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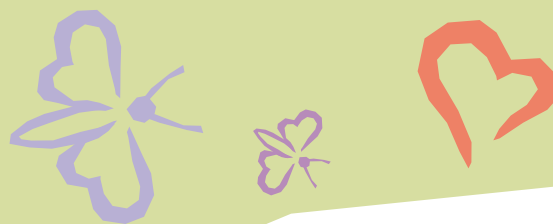
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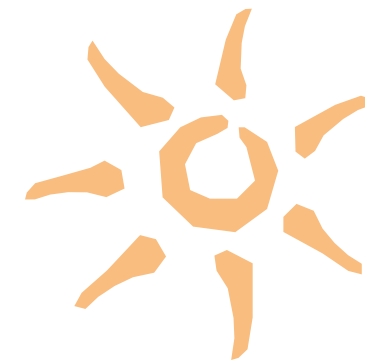
The County School Inspectorates, schools and Social Assistance and Child Protection County Departments in eight counties: Argeș, București, Caraș - Severin, Constanța, Dâmbovița, Dolj, Hunedoara, Timiș

Results:

- **522** children enrolled in the project:
 - **175** children with mothers working abroad
 - **194** children with fathers working abroad
 - **153** children with both parents working abroad



- we have a clear image of the phenomenon of children with parents working abroad in the eight counties where we carry out our activities
- a methodology for providing support to children with parents working abroad, through after school centers
- 522 children involved in school support and school counseling activities
- 464 children were involved in leisure time activities such as: excursions, camps, visits to tourist attractions, rides, competitions on various themes
- 426 children participated in group and individual counseling sessions
- 346 children have improved their communication with their parents, via internet, using the computers from the centers
- 386 members of the children's families participated in monthly meetings where the problems they had were discussed and analyzed with teachers, psychologists and the project assistant and solutions were identified
- 8 local working groups comprised of representatives of the local authorities with responsibilities in the area of child protection were constituted and are functional
- 16 press conferences organized at local level to promote the project and to raise awareness on the "children left at home phenomenon"
- over 40,000 persons were informed about the project and the phenomenon of children left at home alone, as a result of their parents' economic migration



WE GROW UP TOGETHER





What...

We offer support to children with parents working abroad.

Why...

The overall objective of the project is to diminish the negative impact on Romanian children generated by their parents' economic migration.

Specific objectives

1. To identify children at risk due to their parents' migration to Italy or other European countries.
2. To create several programs aimed at offering school support, school counseling and social counseling for children.
3. To develop leisure time programs, to facilitate the socialization between children and to ensure the permanent communication with parents from abroad.
4. To develop support and counseling programs for children's relatives or for other persons that take care of the children whose parents are abroad.

For whom...

For preschool children and school children from eight counties in Romania with one or both parents working abroad.

How...

Afterschool centers in eight counties in Romania.

We study the phenomenon of children left at home alone due to their parents' economic migration, in the counties where we carry out our activities.

We have created local working groups in partnerships with schools and local authorities in the eight counties, to advocate and create better services for children with parents working abroad.

We have a clear methodology of working with children through the 'after school' program, taking into consideration their special needs.

We develop daily activities with and for children.

We offer school support and school counseling activities.

We organize art therapy, games, sport and leisure time activities.

We organize excursions, camps, visits to tourist attractions, rides, sporting competitions on various themes.

We offer individual and group psychological counseling sessions.

We ensure children's communication with their parents abroad through Internet, using the centers' computers.

We offer support to parents and caregivers through parenting programs.

We have a large number of volunteers: teachers, parents and children who are involved in the project activities.

We provide information, carry out studies and develop activities to raise awareness on the phenomenon of children left at home alone due to their parents' economic migration.

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