

Raport narativ privind realizarea proiectului

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Denumirea organizației: Women Law Centre

Denumirea proiectului:

Capacity building of the National Coalition “Life without violence” and its members

Scopul și obiectivele proiectului:

Support the sustainability of the Coalition and its development for enabling its further operation and advancement which requires strong members, in both capacities, as individual organizations and constituents. Under the current project the specific objectives relate to the external assessment of the Coalition, identifying and further addressing specific needs for the consolidation and strengthening the Coalition, and ensuring capacity building of its members through targeted trainings.

Activități realizate:

(Descrieți pe scurt fiecare din activitățile realizate în perioada de raportare, indicând date exacte, conținutul evenimentelor și concluzii în urma realizării activităților, indicând numărul anexelor care confirmă realizarea activităților)

- ✓ Developing the questionnaire for the needs assessment of members which comprises evaluation of the institutional and functional capacities of members, appropriateness of their setup for addressing the gender-based violence and needs of its survivors and, to some extent, assessing the adequacy of services provided to their beneficiaries and development of relevant specific recommendations. The survey was developed by the external consultants and based on WAVE¹ questionnaire and designed to have a comparative analysis with Capacity Gap Analysis report from 2014.

The survey was developed and adjusted according to the comments of the coordinator and members who piloted it. It is supposed to be sent to members and completed in November-December 2019. The results of the survey will be included in the Needs assessment report and serve as a baseline for the development of the capacity building plan and addressing needs and gaps of members through specific activities such as, mentorships, internships, project based activities, targeted trainings organized by the Coalition and other relevant stakeholders, etc.

Link:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1jH81uWFIPYxQVcpfbi3tw1mqQKHN8pQToDwvPUVg7bw/viewform?edit_requested=true

- ✓ Conducting trainings for psychologists working with victims of gender based, including

sexual violence for enhancing their proficiency of acting as the first specialists with whom victims interact as well as preparing a team of national trainers able to design and conduct training sessions for different groups of professionals in gender-based violence and sexual assault field, including supervision sessions for therapists.

Two - days training sessions for 16 psychologists and psychotherapists have been conducted in the reference period. The training the course addressed in depth gender-based violence and sexual violence stereotypes, therapeutic communication and interaction patterns, dysfunctional and functional models, personal boundaries and efficient methods of the therapeutic intervention, as well as working with trauma and intersectionality. The results showed that the knowledge and practical experience of the participants increased significantly. As a result, they have started to apply the gained skills and knowledge in their daily work. In particular, Ina Gradinaru/ Maternal Centre from Drochia used new methods in the trainings of the multidisciplinary teams, Irina Coslet/ Maternal Centre Hincesti delivered a self-care and burning out training for the staff, Svetlana Lupu/Daily Centre from Ocnita applied new approaches in cases of sexual abuse, Victoria Captari/Chisinau - for women from prisons, etc.) Moreover, as a result of building themselves as a group, the participants agreed on further mutual support and organizing a group of psychotherapists for handling difficult cases and interact via intervision sessions.

Annexes:

- Agenda and list of participants from 20 – 22 March 2019;
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 - Questionnaire for the assessment of the results;
 - Final report (has to be delivered).
- ✓ Support to the process of collecting and processing the statistical data and development of the statistical analytical report for 2017.

The process of collecting data, based on unique indicators started in 2018 when members discussed and agreed indicators and survey. It was obvious that collecting data and developing a report will require a technical assistance from a consultant since not all members had the experience of collecting data or even did not have their own data base. Thus, statistical analytical report for 2017, including a set of recommendations for further data collection processes, was developed and presented to members and adjusted according to their comments. The report showed the dynamic of the violence and beneficiaries, the gaps including in terms of services provided and institutional capacities such as, lack of common understanding of content of services and insufficient information among members about type of services and beneficiaries, lack of services for targeted groups of beneficiaries (women with disabilities, elderly women, etc.), competitiveness between members in terms of having more numbers, insufficient knowledge about hot line in North and South regions.

The finding of the report will serve for further capacity building in this sense for members who will require assistance, as well as for developing an internal referral mechanism.

Annexes: Statistical analytical report on 2017

- ✓ Assessment by international consultants of current institutional and functional capacities

of the Coalition in terms of specific challenges and opportunities for improving the framework, inter-relationship framework and engagement of members;

The consultancy was initiated by the coordinator of the Coalition as one of the urgent and crucial steps to ensure the sustainability and advancement of the Coalition as one of the key actors in movement for women rights. The field mission of two weeks included extensive open-ended interviews with each coalition member separately in their working environment/locations, several meetings with the secretariat of the Coalition and one non-member organisation.

The findings of the assessment suggested in the report have identified structural problems, gaps, needs, and other relevant issues which to be addressed in the short and long-term perspective for securing functionality and increase of efficiency of the Coalition and resultant support of women rights domain and movement. The report is to be translated and sent to all members and discussed at the General Assembly meeting. Based on its findings and recommendations, necessary steps and measures have to be prioritized and planned.

Annexes:

Initial Report on Strengthening the National Coalition “Life without violence” Moldova, April 2019. Authors: Sandra Ljubinkovic, Almut Rochowanski

Beneficiarii direcți și indirecti:

(Descrieți pe scurt grupurile de beneficiari direcți și indirecti ai proiectului și cum au beneficiat în urma activităților realizate)

The direct beneficiaries are representatives of the member-organizations, leaders, professionals (psychologists) and women and children, victims of gender based violence by means of benefiting from their enhanced capacities.

Realizările majore înregistrate de la începutul implementării proiectului până în prezent:

One of the biggest achievements is the assessment of the Coalition and its member organisations which is unique in this sense and will help to consolidate and advance the women support framework in a difficult and patriarchal context of the Republic of Moldova. The identified weaknesses and shortcomings and proposed solutions will contribute to its consolidation.

Secondly, the advanced training course for psychologists and psychotherapists is the first one in this sense and serves preparing future certified trainers and development of the national programme for these professionals. Moreover, the training besides of providing, strengthening developing knowledge and skills consolidated the partnerships between them and further joint activities.

Dificultățile întâmpinate în realizarea proiectului:

Time and financial constraints affecting implementation of all initially planned activities;

- ✓ Complexity and scope of Coalition activities, in addition to the current project, and lack of dedicated human resources.