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## Designing Information and Services **GROUP 1F**

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Wellbeing services for Long-COVID

**Project Portfolio**

# PARTICIPANT DATA

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**Name:** Augusta Wills  
**Age:** 25  
**Gender:** Female  
**Occupation:** Lawyer

Average day to day activities pre covid

Reading books and work emails

Traveling to work and working in an office

Working long hours due to being a lawyer

Cooking, drinking and socialising with friends

Exercising such as running and swimming

Symptoms from long covid

Increased fatigue and brain fog

Forgetfulness

Muscle aches and dizziness

Anxiety from not being able to work or socialise

Challenges from symptoms

Not currently able to work a full day and take in information from reading or writing

Feel like she is losing some of her connections with friends

Feels like she is missing out on core experiences in her life

Feels like some people don't believe her and that she is overreacting

Cannot get out of bed some days and can't walk far

Coping mechanisms (if tech specify examples)

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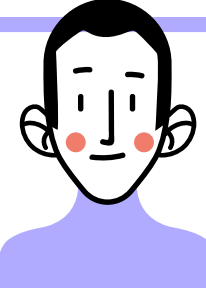
Yoga and meditation and uses the calm and headspace apps

Accupuncture

Has connected online with other young females she knows who have had long covid

Listens to podcasts instead of reading and audiobooks

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**Name:** Ewen Brennan  
**Age:** 29  
**Gender:** Male  
**Occupation:** Long covid doctor

Average day to day activities of your patients

Most patients work full time

Traveling to and from work

Some patients are more elderly so live a sendentary lifestyle

Exercising at least a few times a week

Main symptoms of your patients from long covid

Brain fog

Shortness of breath

Anxiety from not being believed

Forgetting short term memories

Challenges noticed from symptoms

Being excluded from certain activities

Loss of jobs

Loss of friends / family support

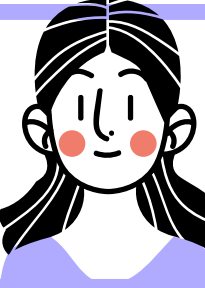
Lack of motivation in completing tasks

Coping mechanisms suggested (if tech specify examples)

Visual charts to help patients rank their activities they have to perform to see how much energy mentally one takes over the other e.g brushing teeth takes 3 units and reading a book takes 7 units

Provide a guide and list of activities to gradually build up their energy levels e.g. walk for 5 more minutes than you did yesterday, read 10 more pages of a book

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**Name:** Kate Pivasi  
**Age:** 32  
**Gender:** Female  
**Occupation:** bank employee, product owner

Average day to day activities

Office activities: meeting in person and online

Outlook routine: responding emails

Interuptions from co-workers during a day

Symptoms from long covid

Getting nervous/ anxiety

Periods with lack of concentrat ion

Taste/smells change and intolerance

Challenges from symptoms


Cannot follow strict daily ToDo list

Working day increases

Coping mechanisms (if tech specify examples)

Try to push herself to write and follow ToDo list

Trying to have a longer sleep to cope with emotions

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Name: Nuria  
Age: 34  
Gender: Female  
Occupation: Technician

### Average day to day activities

- On Site Job
  - Involves physical activities and traveling from one place to another
  - Very active and motivated at the job
- Entertainment  
  - Watching Television
  - Going for Cinemas

### Symptoms from long covid

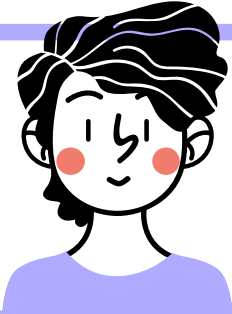
- Lost sense of taste and smell
  - Runny nose and bad cough
  - Blood test showed Low vitamin D
- Mental and physical Fatigue
  - Slower movements
  - Bruises recovery slowed down
- Brain Fog
  - Forgetting words or sentences in the middle of a coversation
  - Forgets sequence of work
  - Forgets what she had planned to do
- Faint Speech
  - Low Voice
  - Saying random words in a conversation

### Challenges from symptoms

- Due to low energy levels cannot perform properly at her job
  - No energy left for exercise
- Trying hard to keep herself motivated but cannot due to tiredness
- One of the top performing employee
  - Lost her promotion at work as performance is going down
- Being a non-native English speaker people assume her conversation is poor which is actually due to the reasons mentioned above [due to covid].

### Coping mechanisms (if tech specify examples)

- Exercise but very low energy so cannot do that much
- Anti depressants  
Vitamin tablets
- Crying

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Name: Joanne  
Age: 29-54  
Gender: Female  
Occupation: School co-ordinator

### Average day to day activities

- On site job
  - Lots of social communication
  - 9-5, 4 day work week
  - Lives alone
- Gets visits from her daughter ocassionally
  - Catching up with friends
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### Symptoms from long covid

- Disturbed sleep cycles
  - Disturbed energy levels
  - Anxiety
  - Unable to find a pattern of reoccurence
- Brain Fog
  - Fatigue
  - Depression
  - Fluctuating Moods
  - Headaches
  - Altered taste and smell

### Challenges from symptoms

- Unable to plan activities
  - Guilt
  - Self doubt
  - Anxiety
  - Unable to work like before :performance
- Financial concerns
  - Age related social concerns : lives alone and hardly sees anyone
  - Finding the same energy levels as before for tasks such as meeting friends.
- Acceptance of her conditions
  - hard to show self-empathy

### Coping mechanisms (if tech specify examples)

- Support Groups
  - Meditation apps : Mindfulness. TO take a step back and relax and come to an acceptance with what's happening
- understanding that it's something that will pass.



## Detailed User Journeys

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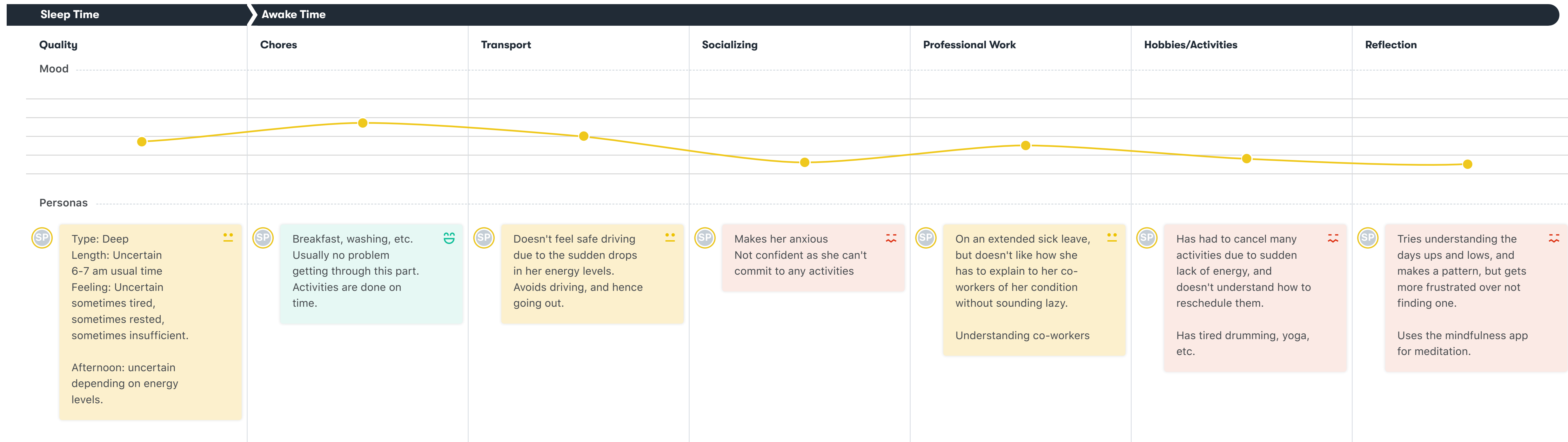
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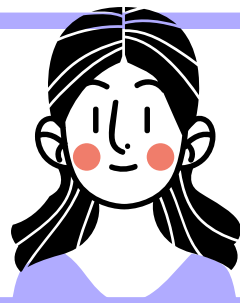
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## One day in view



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### 5 day dairy study

D1

Day 1

D2

Day 2

D3

Day 3

D4

Day 4

D5

Day 5

## Daily Observation

### Morning

Mood&COVID symptoms

### Middle

### Afternoon

### Evening

### Personas

D1

20-04 Lack fatigue during  
get up



D1

20-04 Episodic lack of  
concentration during in  
person meetings



D1

20-04 Significant getting  
nervous due to chicken  
sandwich lunch (feel  
disgusting for the taste)  
Amplitude in mood from  
loyalty to anger due to  
conversation



D1

20-04 Totally run out of  
energy



D2

21-04 Getting sick after  
using a favorite perfume



D2

21-04 Range of meetings  
with a good concentration,  
good mood



D2

21-04 Staying till deep  
evening in an office  
finishing work, good mood  
and concentration,  
however, some kind of  
interrupts



D2



D3

22-04 Productive morning  
despite little time for  
sleep, relaxed



D3



D3

22-04 A lot of different,  
but small tasks - emails,  
questions, small talks till  
16-00. From 16-00 felling  
strong nervous, hard to  
communicate. Sudden  
irritation.



