

Transregional Network for Innovation and Technology Transfer to Improve Health Care  
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## **CLOSING CONFERENCE OF THE STRATEGIC PROJECT TRANS2CARE**

*THE BIG STEP FROM RESEARCH TO INNOVATION*

*OPERATIONS AND MENTAL PATTERNS*

*Trieste, 11<sup>th</sup> September 2014 from 3:00 to 7:30 p.m.*

*UNIVERSITY OF TRIESTE*

*Former Advanced School of Modern Languages for Translators and Interpreters - Auditorium*

*Trieste, via Fabio Filzi 14*

### ***We report on the results obtained with the public funding***

*European Structural Funds have been in the limelight recently and have come under heavy criticism by renowned analysts of the Italian media. Although financed also through taxes paid by Italian citizens, these funds are only partially used in our country, missing to exert major effects on the economy and society.*

*The inefficiency of this particular type of public expenditure, ambitiously conceived to promote technological and socio-economic innovation, is largely caused by the complexity of the projects and financial statements, regulated by a bureaucracy, which is not friendly orientated towards citizens (even when these are experts in the field).*

*Therefore it is evident that certain **corrective measures** are necessary. To that end, the cross-border project **Trans2Care** has produced a **social report** of its activities.*

*Trans2Care, financed by the European Regional Development Fund, not only has brought to a successful conclusion all the scheduled activities and achieved the expected results, but also has correctly used 97,7% of the obtained funds.*

***The citizens and the authorities will be accurately informed about all this at the Closing Conference "A big step from research to innovation" which will be held at the University of Trieste (via Filzi 14, Aula Magna) on September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2014.***

*During the Conference we will review the need for knowledge requested by the government, healthcare providers and industry. The analysis will be supported by interesting and original examples of "intersections" between the project results achieved in the field of entrepreneurship, scientific research, innovation and technology transfer.*



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*The public and the authorities will have the opportunity to draw an inference about the project results, especially to what extent they respond to concrete needs for knowledge and innovation in the healthcare sector.*

*This event sets itself up as an occasion for a social report. It is not only important to fulfill the objectives or to overcome them with new achievements. What really counts is the ability to transform balance sheets and lists in **a story that everybody will remember**, a story that has a direct impact on **people's lives** and therefore able to induce **structural** i.e. **permanent effects on the territory**.*

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