ESM-YA Project

Education/Treatment for Young Offenders

Target Groups

- Minors out of compulsory education
- Young adults <21 years old (23 depending on countries)</p>

Potential partners

- Penal institutions hosting detained and convicted minors and/or young adults
- * Closed detention centers for sentenced minors and/or young adults
- * Care services looking after sentenced minors who are not imprisoned
- * Probation services for sentenced minors and young adults
- * Official training units for staffs working in penal environment
- * Pedagogical units for young offenders
- * Actors in the labor market (for young offenders' integration)
- * Public bodies and services for the protection of the youth
- * Juvenile courts

Context

This specific target group mainly failed at school (while some of them never went there) before committing their first offence which brought them to face tribunal and a judge for minors.

A GRUNDTVIG partnership project of five partners showed that, firstly, a variety of staffs (not directly involved in education) are in regular contact with this target group and that, secondly, there are alternative measures to imprisonment which must be considered as a new chance to escape from reoffending.

Work packages to be experimented / axes of research

- Diagnostic survey about target groups
- Interdisciplinary cooperation
- Mental health in regard of young offenders
- Alternative measures to avoid imprisonment
- Reintegration and recidivism (methodologies)
- Indicators and Protocols Recommendations



GRUNDTVIG Multilateral project 2013-2015 Partners' researching

Today's potential partners: CY - ES - FR - LV

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