

AAATE 2008 Workshop
 3rd Session - The way forward
Brainstorming

<i>Research priorities</i>	<i>Recommended actions (EU/Nat/AAATE/...)</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▸ Systematic collection of experiences ▸ Dementia and AT ▸ What works or not for whom, why, when ▸ Develop the concept of total service delivery ▸ What to do with the outcome measurement figures ▸ Transfer to other Countries of socio economic AT assessment ▸ Ethical & privacy issues in AT ▸ Develop guidelines & standards for service delivery (minimum quality levels) ▸ Develop guidelines & standard for researchers in the field (checklists) es. like guidelines on reporting clinical trials ▸ Measuring costs of keeping elderly at home ▸ Better define the concept of "benefit" in relation to cultural & economic factors ▸ Hierarchy in benefits (general Vs individual) ▸ Measuring costs Vs willingness to pay ▸ Mapping the state of the art of research (gaps Vs consolidated knowledge) ▸ Collaboration with housing associations ▸ Validated models for validating costs / outcomes of interventions ▸ Clarify whether the perspective is the user or the market or society or founders ▸ Face the problem that labour force for welfare is decreasing – how AT helps minimize workforce ▸ Explore the use of new emerging method in medical technology assessment ▸ Explore what contribution the virtual world (e.g. secondlife) could provide 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▸ Build research network ▸ Fund a large scale EU research: collect findings from the various countries + comparative data from US ▸ Fund a EU research to verify such findings ▸ Collection of examples of how to do socio-economic assessment ▸ Fund projects to develop assessment methods for AT developing countries ▸ Collaborate with the world of pharmacoeconomics (who is promoting ?)