

Raising the Rights of Elderly People and Elderly care Services to the EU Standards

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Objectives:

- * To raise awareness about elderly rights and available elderly care services in Turkey
- * To establish long-term cooperation among NGOs in Turkey and EU working with elderly people
- * To improve the quality of care and support services for elderly people in Turkey through transfer of best practices in line with EU standards
- * To enhance the institutional capacities of CSOs working on elderly issues

Activities:

- * Country-based and comparative researches and analysis
- * Study visits in Spain, Italy, Germany, and Turkey
- * Seminars to improve technical capacities of personnel providing services for elderly people in Turkey

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Results:

- * [Study visit in Palermo](#) exchanging with different types of organisations providing assistance to elderly: nursing homes, shelters and also voluntary organisations committed to increase the active participation and roles of older people into the society
- * [REPES: study visit in Spain](#) introducing innovative and new approaches to provide care to elderly, such as Telecare services
- * [REPES – Rights of Elderly People and Care Services: a Comparative Study Between Turkey, Italy and Spain](#) an overview about the rights of elderly people and status of elderly care service in Turkey, Italy and Spain - providing recommendations to raise the level of rights and assistance to elderly in Turkey in line with EU Standards
- * [Elderly rights: a comparison between EU and Turkey](#) Final Conference [Ankara, November 2015]
- * [Turkish National TV spot](#) about the projects funded under Civil Society Dialogue between EU and Turkey – III Programme

Partners:

- * Coordinator: Yörtürk Foundation (Turkey)
- * Fundació Campus Arnau D'escala – FCAE (Spain)
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