

Juvenile Justice Department



It is the competent branch of the Italian Ministry of Justice for all juvenile matters, including child judicial protection as well as the prevention and treatment of juvenile delinquency.

It enforces custodial and non-custodial measures regarding minors involved in criminal proceedings.

It issues guidelines, monitors statistics and coordinates initiatives on the national territory.

It also runs all peripheral services of juvenile justice such as Juvenile Detention Centres (*I.P.M.*), Juvenile Classification Homes (*C.P.A.*), Youth Welfare Offices (*U.S.S.M.*) and Residential Communities.

ESM-YA PROJECT: our expectations

- ❑ Developing an effective and successful model to provide young offenders with real possibilities of work inclusion without wasting formal and non formal knowledge gained during the enforcement stage of custodial and non-custodial measures
- ❑ Enhanced cooperation with other EU countries and real and actual optimization of good practices on an operational level
- ❑ EU-awareness raising in young offenders (inside and outside prisons) with focus on the impact that EU strategies may have on developing skills fo employment and strenghtening educational opportunities

ESM-YA PROJECT: our contribution

To provide a practical model for social / labour inclusion with the assistance of a key-player (tutor) for juvenile offenders but also AT FAMILY LEVEL to provide support in the stage following the enforcement of judicial measures («unfastening» stage) by means of agreements with businesses offering employment or grant-assisted jobs