FRANCOPHONE NETWORK OF AGE-FRIENDLY CITIES™

ACTIVITY REPORT

2019
Created in 2012, the Francophone Network of Age-friendly cities (FNAFC) is an independent and general interest association, affiliated to the World Health Organisation (WHO) Global Network for Age-friendly Cities and Communities (GNAFCC). It is the only organization officially affiliated to the GNAFCC in France. The FNAFC is a resources centre full of expertise on how to accompany territories to deal with the issues of aging. Its aim is to promote and develop the Age-Friendly Cities Approach at a francophone level in order to encourage representatives to take into account the issues linked to the demographic transition in their policies.

**The origins of the Age-friendly cities Approach and of the FNAFC**

- **2002**
  - Creation of the policy framework "Aging still being active"

- **2007**
  - Publication of "Global age-friendly cities: a guide"

- **2002 - 2013**
  - Creation of the Francophone Network of Age-friendly Cities
  - Affiliation to the WHO GNAFCC

- **2010**
  - Creation of the WHO Global Network for Age-friendly Cities and Communities (GNAFCC)

- **2014**
  - Publication of the "French guide for age-friendly cities"

- **2017**
  - Beginning of the publication of the collection "The Age-Friendly Essentials - France"
  - Renewal of the FNAFC's affiliation to the WHO GNAFCC

- **2019**
  - Publication of the "French guide for age-friendly cities" - new version
During our century, we are growing older and healthier. This longer life expectancy fully modifies our society which is now composed of four or five generations. Longevity is a challenge that needs to be included in the local public policies in order to help people to find their place in society and in their territory when they grow old. To do that, all city representatives, city professionals and their partners (who can be public, private, institutional or associative ones) needs to take into account the specificities and heterogeneity of the "older people" group to include them in new projects.

Solutions can be implemented at different decision-making levels (city, region, nation) taking into account the territory’s characteristics and its advantages in order to lead global policies. To encourage and accompany the cities in the transformation and adaptation of their aging public policies by using innovative methods, the FNAFC offers its expertise and makes its skills available to the territories.

*Population under the age of 20 and population over the age of 60*
*Source: Insee (2018-2019)*

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*(Global age-friendly cities: a guide)*
MEMBERS

145 MEMBERS
(on 31th december 2019)

In France and in the world

1 French person out of 5
lives in an Age-friendly city

In the world
1 inhabitant out of 15
of an Age-friendly city is French

Distribution of the members according to their size and college

2 Departments and provinces
10 Metropolises, agglomerations communities, federations of municipalities
1 Districts
10 Great cities (200 000 inhabitants and more)
18 Big cities (from 100 000 to 199 999 inhabitants)
66 Medium-sized cities (from 10 000 to 99 999 inhabitants)
25 Small cities (from 2 000 to 9 999 inhabitants)
2 Villages (less than 2 000 inhabitants)
11 Partners

Evolution of members per year


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which corresponds to more than 12 millions of inhabitants living in an age-friendly city in France in 2019
FNAFC, A DYNAMIC STRUCTURE

The Francophone Network of Age-friendly cities is supported and works with well-known institutional organizations and territories in order to achieve its objectives.

TEAM
Executive Director, Deputy Executive Director and PhD in Sociology, Communication manager and Event organiser, Territories manager, Administrative and accounting assistant

STAKEHOLDERS
Representatives Professionals Inhabitants

MEMBERS
Cities, villages, federations of municipalities, agglomerations communities, metropolises, departments, associations and social economy organizations at a regional or national scale, private organizations

ASSOCIATIVE BODIES
Board of Directors Association board General Meeting

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Affiliation
Affiliated to the WHO Global Network for Age-friendly Cities and Communities

Affiliated Bodies and Working Groups
Silver Economy Group, PUCA, CGET, Observatory of ageism, Semaine Bleue, SFGG, GAG, etc.