D3

22-04 Feeling relaxed  
after participating in  
cooking workshop (explain  
it as "doing something by  
hands is always relaxed)



D4

23-04 Lazy morning after  
working week, desire to  
stay at home and do only  
household chores (no  
description of emotions)



D4



D4



D4



D5

24-04 No taste  
differences for easter  
cake, happy because of it.



D5

24-04 sudden irritation  
due to boiled egg opening,  
after that need 20 mins to  
become calm



D5



D5

24-04 find out the  
begging of improving  
garlic perception in  
dishes, good mood  
because of it

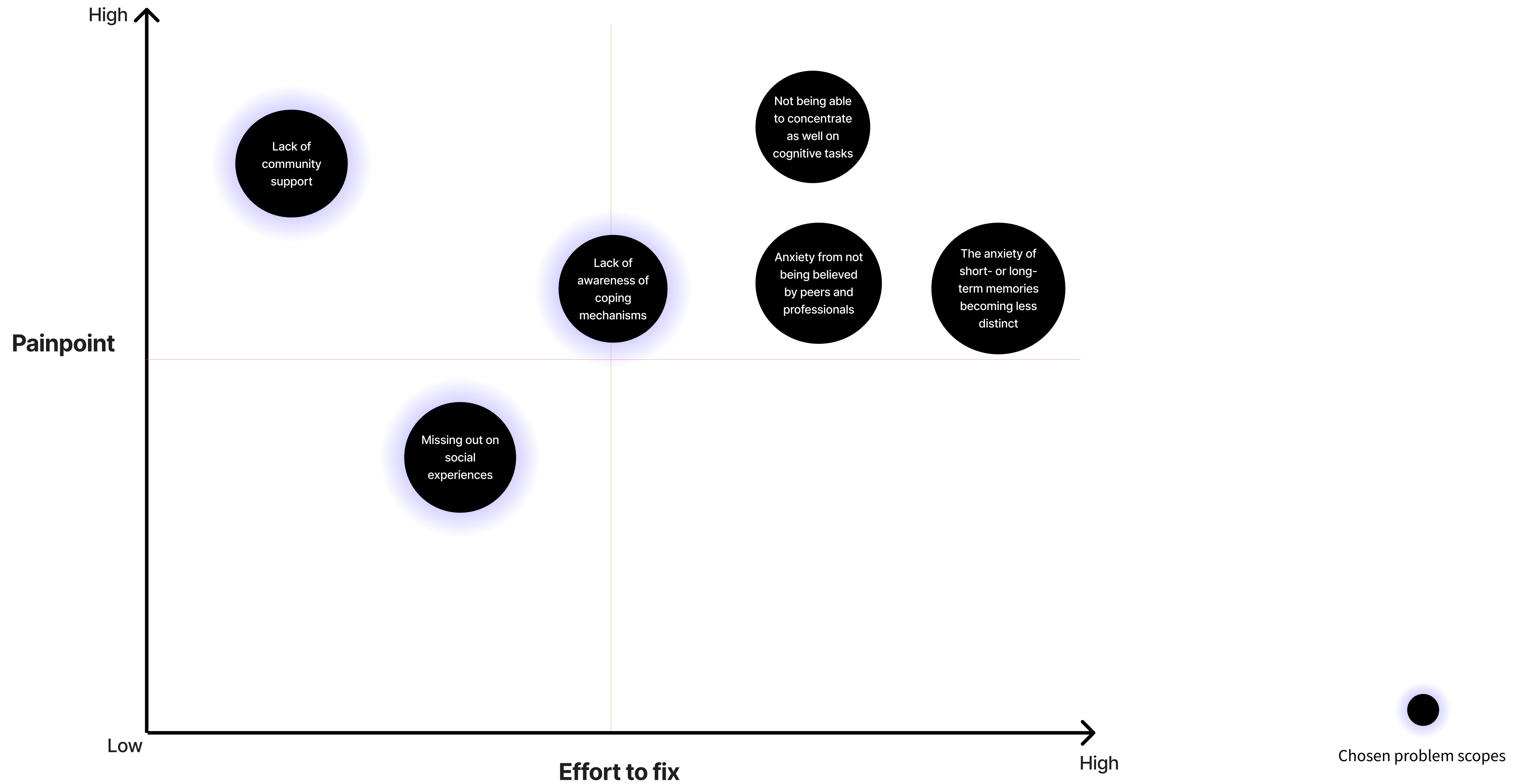




# EVALUATION & ANALYSIS

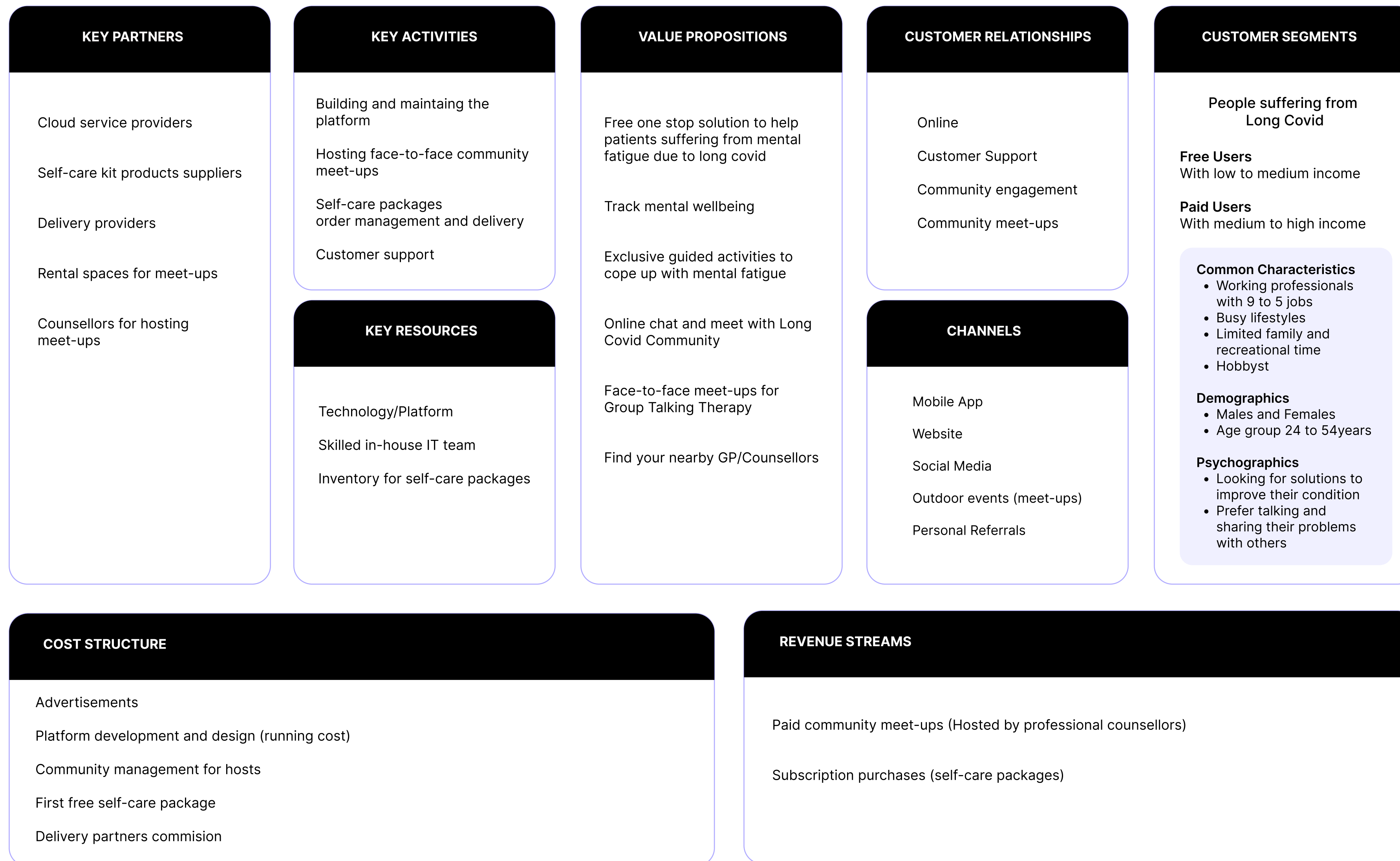
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Stakeholder Map

