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PAFYP will enable young people, families, school teachers, educators & healthcare professionals to be aware of the impact of mild/moderate Perinatal Mental Illnesses (PMI) demand driven & cocreated with partners from 5 EU countries.

PARENTING 4 YOUTH Parenting Awareness for Young People

PAFYP will prepare young people pre-birth for their new role & help them avoid PMI; currently feelings of being a failure as a parent lead to a reticence in seeking help: 58% of pregnant women/new mothers fear they would be judged and babies taken away (Equality & Human Rights Commission report).

PAFYP's parenting best practice guide will provide advice and support in a way can easily be cascaded to others. PAFYP will also improve the skills of educators and healthcare professionals equipping them to address parenting issues, including PMI, confidently & effectively.

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Project meeting in Reus Spain 25 - 27 FEBRUARY 2020

Open Europe (host organisation) delivered two workshops:

The "FIT PREGNANCY AND BABY - I" workshop presented an overview on the changes a woman experiences during pregnancy, the benefits of prenatal exercises, particularly prenatal yoga, and tips on diet and nutrition during this period.

The second workshop - "FIT PREGNANCY AND BABY – II" dealt with postnatal care, exercise, and nutrition.



Some photos from the workshops: - Psychological changes during prenatal and postnatal stages - "Baby Blues" and Post-Partum Depression





















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