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SUCCESFUL EVALUATION AND IMPLEMENTATION NEW EUROPEAN PROJECT SEE ME CONCERNING CAREGIVING FOR OLDER PEOPLE

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After one year of intense work, the six national learning areas shared their experience with the SEE ME project during an international online meeting organised in February. The partners shared with enthusiasm the actions organised in each organisation to make the knowledge available to the whole team, as they could see the contributions of this approach to care activities. The plans of the associated organisations to implement the learnings derived from the application of the toolkit was shared and some keypoints about keeping SEE ME alive were discussed.

The evaluation of the SEE ME project was able to record some significant results. For the outcomes in terms of expanded knowledge, expanded competencies, changed attitudes, implementation of newly discovered options for action, etc., there are a number of feedbacks from the participants in the SEE ME trainings as well as from the trainers (staff of the associated partners) and partly also from the management of the associated partners that participation in the SEE ME project has enabled changes in the organisations involved.

Participation in the SEE ME project has triggered activities and processes of change that go beyond the project itself. At the associated partner "Stichting humanitas", SEE ME is to be anchored in the organisation and involved in the development of the "2030 Strategy". At the associated partner "Grandes amigos" and "Samentoujours", parts of the SEE ME training are included in the general training concept for the volunteers. In addition, efforts are being made to adapt the contents of the training even more concretely to the work practice and needs of volunteers. The associated partner 'Wonen bij September / Compartijn' integrates the SEE ME principles into the existing concept of 'Leefplezier'. The Italian consortium partner pursues the idea of continuing the principles and contents of the SEE ME training for students in Bachelor's and Master's degree programs as a certified qualification. The "Grafschafter Diakonie" wants to develop a concept for meaningful life in old age based on the SEE ME Training in the "Haus für Alt und Jung" facility, which is binding for the entire facility. In addition, the training will also be offered in the other care facilities of the Grafschafter Diakonie.

Want to know more about new methodologies of seeing the talents behind older people have a look at:

https://see-me-project.eu/

Don't hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or interest in this wonderful project!

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