The Mental Health Department
of the Healthcare Services Agency n ° 1 Triestina organizes

Trieste 2010: What is 'mental health'? Towards a global network of community health.
INTERNATIONAL MEETING
9-13 February 2010
San Giovanni – Cultural Park

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With the Patronage of the Italian Federation of Local Healthcare Agencies and Hospitals (FIASO) and promoted by: Province of Trieste, International Mental Health Collaborating Network (IMHCN), Mental Health Forum (Italy), Psichiatria Democratica (Italy), Red Sudamericana de Buenas Practicas (Argentina and Brazil), Global Forum for Community Mental Health, IAN – International Aid Network (Serbia), Franca and Franco Basaglia Foundation (Venice), Oswaldo Cruz Foundation (Rio de Janeiro, Brazil), United Nations Inter-Agencies Scientific Committee for Human Development Cooperation, IDEASS, Innovation for Development and South-South cooperation, Legacoopsociali – Italy and FVG, GESCO - Social Enterprise Group (Naples), Interland Social Cooperatives Group (Trieste), 'Franco Basaglia' United Workers' Social Coop. (Trieste), Agricola Monte San Pantaleone Social Coop. (Trieste), La Collina Social Coop. (Trieste), La Piazzetta Social Coop. (Trieste), Confini Social Coop. (Trieste), Duemilauno social agency, social coop-social enterprise – ONLUS (Trieste), Con-tatto Social Coop. (Venice), Associazione familiari alzheimer ONLUS (Pordenone), Nuova Associazione Al Margine (Forlì), CHLG-Children's High Level Group (UK), ENAIP FVG (Italy)

Tuesday, February 9, afternoon.

h14,00 - 18,00
Welcome

h15,00 -17,00 and 17,30 - 19,30
Theoretical and practical training workshops

- Organization of the 24h MHC
- Family Programs
- Job integration and social coops
- Recovery and social inclusion programs
- Participatory co-planning methodologies between services and with people

- Programs for onset
- Subjects and stories
- 'Support administration'
- Forensic hospitals, Prison and expertise
- Franco Basaglia
- Franca Ongaro Basaglia

h9 / 10.45 Plenary
Greetings from local authorities. Introduction to Meeting
Loud, louder, loudest: the paradigms debate.
Despite the contradictions of the present time, characterised by the shrill debate among psychiatric and medical paradigms, and the coexistence of scientific and humanistic approaches which are, at times, polarised, conflictual or fragmented among different specialisations, the possibility of a paradigm shift remains.

h11,00 - 13,00 and 14,00 - 16,00

    Workshops

- *Critical anti-institutional thinking and practice*
  The importance of de-institutionalization today; Old and new asylums; From South America to Europe; Restraint, seclusion, open doors; Self-Determination and recovery.

- *Social inclusion and / or deviant majority*
  How to ensure social inclusion, care and rights for risk groups.

- *Imputability and rights.*
  Expertise, prisons and forensic hospitals.

- *Old drugs for new illnesses*
  Drug Prescription Appropriateness: the case of antidepressants in psychiatry and general medicine.

- *Beyond the garden: Memory, archives in exhibition and innovative practices*
  From asylums to the community, interactive archives to promote mental health

h16,15-17,30 plenary
New knowledge or psychiatrization of neurosciences?
The 'killer gene' as mitigation circumstance in the Bayout case.

From h17,30
The Tent
Towards a global network of community health: building a common platform of work and reflection.
Forum of active networks and experiences in mental health, community solutions to institutional problems.
Introduction: International Mental Health Collaborating Network (IMHCN)

Thursday, February 11,
Mental health, global and local healthcare
systems: services and communities
(Think Globally, Act Locally)

h9-10,45 plenary
Mental health and healthcare systems: a global, local and plural approach.

h11,00-13,00 and 14,00-16,00

Workshops

- *Services and community*
  International experiences of regional or national transformation; Whole system approaches; Systems and models of service and governance; Integration of Mental Health / Community Health; community responsibility, social cohesion and public health agenda.

- *Places and care*
  From places of care to taking care of places. The long history of transforming and constructing physical settings began in the asylum. Recognising differences, making the exceptional common practice.

- *Self-determination and paths of recovery*
  Life stories and experience. The right to non-discrimination, access to resources and participation in services and in the community.

- *New knowledge based on values / practices / evidence (Part One): evidence-based research in community mental health*
  Macro- and other indicators in the reforms and implementation of community services; Drug prescription vigilance and appropriateness; Job integration and social inclusion; quality of care in residential facilities throughout Europe; Recovery and participation.

- *Development of community healthcare services in Italy*
  FIASO: Healthcare agencies compared.

- *Planning services and changing cultures in mental health: at the crossroads of the elections*
  Sardinia: an inconvenient witness*.*

h16,15 - 17,30 plenary
Round table: "What is evidence?"
The question of what evidence is and what producing evidence means can no longer be avoided. From evidence-based medicine to the involvement of knowledge 'experts' in government decision-making and the choice of technologies; the participation of stakeholders.

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Introduction: *Global Forum for Mental Health*

Friday, February 12,
Crisis, security and rights
(The Good, the Bad and the Ugly)

h9,00 -10, 45 plenary
Crisis, security and rights.
New scenarios and actors

h11,00 - 13,00 and 14,00 - 16,00

Workshops

- *Where is the social economy going, between marketization and public economy*
  Is there really a social economy? What is the role of social cooperatives and public administration in the social economy? What happens with respect to the market?

- *The return of the 'Psychiatry of certainty':*
  Medicalization or 'whole-life' approach? Multidisciplinary team or specialist services? The ill or illness? where is the focus?

- *Emancipation and empowerment*
  Debate among users, family members and other actors on recovery, capability, participation and leadership.

- *Mental health, development and international cooperation*
  Testimonies, reflections, international local development programs. Best practices and new strategies.

- *New knowledge based on values / practices / evidence (Part Two): People- and 'healing'-oriented programs and services. Best practice.*
  Interventions and alternatives to crisis and acuteness; Services and integrated community 24h MHC; Assisted Living, housing, social housing; Education, culture, training and employment opportunities; Interventions for / with the families

Special event
in Gemona (UD): Earthquake and health systems.
Emergency – Phase Two: for an alliance between L'Aquila and the public and private institutions which intervened after the disaster.

h16,15 - 17,30
Plenary
Knowledge, innovation and human development policies
Presentation by the United Nations Inter-Agencies Scientific Committee for Human Development Cooperation

From h17,30
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Forum of active networks and experiences in mental health, community solutions to institutional problems.
Introduction: Latin American Network

h9,00 -10,45
Plenary
The reform in Italy and elsewhere: from recent past to near future.

h11,00 - 12,30
Towards a global network of community health: Organization, Knowledge and its dissemination; the Web, Cooperation for change, Training, Partnership / Representation of users, Media issues.

h12,30 - 13,30
Conclusions and future events