



# A Chance for Change: Empowerment & Restoration

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# **Multiplier Event Report**

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#### Objectives of the event

The general objective of the multiplier event organised by ASAD was to start recovering from the pandemic by promoting an in-person meeting, in compliance with the anti-Covid legislation in force in Italy, where our cultures, experiences, skills and minds could meet through shared



values and basic concepts of restorative justice, media education, gender-based violence and witnessing violence.

In addition, it was possible to share the long path of the "Chance for Change" project and retrace the various stages of the same, also sharing the importance of continuing with the reflections on the issues of gender-based violence, restorative justice and media education; open a survey on the needs and professional skills of those who work with children and prevent, through educational actions, gender-based violence.

The main theme of the conference was "The skills of educators and youth workers for the prevention of gender-based violence", and then the three main interconnected themes were deepened and developed: "Gender-based violence in the media" where it was possible to share how to work with young people to use technologies in a way that allows them to broaden their understanding of social problems, such as "technology addiction". This aspect will also enable a C4C facilitator to encourage critical thinking in young people when consuming digital media in relation to gender representation and gender-based violence. Principles and perspectives of restorative justice are introduced, how to mediate a community or individual dispute with a young person who commits crimes or acts of violence, how to acknowledge their concerns and then sensitively promote a mutual understanding between the parties involved to work towards compassion guided by restorative justice. Such skills will enable the C4C facilitator to explore with a young person the feelings of those involved in GBV. Finally, the third topic addressed and discussed extensively during the conference was 'witnessing violence: from the child's perspective', where it was possible to share and reflect on what children who experience violence or witness violent acts experience. It was noted that children who experience trauma from witnessing violence need clear and targeted interventions. Youth workers and educators who often have to intervene and deal with such violent situations were able to reflect on the best strategies to adopt in their daily work and it was noted how much the legal authorities and institutions involved can influence the effects of such violence and the overcoming of trauma.

#### Agenda

The day began at 9:00 a.m. with the registration and triage of each participant in order to gain access to the conference facility, following the Covid regulations in force in Italy and Umbria. The conference started at 9:30 a.m. with the presentation and initial greetings of Dr. Liana Cicchi, president of the ASAD social cooperative of Perugia, followed by Dr. Chiara Burini and Claudia Bizzarri who presented the C4C project and introduced the various topics that would be discussed in depth with the experts involved. After this presentation by the keynote speakers, at about 10:15 a.m., Dr. Michela Angeletti, a communication expert and consultant specialised in the social web, took the floor. At the end of this speech, there was a break for a coffee break at 10:50. At 11:15 a.m., Dr. Sara Bodio, Teen & Professional Coach, gave a talk that lasted about 40 minutes. At around 11.45 a.m., Dr. Margherita Antonielli, Psychologist and Psychotherapist of the Developmental Age, gave her talk, which lasted until 12.30 p.m. The final speaker in charge of greetings at the end of the event was Dr Chiara Burini, who thanked the participants at the end of the conference. The event ended at 12.45 p.m.



#### **Organisation**

#### How the event was disseminated

The event was disseminated mainly through social media platforms (Facebook, WhatsApp). We made several posts about the conference on the Facebook page of the Social Cooperative Asad, also broadcasting the conference live. Another key means of dissemination was email. In our organisation we contacted several target exapers including:

- Restorative justice expert
- Expert in gender-based and witnessing violence
- Media education expert
- Video and audio technician for the Facebook live broadcast

#### How the pre-registration took place

Registration for the event took place through telephone contacts, where participants could confirm their presence. The event was completely free of charge.

#### Location and facilities booked

The event took place at the LEGACOOP headquarters in Perugia. For the conference ASAD booked two rooms within the venue, one a meeting room for the event and the other a room for a coffee break.

#### **Implementation**

The event started with registration, where participants who confirmed their attendance found their name on the printed registration sheets and added their email and telephone contact, their profession and their signature (registration/participation sheet in Appendix 2). The event took place in the meeting room, where the conference chairs introduced the conference and welcomed the participants. All the keynote speakers spoke in the meeting room and also shared slides of their speeches and all the participants saw these presentations.

Drs. Chiara Burini and Claudia Bizzarri presented the C4C project and introduced the various topics that were then explored with the experts involved. They also provided links to the two online courses produced by the C4C project.

The second Keynote Speaker was Dr. Michela Angeletti who shared how to work with young people to use technology in a way that enables them to broaden their understanding of social problems, such as "technology addiction".

The third Keynote Speaker was Dr Sara Bodio who spoke about introducing the principles and perspectives of restorative justice, how to mediate a community or individual dispute with a young person who commits crimes or violent acts, how to acknowledge their concerns and then



sensitively promote a mutual understanding between the parties involved in order to work towards compassion guided by restorative justice.

