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Back To Basic - Hiv&IST prevention with youngsters

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Introduction:

Back to Basic is a project through which Cassero LGBT Center wants to raise awareness about HIV and STI's amongst youngsters, using a comic book created by young artists and distribute for free in every school of the metropolitan area of Bologna. To address the right questions the youngsters have about safer sex and infections, the project will start with a research, in the form of questionnaires, in order to identify which themes have to be dealt with, being sure to include every sexual behavior.

The group in charge of this project is Cassero Salute, the group working on all the themes connected with wellness, safer sex, hiv prevention and so on.

Here it is a planning with the actions we have to do to succeed the challenge of the project.

	Planning	Questionnaires	Comics	Campaigning	Results
1 month	project planning	developing, publishing, training		Safer Sex Kits procurement, preparation	
2 month			distribution activity,		distribution, raising awareness activities
3 month			evaluation		
4 month			editing, publishing,		
5 month			distribution in libraries, schools, youth centers		
6 month					presentation of results
7 month					project evaluation

The project has three main actions with a planning phase first and an evaluation at the end.

Some of the activities can be done at the same time cause two different levels of work are involved.

The main idea is to interview youngsters about sex, HIV and STI with an anonymous questionnaire developed with a group of experts in order to achieve useful information. The group of Cassero Salute will be trained by experts for the dissemination of the questionnaires. In the meanwhile there will be organized public events in the metropolitan area of Bologna in order to get in contact a larger number of people, spread the project and raise awareness.

After the results of the questionnaires the dates will be used to edit the comic book: young artists will be asked to draw the comic and the group of Cassero Salute will work on the textes combined with the drawings.

The distribution of the comic book printed will be in libraries, schools and youth centers. At the end of the project there will be a

presentation of the results with a conference and a brochure.

The budget planning for the project is made like this:

Actions	Budget
Planning	1000
Questionnaires	4500
Comics	6000
Campaining	5000
Results	1500
<i>Total</i>	<i>18000</i>