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Amalipe Center for Interethnic Dialogue and Tolerance

Amalipe Center for Interethnic Dialogue and Tolerance is a leading Roma organization working for the equal integration of Roma in Bulgarian society. The organization plays a central role in organizing the Roma civic movement and implementing advocacy activities for Roma integration before state institutions.





Amalipe Center is a member of the Public Council at the Ministry of Education and Science, the National Network for Children, the National Patient Organization, the European Women's Lobby and others. The chairman of the organization, Deyan Kolev, was elected as a representative of Roma NGOs in the Monitoring Committee of Operational Program "Human Resources Development". The Amalipe Center is also the only approved Roma NGO with observer status in the Monitoring Committee of the National Strategic Reference Framework.

The organization is the only non-governmental organization in Bulgaria that participates in the work of the European Roma Platform.



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OUR MISSION

The mission of the Amalipe Center is to encourage the inclusion of the Roma community in Bulgaria for its active participation and equal access to resources and development process, with a priority focus on access to quality education,
Quality healthcare and social services;



Our approach



To achieve these goals, Amalipe Center uses:

- application of innovative methods and practices at local level;
- regular monitoring and getting feedback and advocacy for changes in existing policies related to the social inclusion of Roma;
- systematization of the practical results of various organizations and their inclusion in the national policies for achieving effective results in the integration of the Roma community,
- mobilization and organization of civic capacity of the Roma community;

Mobilization and organization of the civic capacity of the Roma community in order to implement joint actions for successful integration;

Advocacy activities for the formation of a sustainable model for Roma integration, through the implementation of a policy of good practices tested at the local level.



Healthcare and health integration



Amalipe Center has been implementing activities in the field of improving the access of Roma to quality health care for several years.

The activity is both at regional level - for prevention of tuberculosis, HIV / AIDS, and at national level approbation of a mechanism for monitoring the health services at local level, advocacy before the Ministry of Health and support of the Program for Roma medical students.