

Keep Close Contact

Helping you care when you cannot be there

An example of when to use **Keep Close Contact**

Jane's mother who lived alone was becoming less mobile but wanted to still have her own place to live as she was comfortable there. Jane was a busy working mother but needed to feel that she could catch up with her mother at any time just to see how she was that day, make sure she had got up, taken her medication on time and similar things - essentially making sure that mum was OK.

Jane read about **Keep Close Contact** on the internet and tracked down a secondhand iPad, a nice secure stand to hold it in place, a SIM card from the phone company and downloaded **Keep Close Contact** from the Apple App Store. Jane was ready to go!

Jane made a quick test before she presented it to her mother and uploaded a few photos of the grandkids, then popped around and set it all up. Jane's mother saw how simple it was as she was not into technology things, she loved the photos of the family and insisted that Jane keep them up to date. The best thing was Jane could call and they could chat away without her dropping a stitch in her knitting.

While Jane was there having a cup of tea they set up some reminder messages for all the regular things in her mother's life and Jane showed her how to touch the screen to respond. The last thing Jane did was to show her mother the Call Me button so that if she needed to she could touch the button and she could speak to Jane.

When Jane left she felt a lot more at ease than she had in a long time, it took her mother a few days to get used to responding so when Jane received the email from **Keep Close Contact** advising her she just hit the call button and had a quick chat to make sure everything was OK.

Jane still pops around to see her mother just as much as she did before but now she can have a lot more contact and peace of mind when she is not able to get there.

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Another example of **Keep Close Contact**

Jim's father wanted to stay in the old family home as he had lived there for nearly 40 years, he did not get around much as he needed to use a walker but was happy at home. Jim travelled a lot for work and a friend of Jim's suggested that he try out **Keep Close Contact** so that he could keep in touch while he was away.

Jim had an old iPad that he had replaced with a new model and his father had WiFi at home so he downloaded **Keep Close Contact** from the Apple App Store and set it up.

Over a few beers (low alcohol for his father of course) Jim demonstrated **Keep Close Contact** and they set up some regular reminders to keep his father on track. Jim also promised to upload some photos on his next trip.

On his next trip Jim called his dad for free from the airport in Paris using **Keep Close Contact** and uploaded pictures in front of the Eiffel tower. Jim was relaxed as he could call at any time and knew **Keep Close Contact** would let him know if his father did not acknowledge the reminder messages.

Why Keep Close Contact?

Imagine you are caring for an infirm relative or friend but are unable to be with them all the time, **Keep Close Contact** can help.

With **Keep Close Contact** you can leave an iPad, iPhone or iPod Touch with the person you are caring for and from your iPad, iPhone or Macintosh initiate a Video Call at any time with them and they need to do nothing to answer the call. Ideal if they have limited mobility, for example you can have a quick chat while you grab a coffee without causing them any hardship just like calling out to them from another room in the house if you were there.

The inbuilt Touch Me I am OK feature is also an easy non intrusive way for people who live alone letting people know they are OK. This is ideal for a person living alone so they can let you know they are fine but still feel independent and not being watched all the time.

Don't forget you can use this anywhere in the world where you have internet access.



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Touch Free Video Call

Start a video call to your loved one from your iPhone, iPad or Macintosh. You will see and hear each other without your loved one needing to lift a finger - get out of bed or their favourite chair!

Touch Me I am OK

A button on the screen which your loved one touches when they go past the iPad, just to let you know they are OK. You can also use this button to remind them of appointments, take their medication at the correct time and similar items.

Call Me

Your loved one can touch the screen and it will call you with a FaceTime video call. From the **Keep Close Contact** Dashboard you can change where this call goes to at any time so you can "share the care".

Picture Slideshow Carousel

From the website you can load up favourite pictures and they will be displayed in a slideshow. The pictures can be changed remotely at any time so you can take a snapshot of the number 1 grandson at his footy final on your iPhone and have it appear on Nanny's iPad a minute or two later - even if the game is on the other side of the world!

Scheduled Reminder Messages

From the website you can schedule daily, weekly and monthly messages to be sent. For each of these you can ask **Keep Close Contact** to let you know if the message is not acknowledged within the time you choose. Great for daily check messages to see if someone is OK, to remind people to take medication or that they are about to be picked up for a doctors appointment.

Status Monitoring

Keep Close Contact also monitors and advises you via email of any problems that it sees such as the iPad is no longer connected to the internet, has been unplugged from power or a message has not been acknowledged.

Note: The **Keep Close Contact** system is a tool to assist you in caring for others along with other systems you have in place. Wyari Pty Ltd does not accept responsibility or provide any warranty for misuse of the system, problems caused by third parties or failures of components of the system.

The **Keep Close Contact** app works with any IOS device that supports IOS 8 or later, supports FaceTime and has a front facing camera. Full size iPad options are recommended as they have larger screen sizes - the app works perfectly with a "pre loved" iPad 2. Please note some early iPod Touch, iPhone and 1st generation iPad models do not meet these criteria.

Check our website for more details, or download and try it.

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