Why Participate in the Network?

Because even a small contribution plays a major role in the effort to eliminate violence!

How Can I Participate?

- Be informed
- Disseminate your announcements and activities (info@antiviolence-net.eu)
- Collaborate with us at the following level(s)
 - scientific
 - social intervention
 - political and policy intervention
- Become a member*
- Adopt a social intervention of the Network

To create your profile regarding how you would like to participate, or to become a member of the European Anti-Violence Network, please visit our site at: www.antiviolence-net.eu.

* Both Individuals and Organisations may register as members of the Network, provided that their field of interest relates either directly or indirectly with the aims of the Network.

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Vision and Mission

The European Anti-Violence Network's vision is that of a society that succeeds not only in preventing abuse of the majority of its members, but also one that cares for, supports and rehabilitates those that have been abused; a society with:

- sensitised, active citizens, with zero tolerance for all types of violence
- children and adolescents free of stereotypes, who have developed attitudes and opinions that aren't consistent with the role of "victim" or "batterer", but also not that of a passive bystander
- professionals in the fields of Education, Health and Social Services, and Public Order and Justice, to be sensitised and fully trained in screening and effectively treating cases of violence and for implementing preventive interventions
- essential services that support high risk families as well as supporting and rehabilitating victims of violence
- media that assists in prevention activities
- politicians who have the political will that is needed for developing and enforcing policies for prevention and eradication of all types of violence

The European Anti-Violence Network was established with the aim of contributing to sensitising and educating professionals, citizens and politicians, as well as exerting political pressure in all directions in order to strengthen prevention efforts. The main goals of the Network also include the networking of existing institutions and their cooperative actions.

Foundation and Administration

The European Anti-Violence Network, is a non-profit, non-governmental organization, founded in November 2006, with its headquarters based in Athens, Greece, (Reg. No in the Greek Court of the First Instance: 16315/31-10-2006).

The Network is managed by the General Assembly, which consists of all of the Network's members and is the highest administrative body of the Network, the Board of Directors and the Auditing Committee.

Activities

The Network's activities include the design and implementation of research, educational or other scientific activities aimed at primary, secondary or tertiary prevention of violence by means of the investigation of and/or confronting of social or other factors that are directly or indirectly related to violence phenomenon. More specifically, the Network carries out its mission through activities such as:

- Networking organizations combating violence
- Designing and conducting research
- Developing educational and sensitisation material
- Designing, implementing and evaluating informational and awareness raising activities
 - Designing and implementing interventions
- Evaluating interventions
- Conducting Educational Workshops addressed to:
 - Health and Mental Health Care Professionals
 - Social Scientists and Social Workers
 - Educators and Special Education Teachers
 - Public Order Officials
 - Judicial and Legal Professionals
- Exerting political pressure