THE ROLE OF HEALTH PROMOTION AND AWARENESS IN ADDRESSING VULNERABILITY

NGNPO IEC “INTILISH”

TASHKENT

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INTILISH

24/01/2003
- NGNPO Information and Education Centre "INTILISH"
- Registered in the Department of Justice of Tashkent city
- 1 office in Tashkent

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- NGNPO Republican Information and Education Centre "INTILISH"
- Registered in the Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Uzbekistan
- 14 regional branches + 1 national office
STATUTORY GOALS OF INTILISH

- improve the quality of life of the population and its vulnerable groups*
- protect health
- promote culture and education
- provide social adaptation

* vulnerable groups (not limited to):

- people in a difficult life situation
- people at risk of or affected by infectious, endemic, psychiatric, narcological and any other diseases
- people in prisons
INTILISH’S MEMBERSHIP

- Stop TB Partnership
- AIDS Action
- International Network of Penitentiary Education
- Collaborating Committee on TB Control and Care — WHO/Europe
- Databases of NGOs
- UN DESA and EU PADOR
- IN TilISH and its staff members
- Board of ADNA (ECO) international network
- MES working groups
ONGOING PROJECTS SINCE 2016

- Social support centre
- TB outpatient treatment, TB-REP project
- Assistance for harm reduction programs for IDUs
- Social support for TB patients in prisons
CONSTITUTION OF THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION: PRINCIPLES (22/07/1946)

Health is a state of complete physical, mental and social well-being and not merely the absence of disease or infirmity.

The achievement of any State in the promotion and protection of health is of value to all.

Unequal development in different countries in the promotion of health and control of disease, especially communicable disease, is a common danger.

The extension to all peoples of the benefits of medical, psychological and related knowledge is essential to the fullest attainment of health.
VULNERABILITY

Vulnerability refers to the quality of being exposed to the possibility of being harmed or damaged by external means or factors of any kind.

Synonyms: hole, fragility, weakness.

Vulnerable groups are groups of people who are unable to control living circumstances or solve problems in life for various reasons.
VULNERABILITY FACTORS

- Psychological condition
- Social factors
- Lack of information
- Discrimination and stigma
- Gender and economic inequalities
SERVICES OF
SOCIAL SUPPORT CENTRE

- Health information and education
- Legal advice
- Counseling
- Help with transport cards and subway tokens
- Coffee-break
- Assistance in accessing services
- Computer skills training
## PERFORMANCE RESULTS OF SOCIAL SUPPORT CENTRE
### 01/08/2016 – 31/12/2018

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AWARENESS-RAISING

- Development and publication of I&E materials of three types
- Publication of Guidelines for psychological support and social assistance for TB patients in Uzbekistan
- Development of a website to raise awareness about TB
Social service bureau/social support service is a “point of entry" to the program: it is a specialized institution providing clients with social support services.

Social support system is a functional structure that includes the social support bureau and a partner network and conducts its activities based on mutual agreements.

Partner network is a set of service providers that can and should provide clients with the services they need: social, medical, etc.
MODEL OF SOCIAL SUPPORT

- Referral and admission of client to the program
- Assessment of client’s circumstances and needs
- Development of an individual plan
- Coordination of services and quality control
- Client support
- Exit from the program
THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

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