# **MEM-TP**

Training Packages for health professionals to improve access and quality of health services for migrant and ethnic minorities including the Roma.

MEM-TP Training Package WP3





WP1 – **Review migrant and ethnic minorities' situation** in the EU and identify common challenges and best practices to feed into the training programmes

WP 2 - Training materials development: review existing training materials

WP 3 – **New training package:** Training programme for health professionals and health care providers to improve access and quality

WP 4 – **Implement ToT and pilot training programmes** (Romania, Slovakia, Poland, Spain, Denmark, Italy)

WP 5 - Finalise the materials, evaluate pilot trainings, and disseminate results





# Timeline of the MEM-TP training programme development





2014		2015				
November	December	January			February	March
24 <sup>th</sup>	22-30 <sup>th</sup>	11 <sup>th</sup>	23 <sup>rd</sup>	28-30 <sup>th</sup>	8 <sup>th</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>
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#### **ESSENTIAL CORE CONTENTS**

**Module 1:** Sensitivity and Awareness of Cultural and Other Forms of Diversity

#### Module 2:

**Knowledge about Migrants, Ethnic Minorities and their Health** 

#### Module 3:

**Professional Skills** 

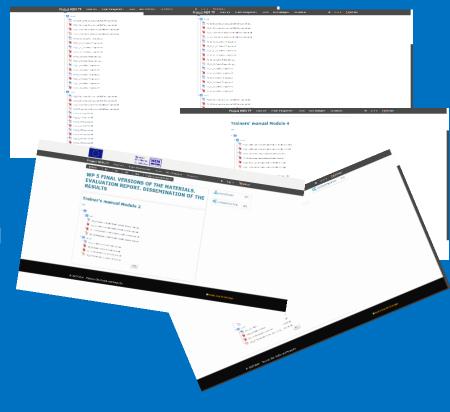
#### Module 4:

**Knowledge Application** 

**Additional module 1: Target groups** 

Additional module 2: Specific health concerns







# **GUIDELINES**



# Ppt PRESENTATIONS

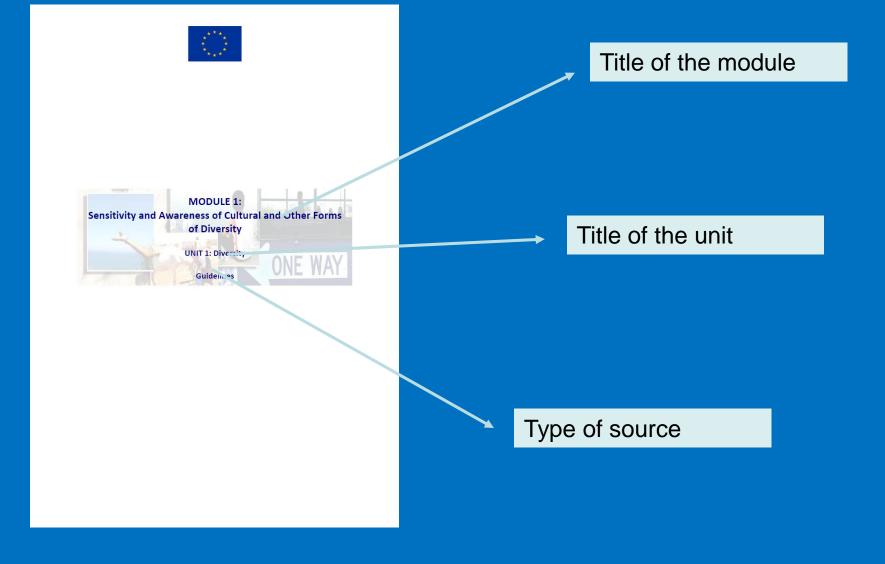


# **ACTIVITY TEMPLATES**













# **MODULE 4: KNOWLEDGE APPLICATION**









#### Module 4, Unit 2, Activity 3:

#### Service Organization and Change Management

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#### Individual activity

Please complete the template, responding to the following aspects:

- List reasons for taking cultural and ethnic diversity into account in your own institutional context.
- Identify relevant stakeholders.
- List potential barriers for the implementation of management changes.
- Identify strategies for introducing a service organization oriented towards cultural and ethnic diversity in your institution.

