ALTHERA

Sport and pet therapy to support children with disabilities

PROJECT TITLE	ALTHERA – Alternative Therapies in Maramures and Ivano Frankivsk	
IMPLEMENTATION PERIOD	25.03.2021 – 24.12.2023	
ORGANISATIONS INVOLVED	Maramures County Council (RO); General Direction of Social Assistance and Child Protection Maramures (RO); Executive Committee of Ivano-Frankivsk City Council (UA)	
PROGRAMME	Romania - Ukraine ENI CBC 2014-2020	
TOTAL BUDGET	3.349.588,15 €	Romania-Ukraine ENI-CROSS BORDER COOPERATION



The main objective of the project is to improve the medical and complementary services of alternative therapies for children with disabilities from Maramures and Ivano-Frankivsk counties. Two new Centers for Alternative Therapies are being built, one in Recea (RO) and another one in Ivano-Frankivsk (UA): they are equipped with a sensorial park and a large arena for innovative therapy with animals (in Romania), and with medical offices and a sport hall (in Ukraine). The competencies and performance of fourteen therapists in the area are being improved through specific trainings and exchange of experiences. The project partners are also organising a wide information campaign targeting inhabitants considered fertile population, to increase awareness about the causes and risks of having children with various disabilities.



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