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Activity #4: An emerging picture

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Instructions:

Using your researched information from activities 1-3, fill out the flowing comparing the current state of the art with what you think new (software) innovations could bring to the community

Covering the orientations	
Compare the left-hand column of the document "Technology configuration inventory" table with the right-hand column of the document "Community characteristics & orientation" table. What do you notice about the match (or mismatch) between your dominant community orientations and the current configuration of tools?	
How well does the technology inventory cover the orientations? What themes emerged from both the community orientations and the technology configuration from your colleagues' notes	The technology inventory has done an okay job in creating platforms that matches up to a certain degree in comparison to the community orientation. It just does not cater to people with identified health conditions. That is the major difference and that is what is been left out.
☐ Are you almost there? ☐ Are there big gaps?	I would not like to think I am almost there, and at the same time I do not believe there are big gaps to be covered.
What is the range of skills? If their interests and/or skills are diverse, could it cause conflict or distraction?	The range of skills vary from tech-savvy people to amateurs, in the community. The interest also varies because of the difference in the level of technical know-how, and this has led to distraction from what is really sustainable and important; which is to help the community move forward.
Achieving integration	
Look at all the pieces of your configuration	
What level of integration and interoperability has been achieved?	There are currently diet plans, but the level of integrations stops at just maintaining good health for people already healthy or trying to be healthy. It does not go beyond that, to the extent of dealing with health conditions. Only so much has been achieved, in terms of sustainability in technology development.
Where are there big gaps	The gaps are present between maintaining good health for people without health conditions and people already battling health conditions, who also need these plans for speedy recovery. The big gap is also between trying to make profit and trying to move the community forward.

Balancing the polarities (Current state)	
How is the configuration balanced with respect to each polarity?	

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Group >>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>> …Group tools?	<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<< **Individual** …Individual tools?
How well does this balance fit your community?	It does not exactly balance out properly for the community.

Solution seeking	
In the new configuration, do you want your choice of tools to affect the polarities of your community in ways that differ from the current configuration? Which way?	

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MVP notes
I am currently working on simplifying the project, so as not to overburden myself. This involves me choosing to have a direct focus on who the major player is in the project for the time duration and currently it will be the experts. This is because their section can be done realistically within the time given for this project. As I progress to the design stage, it will be easier to envision a more defined MVP.