



# A year of transformation and impact

Report and Social Balance 2024



# We transform lives from a model referring to the third sector

## ABD Group

The ABD Group Welfare and Development Association is a non-profit organization that, for more than 40 years, has been working to reduce inequalities and social and health vulnerability. Through a wide network of services and programs, we intervene in different areas of social action, such as drug addiction care, mental health, childhood, family, gender equality, dependency, aging, intellectual disability, poverty, social exclusion and the fight against climate change.

We are a benchmark in the third sector for our commitment to comprehensive and community care, effective management and the defense of social rights.

## Vision

We are a promoter and reference entity of a third sector model characterized by:

- **Proven and certified ethical values in dealing with people, groups, communities and administration.**
- **A model of attention:**
  - **Comprehensive:** biological, psychological, social and educational.
  - **Community:** with and in the community through the family and the environment, achieving active membership with rights and duties.
- **A healthy economy and efficient management of programs with public and private funds that allows social investment.**

## Mission

We create and manage projects and services focused on people and communities to facilitate empowerment and strengthen their active role in generating social equality and personal and collective well-being.

## Values

- **Social commitment and defense of rights**
- **Creativity, innovation and quality**
- **Ethics, transparency and accountability**
- **Pluralism**
- **Professionalism**

# We transform communities through commitment, uniqueness and social innovation

## Recognition

- **Volunteering Award for Energy Control:** Recognition for damage reduction initiatives.
- **More than 100 local, regional, national and international platforms participate.**
- **574 appearances** in the media.

## Global incidence

- We participate in **18 international projects.**
- We have **special consultative status** with the Economic and Social Council of the **United Nations.**
- We are an **entity certified** for the achievement of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.

## Social commitment

- We celebrate the **30th anniversary of the CAMS** program: A milestone in the support of people with HIV.
- **We face challenges** such as the aging population, the digital divide of the elderly, child poverty and gender inequalities.
- **Cooltorise** and **Climate Ready Barcelona** demonstrate how awareness and the use of technology are key to **combating energy poverty** and addressing climate change in a comprehensive way.

## Diversification

- **We strengthen health and well-being promotion services and prevention of risky behaviors with the integration of the PDS Association.**
- **We strengthen care services** for victims of gender-based violence.
- **We are expanding the territorial coverage** of child and family care services in Castile and León.

## Permanent innovation

- **Catalonia Impacta Award for 'ATENEA':** Recognized for its application of artificial intelligence for the care of the elderly.
- **Consolidation of 'La Botiga':** Three years as a benchmark for the social transformation of free food distribution services.
- **We promote studies and projects that amplify the impact** of interventions, such as the **Care4Trauma** program, to improve support for survivors of gender-based violence.





# We impact from proximity



## Family support

- Inauguration of **Azalea**, a new work-life balance space for families in Madrid.
- The **Mediacyl Centers** of the Regional Government of Castile and León are celebrating their 1st year serving nearly 400 families.

- **27,035** families in individual, family, group and community care spaces.



## Stigmas

- 5 years of the **Jardí Fènix**: Promoting the employment of people in drug addiction treatment through agroecology.
- 30th anniversary of **CAMS**: A milestone in supporting people with HIV.

- In the last year, more than **60** people in treatment and more than **200** people from the metropolitan area have passed through the **Jardí Fènix** to enjoy the space and community activities.



## Energy poverty

- We are shaping **Meva Energia**, the web app that will advise the citizens of Barcelona on energy consumption.
- We inaugurate the Ombra space installed with **Cooltorise** at the Cruyff Camp Jordi Alba.

- **23,746** energy poverty advice.
- **7** out of **10** households advised have regularized their supplies.



## Child poverty

- With 51 places in the maternal and child **inclusion** apartments, women and their children find a safe space.

- **13,671** children and adolescents treated.
- **1,616** mothers supported in positive parenting programs.



## Discriminations

- With the **Harmonia Day Center** in Terrassa, aimed at cis, trans and non-binary women with difficulties related to substance use. We provide a safe and conducive space for personal development and positive transformation.

- **14,214** young people in workshops on sexual health, addiction prevention, non-violence, co-education, LGTBQIA+.



## Gender-based violence and sexual violence in childhood

- With **CRISS CROSS** we are running a campaign to promote safer leisure spaces.
- Through resources such as **Barnahus** Vilanova i la Geltrú and **CIASI** Madrid we attend to cases of children and adolescents who are victims of sexual violence.

- **3,918** women and daughters and sons treated as victims of gender-based violence.
- Through the European **Lila** project, support has been provided to **103** women survivors of gender-based violence.



## Socio-labor insertion

- We are expanding the guidance and job support teams at **Comunitat Activa**.

- **765** people on personalized social and labor insertion itineraries.
- Our services have an **80%** success rate of insertion in highly complex groups.
- **13** people have worked at ABD reconnecting with the labor market thanks to the **ESAL Program** of the Employment Service of Catalonia (SOC).



