



EUROPE and DISABILITY Project

Second Newsletter

Europe and Disability Project that is carried out by Sinop Spastic Children Association (<https://www.sinopscd.org.tr/>) is going on. Project aims to increase awareness of community and disability family in Turkey on positive effects of European Union process and make the people with disabilities to appropriate the EU process in Turkey. One of the project's objectives is to demonstrate the potential positive effects of EU process on disability rights to people with disability. By this purpose we developed Report on Policy and Mechanisms of EU on Disability. You can see at our web site. (<https://en.avrupaveengellilik.org/proje-ciktilari/>)

European Union is a multi-aspect Union and it influences the lives of people with disabilities in Member and candidate States. It also supports disability policies of some other countries. EU member states integration is getting deeper day by day in all fields. Disability Policy is one of these policies and EU is trying to increase cooperation between Member States to mitigate the lives of people with disabilities. This report aims to demonstrate EU's policies on people with disabilities. Report focuses on policy (treaties, conventions, Council Resolutions, Action plans, mechanisms, strategies) of European Union institutions on disability.

The Eu legislation related to disability and EU's key disability initiatives are mentioned at the report. Report will contribute people with disabilities to understand the contribution of Eu to their rights.

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