

SEXISM FREE NIGHT PROJECT

Raising awareness and Capacity building towards safer and egalitarian Nightlife environments









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PROJECT DATA

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1. INTRODUCTION

Sexism Free Night aimed at to reduce sexualised violence and sexism in nightlife environments by raising awareness among partygoers and by capacitating nightlife stakeholders (nightlife professionals, festival organizers and harm reduction professionals) to prevent, detect and respond to this type of gender-based violence. Sexism Free Night included a diverse pool of beneficiaries and associated partners working together in an innovative and multi sectorial partnership to promote safer and more egalitarian nightlife environments.

Specific Aims

- To produce and disseminate knowledge about sexual violence in nightlife environments in Europe
- To engage professionals working in nightlife environments in the denormalization of sexism and prevention of sexual violence
- To build best-practice guidance and capacity about sexual violence prevention among harm reduction professionals intervening in nightlife environments
- To raise-awareness about the importance of bystanders in the denormalization and prevention of sexual violence among partygoers





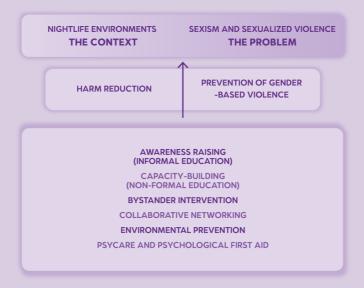
Sexism Free Night's Manifesto





2. METHODOLOGY

The project proposed and implemented a multicomponent approach based in the methodological frameworks of harm reduction and prevention of gender-based violence.



To reach its goals, the project was subdivided in 5 work-packages:

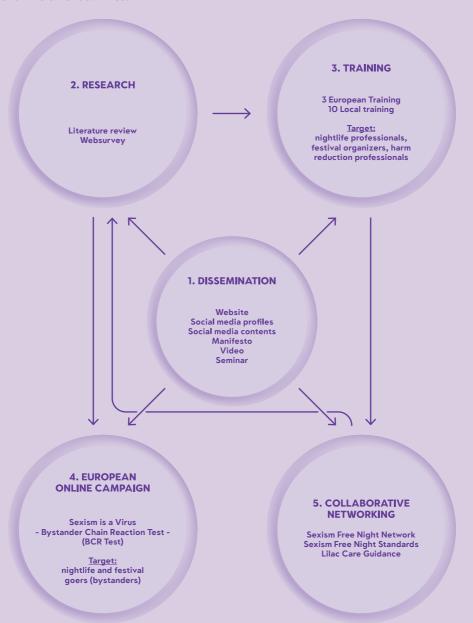
WP1	Management and coordination of the project
WP2	European websurvey focused on sexualised violence in nightlife environments
WP3	Bystander intervention & capacity building among nightlife key-stakeholders (night-life professionals, festival organizers and harm reduction professionals and peers)
WP4	European campaign targeting bystanders & potential perpetrators in nightlife environments
WP5	Dissemination & Collaborative networking





3. ACTIVITIES

The implementation of Sexism Free Night project was based in a set of core activities implemented sequentially. The first activity was a research which data informed the development of all the other activities.





4. MAIN DELIVERABLES



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5. EVALUATION AND CONTINUATION OF THE PROJECT SEXISM FREE NIGHT - MAJOR REMARKS

According to the external evaluator of the project, the project contributed to the future of intervention in sexualised violence and sexism in nightlife environments in Europe.

- The survey and research provided a picture and new knowledge about prevalence of sexism and sexual violence among over-18s in nightlife environments in Europe and its intersections with specific key factors such as patterns of drug use, participation in nightlife and party environments, nightlife mobility and beliefs about sexual violence.
- The training courses and manuals were able to qualify and engage professionals working in nightlife environments in the denormalization of sexism and to get tools to prevention and intervention on sexual violence.
- European campaign and materials as a contribution for raising awareness among party and festival goers about the importance of denormalizing sexism and sexualised violence in nightlife settings. All the materials produced are a very useful resource that will be permanently available on-line for download and can be used in future interventions across Europe and beyond.
- Sexism free night standards is an important tool to guide future implementation of gender-responsive policies and practices in nightlife.
- The Lilac Protocol provides a practical guidance for intervention on recreational and nightlife environments, for professionals in face of episodes of sexual violence.

More information about the evaluation of the project, ask for the external evaluation report at: hello@sexismfreenight.eu

Do you want more information regarding the implementationand/or evaluation of project?

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