Reasons for taking cultural and ethnic diversity into account

Relevant stakeholders











# Module 1:

# Sensitivity and Awareness of Cultural and Other Forms of Diversity

#### **Unit 1: Diversity**

#### Objectives of the presentation

To introduce key concepts as

- ethnic groups, minorities, migrants and their background.
- •intersectionality.
- stereotypes and generalisation
- prejudices and discrimination

#### Objectives of the activities

#### To reflect on

Opportunities, difficulties, barriers and strategies for applying the intersectionality concept in the own professional practice, as well as the own social position / trajectory.

#### To open a space for

reflection on strategies against discrimination in health care oriented towards cultural and ethnic diversity.











## Unit 2: Intercultural competence and diversity sensitivity

#### Objectives of the presentation

#### To introduce the concepts of

- •multiculturalism,
- interculturalism,
- •cultural competence,
- •intercultural competence
- diversity sensitivity,
- health promotion
- Health education

#### To provide key elements for

•understanding the influence of cultural backgrounds on the perceptions and behaviours of health professionals and patients.

#### Objectives of the activities

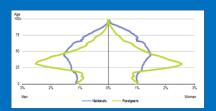
- •To present different concepts related to the topic.
- •To introduce the concept of *Cultural Awareness* and to apply *The Process of Cultural Competence in the Delivery of Healthcare Services Model.*
- •To identify aspects related to the positive contribution of interculturality and sensitivity to diversity.

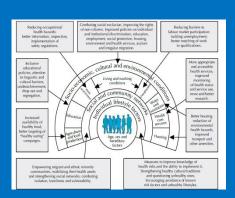


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Figure 3 Population pyramids in Europe: Roma community and the European Union





# Module 2: Knowledge about Migrants, Ethnic Minorities and their Health

Unit 1: Migrants' and ethnic minorities' health problems and health determinants

#### Objectives of the presentation

- •To describe basic **demographic characteristics** of the current migrant population and ethnic minorities.
- •To identify **major trends and health concerns** in the state of health of migrants and ethnic minorities, with focus on chronic diseases, communicable diseases, mental health and reproductive health.

#### Objectives of the activities

•To apply the learnt knowledge to clinical practice.







### Unit 2: Migrants' and ethnic minorities' use of health care

#### Objectives of the presentation

- •To describe the **main patterns of use of health care services** by migrant population and ethnic minorities according to the literature.
- •To identify **barriers of access** to health care.

#### Objectives of the activities

- •To show the previous knowledge of participants about patterns of use of health care of migrants and ethnic minorities.
- •To identify barriers of access to health care and strategies to overcome those barriers.









# Module 3: Professional Skills

#### Unit 1: Intrapersonal skill development

#### Objectives of the presentation

- •To identify **key elements in communicating** with migrants or ethnic minority patients.
- •To recognise techniques related to intrapersonal outcomes aiming to improving health professional-patient interactions..

#### Objectives of the activities

#### To identify

- The role of stereotypes in the communication with migrants and ethnic minorities.
- Communication and intrapersonal skills (empathy, active/reflective listening).

#### To learn

• the ability to manage stress situations in the health professional-migrant/ethnic minority patients interaction.







## **Unit 2: Interpersonal skill development**

#### Objectives of the presentation

#### To identify

- Barriers and facilitators to communication according to the literature.
- Aspects of conflict regulation and negotiation processes.

#### **Objectives of the activities**

- •To practice the negotiation and collaboration skills of the participants.
- •To offer examples of good practice in the interpersonal communication.

#### To consider

- the application of the negotiation process to the trainees' context.
- •To think over the behaviors involved in conflict management.





# Module 4: Knowledge Application

Unit 1: Strategies and procedures for people-centered health care services oriented towards cultural and ethnic diversity

#### Objectives of the presentation

- •To introduce the concept of "people-centered health care" and its application in the field of migrants' and ethic minorities' health care.
- •To present various models of health care for migrants and ethnic minorities

#### To introduce related frameworks

- •Human Rights
- •social determinants of health
- community participation approaches
- •model of intercultural ethics.

#### Objectives of the activities

•To reflect on the opportunities and limitation of different models of health care services and health policies.









#### Unit 2: Strategies for planning and implementing actions

#### **Objectives of the presentation**

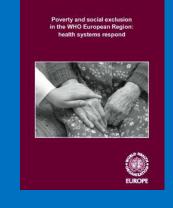
To present strategies for planning and implementing actions related to one's own workplace and daily professional practice with migrants and ethnic minorities.

