

Norwegian Financial Mechanism 2014-2021 Project ''Strength is in us''

The City of Puławy commune obtained funding in the amount of PLN 330,000. PLN, for the implementation of the "Strength is in us" project, as part of the competition organized by the Ministry of Justice - Operator of the "Justice" Program financed by the Norwegian Financial Mechanism for 2014-2021.

The main objective of the Project is to develop a local system of counteracting domestic violence against the elderly and disabled in Puławy. The project will be implemented in 2023 by the Municipal Social Welfare Center in Puławy.

The "Strength is in us" project is addressed to the inhabitants of Puławy, in particular to the elderly and people with various disabilities, at risk and experiencing violence, their guardians, young people with intellectual disabilities, people working directly with such people - providing them with support services, and representatives of services carrying out tasks in the area of counteracting domestic violence.

The project provides for a number of activities, including:

- psychological, legal and psychiatric support also in the place of residence
- lectures for the elderly, workshops for intellectually disabled youth
- support groups and training for carers of the elderly and disabled

• training for people working directly with the elderly and disabled and for specialists in the field of counteracting domestic violence

• a social campaign, which includes, among others:

- ✓ media broadcasts on local TV, radio, press, internet
- \checkmark dissemination of information and educational materials
- ✓ a conference with the participation of communities acting for the benefit of the elderly, disabled and dealing with the problem of violence in our city

) festival with the participation of seniors and young people with intellectual disabilities. We invite people interested in participating in the Project.

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