About the Project

European Union of Supported Employment Toolkit for Diversity Project is funded under the EU Leonardo da Vinci Transfer of Innovation Programme. The project was developed from EUSE Supported Employment Toolkit (funded under EU Leonardo Partnership Programme) which highlighted the need to adapt the Supported Employment model for people from other disadvantaged groups.

The Supported Employment Toolkit contains a series of practical “How to Guides” to assist people with disabilities to access and stay in employment in the open labour market.

Aim and Objectives of the Project

Aim:-

“To transfer and adapt the EUSE Supported Employment Toolkit to four regional cluster groups of Europe for people from a disadvantaged situation other than people with disabilities”

Objectives:-

- To conduct a needs analysis in each of the partner states regarding the economic exclusion of specific disadvantaged groups
- To review the Supported Employment Toolkit ensuring its applicability to specific disadvantaged groups
- To customise the Supported Employment Toolkit to meet the needs of the specific disadvantaged groups for the 4 regional cluster groups
- To test the Supported Employment Toolkit with at least forty-eight organisations interested in or delivering Supported Employment
- To translate the Supported Employment Toolkit into partners languages
- To deliver capacity building training to all partners to enable them to deliver training on the toolkit to twenty-four organisations
- To agree minimum standards for the delivery of the training
- To conduct an external and internal evaluation of the project
- To agree a sustainability strategy for the project
The project will adapt the Supported Employment Toolkit for the specific groups:-

- Ex-offenders
- Young school leavers
- People recovering from substance abuse

### Project Partners

- Northern Ireland Union of Supported Employment (Lead Partner)
- Dachverband Berufliche Integration, Austria,
- Rytmus, Czech Republic
- Status Employment, England
- Kiiplula Foundation, Finland
- Theotokos Foundation, Greece
- Irish Association of Supported Employment, Ireland
- Skinner Cooperativa Sociale, Italy
- Associação Portuguesa de Emprego Apoiado, Portugal
- Asociación Española de Empleo con Apoyo, Spain
- Activa, Sweden
- Supported Employment Schweiz, Switzerland

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