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Offenders Pathways to Employment National

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▶ CEFAL-Emilia Romagna



▶ Opera Villaggio del Fanciullo-Friuli Venezia Giulia



▶ TECHNE- Emilia Romagna



▶ Cooperativa A&I-Lombardia

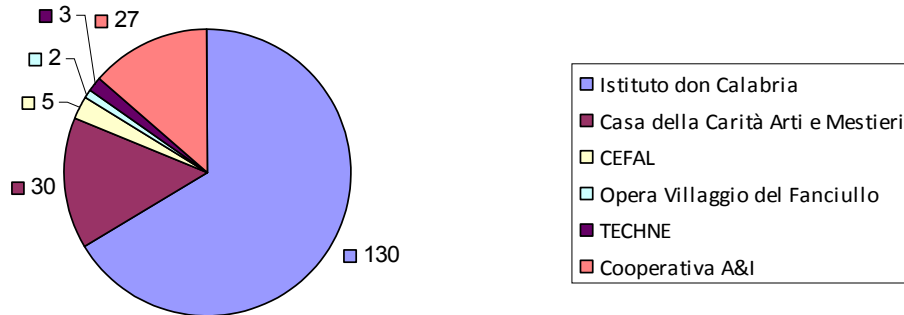


▶ Scuola Centrale di Formazione- 9 Regioni



How many we are

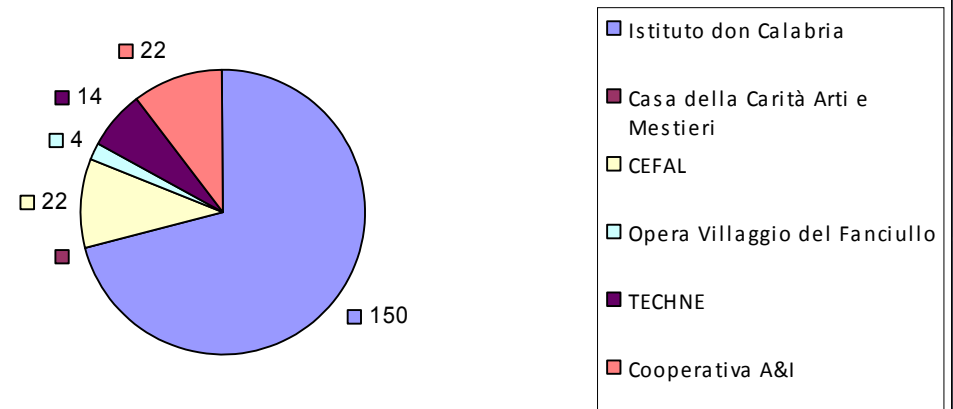
Number of staff members engaged in OPEN

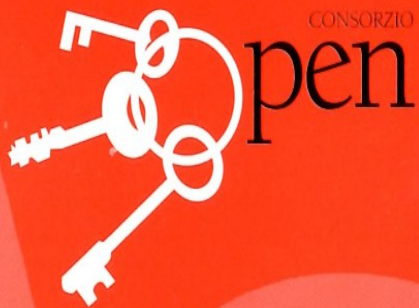


Total:
206 employees

Total:
218 partners

Other staff members OPEN





mission

The OPEN Consortium will promote the development and improvement of methods and systems aiming to facilitate the social-working re-inclusion of juvenile and adult offenders, through initiatives oriented to prevent the phenomena of exclusion and recidivism as well as to rehabilitate, support, accompany the processes of autonomy and inclusion of persons in situation of disease in the family, friendship and social contexts of reference.



Aims and objectives

The Consortium aims to promote the development and improvement of methods and systems to promote and foster the social-work integration/reintegration of minors and adult offenders, through initiatives that - in the context of issues of justice and enforcement criminal - are oriented to prevent the phenomena of exclusion and recidivism, as well as rehabilitate, support and accompany the processes of emancipation and inclusion of disadvantaged people, in familiar, friendship and social contexts. In order to achieve these objectives, the Consortium promotes the creation of a permanent network at the national level, including organizations/networks of Equal and extra Equal of public, private and social-private sector and connected with NEONs (National Equal Offenders Networks) born at European level.

In order to achieve these goals, we wish to promote:

- participation of people deprived of their freedom in training and employment support activities, starting from inside penitential institution always looking at the territorial context, at measures alternative to conviction, at the after-detention and at the community...
- inter-professional training and updating for the organizational well-being of staff inside prisons and on the field;
- dialogue between institutions, companies, social economy, voluntary work and citizenship, to promote investments in the "justice system" as a collective social responsibility, favouring the understanding that an inclusive approach may benefit both the society and the economy
- proposes for changing the policy and planning of penitential actions: reparatory justice by means of penal mediation approaches and practices, prevention, risk assessment and lowering the rate of recidivism as programming tools not ideologically rooted, but inspired also by managerial and economical approaches; communication as educational strategy toward the community.

