



On the 19th November 2011, the Memorandum of Understanding signed between the States of the European Economic Area (Norway, Iceland and Lichtenstein) and the Kingdom of Spain which is regulated by the Financial Mechanism of the European Economic Area 2009-2014 came into force. Specifically, the Spanish State was assigned 10,191,250 Euros in funds to manage the Programme of Gender Equality and Family and Labour Reconciliation (Programme).

The purpose of that Programme is to develop projects promoting the equality between men and women in the labour market, female entrepreneurship, the balance in boards of directors of companies, the family and labour reconciliation, the social-labour inclusion of women in vulnerable groups and the fight against the gender-based violence.

The Programme Operator is the State Secretariat of Social Services and Equality, through the General Directorate for Equality of Opportunities. The national focus point is the General Subdirectorate of Cohesion Funds and European Territorial Co-operation. It is liable for meeting the objectives of the Financial Mechanism and starting up the Memorandum of Understanding.

The Programme has been approved both by the Office of the Financial Mechanism and by the donor countries, on the 31st May 2013.

Within the objective of **fighting against gender-based violence**, the Calling for the improvement of institutional co-ordination and the start up of customised plans of assistance to victims of gender-based violence has been foreseen; it is endowed with 1,021,201 Euros of assistance for the execution of projects submitted by Autonomous Communities, which have been previously selected in accordance with the criteria established in that calling.

The purpose of this calling is to improve the attention that public services render to women who are victims of gender-based violence, through the rationalisation of services and the improvement of the co-ordination between competent public powers, progressing in the attention which is customised with regard to the circumstances of the woman who is a victim of gender-based violence and, where applicable, her daughters and sons.

The project INTEGRAL NETWORK OF RESOURCES FOR THE ATTENTION OF WOMEN WHO ARE VICTIMS OF GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE IN CASTILE LA MANCHA has been selected within this calling, and is being developed by the Autonomous Community of Castile La Mancha through the Women Institute.

The basic objectives of this project are:

- To improve the integral attention to women who are victims of gender-based violence by the redesign and improvement of the model of intervention of resources specialised in gender-based violence.
- And the analysis, design, construction and implementation of an information system for the management of a sole woman file.

Lines of work:

Diagnosis phase: aimed at analysing the situation and establishing the different profiles de of women who are victims of gender-based violence in Castile La Mancha; this study would be integrated in a more extensive one for performing a DAFO analysis of our network of women's centres and shelter resources, whose result is a new Intervention Model.



Phase for the design and implementation of the support computer platform: for developing a computer application which allows the management of a sole file for each woman assisted in some of the resources of the Women Institute of Castile La Mancha, and at the same time making it compatible with other information systems managed by bodies and public administrations which provide help and services to the women of our region.
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