# Problem Evaluation Matrix

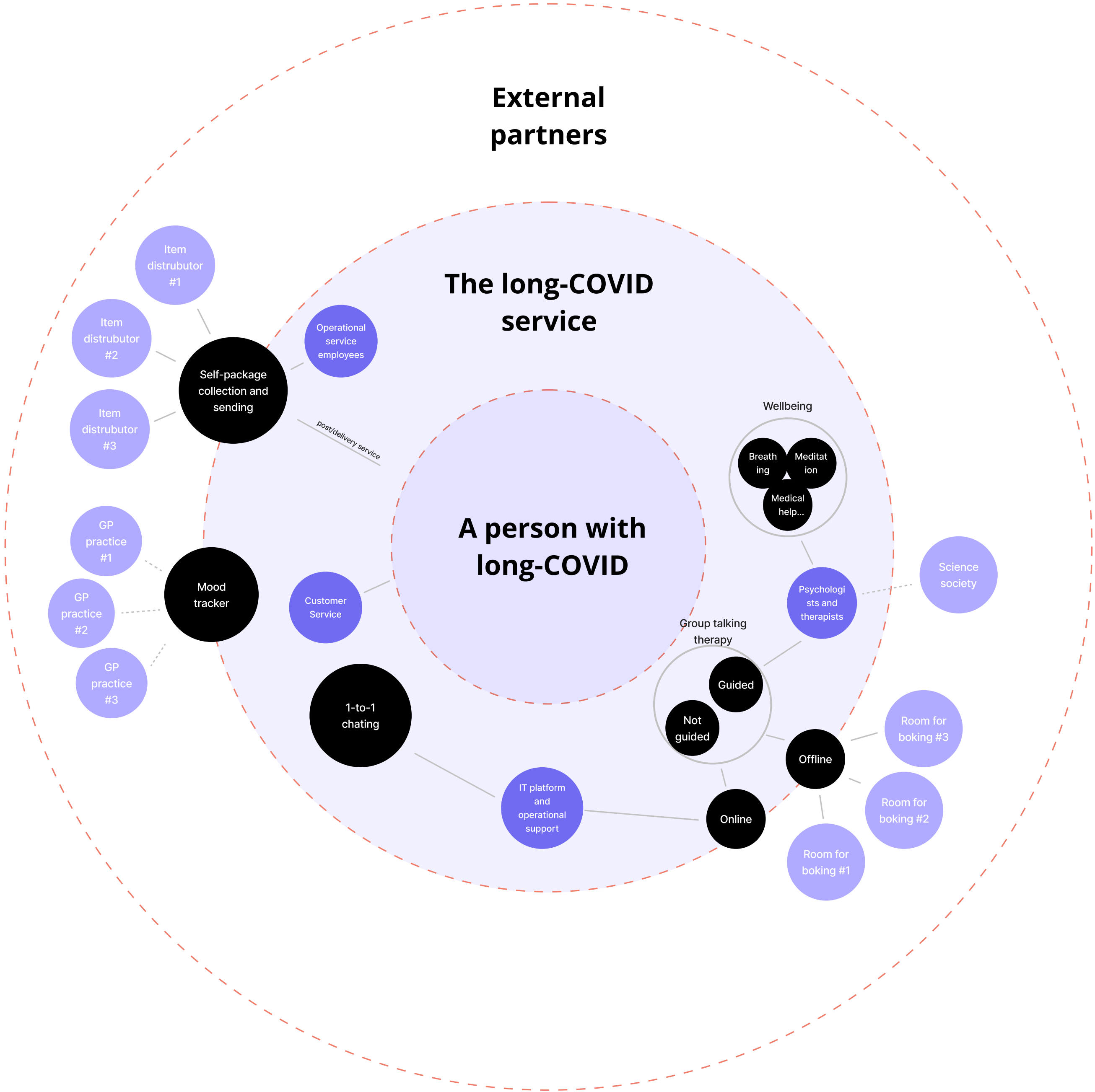




# Business Value Proposition



# Stakeholder Map





# CONCEPT VISUALIZATION

Root Cause Analysis • Service Blueprint  
Information Architecture • User Flow • Screen Preview

# Root Cause Analysis

## ROOT CAUSES

Lack of community social platform to connect patients of long-covid

Missing out on social experiences due to lack of others around them with similar issues, and due to the social distancing nature of the illness

Lack of awareness and platform to host and suggest differing coping mechanisms to address a decline in cognitive tasks

Inefficient or lack of tracking symptom solution that shows insights and progress

Anxiety driven by short or long term memory loss symptom of the illness

Social stigma and intolerance from society regarding the legitimacy of illness

## DERIVATIONS

An online accessible social community engagement platform with the ability to connect one on one, or via group discussions where connections are formed around location and symptom based similarities.

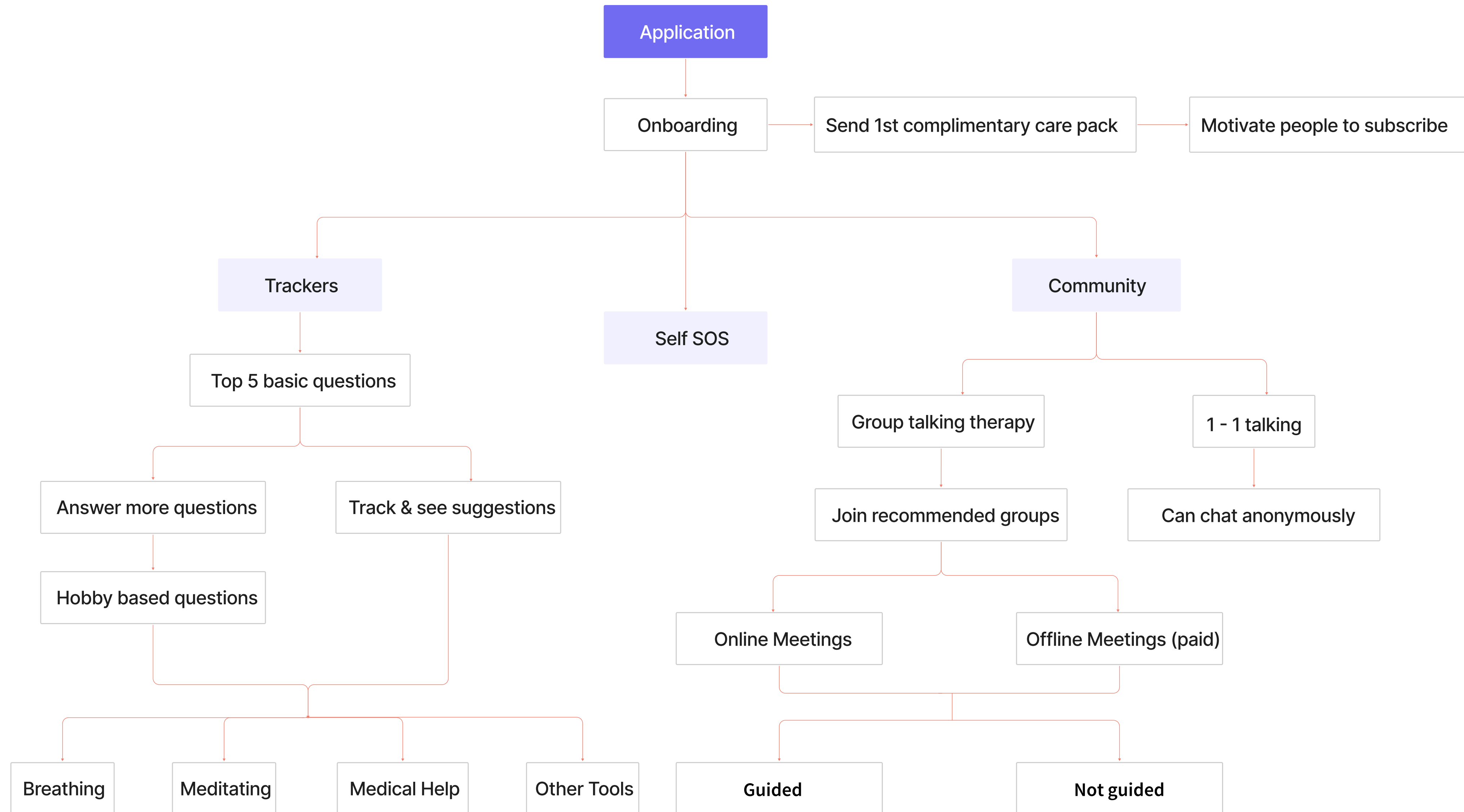
Suggested coping activities, accessibility to group sessions, professionals, emergency contact services and care packages sent out tailored to needs and challenges.