What we do:

Training courses

Scope of Intervention	Beneficiaries Number	Hours	Titles / Explanation activities
Course Paper Mill	4	350	Orientation activities during the laboratory of paper mill in the prison of Forlì for the creation of handmade paper products.
Tailoring course	12	60	Activities for guidance in understanding the process of creating and developing a tailor made product.
Cooking Course	15	30	Orientation activities in the restaurant and in particular the traditional cuisine.
Gardening Courses	10	30	Orientation activities within the gardening
Path care of himself	7	32	Orientation to psychosocial issues which aim at creating the woman's education, health, care of self and others, family relationships and parenting , social relationships, participation in the world of work and in the community.
Path of legal support	8	40	Providing information and raising awareness of legal issues (dynamics of the conviction, criminal enforcement procedures, laws and regulations to which it is subordinate access to opportunities for social integration and employment of sentenced persons).
In Prison	//	//	Concerted projects in close collaboration with the Institute and with <i>Area trattamentale</i> aimed at increasing the employment opportunities of people both within the prison (domestic work), or outside if the conditions allow it access to legal measures alternative, art. 21 FREEDOM '.

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Involved in the sanitation of the environment (3 editions)	36	60 each edition	//
Lady at restaurant	6	200	//
Officer tailoring	4	150	//
Catering operator	12	400	//
SRFC: catering operator	12	//	The SRFC is the Regional System Formalization and Certification of Competencies that the Emilia Romagna Region has set up with the express purpose of formalizing person's competence.
Telephone operator	8	270	Project "designed" in close collaboration with the Office for external sentences (UEPE) and Companies profit in the call center, it is proposed the implementation of an innovative intervention methods aimed at increasing the employment opportunities of people in order to serve the sentence outside the prison.

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Product & Services	250 prisoners followed in the annual planning and 200 operators of the prison administration	152 hours a week dedicated team training for this specific	<p>Training to persons in criminal enforcement: Specific training courses related to different product areas aimed at reintegration of the prisoner.</p> <p>Training personnel of the Prison Administration: training activities in collaboration with the PRAP for the staff of the Prison Administration.</p>
Training Courses	437 Adults	437 Adults	<p>Courses financed labor market - ESF aimed at adults detainees. Areas of intervention:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Agriculture Graphics Woodworking Mechanical engineering - welding Catering Electrical and automation installations civil Computer Basics Textile processes Alternative energy and energy saving
	400 minors	900	<p>Courses financed labor market - ESF for minors held (in ATS with other agencies):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Computer multimedia Pottery

What we do:

Guidance and information Activities

Scope of Intervention	Beneficiaries Number	Hours	Titles / Explanation activities
Guidance and information	4	250	Support and guidance to prisoners taken in the Laboratories of assembly, WEEE and laboratory mill
	200 offenders and ex-offenders	//	Project TOGETHER - Job placement for adults in prisons Province of Trapani and Sicily ESF
	150 people who benefit from these activities first level information	//	<p>Court Presidio: activities to intercept the direct trials.</p> <p>Doors SPIN: reception and orientation of the first level to prisoners, former prisoners and family</p> <p>Project AIR: Shares of hospitality , training, guidance and support to housing rehabilitation, housing inclusion in social housing, support social and educational reintegration for people who can access or are an alternative to detention in the Province of Milan.</p>
	200 adult prisoners	500	<p>User service: service concentrated in Turin city but widespread in the region, pointing to listen and first filter to prisoners, detainees in penal area outside, ex - prisoners and their families.</p> <p>Meeting on themes of information guidance within the prisons.</p> <p>The user service integrates with some projects that allow us to offer substantive responses (see next section).</p>

What we do:

Work and Guidance desk

Scope of Intervention	Beneficiaries Number	Hours	Titles / Explanation activities
Work and Guidance desk	//	//	Mediation Centre to work: Service of the Municipality of Milan guidance and support to return to work for the citizens of Milan subject of judicial proceedings.
	400 in a year	3648 in 24 months	Informative talks working inside / outside; Talks career guidance and counseling guidance; Detection professionalism and insertion into the ER and SIL database prison; Institutional Support the team in setting the paths of education / training, accompanying the person on the premises become available to its inclusion , provision of training insertion, search company willing to host placements.
	100 adult prisoners 50 children in the juvenile justice system	3.000	<p>The projects through which we are able to offer substantive responses are projects where we are partners in large partnership and articulated.</p> <p>Among the most significant projects:</p> <p>ATM prison in DC in Turin (ATM integration in the CPI)</p> <p>POR Held - Actions to take charge of the CC for adults detained in Turin and Ivrea</p> <p>POR Multi-disvantage - Actions to take charge for disadvantaged adults including prisoners and ex -offenders (Prov. Di Torino)</p> <p>POR Minor - Actions to take charge for children reported by the juvenile justice system</p> <p>Various projects funded by banking foundations , the Center for Juvenile Justice, local</p>

What we do:

