

Partner' Information Form

Application Organisation

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Profile

Type of Organisation	Association
Is your organisation a public body?	No
Is your organisation a non-profit?	Yes

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Background and Expertise

Please briefly present your organization (e.g., its type, size, scope of work, areas of specific expertise, specific social context and, if relevant, the quality system used).

NoGap is a not-for-profit association established in Orvieto, Italy, in the Umbria Region start up by a group of professionals working on complementary sectors (psychotherapy, development cooperation, social works, art). The main objective of NoGap is the reintegration into society of people in dual diagnosis (mental health and addictions) with a special lens on the gender aspects resulting on triple vulnerability.

The organization was set up in continuity to the Lahuén community (<https://www.comunitalahuen.it>), a psychotherapy community among the first in Italy to treat psychic pathologies and deviances such as alcoholism and drug addictions, according to a community and not a psychiatric clinic model designing with them programs for the families and the clients. At the moment hosting 40 youth.

NOGap:

- Offers free therapeutic monthly sessions to youth hosted in the Lahuén Community and their families
- Supports other organizations in planning of interventions in Italy as well as abroad
- Explores the potentialities of social and inclusive entrepreneurship especially through Social Agriculture / Horticulture / Gardening / Social Kitchen
- Applies art (Theatre and Music) with the aim of fostering critical thinking on inclusion/dual diagnosis/ and develop educational activities



- Undertakes research and professionals' interventions aimed at exploring the world of vulnerabilities / commonalities among them / emotional dependence / therapeutic treatments
- Engages in international collaborations and projects to develop new tools / methodologies / approaches for learning and inclusion and lifelong learning for professionals

What are the activities and experience of your organization in the areas relevant for this project? What are the skills and/or expertise of key persons involved in this project?

The NoGap Team is constituted by a multi – disciplinary Equipe of psychotherapist of different schools working through the integrated-art and mindfulness approaches; social workers experienced on socio-economic integration of vulnerable subjects having collaborated with private and public entities on rehabilitation and insertion; professionals of the development cooperation sector and of the artistic sector (art therapy and music).

Fabiana Manco (President): Master's degree in psychology. Since 2014, she is a Psychotherapist, specialized in Existential psychoanalysis trained in EMDR (Eye movement desensitization and reprocessing) a form of psychotherapy in which the person being treated is asked to recall distressing images and included in several evidence-based guidelines for the treatment of post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD). She is working since 2010 in the private health care sector, with dual diagnosis patients.

Simona Formica (Vice-President): MSC in social entrepreneurship at the Plymouth University, since 2020 she is a volunteering anti-violence centers' worker recognized by the Equal opportunities Center of the Umbria Region (Italy). Since 2009 she has been managing and planning European and International projects through different funds (EuropeAid, Italian Agency for Development Cooperation - AICS; AMIF, Erasmus + among the main). She has been working in the Balkans Regions, Latin America, European countries especially on projects focused on supporting development of marginal areas and communities.

Simona Granieri (Trainer): senior social workers. She has been working for the Psycho- Socio - Health Cooperative and the international social services in Rome and since more than 20 years she works accompanying families and vulnerable persons in the access to social rights.

Fabrizio Proietti Gaffi (Trainer): Psychologist and Counselor. For more than 20 years he has been working in the field of psycho-social and health assistance. He works through expressive workshops in the field of integrated arts therapies. A musician, composer and guitarist. He works coordinating theater and choir workshops.

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