Korean

Visions and Solutions

for Ageing Society

Ministry of Health
and Welfare

Ⅰ. Environment

◘ Rapidly Ageing Population

➡ Growing Burdens for Individuals and Society
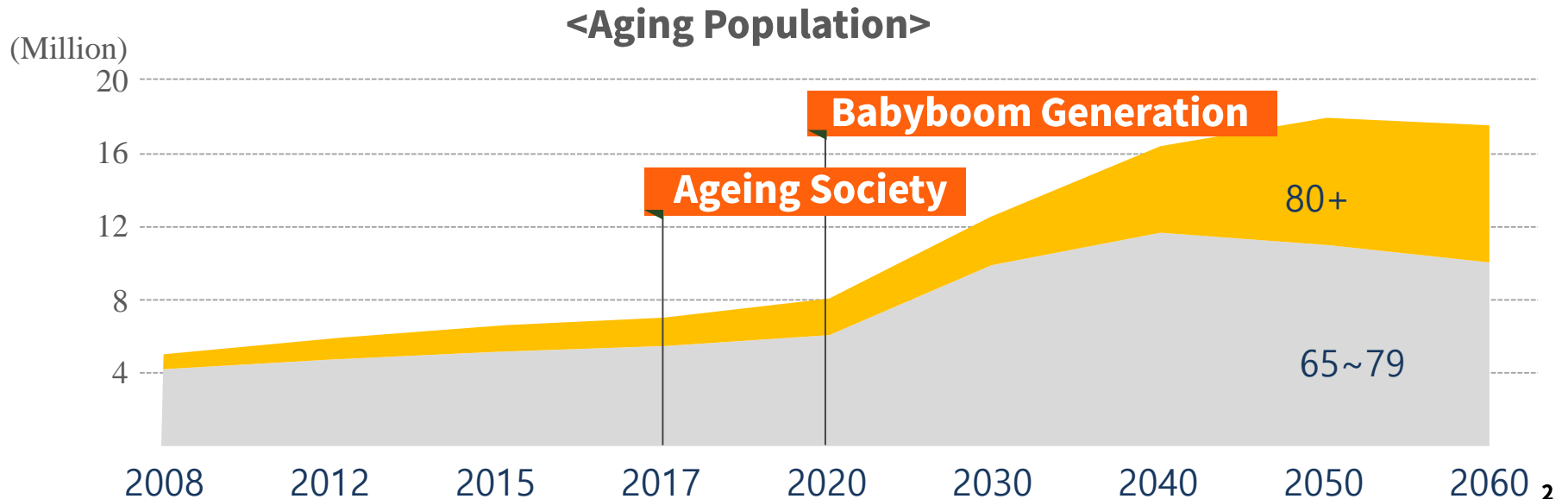
| **2017** | Ageing Society (7.12M, 14.2%) |

| **2021** | Population Decline |

| **2023** | Budget for Elderly Welfare : 23T won ('10. 3.5T won) |

| **2025** | Super-Aged Society (10.51M, 20.3%) |

<Aging Population>

(Million)

Babyboom Generation

Ageing Society

80+

65~79

2008 2012 2015 2017 2020 2030 2040 2050 2060
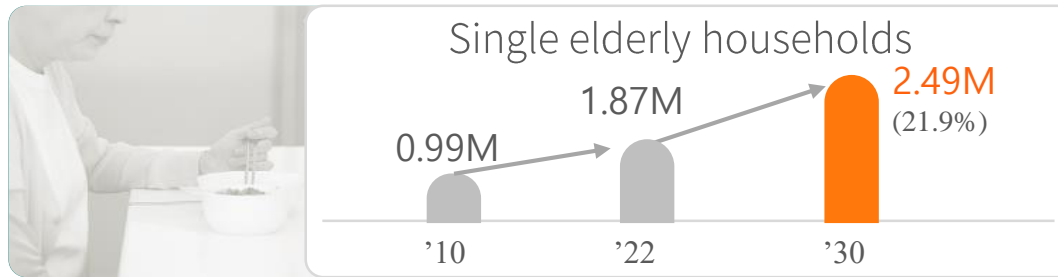
Ⅰ. Environment

