



Breaking the cycle

Offering families involved in organised crime a way out

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National program: Prevention with Authority



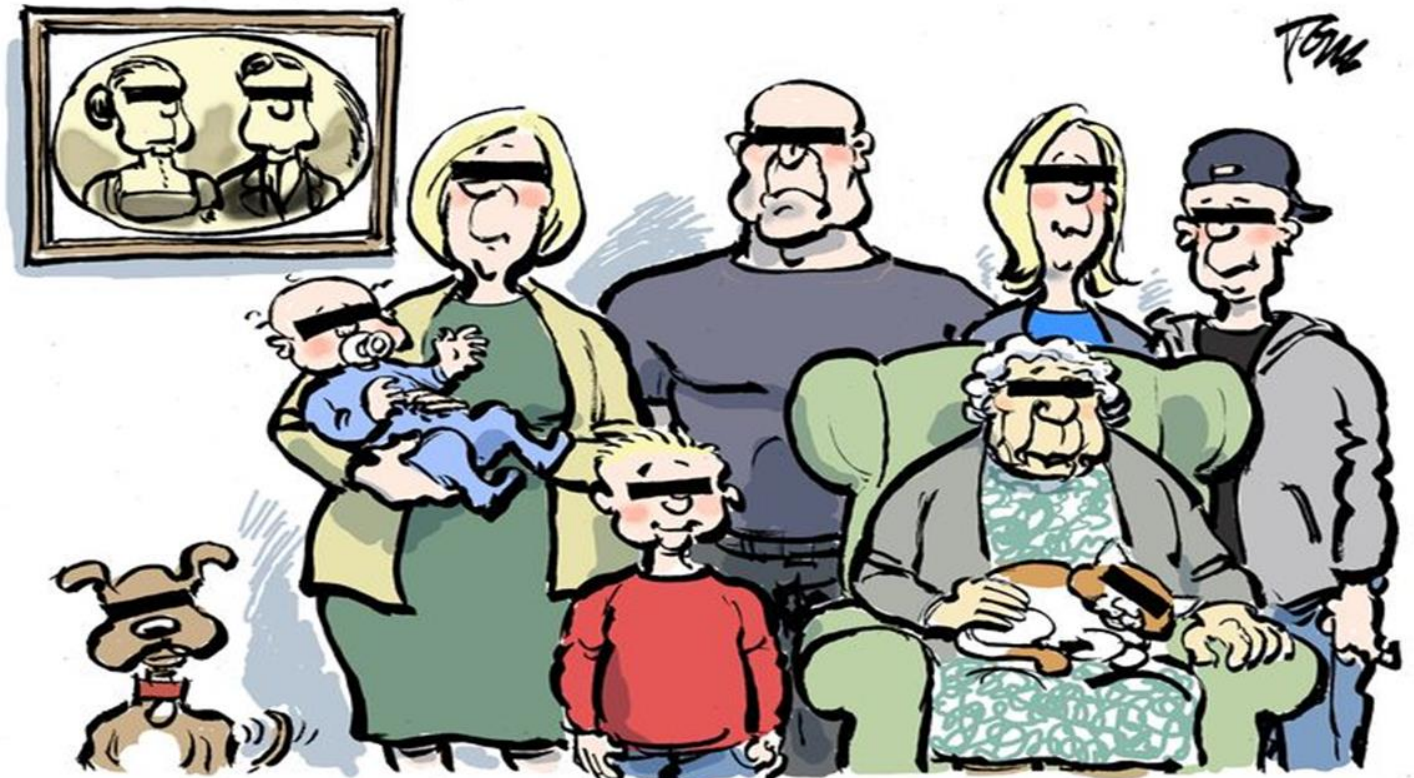
- Preventing involvement in organised crime
 - Focus on youngsters
 - 27 Dutch cities
 - Durable & long term (15-20 years)
- Tilburg
 - 11 interlocking interventions
 - Covering multiple aspects of life
 - Combination preventive and repressive measures
 - Customised to individual needs



