Home Environment Solutions through Technology and Innovation for All: HESTIA

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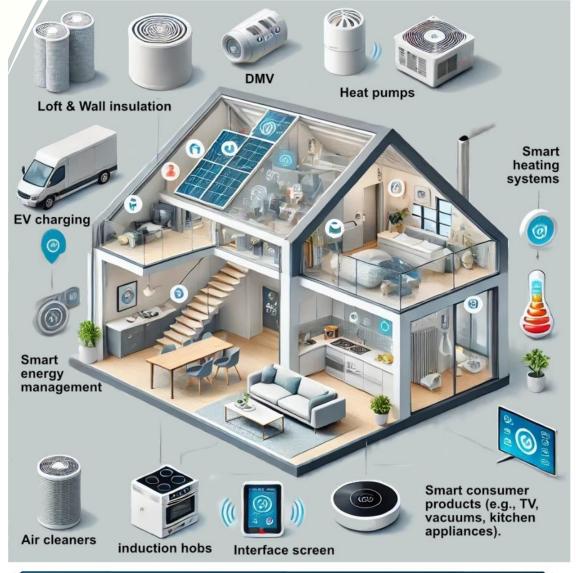
- The UK housing stock is undergoing an unprecedented transformation to reduce carbon emissions
- The impacts of these changes on Indoor Environmental Quality (IEQ), physical and mental health and wellbeing, and equity are less well known





Integrated technologies

- Delivering low-carbon, healthy, and equitable homes through design and retrofit will need multiple different technologies
- Current efforts focus primarily on building fabric or system upgrades, yet there are significant opportunities through replacement technologies, smart devices, and consumer products



Gov backed schemes

Individual led

Building fabric & system upgrades e.g. insulation, heating, ventilation

Replacement tech e.g. induction hob, electric fire Smart tech e.g. air quality sensors, app-controlled devices Consumer products e.g. air cleaner, dehumidifier

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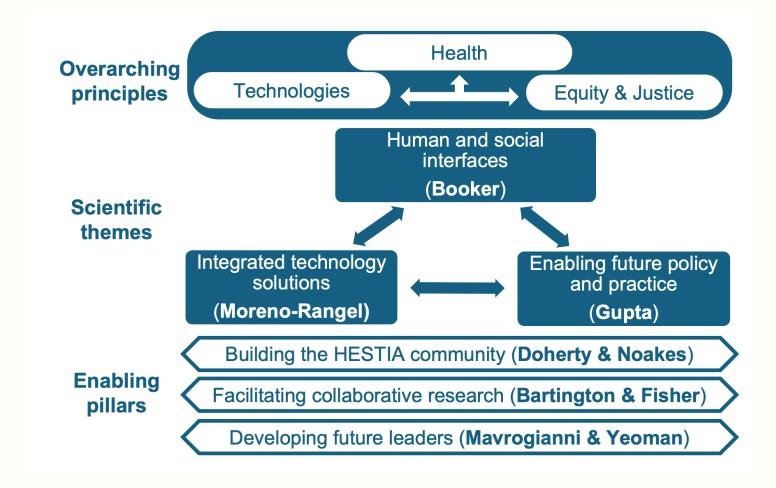
Cost, time and complexity

Low



Our aims

 HESTIA will create a new health-equity-centred engineering approach to home design and retrofit, integrating existing and emerging building technologies to maximise human and environmental health co-benefits, and minimise health inequalities





Who we are working with

Project partners

























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Keep in touch!

- HESTIA launching November 2025
- Accelerating the creation of indoor home environments that meet Net Zero targets while promoting physical and mental health and wellbeing for all, considering the interface of technologies and social factors

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