY?**
MELTIC is a co-creation project developed through the Design Thinking methodology.

**What is co-creation?**
Will bring together different stakeholders to share their interests and values and generate new ideas, concepts, products or projects. In co-creative projects, all groups are involved and have influence throughout the project lifecycle.

**What is Design Thinking?**
Design Thinking is: the use of creative thinking and analysis to take control of the participation of citizens, defining problems, ideas and solutions.

**HOW?**
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**OUTCOMES**
- A model for cooperation in the form of a **technological proposal** to support and encourage socio-spatial interaction of citizens in small communities.
- A **vade mecum** of 100 ideas about ICT in Health and Biomedicine research.