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TECHNICAL DETAILS



Project name: Financial Resources and Education to Empower Domestic Violence Victims (FREE-DVV)

Program and Call: Erasmus+ KA220-ADU Cooperation partnerships in adult education

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Partnership entities: ANAIS (RO), Una Casa Per l'Uomo - UCPU (IT), ABD (ES), The Mediterranean Institute of Gender Studies - MIGS (CY) and Tartu ULIKOOL (Universidad de Tartu) (EE)

Project duration: 01/09/2025 - 31/08/2027

Action Area: Cyprus, Estonia, Italy, Spain and Romania

The FREE project aims to **combat economic violence** by promoting **financial education, and economic autonomy** and independence, **strengthening professional skills and promoting political advocacy** actions to advance towards a comprehensive approach to economic violence.

GENERAL AND SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES

- Address **economic violence** by strengthening the capacities of teams of professionals working with survivors of economic violence.
- Improve **detection, intervention and support in cases of financial abuse** through specialised training, educational resources and advocacy actions.
- Promote **policy advocacy** by encouraging recognition of economic violence in all sectors and improving legal and social responses.
- Ensure **equitable and barrier-free learning** with training and work materials that are accessible, socially and culturally adaptable, and available in multiple formats and languages.

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MAIN ACTIVITIES

- **Design, development and evaluation of a support guide for professionals** dealing with cases of economic violence, with the active participation of 100 professionals.
- **Creation, evaluation and implementation of a free, accredited open online course (MOOC)** by the University of Tartu (Estonia), aimed at professionals.
- **Development and practical evaluation of an interactive online workbook** aimed at survivors of economic violence.
- **Organisation of political advocacy events** with the participation of relevant external entities (institutions, professional networks, civil society organisations, etc.).
- **Preparation and dissemination of a report with policy recommendations** on economic violence at European level with national adaptations.
- **Dissemination of the results and materials generated by the project**, both internally and externally, in their respective institutional, professional and community environments.

EXPECTED RESULTS AND IMPACT

- **Support guide for professionals** dealing with cases of economic violence. Available in the official languages of each participating entity and in English.
- **Interactive online workbook for survivors of economic violence**. Available in the official languages of each participating entity and in English.
- **Free, official, accredited online open course (MOOC)** from the University of Tartu (Estonia) **aimed at professionals** dealing with cases of economic violence and financial empowerment from different fields. Available in the official languages of each participating entity and in English.
- At least **100 professionals from different fields** are trained in economic violence and strategies to address it, and also participate in the design and evaluation of the materials.
- At least **50 survivors of economic violence** (10 per territory) from different socio-economic backgrounds in each territory will use the workbook.
- At least **80% of these survivors** will rate it positively.
- At least **5 national political advocacy events** with a minimum of 25 participants.
- Brief **report of policy recommendations on economic violence** at European level, together with an adaptation to each national context, shared with at least 50 organisations.