



Newsletter no. 2

A COMMON LANGUAGE FOR THE FIRST 1000 DAYS

- An Erasmus+ KA202 Project -

About the Project

The project promotes the use of the WHO's International Classification of Functioning, Disability and Health (ICF) as a tool for increasing communication among the different professionals related to the child's first 1000 days of life and promoting early detection of disabilities.

The project started in November 2019 and will end in June 2021.

Project Partners:

- 'Education for All' Skopje, Macedonia
- Macedonian Association of Nurses and Midwives
- Dr. Pretis, Austria
- Medical School Hamburg, Germany
- Dr. Dudu Melek Sabuncuoglu, Turkey

O1: ICF Training Modules

We are pleased to inform you that our first 3 tailor-made ICF Training Modules are produced in English, Macedonian, German, and Turkish language. We want to make sure that our target groups - patronage nurses, early support services, and professionals in nurseries working with very small children - can use them and learn from them. Specifically, we took care that the particular issues of age, as well as the connection between health, education/parenting, and social aspect are addressed.

The Modules 1-3 can be used or downloaded from our web-site: <http://thefirst1000days.net/First1000days.html>



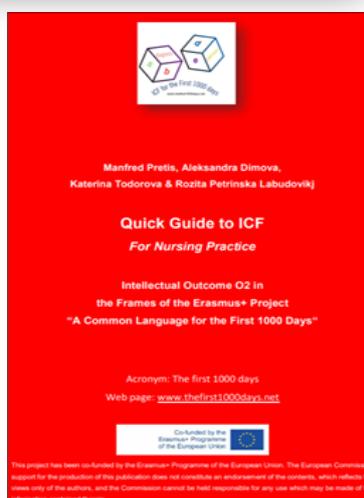
O2: Quick Guide to ICF

Our 'Quick Guide to ICF' for professionals is intended to ensure that all the relevant professionals are familiar with ICF and are able to use it in daily life. The Guide aims at increasing the understanding between the professionals (especially home visiting nurses) and the parents during the support processes for small children with developmental problems.

The Guide is created in English, Macedonian, German, and Turkish and can be downloaded freely from:

<http://thefirst1000days.net/QuickGuidetoICF.html>

Example:



b440	Breathing	The child can breathe in and out easily. He/she shows a reasonable number of breaths per minute. The alternation between inhalation and exhalation and his/her breathing depth are appropriate. The child gets enough air.
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Feel free to participate

Your participation is welcome! If you or your institution would like to participate in the project in terms of piloting our project products, or you have comments on our work and products, please contact us at: contact@educationforall.org.mk.



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