



Creating a Place that Brings People in the Community Together

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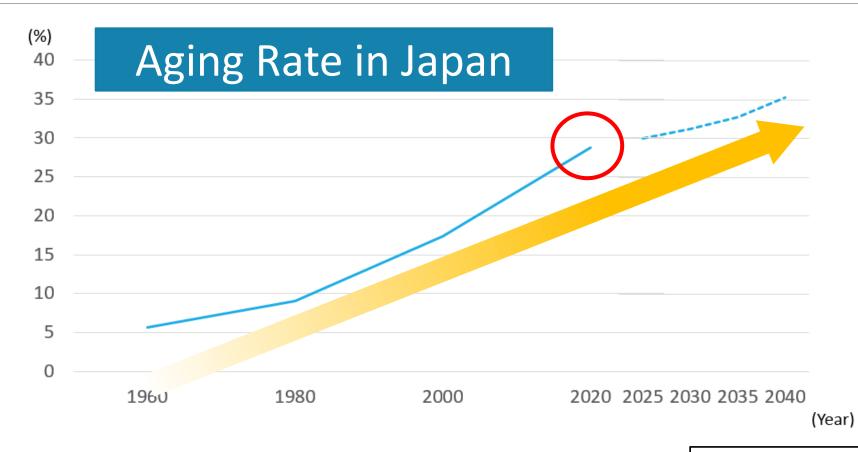
Elderly People

People over 65 years old (WHO)

Social Isolation

Objectively significant lack of interaction with family and community (Cabinet Office, 2010)

The Situation of Elderly People in Japan



(Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications, 2020)

Research Question

What kind of structure and social support is required in the community and in society in the future?



Methodology







1 Kobe City Social Welfare Council

2 JOCA Osaka

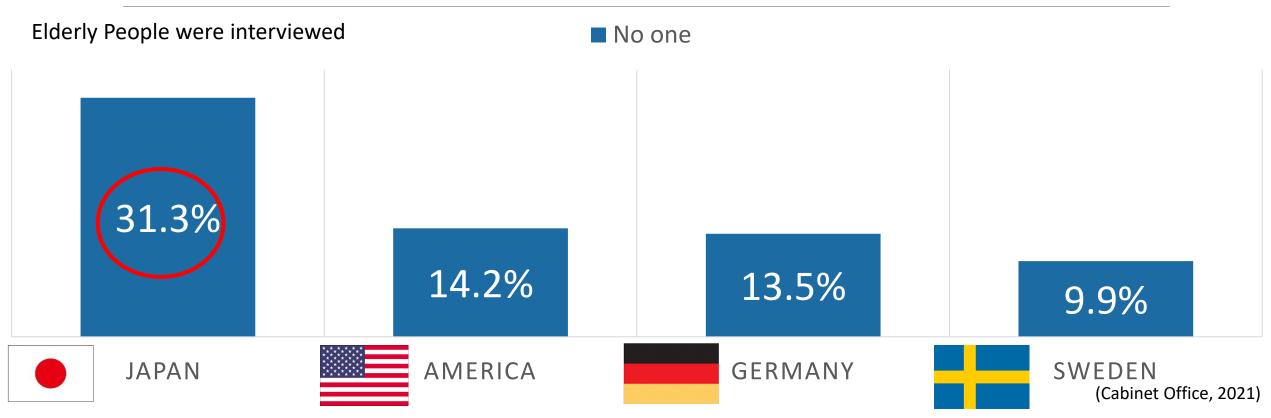
INTERNET

BOOKS

INTERVIEWS

3 Composite day-care facility for elderly and children (幼老複合型)
(うぃずデイサービスセンター)

Data 1: Do you have close friends outside of your family?



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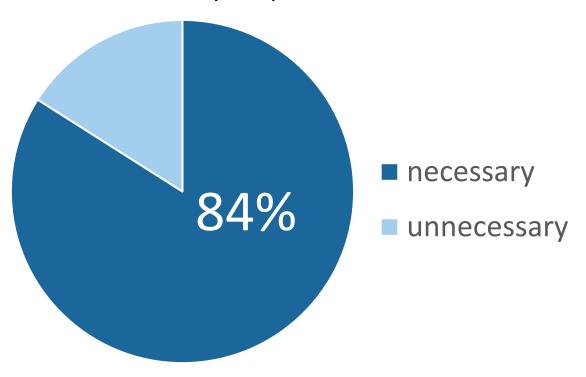
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Data 2 Community Connections

Asked Elderly People



There is a big difference between the hopes of elderly people and the reality.

(NPO 老いの工学研究所, 2020)

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Interview with JOCA Osaka Staff and Users

JOCA Osaka: A place where all generations especially elderly people who live alone gather



Inside JOCA Osaka

It is comfortable to have a place where people of different ages gather.

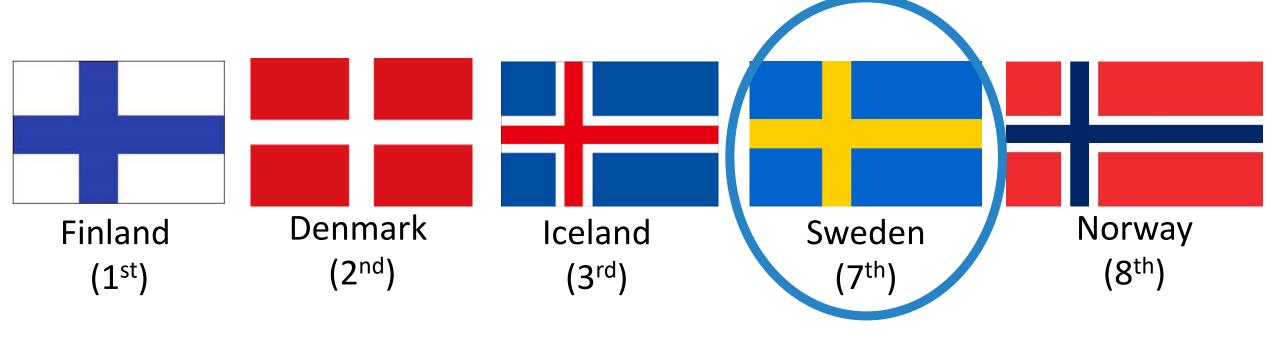
According to elderly users



Happiness Ranking

Five Nordic countries

are in the top 10 of the World Happiness Ranking. (SDSN, 2022)



Overseas Measure (Sweden)

Intergenerational support in the community

is important for the future of society.



Elderly 50%

Communal apartment

Sällbo

Generation **Z** youth 25%

Immigrants 25%



Discussion

Big gap between the hopes of elderly people and reality

A place where people can have intergeneration connections is important.

Create an Interaction Space for the community



Suggestion 1

3 care facilities in one location





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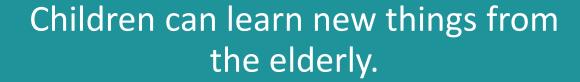
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Suggestion 2

EX) Social events for children and the elderly



Hold events that make use of the wisdom of the elderly.



Can create a rewarding experience for both young and old.

Long-term Goal

Facilities connecting citizens

Revitalize communities

Deeper relationships in the community among all the generations



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