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The International Conference on Integrated Care (ICIC27) in partnership with The International Journal of Integrated Care (IJIC) and the Ministry of Social Affairs of Estonia will take place in the Alexela Kontserdimaja on 10-12 May 2027.

The conference will bring together researchers, practitioners, people with lived experience, clinicians and managers from around the world who are engaged in the design and delivery of integrated health and social care.

The ICIC27 Conference will:

- Create a space for discussion, debate and learning around the future challenges and opportunities relating to integrated care and specifically to the main conference themes
- Bring together a mixed audience of policy-makers, managers, care professionals, academics and patients and carers to share ideas and best practice
- Build relationships between organisations
- Connect commercial partners with health and care professionals and patient and carer organisations
- Enable organisations to refine and strengthen messages.
- Provide organisations with content knowledge and expert input

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ABOUT THE ICIC27 CONFERENCE

The conference will bring together 1,000 researchers, practitioners, people with lived experience, clinicians and managers representing 80 countries from around the world who are engaged in the design and delivery of integrated health and social care. They will explore together the common opportunities and challenges which integrated care programmes and practice face and share potential solutions and learning from local and national developments. These include how to co-produce with people and communities, to embed new initiatives within local contexts, to enable effective collaboration across professionals, to address inequalities, and to deliver more efficient services.

The programme is designed with an International Scientific Committee with the call for papers being launched in September 2026. Papers will include insights from research and evaluation, and emerging good practices and innovations. All papers presented as oral presentations or posters at the conference will be published in the International Journal of Integrated Care (IJIC).

At ICIC27 we will reduce our carbon footprint and become a greener conference. We will restrict the use of plastic, increase our digital offer over print and recycle where possible. We welcome ideas from our partnersfor supporting a greener conference.

With internationally renowned keynote speakers and plenary panels, invited speakers, oral abstracts and poster presentations from across the many disciplines that contribute to the growth and development of integrated care, the conference should be an exciting and educational event for any practitioner, policymaker, researcher or learner in this emerging field.

The overall conference theme is:
From Integration to Impact - Delivering better outcomes through data, coordination and population health.

Evidence supporting integrated care has grown through research, lived experience, and professional practice. We now understand more about what works, such as care coordination, multidisciplinary teams, and peer support, and how to embed these approaches across systems.

However, integrated care must better reflect population diversity. As migration, ageing, and social change reshape communities, services must be co-produced with people from diverse backgrounds to ensure relevance, access, and inclusion. This applies across the life course, particularly for those facing complex needs or transitions.

A more diverse workforce is also critical. While clinical roles are well recognised, those in direct care, housing, and peer support remain undervalued. Integrated care must engage broader partners, including community organisations, public services, and businesses.

Finally, as technology and social expectations evolve, integrated care must stay people centred, adaptable, and grounded in the strengths of local communities.

The conference, including plenary lectures, workshops, networking sessions, and both oral and poster presentations, are developed across the following themes:

THEME 1	THEME 2	THEME 3	THEME 4
Digital Care	Population Health Outcomes	Integration during Crises and Integration	Care Coordination and System Value

Join us as a Strategic Partner for ICIC27: Help Shape the Future of Integrated Care

The ICIC27 Conference will be one of the most important gatherings of the year for health and care professionals working to create more integrated, person-centred systems.

We are inviting a select group of **non-financial Strategic Partners**–respected Estonia- based organisations with strong reputations and trusted voices with the health and care workforce–to collaborate with us in delivering this worldclass event.

Why Partner with ICIC27?

As a Strategic Partner, you will:

- **Help shape the agenda** by amplifying the voices of frontline staff, people with lived experience, and communities in Estonia.
- **Showcase your leadership and values** on a global stage aligned with the integrated care movement.
- **Gain visibility** as a key advocate for better, more joined-up care—alongside international and national experts.
- **Support access and inclusion** by helping to promote opportunities for practitioners, students, and carers to attend and engage.
- **Receive recognition** alongside our paying sponsors, including branding, speaking opportunities, and priority involvement in curated sessions, depending on level of engagement.

