



Future for Young NEETs



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Objective: to support NEETs' transition to the labour market at the regional level through coordinated actions in education, training, and employment, including entrepreneurship.

Target group: NEETs from the south Muntenia region, Romania.

Key components of the practice:

- **Outreach & profiling:** NEETs were identified through local outreach and profiled at PES to assess their needs.
- **Integrated support measures:** Participants received counselling, vocational and informal training (IT, equality, entrepreneurship), financial support, and certification of non-formal skills.
- **Employment & entrepreneurship:** Support included job mediation, funding for business plans (15.200–16.000 €), and follow-up services after employment.

Key outcomes:

- Employment of NEETs.
- Mobilization of the local community and **local cooperation**.
- **Level of participation**.
- Satisfaction of the beneficiaries.

Evidence of success:

- 322 NEETs participated in training activities.
- 30 NEETs assessed and certified.
- 392 NEETs benefited from job mediation services, and 170 people got employment within 6 months of termination of participation.
- 40 NEETs participated in the Entrepreneurial Skills course; 40 individual counselling/mentoring sessions, and 12 business plans financed.