



Improve the quality of life of your residents

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Connect your residents with their families

We understand that residents at aged-care facilities often experience loneliness, social isolation, lack of self-reliance and sometimes, even depression.

Covid-19 has added more challenges for families to connect. Thorne¹ reported that:

- 🔄 A resident affected with Covid-19, was unable to contact her friends in the facility;
- 🔄 Family-members feel like they are being “kept in the dark” about the situation at aged-care facilities;
- 🔄 Residents are experiencing mental-health issues due to not being able to see their families; and that
- 🔄 There are poor or no communication tools in place for affected parties.

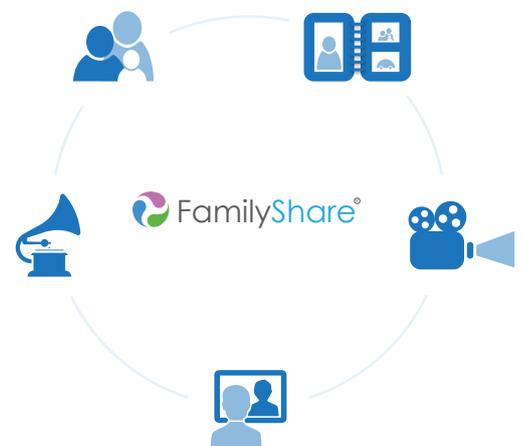
Here’s what you can do

FamilyShare lets family members share family messages, movies, music and photographs with their loved ones, from anywhere.

It also lets families easily set up video-calls in real time with their loved ones, all in the same place.

Its easy-to-use and flexible controls support the various needs of elderly people living with or without dementia.

FamilyShare uses a large touchscreen on a portable stand to provide optimal comfort and to improve the overall experience.



¹ <https://www.abc.net.au/news/2020-07-28/victoria-aged-care-residents-concerns-information-coronavirus/12497346>



“The simplicity was the thing I liked the most ...”

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FamilyShare has changed lives

With FamilyShare, elderly residents were observed to:

- 🔄 Have lower levels of depression and anxiety;
- 🔄 Be less agitated; and
- 🔄 Use it with no assistance from carers.

In addition, FamilyShare caters to residents with different impairment levels of dementia, and provides high levels of engagement to residents, their family-members and caregivers².



² A personalised multimedia device to treat agitated behaviour and improve mood in people with dementia: A pilot study
Journal of Geriatric Nursing, Elsevier, Volume 37, Issue 1, Pages 25–29

Testimonials

“... I love the whole thing ... I just love it ... I think it's fantastic ...”

80-year-old resident with moderate dementia

“I'm glad FamilyShare is here ... I like the music, and that when I push the button I can see my family ...”

88-year-old resident with moderate dementia

“I found FamilyShare easy to use ... Anyone can operate it ... Can get the selections ... It's not complicated to select the media using the four buttons ... I think it's wonderful.”

95-year-old resident with mild dementia

“FamilyShare normalised her life and gave her control over her happiness ... It's been like being at home and having access to what she would have done at home ... It's a lifestyle companion ...

FamilyShare facilitated more satisfying conversations with my mother ... I saw definite improvement in her cognition, which I attribute to motivation and engagement with the apparatus.”

Daughter of an 80-year-old resident with moderate dementia

“There was a high level of engagement between her and the family members ...”

Son of an 89-year-old resident with severe dementia