

PROJECT: I – VET

INCLUSIVE VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Career Guidance and Counselling to support access for Special Education Needs Students to relevant education and training pathways



Partners:



Funding provided by:



1. current situation and existing problems

- Progress in inclusive education has been made in general education
 - Access of young persons with Special Education Needs (SEN) to VET (Vocational Education Training) is still low
- Tailored career guidance and counselling needed to help SEN Students to access relevant VET pathways
- Employment & a self-determined life

2. Objectives

- Improve career guidance and counseling services for SEN students in MD and MN to ensure equal access to VET and increased employability
- Support to establishing high quality career guidance and counseling programs

3. Activities

- 1) Screening existing career guidance and counseling services in Moldova and Montenegro and identify gaps to meet the specific needs of SEN students
- 2) Providing an overview of career guidance and counselling services (Youth Coaching) in Austria
- 3) Develop recommendations for optimized career guidance and counseling services for SEN Students with special focus on VET
- 4) Capacity building for enhanced career guidance and counseling for students with SEN (Manual)
- 5) Dissemination of project results

4. Results

- 1) Analysis of current CGC and good practices for SEN students in MD, MN + AT
- 2) Recommendation Report
- 3) Manual and Training Seminars use of manual
- 4) Training Plan for training of ministries employees
Training Seminar for staff of National and Regional Centers
Roadmaps for Ministries of Education

5. First Results

- ✓ 1. Activity: Screening existing career guidance and counseling services in Moldova and Montenegro and identify gaps to meet the specific needs of SEN students
 - Methodology developed
 - Interviews & Focus Groups:
 - Ministries responsible for Education and Employment
 - CGC service providers (Employment Office)
 - Members of school professional service
 - Special Education Needs students
 - Parents of SEN students

6. Next Steps

- 1) Stakeholder WS Moldova: 10-11 May 2018
- 2) Stakeholder WS Montenegro: 30-31 May 2018
- 3) Regional Stakeholder WS Austria: 19-20 June 2018
- 4) Recommendation report

Thank you
for your attention!