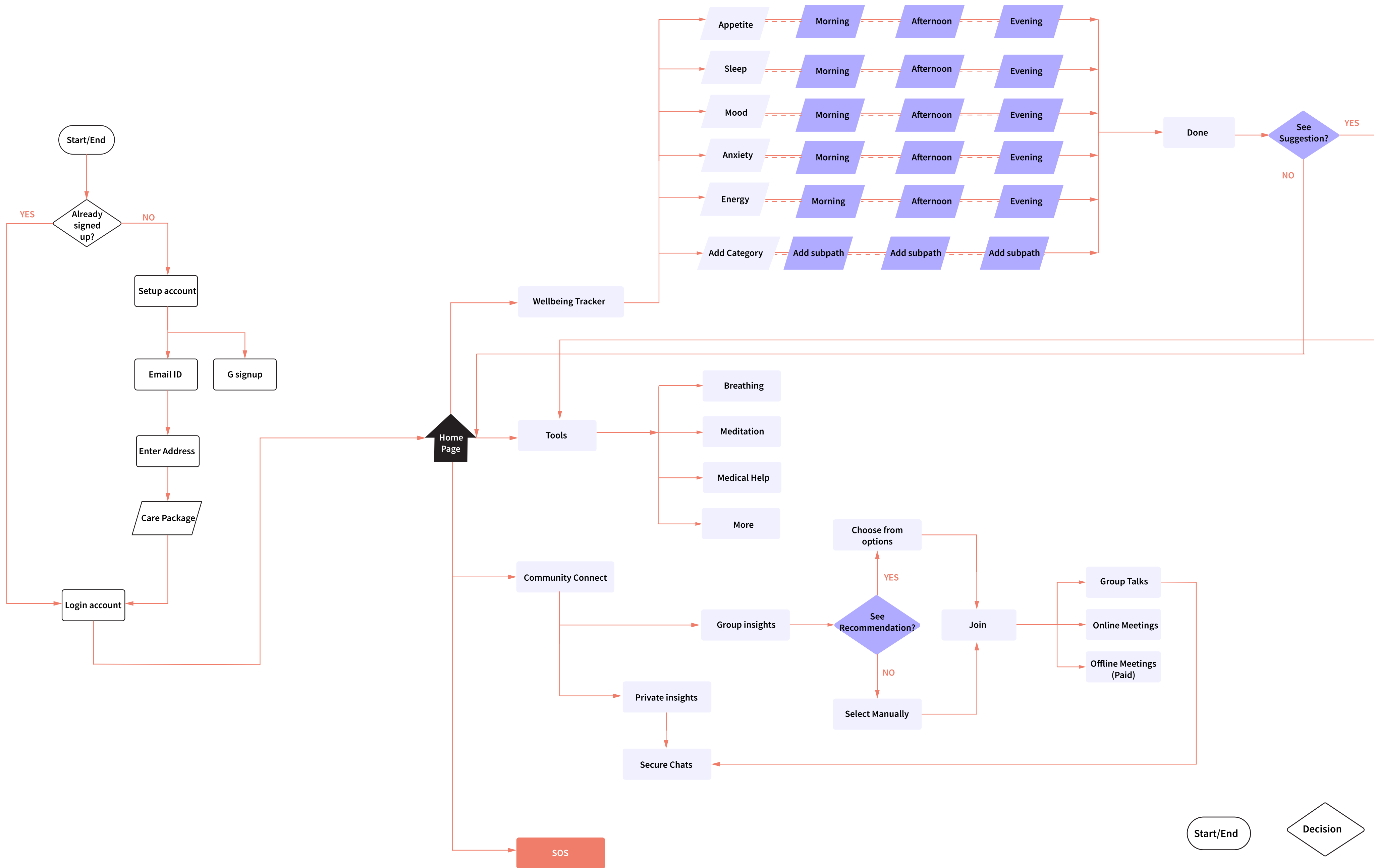
Symptom tracker diary / record to review and compare symptoms and feelings to help predict when symptoms may arise and to see progress of recovery will alleviate anxiety and provide useful insights and memorable data they can refer back to if brain fog occurs.



