



Protection and care for trafficked minors and young adults for a better recovery from their traumatic experiences and integration into society

CHALLENGE

N.E.x.T. TO YOU is designed by a multi-stakeholder consortium made of civil society and local governmental authorities from 4 Member States: Italy, Belgium, France and Spain.

Its aim is to strengthen the early identification and effective integration of third-country national minors and young adult victims of human trafficking.

Specific needs, age, sex and consequences of the form of exploitation are taken into account to find sustainable solutions to prevent re-trafficking.

2020-2022 GENERAL RESULTS

- Enhanced capacity to detect trafficked children;
- Direct support to 140 minors and young adults for their socio-economic empowerment and inclusion;
- Increased resilience to overcome trauma, cultural shock and other psychological consequences of exploitation that hinder safe and meaningful integration paths.

The methodology comes from a **multidisciplinary** approach. It will be focused on **co-construction** between professionals and the beneficiaries involved.

OBJECTIVES OF THE PROJECT

- **Building capacity on early identification** of trafficked minors and young adults;
- **Removing obstacles of integration** providing psychosocial and individual ethno-psychological support;
- **Enhancing socio-economic integration** focusing on the **empowerment** of the victims;
- **Improving transnational cooperation** strengthening the competences of the social workers through the exchange of best practices.



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