



Project title: **Special Program SIGNIFICANT BLUE.**

Main theme:

Safety of persons with intellectual disabilities and / or multiple disabilities and those who interact with them.

Project purpose and outcome (in two sentences):

1. Raise awareness and train professionals from organizations in the area of disability and rehabilitation to a culture of prevention of violence and abuse against persons with disabilities;
2. To sensitize the elements of the PSP to the problem of disability and the need for special protection of persons with disabilities; and
3. Promote inter-institutional cooperation between the PSP and the field of disability and rehabilitation.

Project submitter (Member State):

Portugal

Project leader(s):

Public Security Police

Project partner(s):

National Federation of Social Solidarity Cooperatives (FENACERCI), National Institute for Rehabilitation, IP (INR) and the National Confederation of Solidarity Institutions (CNIS).

Project description (max. 150 words):

The Special Program SIGNIFICANT BLUE is a nationwide project that aims to promote the safety of persons with intellectual disabilities and / or multiple disabilities and those who interact with them, and as three phases:

1. Training:

- a) Provide training to LEA of PSP, making them aware of the problems of people with disabilities and the need for special protection; and



- b) Provide training for professional organizations in the area of disability and rehabilitation, procedures and information necessary for the preparation of socio-criminal diagnosis and evidence-gathering.

2. Implementation:

- a) Promote local partnerships with the organizations of intellectual disability field and / or multiple disabilities, by entering into local protocols; and
- b) Name privileged interlocutors to interact with organizations in the field.

3. Development and Evaluation:

- a) Implementing awareness-raising actions directed to employees of partner organizations, people with intellectual disabilities and / or multiple disabilities, and family or significant of these.

Objectives project (max. 150 words):

1. Raise awareness and train professionals from organizations in the area of disability and rehabilitation to a culture of prevention of violence and abuse against persons with disabilities;
2. To sensitize the elements of the PSP to the problem of disability and the need for special protection of persons with disabilities;
3. Promote inter-institutional cooperation between the PSP and the field of disability and rehabilitation;
4. Improve service and referral of people with disabilities; and
5. Specialize communication and information for people with disabilities.

Project outcome (max. 150 words):

1. On December 3, 2014 were signed more than 200 local protocols between the institutions in the area of disability and the police stations of the PSP.
2. During 2015, Police officers give 229 awareness-raising actions.

Start and end project:

Start at September 6, 2013, and it has no ending.

Timescales and key milestone dates:

September 6, 2013: First national protocol signed.



December 3, 2014: Second national protocol signed and more than 200 local protocols signed.

December 3, 2015: First evaluation reveals that where made 229 awareness-raising actions.

Funding (total budget and type of funding (e.g. ISEC, EUCPN Fund,...)):

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