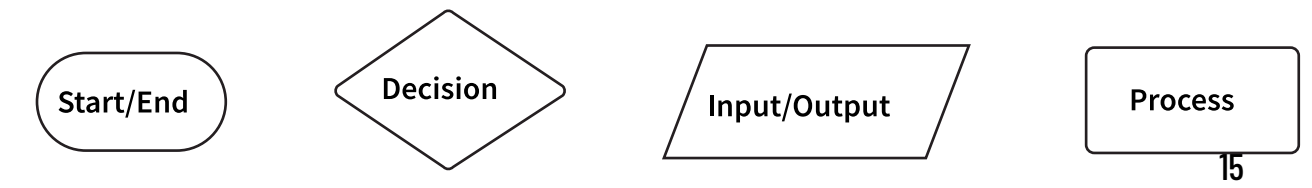


# Information Architecture



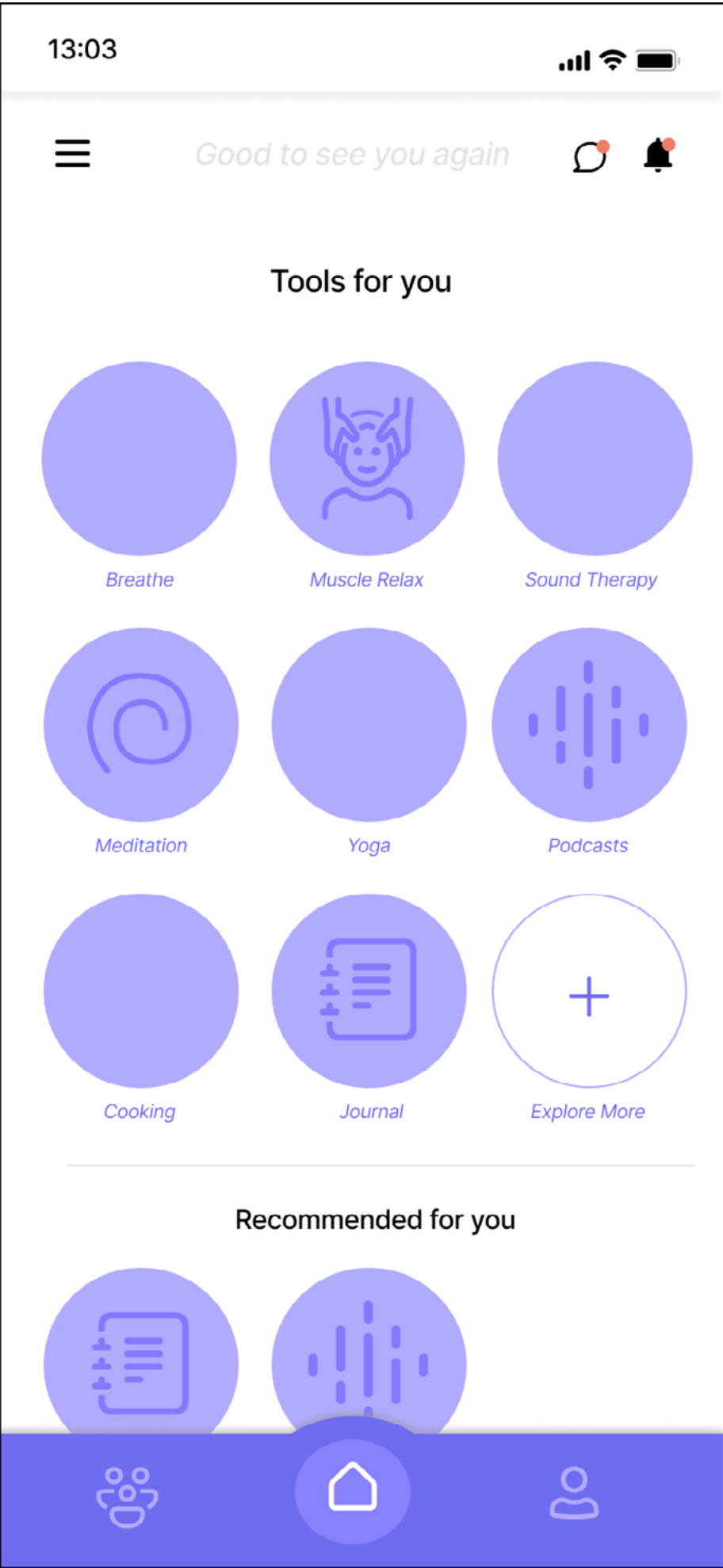
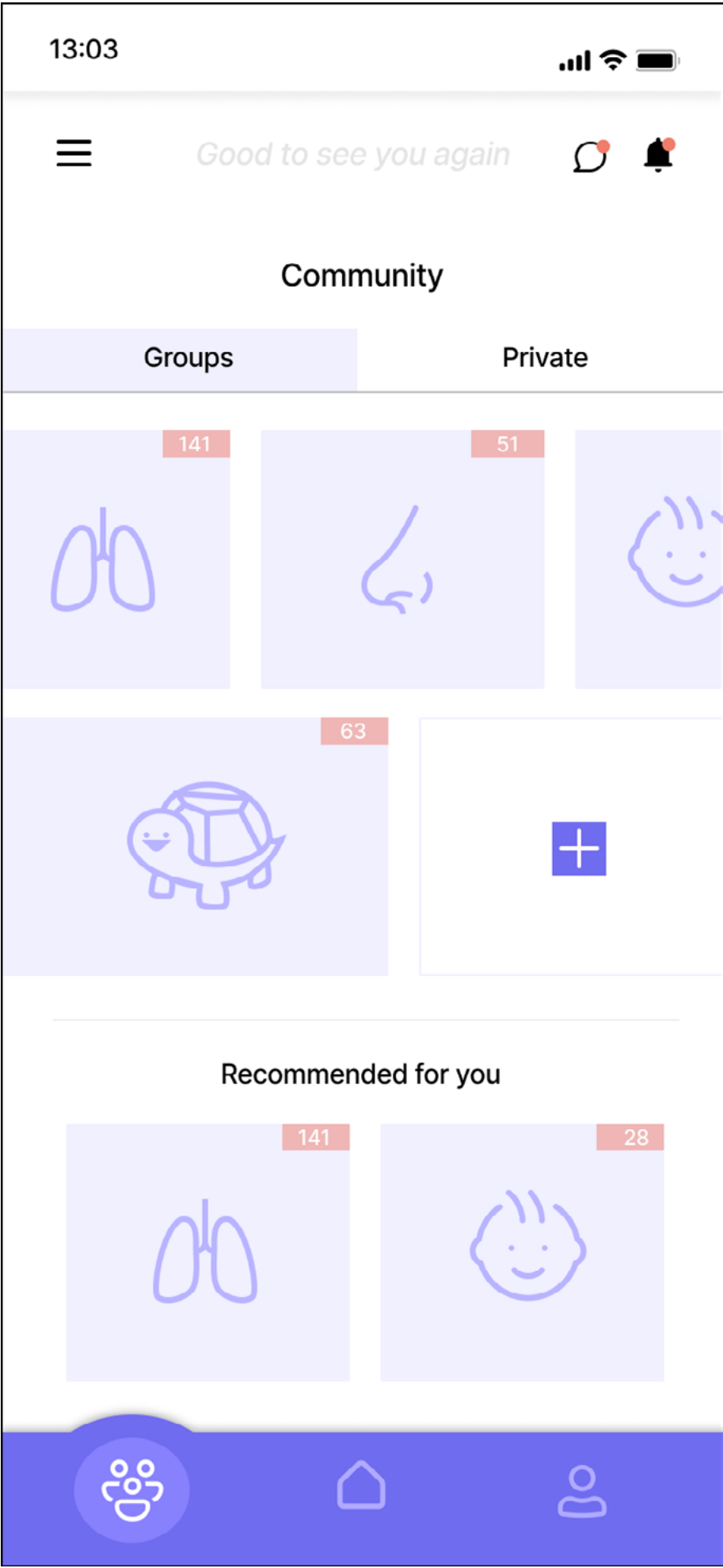
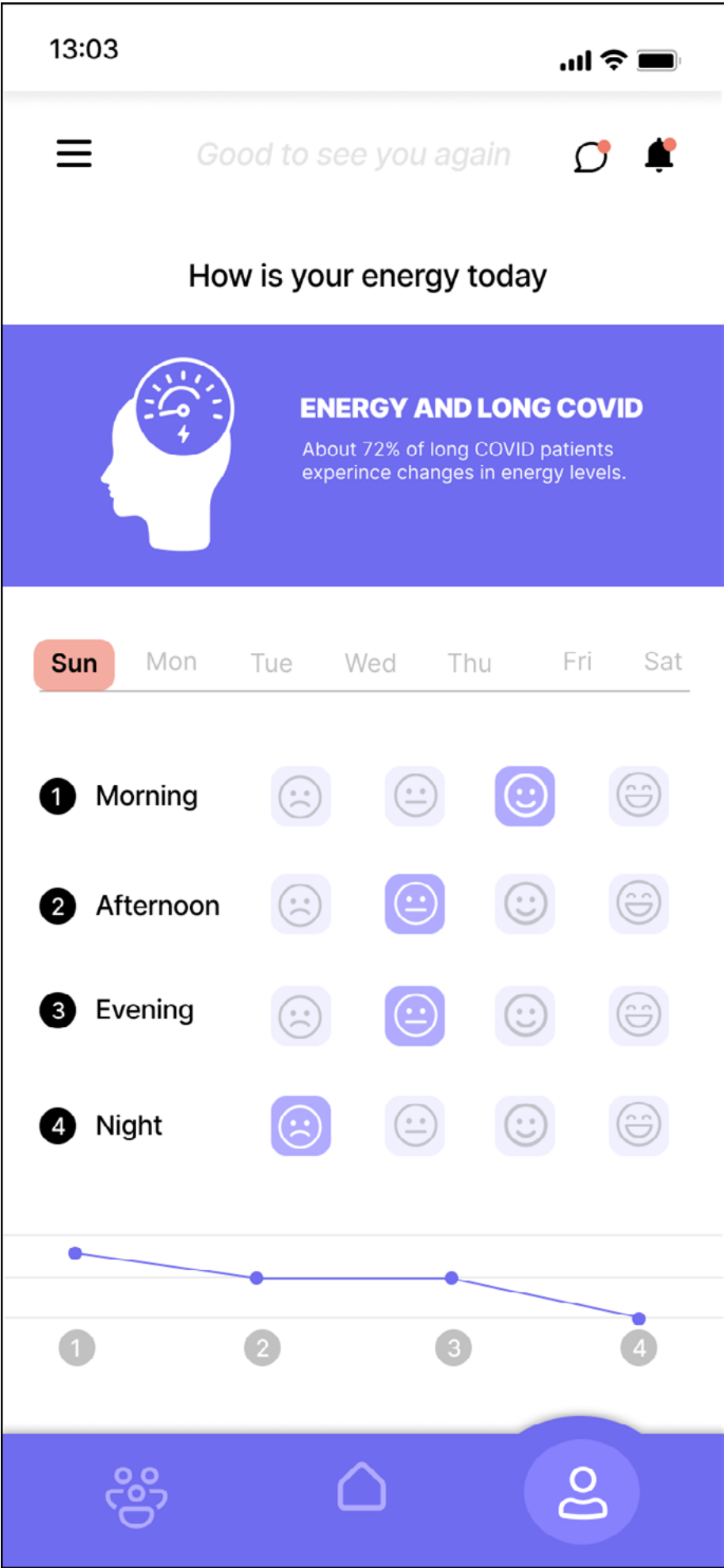
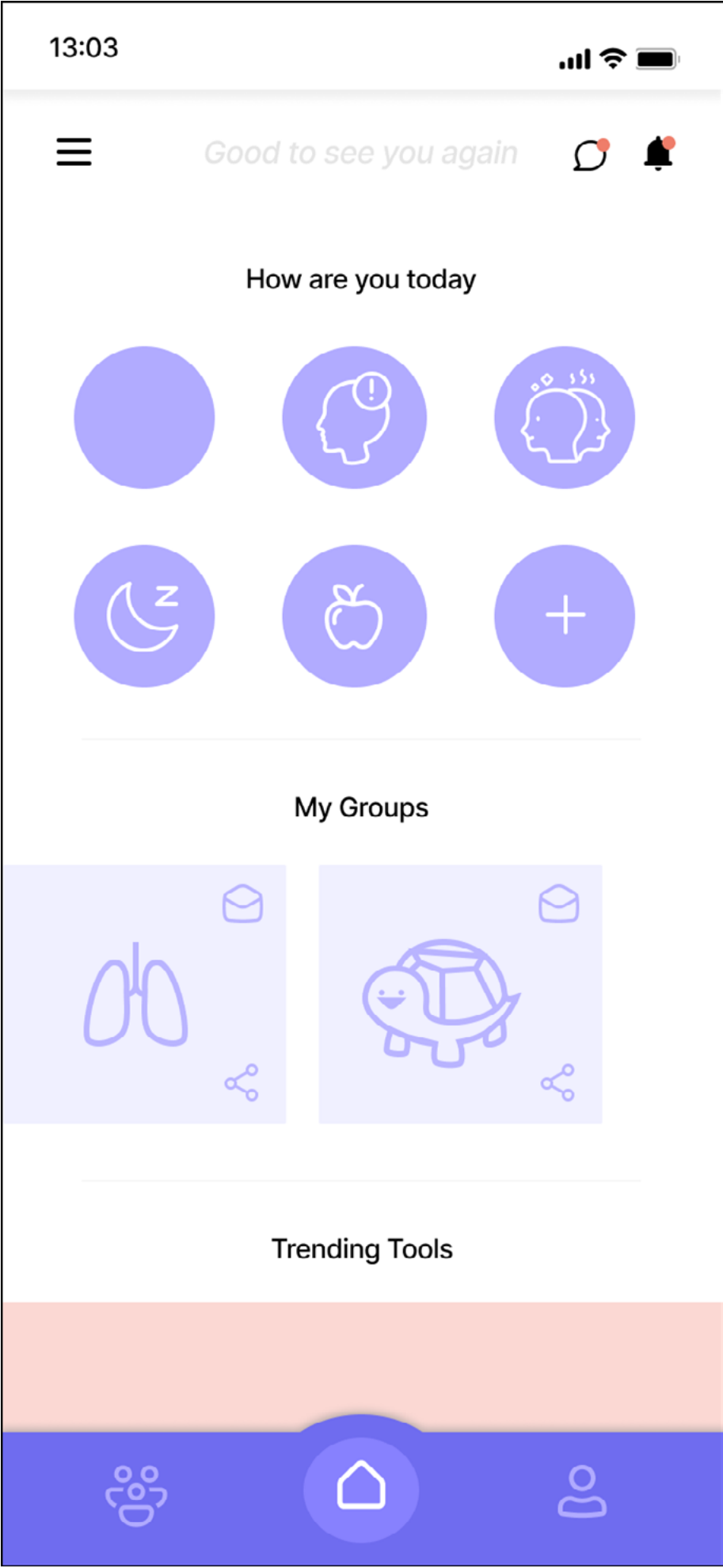


