

SUPER **SUPporting Everyday fight against Racism**

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Coordinator: Municipality of Torino

Partners:

1. Municipality of Bologna (IT)
2. Municipality of Reggio Emilia (IT)
3. Associazione Altera (IT)
4. Fondazione Mondo Insieme (IT)

Goals

The SUPER project stems from the need to combat racial discrimination, racism and hate crimes motivated by it and to increase the impact and effectiveness of the relevant EU legal framework, whose insufficient transposition into national law and lack of awareness and knowledge among key actors (politicians, administrators, law enforcement agencies and potential victims). SUPER is a three-phase project, involving training activities for law enforcement officers, civil servants, local police and community leaders, the construction of Local Action Plans for the three participating cities and facilitating the process of defining the National Action Plan against racism, xenophobia and hate crimes.

Activities

The activities envisaged for the first phase are the “training of trainers” on racial discrimination and hate crimes and the development of specific training modules for police officers, public prosecutor's office officials, civil servants, members of local communities, activists of civil society organisations. The second phase envisages the development, implementation or revision (depending on the city) of Local Action Plans against racism, xenophobia and hate crimes that ensure an approach to improve the capacity of the system (between law enforcement, public officials and civil society) to prevent, investigate, and prosecute crimes and to support victims. The three cities will be the subject of a context and needs analysis (territorial mapping) following which “community events” will be held to design institutional mechanisms to increase reporting, denouncing and ensuring support for victims of discrimination. During the third phase, a meeting with national and international representatives in the field (High Level Meeting) will be organised to present the proposal for the National Action Plan.

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