The fourth Keynote Speaker was Dr Margherita Antonielli with whom we were able to reflect on what minors who suffer violence or witness violent acts experience. We were also able to reflect on the traumas that minors who suffer violence or witness violence present and on targeted and clear interventions useful for their psychophysical well-being. Youth workers and educators who often have to intervene and manage such situations of violence were able to reflect on the best strategies to adopt in their daily work and it was noted how much the judicial authorities and institutions involved can influence the effects of such violence and the overcoming of trauma. Finally, Dr. Chiara Burini concluded the day by presenting the great opportunity given by the C4C project and the conference to promote the prevention of gender-based violence and to increase these moments of sharing different approaches that are useful for a deeper and greater operational competence.

### **Participants**

The total number of participants was 24 people, 7 men and 17 women. including:

- 15 operators and educators from different professional backgrounds within the ASAD social cooperative of Perugia
- the President of the Social Cooperative
- the co-ordinator of the services for minors of Perugia and Corciano
- a journalist from Legacoop
- two psychologist-psychotherapists, one of whom from the public service of child neuropsychiatry Usl Umbria 1
- a coach
- a trainer and web consultant for social issues
- a social worker
- a young student

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#### **Evaluation**

The evaluation of the multiplier event was sent to all participants by e-mail at the end of the event and sent via whatsapp to their telephone numbers a few days later.

The questions the google form and results of the evaluation were as follows:

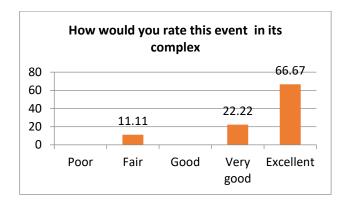
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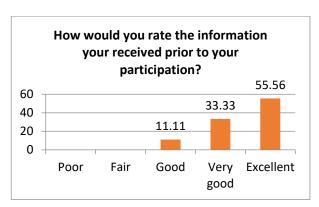


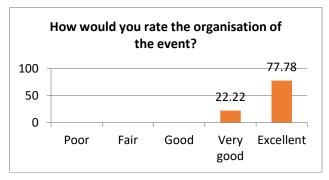
- 2) How would you rate the information your received prior to your participation?
- 3) How would you rate the organisation of the event?
- 4) The event lived up to my expectations
- 5) The content is relevant to me professionally
- 6) The event objectives have been respected
- 7) The activities in this event gave me sufficient practice and feedback
- 8) The presented intellectual output objectives were clear to me
- 9) I will be using what I learned in this multiplier event / about intellectual output

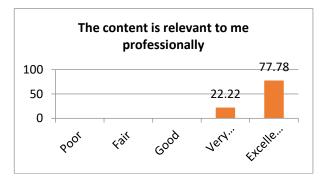
Answers were given on a scale of 1 to 5 (1 = poor; 5 = excellent).

Nine people responded to the evaluation questionnaire, four men and five women.





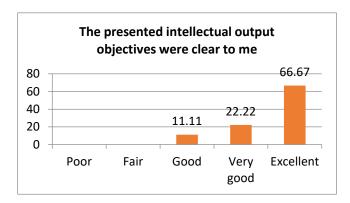


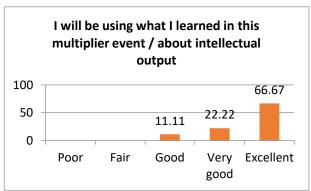












The results of question 3 are not reported as it is unclear and the results are not indicative. In general, the event achieved very high results and was considered a useful moment professionally.

### **Annexes**

• Annex 1. Programme/agenda



## "CHANCE FOR CHANGE IN ITALIA":

Le competenze degli educatori ed operatori giovanili per la prevenzione della Violenza di Genere

Venerdi 18 Febbraio 2022 9.00-12.30

Presso Sala riunioni – piano terra Lega Coop Via Santa Lucia, 8 -Perugia

> L'evento è gratuito Necessario Green pass

#### Programma:

Multiplier event 18 Febbraio 2022

9.00-9.15 accoglienza e triage

9.30 Saluti della Presidente della Soc. Coop. Soc. ASAD Liana Cicchi

9.45 C.Bizzarri e C. Burini Risultati del progetto

10.15 Michela Angeletti, Consulente di comunicazione specializzata in web per il sociale "Intrappolati nella rete: La violenza di genere nei social media"

#### 10.45 break

11.15 Sara Bodio, Teen & Professional coach "Il Coach come alleto nei percorsi di messa alla prova per minori per prevenire il perpetrarsi della violenza"

11.45 Margherita Antonielli, Psicologa psicoterapeuta dell'Eta evolutiva "Violenza assistita: del punto di vista dei bambini"

POSTILIMITATI: per info e prenotazione Chiara 348/7356356 o Claudia 349/6128568



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• Annex 3. Evaluation Questionnaire template

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