# User Flow

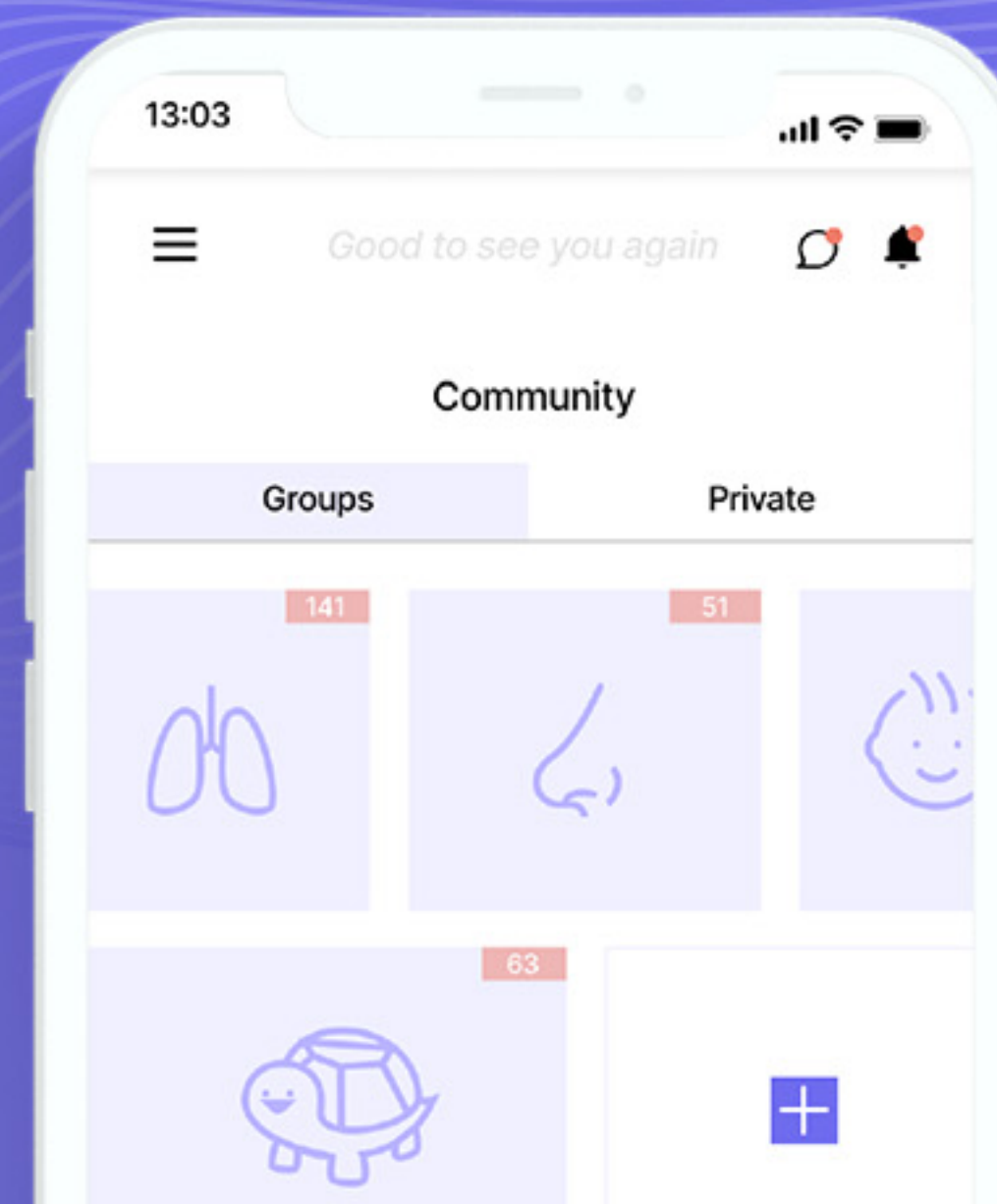
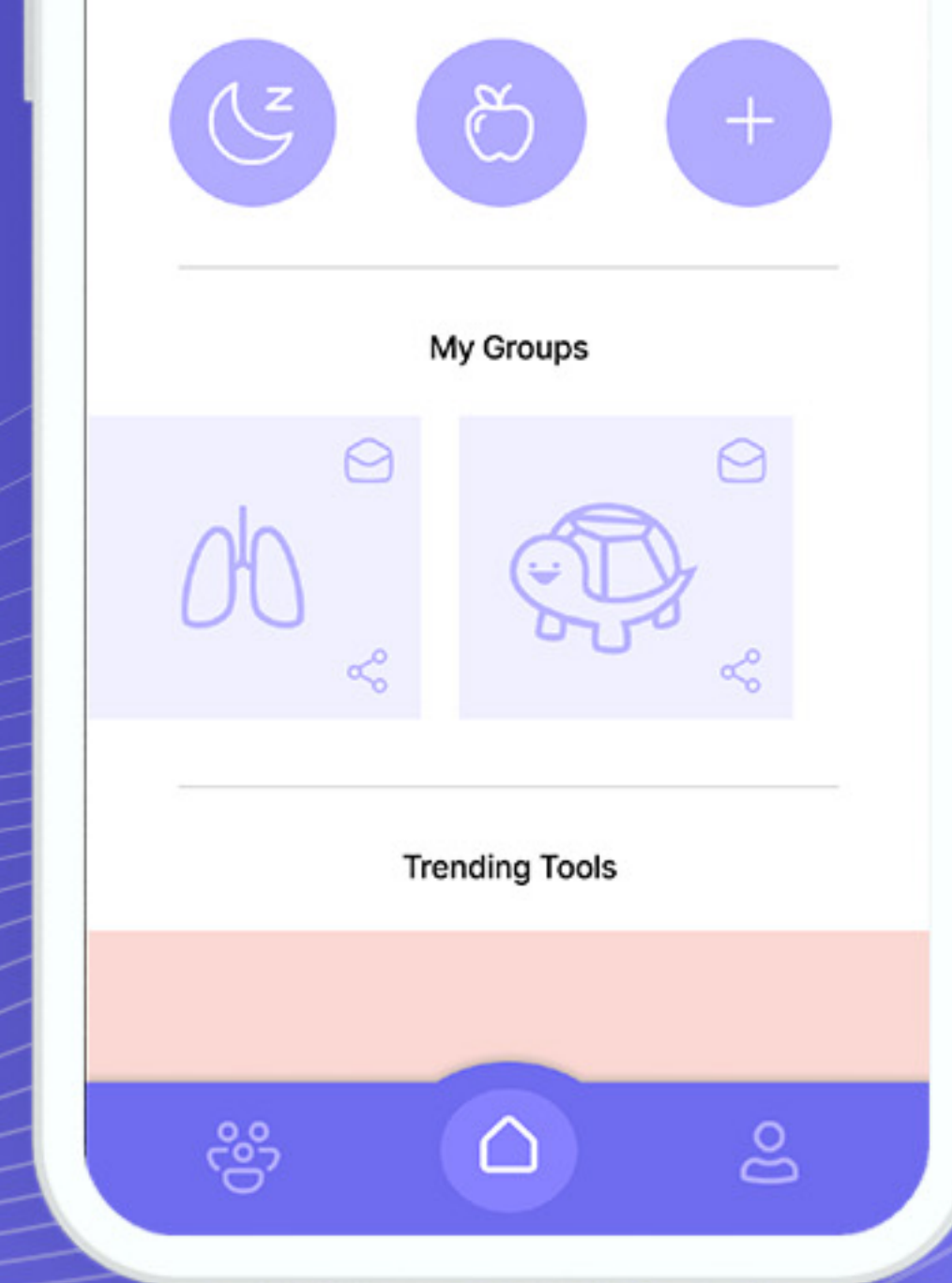
