

## Press Release Launching the project Chance and Challenge- Improve social services provided to victims of human trafficking

**ASSOCIATION PRO REFUGIU will implement alongside its Norwegian and Romanian partners between 1 May 2014 -31 March 2016** the project Change and Challenge Improve social services provided to victims of human trafficking, project financed with the amount of 118.954,16 Euro through EEA Grants 2009-2014, NGO Fund in Romania.

Partners in this project are: Pro Sentret Norway, Foundation People to People, Association Global Help, Association Betania, East European Institute for Reproductive Health, **General Directorate of Social Assistance and Child Protection from Romanian counties such as Bacau, Dambovita, Galati, Iasi, Mures, Salaj, Satu-Mare, Sibiu and Teleorman.**

**Project's objective** consists in improving the provision of social services for victims of human trafficking.

**Main activities:**

- Mapping social needs and types of services provided to victims of human trafficking by NGOs and institutions in Romania and Norway.
- Trainings in Norway and Romania for the Romanian professionals working in NGOs and institutions to improve the counselling and assistance provided to victims of human trafficking.
- Develop and promote a Norwegian-Romanian referral system regarding Romanian citizens subjected to human trafficking phenomenon in Norway.
- Social and legal counselling, assistance for victims of human trafficking.

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