

Study Visit 2016 Report

Florence, Italy

7-8-9 November 2016

Centro Ascolto Uomini Maltrattanti

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The last study visit has just ended. The study visit was organized by Centro di Ascolto Uomini Maltrattanti – (CAM), in Florence, on 7-9 th November 2016.

The Association Centro di Ascolto Uomini Maltrattanti (C.A.M.) worked in the field of domestic abuse for 7 years, and it is the first center founded in Italy.

Its principle activities are in the area of social assistance, social and health related issues, in the area of training and in the promotion of civil rights. In particular its main focus of activity is in the area of contrast and intervention and preventions of themes of violence against women and children promoting programs of change for men that are violent in interpersonal relationships, with a specific interest in fathering. The Association promotes this programs with the aim of eliminating male violence against women and children and to ensure victim safety and promoting social change. Any other activity related to contrast violence against women and intervention strategies for perpetrators and reinforcing parenting skills. Activities that promote a more vast awareness of equality and responsible gender identity and a more just distribution of care labour and responsible parenting.

The study visit group included eight participants from seven countries all of whom work for organisations which are members of WWP-EN: Woman to Woman (WtW), Gruaja tek Gruaja, Albany, University of Jyväskylä, Department of Psychology, Finland, BAG Täterarbeit, Germany, Anti-Violence Network of Georgia, Georgia, OPNA Nacionalna mreža za tretman počinitelaca nasilja u porodici, Serbia, Conexus, Spain, Respect, UK.

The study visit was organised and coordinated by Alessandra Pauncz at Centro Ascolto Uomini Maltrattanti (CAM), with support of Stella Cutini at Centro Ascolto Uomini Maltrattanti (CAM) and Ralf Puchert and Dietlind Schroeder at WWP-EN.

The agenda was developed in consultation between WWP-EN and Centro Ascolto Uomini Maltrattanti (CAM) to ensure a broad range of different knowledge and activity for the visit.

The study visit was structured over three days with the following agenda:

① **Monday 7th November 2016**

Arrival afternoon.

Presentation of hosting organization.

Brief outline of the political and legal Italian system framework.



Presentation of the CAM group model using with incoming men.

Participation to a group of men perpetrators of violence in relationships, in which the men explained their experience within the CAM. Participants of visit study have had opportunity to ask questions and give answer about the experience in their services and issues related to domestic violence.

The activities were held by Alessandra Pauncz with support of the operators Rossano Bisciglia, Stella Cutini, Mario De Maglie and Marta Canu, at Centro Ascolto Uomini Maltrattanti.

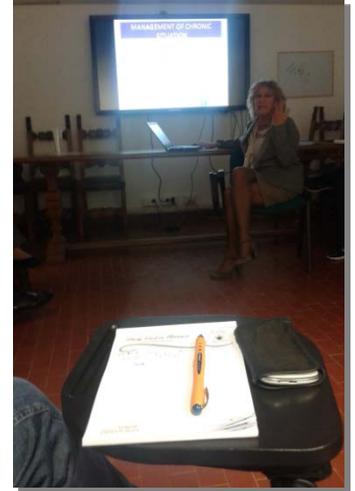
② Tuesday 8th November 2016

Visit the local services that sustain all victims of violence: “Rose Code” protocol, an innovative model for E.R. intervention on all types of victims, with focus on victims of domestic violence. We will focus on screening for violence in the health care system.

The activity was held by Valeria Dubini, gynaecologist referent of “Rose Code”.

Visit to Artemisia, the Anti-Violence Center of Florence. Presentation of the Center and the ways of working with the victims of violence, with focus on the networking between the local services.

The activity was held by voluntaries of Artemisia, Tania Berti and Gaia Tomaselli.



Visit Uffizi Museum, a national cultural institute, boasts exceptional collections of paintings and ancient sculptures, with the support of a guide that showed the art in key gender.



Alessandra Pauncz and Stella Cutini at Centro Ascolto Uomini Maltrattanti followed the group in any movement, favoring the smooth conduct of activities.

③ Wednesday 9th November 2016

Detailed presentation of the working with groups, the psychoeducational model observed on Monday afternoon.

The activity was held by Alessandra Pauncz, at Centro Ascolto Uomini Maltrattanti, with the organizational support of Stella Cutini at Centro Ascolto Uomini Maltrattanti.

Participant feedback

In addition to the study topics the participants enjoyed shared meals and social time offering an informal opportunity to learn about each others services.



Many of the presentations and activity sessions were photo recorded which will create a lasting learning bank for future WWP-EN use. These will be spreaded via mail to the participants.

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