#### **Objectives of the activities**

- •To open a discussion on experiences, opportunities, and limitations for intercultural mediation.
- •A space for reflection on strategies against discrimination in health care oriented.
- •To reflect on the opportunities and limitations for applying organizational change related to cultural and ethnic diversity in one's own institutional context.
- •To open a reflection on strategies for resolving daily situations in health care
- •To identify strategies for implementing health care









# Unit 3: Public health, preventative health care and promotion from multidisciplinary perspectives

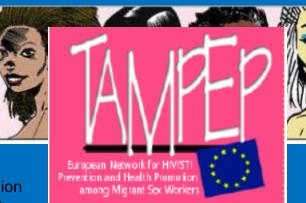
#### Objectives of the presentation

•To present strategies and Best Practices related to preventative health care and promotion

#### **Objectives of the activities**

•To open a reflection on conflict situations in preventative health care and health promotion interventions







# Unit 4: Quality of health care taking diversity into account

## **Objectives of the presentation**

•To present relevant aspects of quality of the health care, assessment methodologies and strategies.

## **Objectives of the activities**

•To open a discussion on experiences, opportunities and limitations of assessment methods for quality of health care.











# Unit 5: Community-based approaches, promotion of user and community participation and involvement

#### Objectives of the presentation

- To introduce the topic
- To introduce **the fundamentals** of community-based approaches.
- To introduce **concepts and relevant aspects** related to community-based approaches.

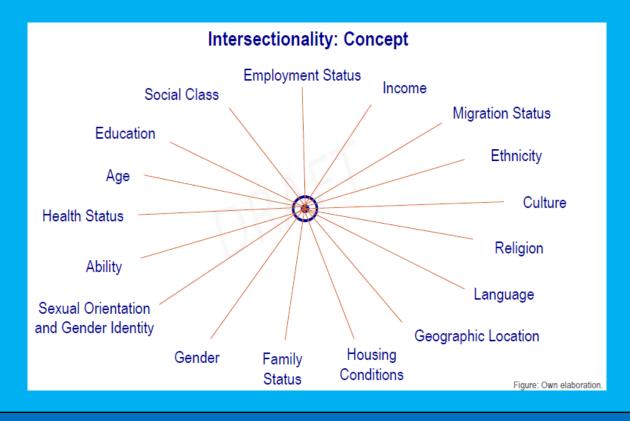
#### **Objectives of the activities**

- To enhance awareness of the concepts 'community' and 'participation'.
- To reflect on challenges related to being a migrant, ethnic minority, in European societies and healthcare system
- To reflect on community-based approaches.
- To reflect on power/control relationships and the relativity of choices.





# **Unit 6: Intersectoral approach**







## **Unit 6: Intersectoral approach**

### Objectives of the presentation

•To introduce the concept of "intersectorality" and relevant applications to health care and health policies.

## **Objectives of the activities**

•To identify **relevant stakeholders** for intersectoral action, as well as opportunities, barriers, resources and strategies.





#### Additional module 1: target groups

Unit 1. Ethnic minority groups. Including roma and sinti communities, among them those who migrate

Unit 2: migrants in an 'irregular' situation

Unit 3. Refugees and asylum seekers

**Unit 4.** Vulnerable groups.

Women's health

Reproductive and sexual health

Trafficked people

**Elderly migrants** 

Migrants in detention centers

Victims of harassment and hate crimes

Financial and economic crisis

Sub-unit. Children's health





Unit 1. Chronic Diseases

**Mortality issues in migrant** 

**Cardiovascular diseases** 

**Diabetes** 

Cancer

**Inherited diseases** 

**Transcultural care** 





Unit 2: Communicable diseases

**Tuberculosis** 

**HIV/AIDS** 

**Viral Hepatitis** 

**Sexually Transmissible Diseases** 

Vaccine for preventable diseases: Measles & Rubella





**Unit 3:** Mental Health

Migration and mental health

**Process of migration and grief process** 

**Depression** 

**Suicide** 

Schizophrenia

**Addiction** 

Mental health in Roma population





**Unit 4:** Sexual and Reproductive Health

**Definition of Sexual Health** 

Features of reproductive and sexual health of migrants and ethnic minorities

**Perinatal health** 

Access to cancer screening

**Roma Population** 

**Female Genital Mutilation** 





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