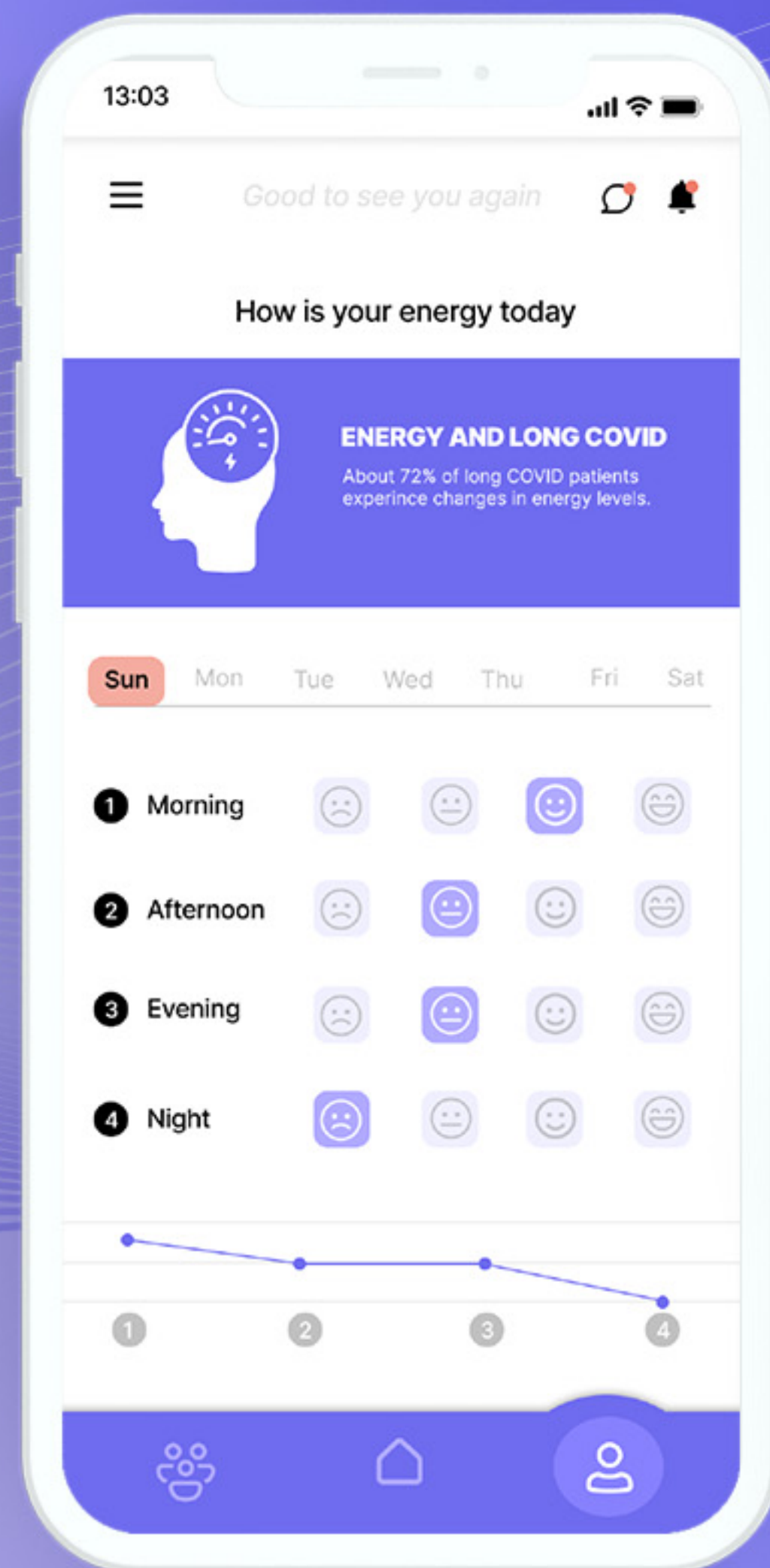
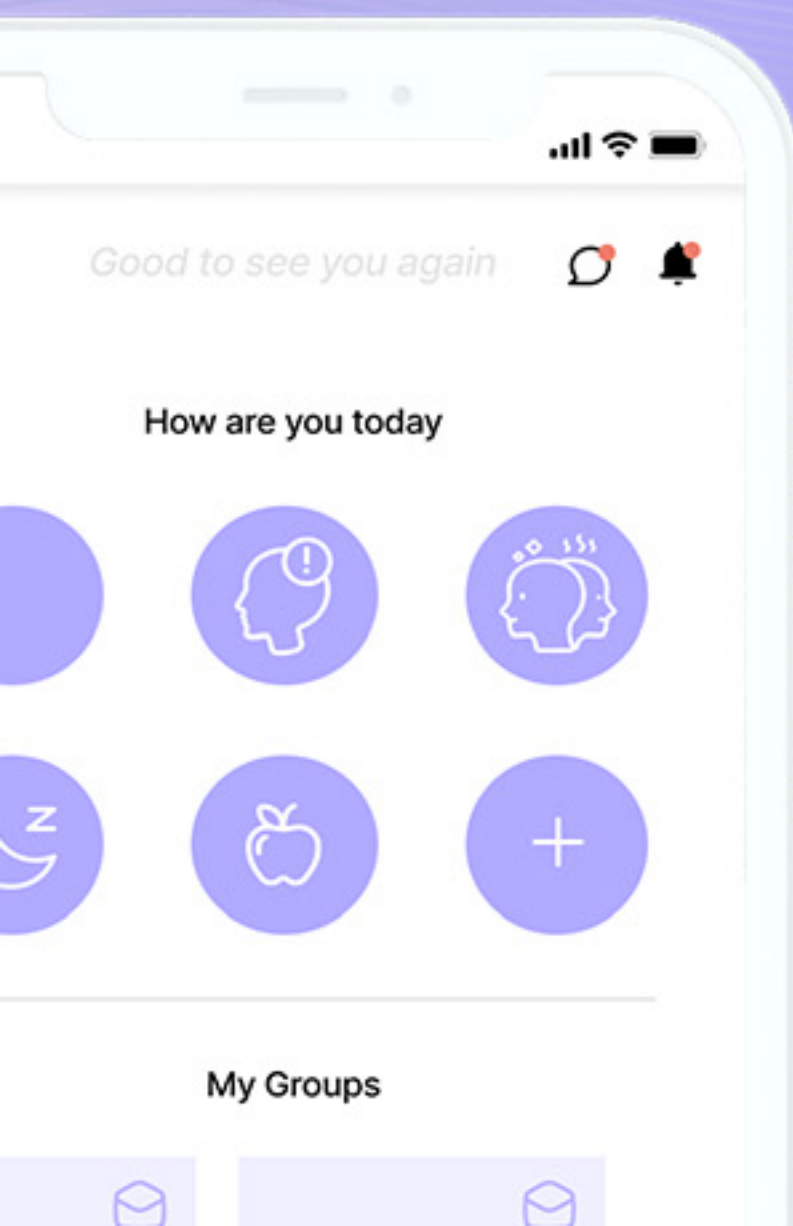
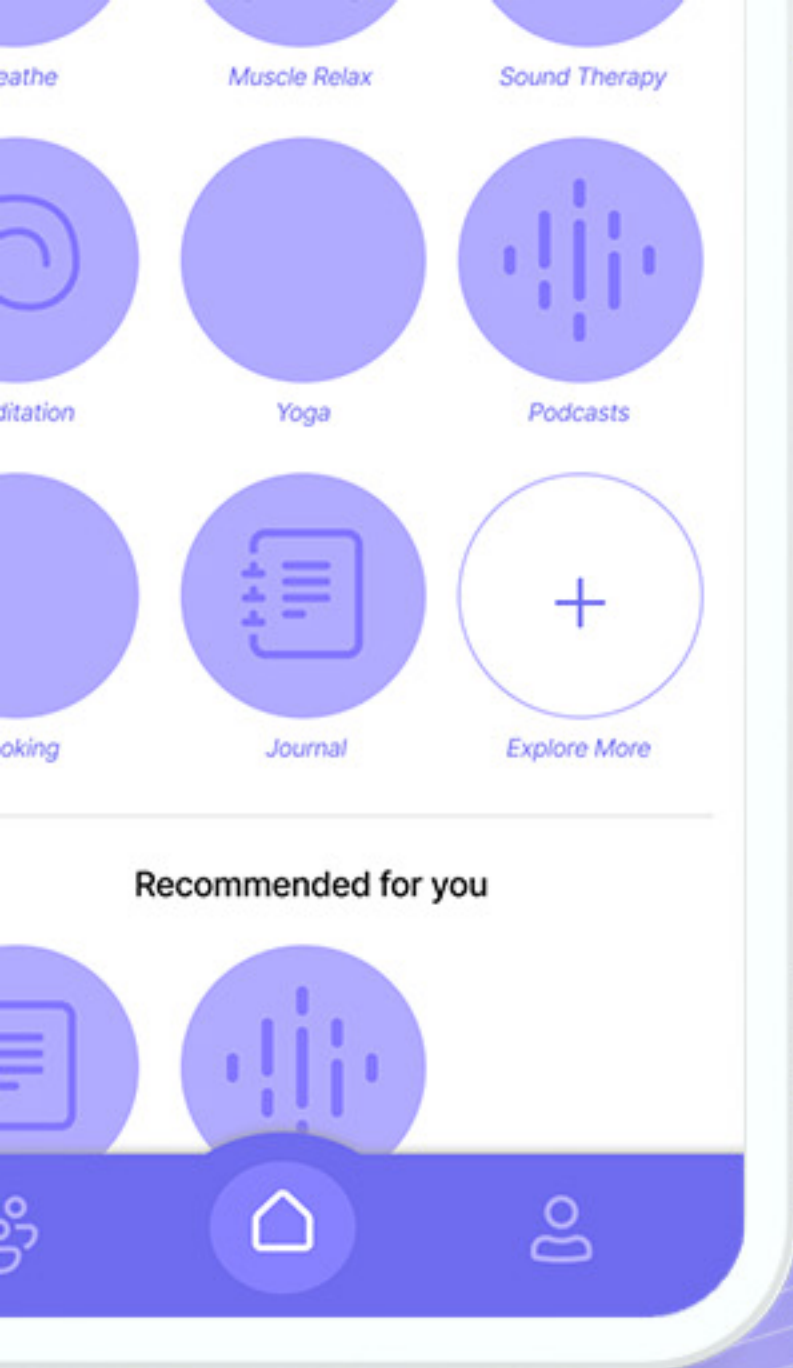