Families in organised crime

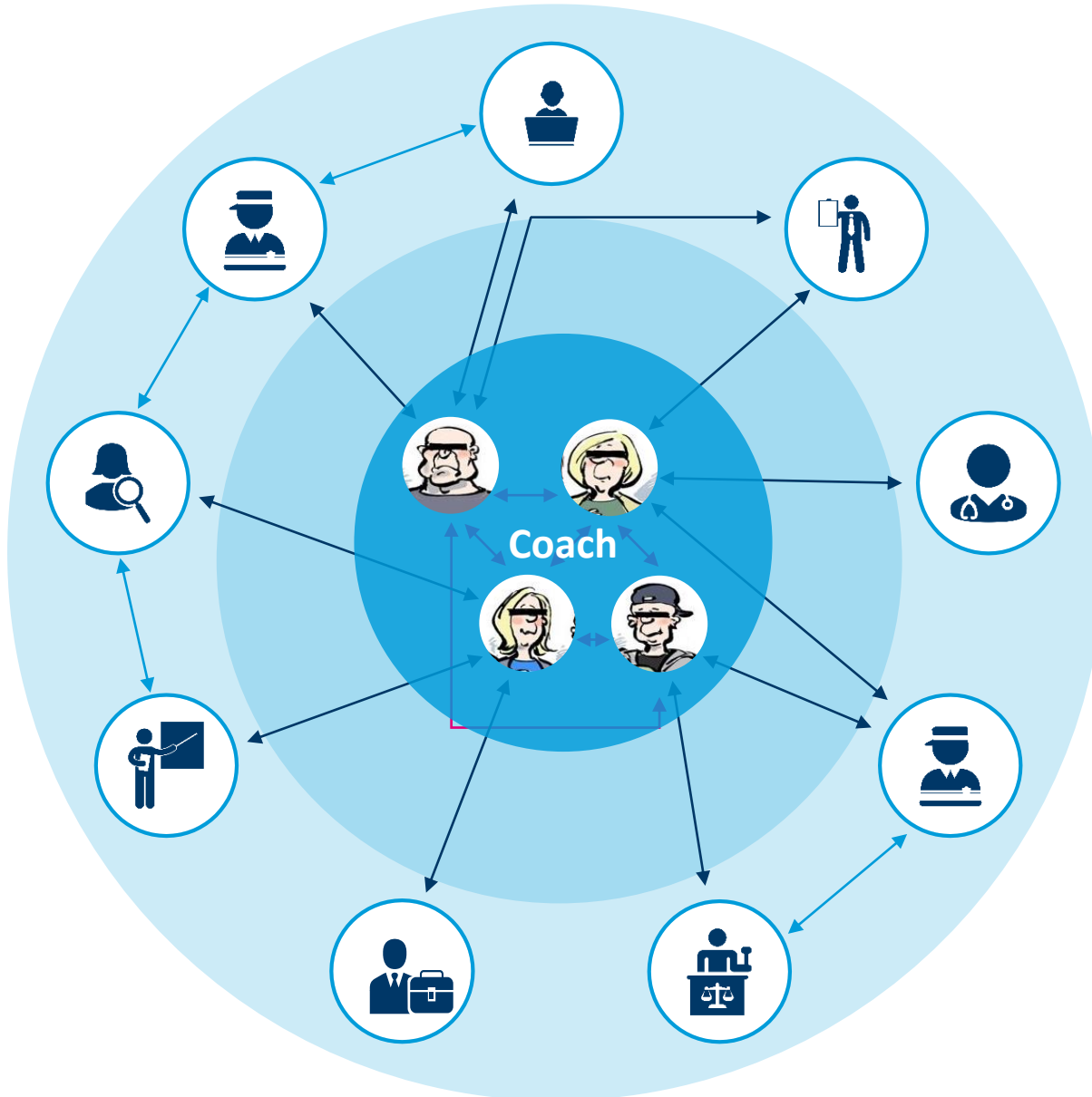


- Prevention of intergenerational transmission of involvement in organised crime
- Voluntary exit program
 - Focus on children
- Target group





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Evolution of the project



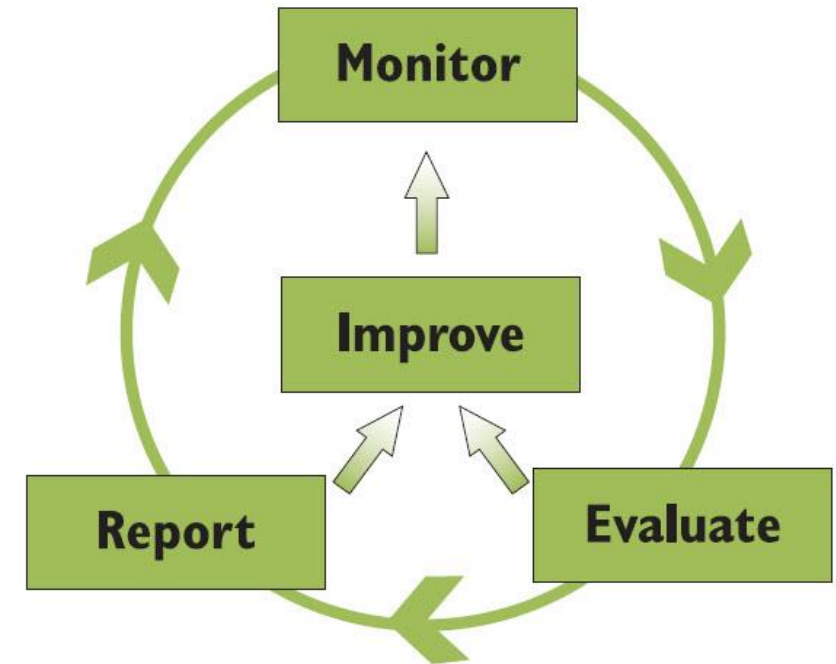
- Regular interventions yielded insufficient durable results
- Experimental pilot coaching program
- Part of Prevention with Authority
 - Structural financing
 - Intensified collaboration with police force
 - Professionalisation
- Organisation
 - Small team determining strategy
 - Independent coaches
 - Room for mistakes & support by management and mayor





Evaluation of the project

- Monitoring progress on case level
 - Self-Sufficiency Matrix (SSM)
 - Interviews family members
 - Biweekly meetings with coaches
- Evaluation project
 - Internal evaluation
 - External evaluation by Tilburg University
 - Interviews stakeholders, SSM-data, field lab & observations
- Difficulties
 - Objectivity
 - Durable changes visible in next generation
 - What have we prevented?





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