Activities of job placement - Internships

Scope of Intervention	Beneficiaries Number	Hours	Titles / Explanation activities
Activities of job placement	350 persons	350 persons	Homes and Jobs: Actions added work and living in social housing for people in an alternative to detention. Meta: accompanying actions for social inclusion for minors in criminal enforcement. On the Threshold Project: support actions to internal psychological CC Milan San Vittore and accompanying social reintegration by 3 IP Milanesi for prisoners with mental health problems. Mediation Center of Labor, Project AIR
	120 (in 2012)	//	Accompanying young people and adults foreigners in job
Internships	105	//	Service within the Institute don Calabria
	8	//	//
	22	3960	Internships and individualized paths within the Projects INCIPIT . The duration of the internship is 180 hours each.
	//	//	To date we have approximately 165 current paths Internship and Job Opportunities for people in criminal enforcement of, or related to the criminal.
	8 (job placement)	3 full-time months	Training courses and orientation supported by a "service" to seeking company (mostly profit) for the insertion and mentoring. Attendance allowance lump sum of 500 € per month.
	60	//	Agreements with local authorities (municipalities ulss etc. .) That support internships with bag work on specific projects Rotary Club - Juvenile Justice Centre of Verona and Venice, U Mastru Sicily - Sicily Prisma.
	//	//	Not directly integrated ATM work, MAPLE project financing with

What we do:

Other activities of hospitality / intervention for children

Scope of Intervention	Beneficiaries Number	Hours	Titles / Explanation activities
Other activities of hospitality / intervention for children	//	//	N. 6 Community agreement, for remanding people in custody N. 3 operators in IPM Bologna, Catanzaro, Treviso Management Year 2012 USSM a branch of Verona
	//	//	META project: accompanying actions for social inclusion for minors in criminal enforcement
	//	//	CPA Service to the Juvenile Court
Homes for minors	10 (in residential communities at a national level)	//	In total children / young people are welcomed in the Community for 2012 about 120 of which 15% appear to be minor / youth involved in the criminal justice system with precautionary measures in the community and other (probation, community placements, etc.).
Other	100	//	Project "Restorative justice" City of Palermo. Office Management of Mediation Criminal Municipality of Palermo

What we do:

Activities related to the main point of the training center

- ▶ Actions to support the Cooperative Type B
- ▶ Medialabor: service work placement province of Verona
- ▶ Coordination of the project "WEEE in Prison" and collaboration with social cooperatives (Gulliver, IT2, Bud) training institutions and partner institutions in the project. Collaboration in the training activities of the project with the Cooperative Gulliver who runs the Laboratory WEEE outside the prison of Forlì (www.raeeincarcere.org) .
- ▶ Collaboration with Association CON_TATTO that operates in jail of Forli to support the families of the detainees.
- ▶ Coordination of the table of associations / cooperatives / voluntary private social work in the prison of Forlì.
- ▶ Participation as a member Orius Association, formed by consortia of social cooperatives and training institutions to develop innovative projects with environmental work aimed inclusion of disadvantaged people.
- ▶ The training courses, where possible, pay particular attention to the involvement of social cooperation, both with the use of teachers, and to allow the spread cooperative to assume the employment in their external structures or create new ones within the prison . Have so far been undertaken within:
 - Soc. Social IT2: opening of a laboratory pre-treatment non-hazardous electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE) .
 - Soc. Siamo Qua: the opening of the laboratory of sartorius in the women's section.
- ▶ In becoming the ability to create workplaces for the production of honey in to load Soc. Social "Soul" and sharing the Beekeepers Association and Organic Farmers Italian (CONAPI), Black Elk and Mielizia. All this as a result of training.
- ▶ Judiciary Supervisory Board: Memorandum of Understanding with voluntary association (AEOP) and the Probate Court for the collaboration in the activities of secretarial services . Technical assistance to the technical group work training coordinated by the Province of Bologna (Local Committee Subcommittee for criminal enforcement) .
- ▶ Activities of the Cooperative Bread & Bar for the production of bread in the laboratory to Prison - gradual reduction in activity.

What we do:

Other projects

- ▶ LLP Leonardo SIFOR for the development and dissemination in Italy of the French system of values the professional profile of the waste , even within the laboratories of the project WEEE in prison.
- ▶ Restricted Business Accelerator (RIA): support activities and start-up of co-operatives and social enterprises working in 3 IP in Milan.
- ▶ 5 European projects on the following programs:
 - 1) Daphne
 - 2) Criminal Justice
 - 3) EIF
 - 4) Early Prevention and Community Prevention
 - 5) Fight against Crime Programme.
- ▶ Project COSMI: Exchange with n . 6 Departments of Juvenile Justice in Europe (Finland, Spain , UK, Germany, Romania, Estonia)
- ▶ Yo.Vi - Integrated Models For Victims and Restorative Justice Youth
- ▶ MERLIN - Towards a juvenile delinquency prevention policy: a multi -state experiment on integration and efficacy
- ▶ We intend to enhance the contacts we have with the realities of prison Slovenia and Croatia to propose paths of exchange and collaboration . We believe we are at a good time for these projects as there is the interest of the partners and look forward to the publication of some short notices of territorial cooperation which could be suitable for presenting project proposals.
- ▶ Project work placement Marche Region: Consulting and evaluation project aimed at providing employment for 15 people in the Marche Region.
- ▶ Project 2 Remida, criminal enforcement area: paths voluntary and assisted repatriation of detainees; drafting preparation protocol operating procedures for the repatriation of prisoners.