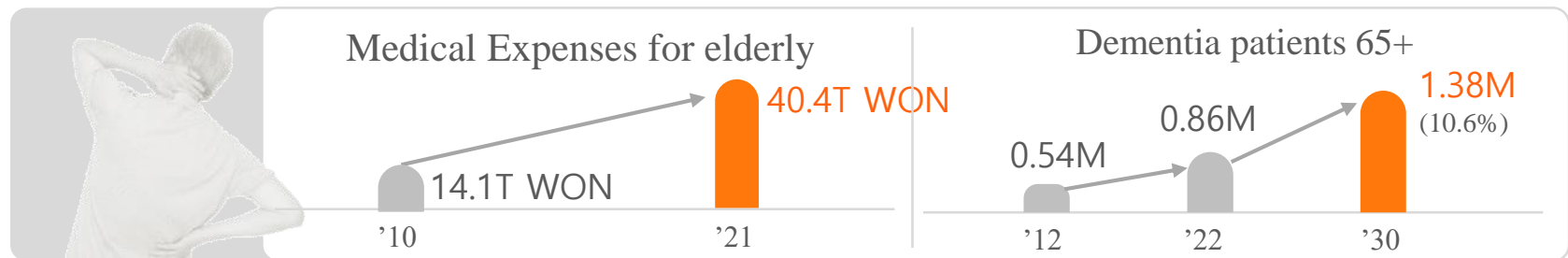## ◼ Demands of Elderly Welfare
➡ Various Programs for Various Demands

❶ Babyboom Generation being 65+

  - Known for well-educated, resourceful and friendly to digital tech

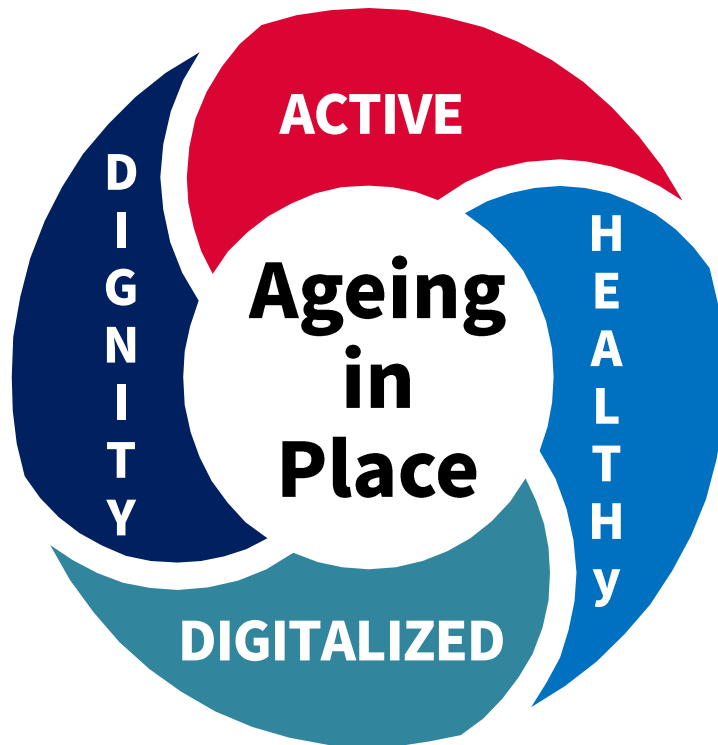❷ Increasing Single Elderly Households

Single elderly households

0.99M '10

1.87M '22

2.49M (21.9%) '30

❸ Increasing Medical Expenditure

Medical Expenses for elderly

14.1T WON '10

40.4T WON '21

Dementia patients 65+

0.54M '12

0.86M '22

1.38M (10.6%) '30

II. Policy Visions

Active and Healthy Super-Aged Society

🔴 **(Active)**
Public jobs & Participation

🔵 **(Healthy)**
"Preventive Care"

