

summary

The project promotes language competences for health care professionals, provides appropriate foreign language skills for better fulfilment their professional and social role in vocational environment, creates training materials and methodologies for learning languages at basic and higher levels, and collects most frequently used terminology.

The project promotes autonomous language learning through self-assessment and self-organised learning.

The entire language competences are developed together with health care professionals and professional language instructors.

The expected impact of the project provides access to continuing vocational training, life-long learning opportunities for health care professionals and enhances their capacity for evidence-based practise.

objectives

The main aims of the project are:

- ✓ to develop a multilingual glossary in the languages of the partner countries
- ✓ to create a methodological training module for improving English language competence
- ✓ to develop European Language Portfolio (ELP) for health care professionals, that will promote autonomous learning through self-assessment and self-organised learning
- ✓ to inform and involve the extended target groups
- ✓ to create a web page containing the project products

target groups

The project is aimed at health and social care sectors in each country such as active practitioners, students, clinical and academic instructors, professional unions and other agencies.

outcomes

- ✓ Multilingual Glossary for health care professionals contains a database of terminology, social function and bilingual phrase list most frequently used in everyday work.
- ✓ Development of a training module for foreign language competence upgrades health care professionals at the following proficiency levels: elementary and intermediate.
- ✓ European Language Portfolio for health care professionals in English, Finnish, Italian, Latvian and Spanish includes the following elements:
 - Passport
 - Language Biography
 - Dossier

Web-page www.llifnurses.lv contains above mentioned information and useful links to other websites concerning health care professionals' education and interconnection.

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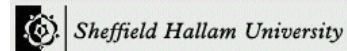
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