

Houseplant Care Simulator

Houseplant Care Simulator tells a story about a doctor by the name Eric, who got into caring for plants as

means of stress relief outside of work. The player can help Eric by acquiring new plants using the **in-game computer**, and by learning how to care for them using the **Plantipedia** – encyclopedia of Houseplant Care Simulator. Then the player can apply that knowledge by playing as the game character, giving the virtual plants a sufficient amount of light, and watering them according to instructions from the in-game computer.



Goals

- Serving as a source of knowledge about care for a selection of houseplants. The game tries to achieve it through various game mechanics like watering, light level of houseplants, and an in-game computer.
- Mental health promotion and demonstrating how houseplants can affect the mental health and stress levels of people

Future developments

Some of the features planned to be implemented in the future are as follows:

- soil-changing and temperature-effect mechanics that would also affect plant's well-being
- visual representation of plant growth, leaf colour change based on plant's well-being
- more furniture and ability to put plants on the window seals



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