

Building Relationships through Innovative Development of Gender Based Violence Awareness in Europe – BRIDGE project

Online Training on Mobile Data Collection Tool

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An online training was held by the Mobile Data Collection (MDC) expert who had been also responsible for the development of the data collection methodology and the encoding of the questionnaires in the Mobile Data Collection tool as part of the BRIDGE project. The purpose of the training was to provide overall guidance to the data collectors and staff in the BRIDGE project on how to set up as well as utilize the MDC tool developed within the project and the platform for stored data that is collected.

Ahead of the training, the participants were all sent a video prepared by the MDC expert on how to acquire the tool software for the tablet and on how to login and set up the server for the data collection. These steps were, however, repeated at the beginning of the training to ensure that all participants have acquired the software and have accessed the correct addresses and server.

The following constituted the agenda of the online training and the topics covered:

Topics	Time
How to download the necessary app and instructions to set up the server for data collection in BRIDGE project - video before the training	– 5 min
How to download blank form in your Android device	– 10 min
How to run the questionnaires in your Android device	– 30 min
How to edit saved questionnaires in your Android device	– 10 min
How to send finalized questionnaires from your Android devices	– 5 min
How to access to data stored in the ONA platform	– 15 min
How to download data stored in the ONA platform	– 15 min

Training participants	
Aaricia Boudart	Fedasil (Belgium)
Benoit van Keirsbilck	Defence for Children International Belgium
Karen Hartburn / Maria di Domenico	Kopin (Malta)
Chrysovalantis-Konstantinos Papathanasiou	Arsis (Greece)
Elena Patratanu / George Matu	Terre des hommes Romania

Mathilde Laval	MDC Expert - Consultant
Nenad Matejic	Terre des hommes Hungary

The participants were provided with the login username and password that is to be used in order to access the tool and platform. The link that data collectors are to follow is on ODK Collect: <http://odk.ona.io>

Following the setting up of the software and login, the MDC expert presented to the participants the encoded questionnaire for children and youth on the move, going through each of the sections or questions and demonstrating how they are filled in. A number of additional notes were discussed that may be placed along with the questions in order to provide the data collector with more clarity when conducting the data collection (when posing questions and registering answers).

It was identified that the data collectors will also need to test the MDC tool individually following the online training. As agreed during the training, the data collectors will further test the MDC tool and in case of any need for clarifications related to its utilization will refer to the MDC expert who delivered the training.

The video recording of the training has been made available at the following links:

How to use the ODK app:

https://vimeo.com/343660879?utm_source=email&utm_medium=vimeo-cliptranscode-201504&utm_campaign=28749

How to use the ONA platform:

https://vimeo.com/343660047?utm_source=email&utm_medium=vimeo-cliptranscode-201504&utm_campaign=28749

These recordings are for internal use only and are meant to serve as guidance and can be viewed by data collectors and project staff throughout the duration of the project. The parts of the video that includes the insertion of passwords that are used have been omitted from the recording to ensure privacy of data.