

Success stories

"Mobile Units empower young people to prevent trafficking in persons"

During October, which is also known as the Anti-trafficking month, the Mobile Units established in Tirana and Shkodra by "Different and Equal" carried out a series of activities aiming to raise awareness on trafficking in persons, in close cooperation with the Ministry of Interior, Education Directorates, Municipalities of Tirana and Shkodra, etc.

"We adults sometimes rush when asked to describe our youth. Albania has many young people full of life, with ideas and motivated to make this place better and safer."

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Njësia Lëvizëse Shkodër

The efforts of the Mobile Unit staff apparently paid off well, since a great number of these activities were initiated by the young people themselves who have made awareness videos, an art-installation with messages (Blue Heart Wall), bicycle march across towns, essay competition, etc.



In addition to these activities, sixteen information sessions were conducted with the participation of 332 students. Taking into consideration the children's age, trafficking concepts were treated with friendly tools, mostly through play or artistic creations, to make them understand more simply. Their active involvement during the sessions shows that they could easily become a strong point of support should any of their peers may be at risk of being trafficked.



"The engagement of young people is important because it stimulates their interest in contributing to the cause and their approach creates an enhanced impact on their peers"

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