Study visit at European Level

Framework of Quality Assurance in Education and Training
ITALY

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**General competences:**
- Labour market policies
- Employment protection
- Employment development
- Social policies and tackling poverty and social exclusion

**Competences in VET field - General Directorate of Unemployment and social Benefits:**
- Promotion and coordination of vocational training policies
- Approval of Interprofessional funds for lifelong learning
- Setting essential levels of performance regarding certification of competences and skills (Legislative Decree n.13/2013)
- Apprenticeship (Legislative Decree n.81/2015)
- **Alternanza Scuola - Lavoro** (Law n.107/2015)
Italy - The National Reference Point

ITALY NRP
Established in 2006 within the EQAVET by a Decision of:

- Ministry of Labour and Social Policies
- Ministry of Education, University and Research
- IX Commission of Regions’ Conference
The tasks of the quality board are:

- To identify the priorities and to plan the activities of the Reference Point
- To monitor and assess the progress of the National Plan of Quality

Next board is planned for 12th of June 2018
National Plan of Quality

Adopted in **2012** by Ministry of Labour and Social Policies and Ministry of Education, University and Research

Updated on October **2017** by Ministry of Labour and Social Policies, Ministry of Education, University and Research, Regions, Social Partners and VET Providers.

Approved on the **21st of December 2017** by the Conference among State and Regions
The National Plan of Quality

- Has been drafted according to the model proposed by the European Recommendation and the European Quality Assurance Framework
- Aims to reduce and prevent training failure through the continuous improvement of the training supply;
- Adopts many indicators suggested by EQAVET and other statistical parameters
- Uses qualitative assessment
- For each phase of the quality circle current quality assurance actions are specified
National Plan of Quality
The implementation

The Plan of Quality is supported by the National Reference Point (NRP) for Quality Assurance through the following activities:

- **Collection data and information**
  - models and quality assurance activities conducted at national and regional level

- **Technical support**
  - to central and regional governments
  - other stakeholders for the implementation of the Recommendation

- **Dissemination of Models**
  - On the basis of Best practices
Thank you for your attention

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