In return, we ask that our Strategic Partners actively:

- Promote ICIC27 through your networks and channels.
- Encourage participation from across your organisation and affiliated stakeholders.
- Consider co-developing content, sessions, or knowledge-sharing activities that reflect your expertise and priorities.

Be Part of a Global Movement

Your involvement helps ensure ICIC27 remains a platform grounded in practice, equity, and collaboration. All surplus from the conference will go to the International Foundation for Integrated Care (IFIC), a not-for-profit network and the publisher of the International Journal of Integrated Care (IJIC), supporting the ongoing advancement of integrated care worldwide. Let's work together to make ICIC27 a powerful space for learning, influence, and change.

Strategic Partner Collaboration: What's Involved

We expect our strategic conference partners to collaborate with us in promoting ICIC27, helping us reach the widest and most relevant audience of integrated care professionals, researchers, and community leaders across Estonia.

As a Strategic Partner, we ask that you:

- Promote the Call for Papers and the conference through your established communications channels, including:
  - Newsletters and email campaigns
  - Website and events listings
  - Social media (e.g. LinkedIn)
  - Cross-promotion through other organisational networks
- Consider sharing physical conference materials (postcards or flyers) at any upcoming events or meetings.
- Encourage your members and networks to participate in the event and submit abstracts aligned with the conference themes.

In return, we will:

- Recognise your organisation as an official **Strategic Partner** with your logo and link on the ICIC27 conference website.
- Provide a **10% discount code** for your members or networks to attend the conference.
- Feature your logo and a short organisational profile (100 words) in the delegate app.
- Display your logo in the exhibition area at the conference venue.
- Share your promotional materials with delegates (either digital or printed).
- Access to a discounted exhibition space at the conference.

This mutually supportive relationship helps increase access, elevate thought leadership, and promote the shared values of integration, inclusion, and innovation in health and care.

To confirm your involvement or to find out more, contact **Niamh Daly Day** at **niamhdalyday@integratedcarefoundation.org**

Involvement of People with Lived Experience of Health and Social Care

ICIC27 proudly meets the Patients Included charter. The Patients Included designation demonstrates that the International Conference on Integrated Care (ICIC27) is committed to incorporating the experience of people with lived experience and caregivers as experts while ensuring they are neither excluded nor exploited.

How we are meeting the charter clauses?

- ICIC27 includes a dedicated lived experience group who are supporting the planning for the conference
- People with lived experience and caregivers will sit within the scientific committee and planning committee working in equal partnership with all stakeholders to help organise the conference. This is also noted within the ICIC27 principles: "People with lived experience and caregivers are actively engaged as partners that inform the planning and co-design of the conference and initiatives"
- People with lived experience and caregivers will be part of our keynote speakers' team for plenary sessions. They will also lead and take part in breakout sessions
- The main conference sessions are live streamed. The live stream is free to access and is widely advertised via patient and caregiver advocacy groups, and via social media. All recorded sessions are also available for free on the IFIC Video channel after the conference. We will be live posting from our social media accounts @IFICinfo but also our conference partners will be social reporting via platforms using #ICIC27.

You can further support the charter by becoming a Bursary Partner.

BURSARY PARTNER*

Raise your profile while supporting health and care professionals and students and/or people with lived experience and carers to attend the conference. Not everyone can afford to attend the conference and support from Partners can help extend the learning and have a beneficial impact on outcomes for communities and health and care systems. We have a wide range of options available at various prices points. Contact us for more details.

* Price on Application and benefits commensurate with contribution and in line with other headline partners

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ABOUT THE FOUNDATION

The International Foundation for Integrated Care (IFIC) is a not-for-profit educational network that crosses organisational and professional boundaries to bring people together to advance the science, knowledge and adoption of integrated care policy and practice.

The Foundation seeks to achieve this through the development and exchange of ideas among academics, researchers, managers, clinicians, policy makers and users and carers of services throughout the World.

The Foundation's goal is to provide a unique forum to bring these various perspectives together with the ultimate aim of improving the experience of care for patients, their families and communities, while improving the overall effectiveness of health and care systems.

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