

## Global Ageing Network Ageing Care & Services Principles

## To Advance the Interests of Consumers:

- 1. The Global Ageing Network supports access to full continuum of affordable housing, health and human services that meet the changing needs and preferences of older adults.
- 2. The Global Ageing Network supports the ultimate goal of enabling older adults to age successfully in communities of their choice.
- 3. The Global Ageing Network believes that ageing individuals have the right to dignity, equity, non-discrimination and cultural sensitivity as they access services.
- 4. The Global Ageing Network promotes shared decision-making between the provider, client, and family, putting the client first.

## To Ensure Access to Quality of Care and Services:

- 1. The Global Ageing Network supports the development of a quality ageing services workforce that is well trained, culturally sensitive, and paid a living wage, in order to deliver quality care to sustain quality of life.
- 2. The Global Ageing Network encourages providers to utilize reliable and valid data indicators to monitor and evaluate the accessibility, affordability, quality, and impact of services they provide.