

# Apps 4 dementia

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*Digital service to support people living with dementia & carers*

Hear from the people living with dementia, their carers and HSC professionals

<https://vimeo.com/manage/365039086/general>

# Jack

FORMER Irish International and Ulster No1. table tennis star

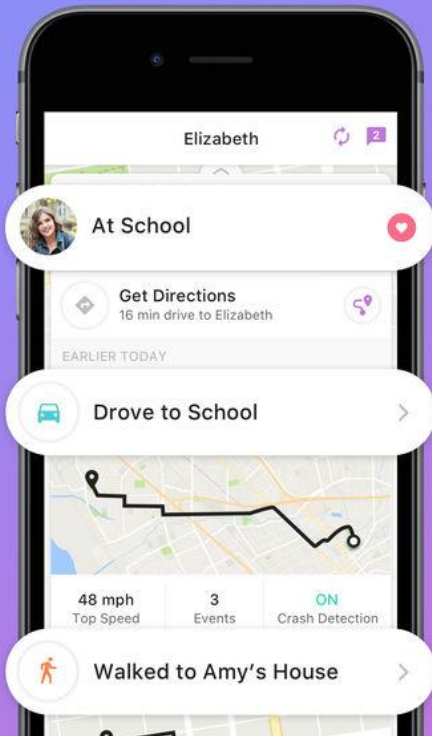
Jack's need: Be supported to live an independent life

Family's need: Be assured that Jack is safe when he is out

Choice of App : Find my family - Life360

<https://apps4dementia.orchh.co.uk/review/212216/>

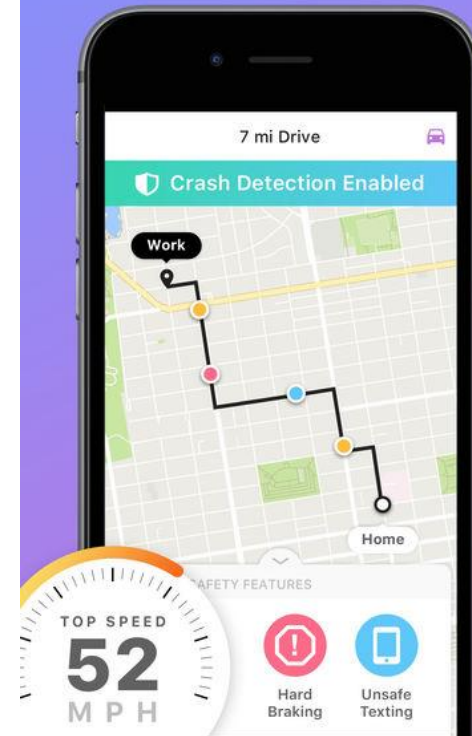
### See Location History



### Chat in a Private Channel



### Encourage Safer Driving





Health and  
Social Care

## Dementia eHealth & Analytics Pathfinder Programme

- To improve support and wellbeing of patients and carers of people with dementia and their families through **technology-enabled solutions**);
- To improve our capacity to plan for, research and commission dementia care that is effective and value for money, through the creation of an **improved dementia evidence base** and development of analytics capacity in health and social care.