# Screen Preview







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# PROTOTYPE VISUALIZATION

Hypothesis/Phase Timeline • Function/Parameter Matrix  
Detailed Action Timeline



## Hypothesis/Phase Timeline

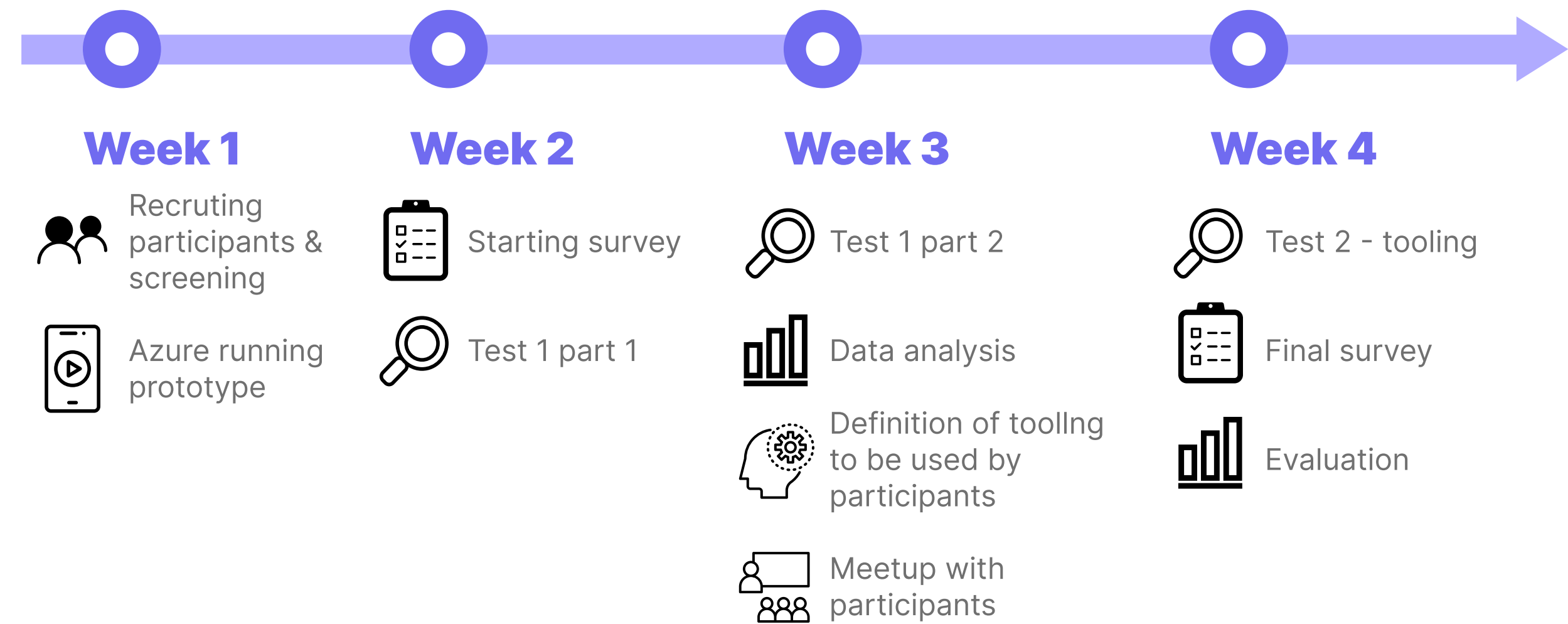
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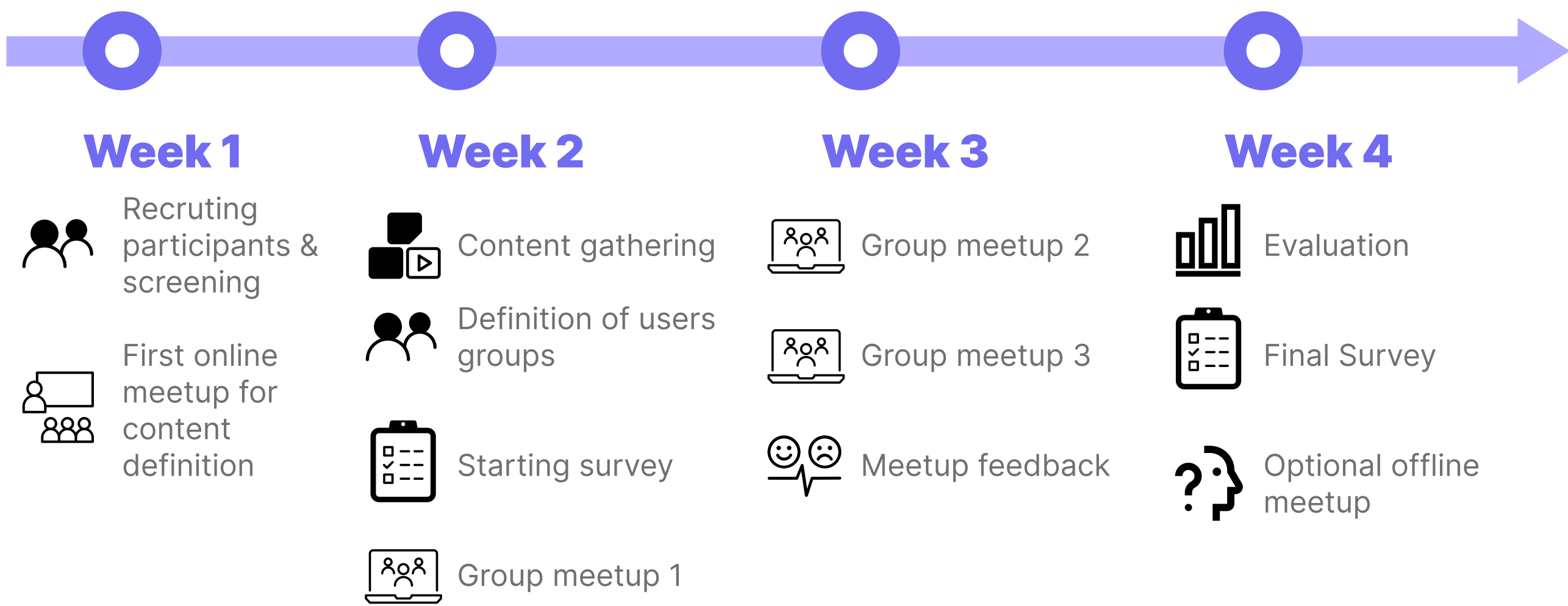
Function/ Parameter	Features	Hypotheses	Prototype methods	Rationales	KPIs
Symptom Tracker	Self-tracking tool to assest the impact of covid on the daily life	Self tracking helps against anxiety and stigma	Mixed: Interactive Wireframe + Diary Study	Inexpensive mockup can make the game if used daily throughout the testing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Overall satisfaction level on using the tracker</li><li>Overall feeling of overwhelmedness from long covid before/after</li><li>Overall perception on being stigmatised during the illness</li></ul>
Tools	Tools and suggestions to help relieve the effects of covid tailored on the tracker's trend	Mixed with tracking, suggesting tools help relieve against covid effects	Mixed: Mechanical Turk + Roleplaying	Certain parts of the feature can be easily faked by the team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Overall feeling of betterment before/ after using the tools provided</li></ul>
Community Platform	A platform that gathers knowledge and strategies by the community on how to cope with covid and helps connecting	Sharing coping strategies with a community of peers helps against covid effects and stigma	Mixed: Mechanical Turk + Roleplaying	Certain parts of the feature can be easily faked by the team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Overall satisfaction level on using the groups feature</li><li>Overall feeling of overwhelmedness from long covid before/after</li><li>Overall perception on being stigmatised during the illness</li><li>% of users that would proceed offline</li></ul>

# Detailed Action Timeline

## Tracker and Tools



## Community Platform



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