

Potential Consortium Partner — CERV-2026-DAPHNE

Looking for a Slovak partner combining mental-health expertise, youth engagement, gender-sensitive prevention, education and national dissemination?

Chuf' žit' (EDI Slovensko) is a Slovak organisation specialising in eating disorders, body image and related mental health, combining prevention, education, awareness-raising and professional support. For CERV-DAPHNE consortia, we bring a distinctive expertise at the intersection of gender stereotypes, objectification, sexualisation, body image, mental health and vulnerability. We are not proposing eating disorders as a stand-alone theme, but as specialised expertise supporting the themes the call already prioritises.

FIT ACROSS CERV-DAPHNE PRIORITIES

Priority	Fit	Where we add value
Priority 3 — Prevention	Strongest fit	Media & stereotype prevention, objectification/sexualisation, body image and stereotypical body portrayal, work with boys and young men on harmful masculinity, consent and body-autonomy modules, youth-facing campaigns and e-learning.
Priority 5 — Children	Strong fit (as part of a systemic, multi-sector project with a public authority)	School-based prevention, gender-based body shaming and bullying, digital safety, teacher and professional training, parent/guardian guidance, child participation and psychosocial support.
Priority 2 — Protection	Relevant fit via specialised services	Mental-health and eating-disorder expertise within multidisciplinary victim-support / one-stop-shop services, referral pathways, and training for frontline professionals working with women and children facing mental-health difficulties.

WHAT WE BRING

Thematic expertise	Delivery capabilities
- Gender stereotypes and their internalisation by girls, boys, women and men - Objectification and sexualisation, and their impact on self-image and mental health - Stereotypical portrayal of women and men in media and digital environments - Body image and gendered appearance expectations - Harmful norms around femininity and masculinity - Gender-sensitive and feminist perspectives on eating disorders and body image	- E-learning, training and train-the-trainer programmes - National awareness campaigns, social media and dissemination - Engagement of young people, parents, teachers and professionals - Participatory research, pilot testing and evaluation - Professional mental-health and eating-disorder support expertise - Referral pathways and trauma-informed, gender-sensitive protocols

WE CAN JOIN YOUR CONSORTIUM AS A PARTNER RESPONSIBLE FOR

Thematic expertise: gender stereotypes, objectification, sexualisation, body image, eating disorders, mental health, youth perspectives

Education & tools: e-learning, training, train-the-trainer, toolkits, methodologies, educational resources

Target-group engagement: young people, parents, teachers, professionals, people with body-image and eating-disorder experience

Prevention & communication: national campaigns, social media, awareness raising, outreach, events, Slovak dissemination

Evidence & participation: needs assessment, focus groups, co-creation, participatory research, pilot testing, evaluation

Professional support: mental-health expertise, specialised support, referral pathways, gender-sensitive and trauma-informed approaches

PREFERRED PARTNER PROFILE PER PRIORITY

Priority	Fit	Where we add value
Priority 3 — Prevention	Open — no country preference	Best fit with a consortium led by an organisation specialised in prevention of gender-based violence, consent education, or work with men and boys. Flexible on partner profile: NGO, academic, or public-sector coordinators all welcome. Open to any EU/EEA country.
Priority 5 — Children	Requires a public authority in the consortium	Best fit with a consortium coordinated by or including a public authority (ministry, municipality, or school network) already

		working on integrated child-protection or violence-prevention systems. No specific country preference; we value genuine cross-sectoral integration (health, education, child protection) over single-theme projects.
Priority 2 — Protection	Best led by a specialised victim-support organisation	Best fit with a consortium led by an organisation specialised in victim support (e.g. a women's rights organisation, rape crisis centre, or one-stop-shop provider). We are not seeking to lead this priority. Open to any EU/EEA country.

TRACK RECORD

Project	Donor / Period	Role	Amount
Youth-Led Peer Support: Innovative Solutions to ED among Young People	ERASMUS+, 2022–2023	Coordinator	€60,000
Taste for Living: National Eating Disorders Helpline	ESIF Slovakia (MoLSAF), 2025–2026	Coordinator	€227,577

WHAT WE'RE LOOKING FOR

A consortium, ideally led by or including a partner experienced in the relevant priority theme, and a public authority for Priority 5, where Chut' žit' can lead or co-lead a dedicated work package on gender stereotypes, body image, objectification, or specialised mental-health support, clearly linked to the call's violence-prevention or protection objectives. Priority 3 (Prevention) is our first choice; Priority 5 (Children) and Priority 2 (Protection) are strong alternatives.

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