

Annual report STOPA Slovakia 2016

*„The reality of the impermanence of our existence, constantly
compels us thinking if our life is filled“*

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„our support cannot stop. This city and these people need this type of organization”

Dear reader

Dear read,

I am really happy that you are now reading our annual report by last year 2016. On next few pages I would like to explain you more about our activities last year and about our visions for future.

So now we are started in a previous time. Last year was really important for us. All was quite new, more things were about trying and testing. One of most important thing was that we are swap place for integration centre. So now we are closer to people from our clients' groups which need our support. We start our 365 program with our clients and we done few really successful projects. The hardest thing in this year was how to find stability in our organization. It wasn't easy. Now I am happy to say that our model 365 is working and our system of re-definition "person in environment"/combination social work and environmental activities are working more than well. Now we have first clients off the street. I am Happy to say that we are part of social services support system for homeless people and people in the risk of homelessness in our city we are really happy that we grow to this position. And what about the future. Every day we thinking about our existence org existence of us. We would like be better, at work, as a people, as a professionals'. Now we know that our support can't stop because now we have a lot of relevant backgrounds to say this city need this type of support these people need our support.

We are proud of our clients and we are proud that we were nice part of their stories

Mgr. Pavol Sabela
Head of STOPA Slovensko
18. oktober 2016

Our strategy

In this year we started our strategy 365 in practice model with twelve clients in complex integration process. By all steps of this process passed eight clients and now they are in post-integration group process. Yes, they have a legal and full time job, and they are in rent accommodation. They are safety now, but not safe. But next steps are in their hands now and they know how to find us if they need it.

No more about our steps:

1. **searching**
 - a. *we doing streetwork on places that we know there are new potential rough sleepers (main train station, bus station, old town);*
 - b. *other NGOs and local institutions redirect clients or people in risks of homelessness to our centre (it is a main type of client)*
2. **starting process**
(social contract with client) – we invite client to work therapy project. I tis paid by different projects so we are able to pay them and he/she is able to filling basic needs and stop thinking about how to stay alive.
3. **social work process**
we prepare client to apply for social benefits. We prepare client how to find the job and how to be success on appointment. We work with client bureau-phobic.
4. **Law support**
we start work with client debts and together we prepare gradual repayment agreement. If there is an another problem, we contact pro-bono associate service
5. **Therapy**
we work with clients' story of life. We try to open nice memories and dreams and we work on positive viewing of life. We work with emotions, traumas, existential questions about human life. We provide supportive group therapy with clients in integration process. We provide post-integration therapy groups with previous clients.
6. **Education**
we have environmental specialist in our team and she teaching clients in thesis „urban gardening“
7. **No second night out**
we start looking for flat and we prepare budgeting with clients. This as a way of de-rooting circle of homelessness and the way how to stop it. Client is living in flat and it is motivation to change situation and we prepare client for „living out of supportive social services“
8. **Housing**
we hope we will find a place for living for our clients in this process.

Our activities

This is summarization of our last year activities and actions. We divide it to three categories for better understand. All activities were concentrated to homeless or people in risk of homelessness.

- a.) Community activities – activities for senzibilization between majority and homeless people.

Activity title	Clients	Effect – Aim
Project revitalization Calvary 2	4 clients in the integration process	Revitalization and cultivation one of the oldest historical Christian place in the city
Together for the community 3	3 clients in the integration process	helping local communities in developing their projects and their actual implementation
„Four lions“	3 clients in the integration process	Revitalization and cultivation memorial of victims of 1 st . world war
Green hope for homeless people	4 clients in the integration process	the cultivation and education of the use of medicinal herbs, production of tea bags for various events and syrup production.

- b.) Day by day support for people in needs

Activities	
How to find a job, social support, how to deal the debts., training about effective communication, training about urban gardening, IT skills learning, how to write CV, crisis interventions	Around 13 clients daily

- c.) Complex integration process (365 model)

Activities	
12 clients started process	8 clients are now successfully re-integrated

Photos from our activities are on our FB profile

<https://goo.gl/KTFQvQ>

Cooperation

We know that in this field we are not alone. Many of our activities could be provided because our colleagues from other services do their work well. We cooperated last year with:

- ❖ Municipality of the City of Bratislava
- ❖ Municipality of Bratislava Area
- ❖ Local government Bratislava Nové Mesto
- ❖ Local government Bratislava Staré Mesto
- ❖ Office of labour, social affairs and family
- ❖ Head of office of labour, social affairs and family
- ❖ Depaul trust Slovakia
- ❖ Proti Prúdu street paper
- ❖ IOM Slovakia
- ❖ CRI
- ❖ Department of Social Work University of Comenius Bratislava
- ❖ Bratislava voluntary centre
- ❖ Brothers of Mercy
- ❖ Sisters Theresa asylum centre
- ❖ Mládež ulice youth organization
- ❖ Pro bono advocacy service
- ❖ Foundation J&T
- ❖ Foundation SPP
- ❖ Foundation ESET

Revenue and expenditure

Revenue	
Donations and contributions	0 €
Share paid income tax	0 €
Grants	17 530 €
Provision of service	15 000 €
Overall (súčet)	32 530,00 €

Expenditure	
Goods (materiálno technické)	3130 €
Services	2786 €
Salaries, insurance, contributions (naše platy vrátane odvodov)	15 015,68 €
Work therapy support for clients (vyplatené na klientoch)	7830 €
Other (oblečenie klientov, strava, náradie)	5185 €
Overall (súčet)	33 946,68 €

Summary	
Overall revenue	32 530,00 €
	33 946,68 €
- Distinction	-1416,68 €

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homeless people

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