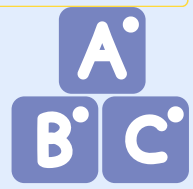


Newsletter #2

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IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FIELD TRIALS IN GREECE

- ECEC staff created a leaflet to inform the parents about positive psychology and how the ProW programme could contribute to improve the ECEC settings.
- ECEC staff developed a common vision and philosophy on dealing with challenging behaviors for each ECEC setting and identified two to three schoolwide expectations (e.g., be tolerant) & behavioral rules

PARTICIPATING ECEC SETTINGS, STAFF AND CHILDREN

- The Greek National ProW leadership team identified 33 Greek ECEC settings

TWO GROUPS:

- Treatment group:
 - 18 ECEC settings
 - 94 ECEC teachers
 - 1082 children
- Control group:
 - 15 ECEC settings
 - 92 ECEC teachers
 - 1067 children

EXTERNAL COACHES

- Meetings on regular basis with other European coaches and coordinators
- Coaches developed, refined and implemented training materials in target ECEC settings following the guidelines of the research partners.
- Frequent visits on the online platform (Moodle) to access resources and upload material.

PRESCHOOL TEACHERS TRAINING

- From November to December, the Greek external coaches provided five training sessions to preschool teachers participating in the project (control group).

PROW INTERVENTION T2 & T3 DATA COLLECTION

- On April 2022, Family interviews were conducted to explore parents' views on how they perceive their children's participation in ECEC settings where ProW is running
- On June 2022 (T2), preschool teachers completed questionnaires about their and students' variables
- Between September-December 2022 (T3), preschool teachers completed questionnaires about their and students' variables

PROW DISSEMINATION ACTIVITIES M12-M24

- Most important dissemination activities:
- July 2022: The ProW project organized a symposium in the Earli Sig 5 symposium.
- September 2022: Members of IHU team organized a workshop in which teachers had the opportunity to be informed about the objectives ProW project.
- February 2023: A member of IHU team organized three workshops on PERMA & SWPBS at the Artevelde University of Applied Sciences in Gent.

NEXT STEPS

- The ProW project will participate in the Earli 2023 conference in Thessaloniki.
- The ProW project will participate in the EECERA 2023 conference in Lisbon
- The ProW academic researchers will publish research papers based on the results of the 1st year project's implementation



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