

LITAY (Kyiv, Ukraine)

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In Ukraine, women raising children with disabilities and women who are displaced from their homes are at the intersection of multiple vulnerabilities: psychological exhaustion, financial difficulties, emotional isolation, stigmatization, and often a lack of a supportive environment. Most of these women lack the tools to stabilize their lives or integrate into their new community. Existing social programs are often one-size-fits-all and do not take into account individual circumstances.

Litay, a non-profit organization based in Kyiv, Ukraine was founded to address the needs of these women.

MISSION



We are creating a community that helps women raising children with disabilities and IDP women with children to find support, strength, and opportunities to “spread their wings” and confidently build the future!

The mission reflects our desire to be a reliable source of support, a space for growth, and a force that helps women in crisis situations restore their own potential.

VISION



We believe in Ukraine where every woman, regardless of her life circumstances, has equal access to support, development, and the opportunity to live with dignity, in a safe, inclusive society.

This vision defines our long-term aspiration to shape a community where vulnerability is not an obstacle to a dignified life, and care, development, and human dignity are the basis of interaction.

CORE PROGRAMS

Mom Has Wings

Support for IDP women with children and women raising children with disabilities

- **Social support** - integration, socialization, and unity of women and children through inclusive events, meetings, and clubs.
- **Psycho-emotional support** - individual and group consultations with specialists.
- **Economic capacity development** - education, training, support in employment and self-employment.
- **Mentoring support** - mentoring from experts in various fields.

The program aims to improve the quality of life of IDP women and mothers of children with disabilities by creating a safe space, developing their potential, and forming a community of support and trust.



Mom Has Rights

Advocacy for the rights of IDP women with children and women raising children with disabilities

- **Information campaigns** - raising public awareness about the rights of women and children, and fostering a tolerant attitude.
- **Legal support** - free legal advice on issues of social protection, housing, employment, and access to services.
- **Assistance in obtaining legal aid in cooperation with partners**



The program aims to protect the rights of IDP women and mothers of children with disabilities, strengthen women's voices and increase their legal capacity in society.

SPILNOKOLO

Support for children from IDP families and children with disabilities

- **Space for children and teenagers' creativity, development, and socialization**
- **Educational and awareness-raising activities** - trainings, workshops, development of an interactive manual (work- book) and other interactive materials.
- **Inclusive and integrational events**



The program aims to improve the adaptation and quality of life of IDP families and children with disabilities by creating a safe space, developing their skills, potential and supporting their communication.

Volunteer Hive

Development of sustainable volunteer community

- **Involving citizens** to participate in NGO events and projects.
- **Development of training programs for volunteers** (with a focus on human rights, psychosocial support, inclusion).
- **Integration of adolescents and youth into volunteer activities** through practice and participation in initiatives.
- **Volunteer community support** - internal chat, meetings, mentoring.
- **Creating opportunities for further employment of active volunteers.**

The program aims to develop an engaged, trained, and motivated volunteer environment that strengthens organizational capacity and promotes social solidarity.