🟢 **(Digitalized)**
Digitalization of welfare

🔵 **(Dignity)**
Enhancing elderly human rights

III. Solutions : active

▣ Public jobs & Participation in communal participation

❯ Public Jobs for the Elderly

- Type
  - ① Providing opportunities for various pro bono activities
  - ② Employment support for the elderly
  * Diversifying jobs & Expanding the portion of private sector

- Scale
  ('22.) 845,000 → ('25.) 1M (Increasing about 50,000 annually)

❯ Basic Pension

- Giving max 323,180₩(247$) per month to 70% of the 65+

❯ Communal Activity Participation

- Activities and programs provided by social welfare facilities

- Providing voucher for leisure, sports and cultural life

III . Solutions : healthy

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■ Preventive Care

> **Long-term Care**

- Type
    ① Cares for the living in their own house (e.g. day care, night care, transfer)
    ② Cares for the living in the facilities (e.g. nursing, shelter & hospital)

- Scale

    ('21.) 954,000 (10.7% of entire elderly people)

> **Short-term Care**

- Cares before entering Long-term Care
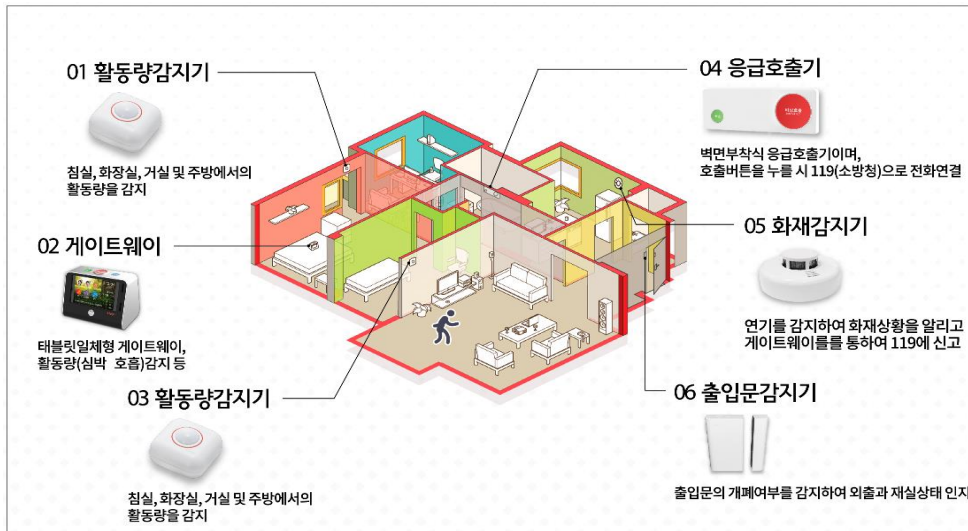   ➡ Establishing Community based Care (e.g. health care, transfer support)

- Scale

    ('22.) 500,000

III . Solutions : digitalized

�«▣ Digitalization of Welfare

> **Immediate 911 Calling Service**

- IoT Sensors of fire, non-moving
  ➡ emergency situation happening,
  immediate 911 call

- Scale

  ('23.) 300,000 living alone

> **Industry 4.0**

- Enhancing R&D and 'Living Lab' for Care Technology

- Applying variety of technical achievements(e.g. Care-robot)

- Reinforcing accessibility of the elderly
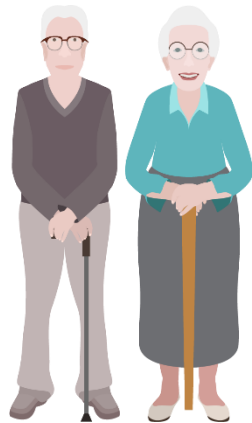
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■ Elderly Human Rights

> **Elder Abuse Prevention Day (on 15th June)**

- Anniversary changing public awareness to the elderly human rights

> **Elder Protection Agency**

- Established by 'Welfare for Senior Citizens ACT'

- For the Abused

  • Investigation of elder abuse

  • Punishment guide-line to persons or facilities abusing the elderly

  • Providing Shelters to the abused

- For preventing abuse

  • Compulsory Lectures for welfare Facilities' workers

  • Supervising the anniversary on 15th June and many other campaigns

Thank you

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