

MINUTES FOURTH MEETING PROVIDE CONSORNIUM IN PARIS

On July 3rd, the fourth Provide Consortium Meeting took place at the FIAP conference room in Paris.

At meeting were present:

Ignazia Bartholini for *Unipa*;

Lia Lombardi, Valeria Alliata, Chiara Dalla Valle and Matteo Moscatelli for the *ISMU*;

Marie Chuberre e Julia Tran Thann per *Samu Social International*;

Marianella Lippi Re e Elisa Re per *Oxfam*;

Giulia Dakli e Alessandra Barone per *Telefono Donna*;

Belén Agrela e Beatriz Montes per *UJA*;

Francisco Lara e Juana María Parra Molina per *Aseis Lagarto*.

After the initial greetings of Ignazia Bartholini e Marie Marie Chuberre (meeting organizer), the topics on the agenda are dealt with according to the established order (*see annex n.1*).

1. Presentation of the reports on training courses

The reports describing the development of training courses on “Expert Practitioners on Violence of Proximity”, held in the five geographical areas of the Provide partners are then presented with slides presentatio: Ismu for the Lombardy region, Oxfam for the Tuscany region, Telefono Donna for the Lombardy Region, Unipa for western Sicily, Samu international for the "Paris region" and UJA for the region of Andalusia (*see annex nn. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7-8*).

All courses held had a large number of participants and the requests for participation generally exceeded those available in all course editions.

Partner Istitution/Organization	Course Location	N. Editions	N. Registered People
UNIPA	Trapani, Palermo, Agrigento	3	102
ISMU	Milano, Bergamo, Brescia, Cremona	5	356
OXFAM	Firenze	2	35
Telefono Donna	Milano Bresso, Lecco	2	71
SAMU	Paris	2	50
UJA	Jaén, Granada, Córdoba	2	80

During the courses and at the end of them,

- video-lessons on specific lessons are been realised,
- all teaching materials were published on website of each Organization and were available for download only to partecipants;

- a final certificate of attendance declaring the whole amount of time was distributed to each participant;
- some Regional Social Workers Association (of Lombardy, Sicily and Tuscany) allowed to provide course credits for social workers attending the Provide training course;
- in Spain, Consejo de Gobierno (Government Council at UJA) has approved and formalised the course' editions on "Expert Practitioners on Violence od Proximity" and an Official Diploma, certified by the University of Jaén, was distributed to participants.

2. Presentation of the reports on Questionnaires (one contact person for the teams involved)

The reports attesting the evaluation of the satisfaction of the courses and the impact on the professional training of the participants in the same editions of the courses were then presented (*see annex nn. 9, 10, 11, 12, 13*). The still partial results of the ex ante and ex post questionnaires describe:

- utility,
- interest and participation,
- organization and services level of satisfaction,
- teaching materials satisfaction,

Overall the course, as it was designed, was judged very positively.

After extensive discussion, it was decided to also collect the follow-up questionnaires, delegating to a control room made up of only some of the participating partners the overall assessment of the questionnaires in order to facilitate the work of the partner groups that do not have a monitoring expert.

3. Guidelines 2° Book Provide (principal investigator)

Ignazia Bartholini describes the main problems that the reference of the first volume highlighted (*see annex n. 14*):

Terminological confusion (Gender based violence is not Proximity Violence);

Discrepancies in the research setting;

Basic research is neither the search for the universe nor the search for the village, bur a context research.

More specifically:

One chapter are neither cohesive nor coherent;

One chapter is too ambitious in basic research and does not address the issue of proximity violence;

Two Chapters appear as reports of the best practices of particular organization.

Ignazia Bartholini explains to colleagues that she will personally take care of the volume by making the necessary adjustments for publication.

She asks colleagues to indicate possible titles as an alternative to those she outlined. Giulia Salvino proposes the following:

- Proximity Violence in Migration Times. A Mediterranean Research
- Proximity Violence in Migration Times in Italy, Spain and France: A Mediterranean Research
- Proximity Violence in Migration Times in the Mediterranean Region: A Focus on Italy, Spain and France

Principal investigator, as already mentioned during the previous meeting held in Trapani in February, proposes to publish the results of the monitoring in a book that collects in its first part the experiences related to training courses and in the second part the results of the monitoring (*see annex n. 15*). In consideration of the effort that this project envisages, it is decided to delegate the supervision of the monitoring and the elaboration of the chapters of the volume dedicated to it by researchers (Gaetano Gucciardo, Lia Lombardi, Matteo Moscatelli, Rafaela Pascoal) of the partner groups.

For this reason, the principal investigator considers it appropriate to indicate the maximum delivery time for August 10 of the replies on the questionnaires to the group that forms the control room for monitoring (with the exception of the report on the follow up questionnaires). The group that will deal with the writing of the chapters of the first part of the second book (Bartholini, Lombardi, Di Rosa) on the other hand, can now decide how to plan their work.

4. Draft final conference

Principal investigator describes to the project partners the outline of the conference that will take place, as agreed at the last meeting of the febbraio, on 17 and 18 December in Palermo (*see annex n. 16*).

It will host:

2 conferences of international experts:

- “Proximity violence, An International Overview” (Opening Session);
- “Migration and Proximity Violence” (Closing Session).

3 round tables that will present the results of the research through the same referents as the partner groups and expert discussants initiated in order to comment all the research’ PROVIDE results:

- Provide Training: the quality of the courses....
- Assessment of Provide Training Courses....
- Presentation of the Toolkit and Operational Guidelines.
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1 presentation of the web sites of Provide project.

The speakers indicated in the draft were all officially invited. The principal investigator now asks the partners to confirm the guests from their suggestion of any new suggestions of speakers.

The final conference will also use a translation service in Spanish and in English.

5. Communications from European Offices and other communications

Principal investigator reports to colleagues about the results of the mission to Brussels to which she was invited along with Lia Lombardi (Ismu) and Rafaela Pascoal (Unipa). During the conference, the PROVIDE delegation met with Brunhilde Rack (financial representative of the project) and with Carla Pambianco

(expert referent on the themes of the project) and with them highlighted some strengths of the project which, for the number of researchers present, leaves hope in excellent editorial products.

Ignazia Bartholini informs that the reports of Aseis and Badia Grande concerning the activities of these last months will be distributed among PROVIDE partners (*see annex nn. 17 and 18*).

6. Agenda for the coming months

Finally, the principal investigator arranges the final agenda (*see annex n. 19*).

Nothing else to add, the skype meeting closes at 17.00.

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