

# Platforms mapping by FabCare



Replicable solutions for makers  
and for social impact

# Platforms

This is an ongoing list of online community spaces where people share open solutions, also connected to the healthcare field.

The research started back in 2018 within Careables, H2020 project about digital fabrication and disabilities, and has brought out a large and growing movement of organisations and individuals changing from the bottom up the way we take care of our own health.

Use it for inspiration, to look for existing projects answering healthcare needs, and to document and share your next open solutions.

**Contact us if you know new platforms to be included.**

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## The platforms with a human-centred approach focusing on healthcare solutions

Title	Website	Language	Description
<b>APPROEDIA</b>	<a href="http://appropedia.org">appropedia.org</a>	english	Wiki-platform for collaborative solutions in sustainability, appropriate technology, poverty reduction, and permaculture.
<b>ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS (CLOSED)</b>	<a href="http://atsolutions.org">atsolutions.org</a>	english	Platform about assistive technology (last news dates back to 2015)
<b>CRACKEDIT!</b>	<a href="http://cracked-it.org">cracked-it.org</a>	english	Online platform helping disabled people connect with each other and with makers, designers and engineers from across the globe to find and share fixes, tweaks and hacks
<b>CAREABLES</b>	<a href="http://careables.org">careables.org</a>	english	Platform where care receivers, healthcare professionals and makers join forces to co-create Careables, a new world defining tailor made and solutions for healthcare
<b>D4E1 - DESIGN FOR EVERYONE</b>	<a href="http://designforeveryone.howest.be/output/">designforeveryone.howest.be/output/</a>	english	Platform of assistive devices developed by students together with people with needs. It is a 10 year-long HOWEST project.

<b>EDDIY (CLOSED)</b>	<a href="http://eddiy.es/doku.php?id=soluciones_según_discapacidad:soluciones">eddiy.es/doku.php?id=soluciones_según_discapacidad:soluciones</a>	spanish	Spanish platform with a wiki-based interface created in 2012 that collected DIY solutions to improve accessibility
<b>EDDIY.ORG</b>	<a href="http://eddiy.org">eddiy.org</a>	spanish	Platform based on EDDIY experience sharing projects for disabilities
<b>GLIA</b>	<a href="http://glia.org">glia.org</a>	english	High-quality low-cost open source medical hardware that makes a difference
<b>HUMANITARIAN TECH HUB</b>	<a href="http://essentialtech.center/hth">essentialtech.center/hth</a>	english	Technology innovation for humanitarian sector
<b>MAKEABILITY</b>	<a href="http://makeability.org.uk/project">makeability.org.uk/project</a>	english	Community of people sharing projects related to disability (no proper documentation)
<b>MAKERS MAKING CHANGE</b>	<a href="http://makersmakingchange.com">makersmakingchange.com</a>	english	Canadian platform by Neil Squire Society, a non-profit organization for people with disabilities
<b>MATCH MY MAKER</b>	<a href="http://matchmymaker.de">matchmymaker.de</a>	english, german	Project by beAble about co-design of healthcare solutions
<b>MEVIRO</b>	<a href="http://meviro.org">meviro.org</a>	brazilian/ english	Platform by homonymous non-profit organization that shares assistive technologies and solutions to improve disabled people lives
<b>MY HUMAN KIT</b>	<a href="http://wikilab.myhumankit.org/index.php?title=Main_Page">wikilab.myhumankit.org/index.php?title=Main_Page</a>	french	Wiki platform by My Human Kit community
<b>POSTA</b>	<a href="http://postaproject.org/projects.php">postaproject.org/projects.php</a>	english, spanish, italian, portuguese	Platform connecting people and organizations developing devices for people with disabilities

<b>SPACE HACKABILITY</b>	<a href="http://space.hackability.it">space.hackability.it</a>	italian	Repository of projects developed by Hackability community
<b>SPINALTIPS</b>	<a href="http://spinalistips.se/en">spinalistips.se/en</a>	english, swedish	Swedish platform of people-to-people tips and tricks related to spinal cord injuries (SCI).
<b>UBORA</b>	<a href="http://platform.ubora-biomedical.org/projects">platform.ubora-biomedical.org/projects</a>	english	Platform of medical devices developed by Ubora project

## The maker-oriented platforms

Title	Website	Language	Description
<b>ARDUINO PROJECT HUB</b>	<a href="http://create.arduino.cc/projecthub">create.arduino.cc/projecthub</a>	english	The official arduino repository powered by Hackster
<b>DUINO4PROJECTS</b>	<a href="http://duino4projects.com">duino4projects.com</a>	english	List of projects making use of Arduino
<b>FABBLE</b>	<a href="http://fabble.cc">fabble.cc</a>	english, japanese	Documentation service, covering the entire process from making memos to sharing recipes and has an interesting presentation feature
<b>GITHUB</b>	<a href="http://github.com">github.com</a>	english	Collaboration platform for software developers
<b>HACKADAY</b>	<a href="http://hackaday.io">hackaday.io</a>	english	Collaborative hardware development community

<b>HACKSTER</b>	<a href="https://hackster.io">hackster.io</a>	english	Community of hardware engineers
<b>INSTRUCTABLES</b>	<a href="https://instructables.com">instructables.com</a>	english	Probably the most famous community for people who like to make things
<b>MY MINI FACTORY</b>	<a href="https://myminifactory.com">myminifactory.com</a>	english, italian, french, german, spanish, chinese	Decentralised ecosystem for collaborative projects
<b>OPEN ASSISTIVE</b>	<a href="https://openassistive.org">openassistive.org</a>	english	Catalogue for open assistive hardware and software
<b>OPEN HARDWARE OBSERVATORY</b>	<a href="https://en.oho.wiki/wiki/Home">en.oho.wiki/wiki/Home</a>	english, german, spanish	Search engine for maker projects, created in 2019. .
<b>OPENTHINGS (CLOSED)</b>	<a href="https://openthings.wiki">openthings.wiki</a>	english, dutch	Inactive platform for collaborative development
<b>THINGIVERSE</b>	<a href="https://thingiverse.com">thingiverse.com</a>	english	Sharing platform of projects
<b>TIKKUN OLAM MAKERS</b>	<a href="https://tomglobal.org/search">tomglobal.org/search</a>	english	Global movement of communities disseminating affordable solutions for people with disabilities, elderly people and people living in poverty
<b>WEVOLVER</b>	<a href="https://wevolver.com/all-projects">wevolver.com/all-projects</a>	english	Global movement of communities disseminating affordable solutions for people with disabilities, elderly people and people living in poverty
<b>WIKIFAB</b>	<a href="https://wikifab.org/wiki/accueil">wikifab.org/wiki/accueil</a>	english, italian, french, german,	Sharing platform of projects based on Dokit

		spanish, portuguese	
<b>WIKIFACTORY</b>	<a href="http://wikifactory.com">wikifactory.com</a>	english	Community of product designers, engineers and enterprises for agile development
<b>YEGGI</b>	<a href="http://yeggi.com">yeggi.com</a>	english	Collection of only 3d printable models.
<b>YOUMAGINE</b>	<a href="http://youmagine.com">youmagine.com</a>	english	Repository for 3d designs