"Today I am useful,  
I learn and I help. This  
makes me happy."  
**Isidro**

"Looking for a job with  
support keeps me excited  
and energized."  
**Miguel**

"I have found a place  
where helping is also  
healing."  
**Montse**

"My strength comes from  
the support and hope that  
surrounds me."  
**Rosa**

"Listening, sharing  
and learning: this is  
volunteering."  
**Joan**

"The support I received  
has led me to the job I  
dreamed of."  
**Mario**

"Among mothers I feel  
supported and stronger."  
**Mayelin**



# With a global reach



## Housing

- We launch **Home4Health**, an innovative initiative to tackle homelessness and improve social health in Europe.
- **20** social inclusion homes.
- **328** homes with services for the elderly.
- **590** residents.



## Promoting autonomy and dependence

- We consolidate a **model of care for the elderly** based on prevention, community creation and support for individuals and families.
- **201,531** hours of care in home care services.
- **1,398** elderly people receive home care services, residences and housing.



## Addictions

- We incorporate the **Substance Analysis Service** in Supervised Consumption Spaces in Catalonia.
- We participate in civil society networks such as **FCD, UNAD, Correlation, RIOD** and **NEWNet**.
- **8,172** people in treatment programs for substance dependence.
- **33,058** people in prevention services for alcohol and other drug consumption.



## Unwanted loneliness and the digital divide among older people

- Catalonia Impacta Award for **ATENEA**: Recognized for its AI application that improves care for the elderly.
- With **ATENEA** we work to overcome the digital divide and improve the well-being of people in vulnerable situations, taking advantage of digital tools to promote inclusion, reduce unwanted loneliness and improve personal safety.
- **943** elderly people have taken part in community bonding programs and the fight against unwanted loneliness.



## Intellectual disability

- With the **Habilitare Torrent Occupational Center** we participate in the **Self-in project** to improve the quality of life and autonomy of people with intellectual functional diversity.
- **330** people with intellectual disabilities attended to.



## Mental health

- We are part of the **Table of the National Mental Health Pact of the Government of Catalonia**.
- We participate in the Study Commission on mental health and addictions of the **Parliament of Catalonia**.
- **124** people in mutual support groups or psychological care.



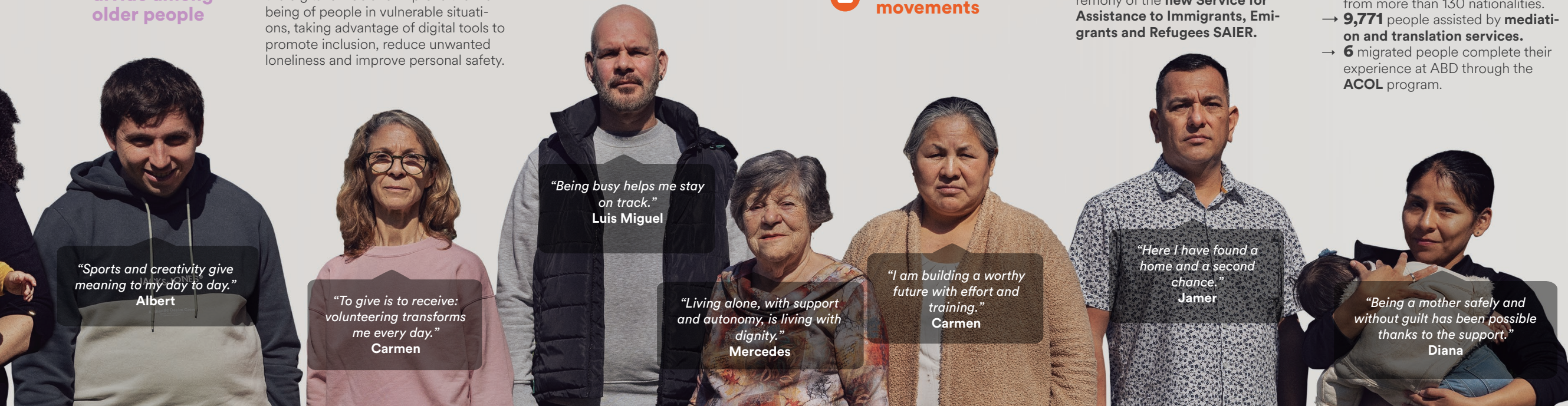
## Community support and volunteering

- **Next Generation's** support to give impetus to a new community model of food security ends.
- Volunteering Award for **Energy Control**: Recognition for damage reduction activities.
- **495** people trained at the Volunteer School.
- **15,619** hours of volunteering.



## Migratory movements

- We attended the opening ceremony of the **new Service for Assistance to Immigrants, Emigrants and Refugees SAIER**.
- **27,426** migrant people attended to from more than 130 nationalities.
- **9,771** people assisted by **mediation and translation services**.
- **6** migrated people complete their experience at ABD through the **ACOL** program.



# Let's join forces for positive change

**We network** with more than **100 organizations and platforms** from the administration and the Third Sector, we have the solidarity of more than **30 collaborating companies** and we collaborate with more than **10 universities and innovation** and knowledge centers at a local, national and international level.

People Served

**110,965**

Trained People

**18,954**

Services and Programs

**170**

Economic Volume

**31,495,742€**

Political Participation  
and Advocacy Platforms

**130**



Sensitized People

**715,261**

Volunteers and  
Collaborators

**533**

Professional Team

**1,802**

Media Appearances

**574**

Economic Audits

**24**

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