Partners and Sponsors Supporting the FNAFC
Ministry of Social Concerns and Health, Notre Temps, ADIM Lyon, Colisée, Ensembl’, Capec expertise comptable, KEOLIS Dijon mobilité, CNAV, Fondation de France, EDF
KEY FIGURES 2019

MORE THAN 700 PARTICIPANTS IN FNAFC EVENTS AND TRAININGS

MORE THAN 80 SPEECHES AND INTERVIEWS BY THE FNAFC

MORE THAN 400 RETURN ON EXPERIENCE PROJECTS

WEB SITE WWW.VILLESAMIESDESAINES-RF.FR

33 000 VISITS PER MONTH ON AVERAGE

78 APPLICATIONS

AGE-FRIENDLY CITIES CONTEST

10 LAUREATES

852 FOLLOWERS

SOCIAL NETWORKS

2571 LIKES

2 PUBLICATIONS

26 NEW MEMBERS IN 2019

145 MEMBERS

MORE THAN 12 MILLIONS INHABITANTS LIVING IN AN AGE-FRIENDLY CITY
February ........................
Launch of the Age-friendly Cities contest on "Autonomy and great age : being an actor in your city"
Training on "Understanding the Age-friendly cities approach", in Grenoble

April ..........................
Publication of the French guide for age-friendly cities - new version
Training on "How to draw up your territory profile" in Colomiers
Training on "Understanding the Age-friendly cities approach" in La Roche-sur-Lyon
Participation to 68th session of the Economic Commission for Europe in Geneva (Switzerland)

March
General meeting of the FNAFC and regional conference on "Demographic challenge, environmental challenge : how to take up both in the same time ?
Training on "How to draw up your territory profile" in Grand-Charmont

June
Conference on "Older people mobility" co-organized by Rennes, Rennes Metropolis and the FNAFC
Thesis presentation by Angélique GIACOMINI
Training on "Inhabitants participation in the age-friendly cities approach" in Paris
Training on "How to implement the Age-friendly cities approach" in Angers
**July ..........................**
Panel for the Age-friendly cities contest on "Autonomy and great age : being an actor in your city"
Publication of a guide called "Which resources to help the implementation of the Age-friendly city approach ?

**September ..........................**
Regional conference and training on "How to implement the Age-friendly city approach in medium-sized and small cities" in Ambérieu-en-Bugey
2nd Congress of ages and aging in Paris co-organized by ten French organizations representing retirees and old people and professionals and representatives
Awards ceremony for the Age-friendly city contest laureates

**October ..........................**
Training on "How to implement the Age-friendly cities approach" in Nancy
Participation to 29th Gerontology Meetings in Schoelcher in Martinique organized by AMDOR 2000
Appointment with Fort-de-France mayor (Martinique)

**Décembre ..........................**
7th Meetings of the Francophone Network of Age-friendly cities on "Territories and aging" in Nantes
MEMBER’S LIFE COURSE

BECOME A MEMBER
- Understanding the Age-friendly cities approach
- Convince the representatives
- Present this approach to local stakeholders
- Adopt a municipal decision
- Respect the status and the intern rules of the FNAFC

TRAINING
- Take part to FNAFC events and trainings
- Refer to methodological books written by the FNAFC

TAKE INSPIRATION FROM
- Consult the 400 return on experience cards on the FNAFC website
- Take part in thematic study trips
- Refer to the collection "The Age-friendly Essentials - France"

EXCHANGE
- Organize meetings to exchange between member territories
- Meet and inform stakeholders willing to join the Age-friendly cities approach locally

HIGHLIGHT
- Apply to the Age-friendly cities contest
- Communicate on its membership to the FNAFC, its local approach and its initiatives in communication supports
- Organize and take part in events in link with the Age-friendly cities approach

ACCOMPANY OFFER
One of the main missions of the FNAFC is to accompany members territories and the ones which are ready to join the Age-friendly cities Approach for a dynamic adaptation of the territory to aging.

- INDIVIDUAL AND PERSONALIZED SUPPORT
  The Francophone Network of Age-friendly cities is ready to help cities which needs support by several ways: calls, mails, meetings, etc. It can be to present the Age-friendly cities Approach, to give advice or to help to evaluate the cities work. The FNAFC offers an individual support with a priviledged spokesperson among a team ready to answer cities questions.
  ➔ Information and awareness
  ➔ Administrative support
  ➔ Methodological support
  ➔ Strategic support
  ➔ Networking with national or local stakeholders
  ➔ Etc.
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