## Chinese and Dutch enterprises kick off strategic cooperation on "space design for dementia care"

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Beijing Business Daily news (reporter Cheng Ming Jie) the aging of the population has become a global universal phenomenon. With the advent of an aging society, the number of people with cognitive impairment among the elderly continues to rise. On February 9, Beijing Business Daily reporter exclusively learned that Lan Senior Care Corp., Beijing Penyi Human Resources Development co., LTD., and the Dutch Livable company (Livable) signed a memorandum of cooperation, the two sides will work to bring in dementia care space design expertise and rich experience from the Netherlands. Mr. Nico Schiettekatte, the health, Welfare and Sports counselor of the Dutch Embassy in China, attended the signing ceremony, who said that the signing is another important milestone in the rich achievements of bilateral cooperation between China and Netherlands in the field of elderly care.



Xue Lan, CEO of Yilan Kanghua, said that China's aging population is characterized by large numbers, fast speed and large differences, but also shows broad market prospects. Under the 9073 pension pattern, the development of pension mode and business form has entered the 2.0 era of community home care."European countries represented by the Netherlands have rich experience in community home care, and have different living space schemes for the

cognitively impaired elderly, which also provides inspiration for pension market services in China."

In the introduction of Dutch experience, the representative of Dutch Livable Company of Kokon Architects, Henk Meddelkoop presented the experience that as of 2020, the Dutch population over 60 accounted for 26% of the total population, entering a moderately aging society."Based on a Dutch community with 10,000 residents, we will provide housing types of care, and the people at different stages will provide exclusive housing options based on their independent capacity and potential risk of injury."

Dutch senior geriatric psychologist Frans Hoogeveen also introduced clinical research and evidence-based medicine based on cognitive disorders, and how to design specific care programs according to the specific conditions and needs of different stages in the development of cognitive impairment to improve the quality of life of the elderly.