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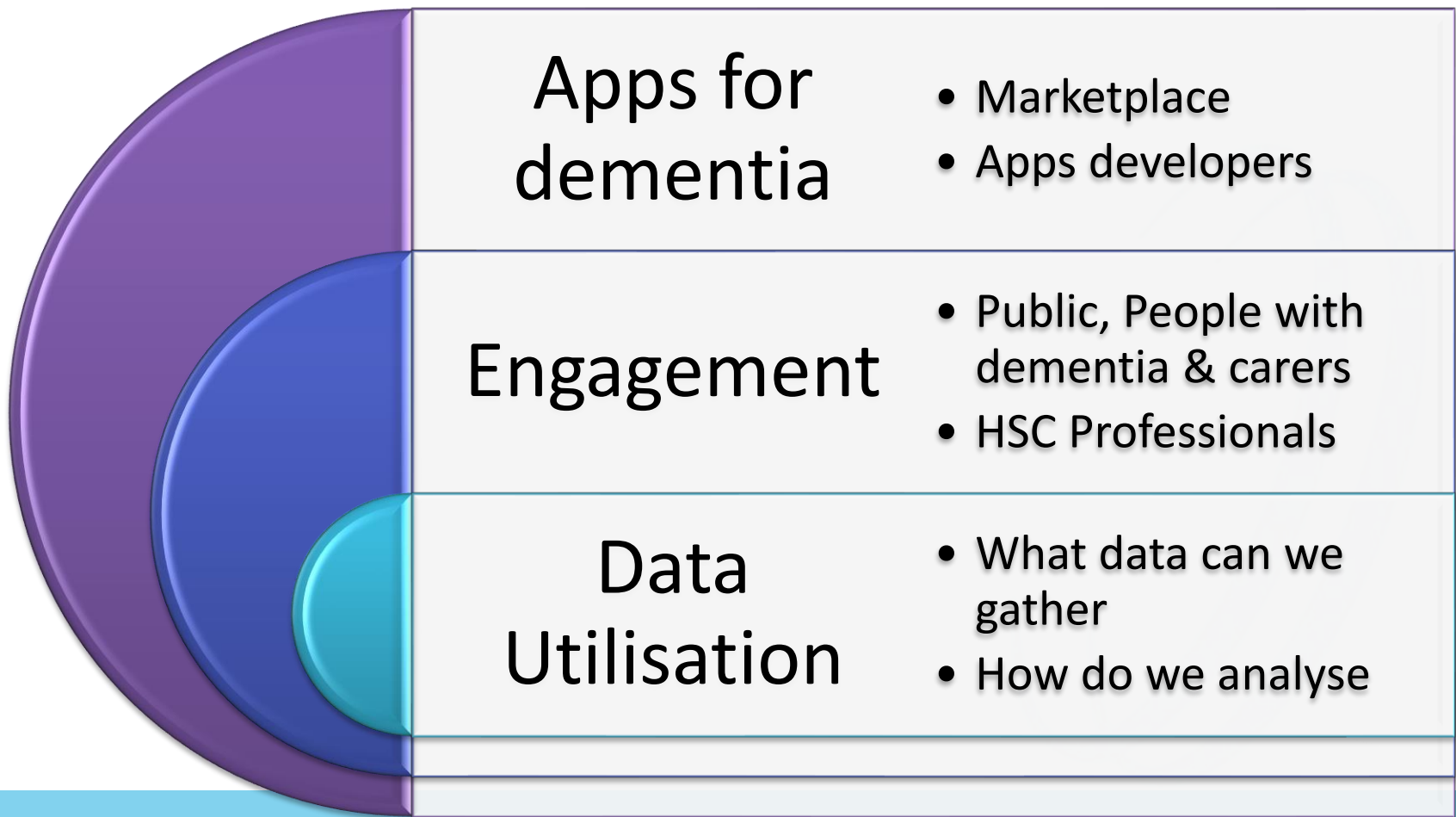
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# Challenges for mHealth for dementia



# Marketplace Report

**>1500**

Apps via a search  
for 'dementia' or  
'Alzheimer's'

**424** dementia

Apps in queue for  
review => Apps out  
of date, unsafe or  
irrelevant

**26** dementia

focused Apps & 9  
dementia related  
Apps score above  
65%

Dementia focused  
Apps are **levels 3  
and 4** => advanced  
features

Users on other  
ORCHA sites also  
search/ download  
dementia apps

Dementia related  
apps - medication  
reminders, speech &  
mindfulness



**Developed with people  
with dementia, carers  
and HSC professionals**



**User engagement  
workshops feedback -  
reflected in site  
development**



**Road-testing apps, input  
to training content - Co-  
creation is imperative**

**Co-creation is key!**



# Moving Forward

**HSC Professionals training**

**Add/commission Apps**

**Signposting**

**Comms – raise awareness**

**Governance structure**

**Thank You !**

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