



# **PROGRESS REPORT 2013**

## **HUNGARY**

- 1. INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT AND FUNDING FOR ROMA INCLUSION*
- 2. EDUCATION*

# INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT FOR ROMA INCLUSION I.

Coherent system of coordination tools:

- Roma Coordination Council
- ‚Let it be better for our Children‘ National Strategy Evaluation Committee
  - Indicator Committee
- Inter-Ministerial Committee for Social Inclusion and Roma Affairs
  - Monitoring Committee

## INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT FOR ROMA INCLUSION II.

- Roma Affairs Council (from 2013 on)
- Anti-Segregation Roundtable
- National minority spokespersons in the Parliament
- Cooperation at the local level
  - Local equality programmes
  - ... with the assistance of a development institution (TKKI)

# INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT FOR ROMA INCLUSION III.

Tools of the NSIS monitoring:

- Program monitoring system
- Tracking of societal changes
  - Indicator system (based on the targets of the NSIS)
  - Surveys (CSO: LFS – questions on identity, SILC, territorial indicators, estimations based on census data on Roma population; TARKI household panel, Roma survey)
- Expert bodies – Indicator & Monitoring Committee
- Available data – open database on web

## FUNDING FOR ROMA INCLUSION I.

- Explicit, but not exclusive targeting:
  - NSIS is a strategy focusing on the main aspects of poverty
  - ... there are only few directly targeted sources for Roma inclusion – eg. scholarship programmes, employment program for Roma women

## FUNDING FOR ROMA INCLUSION II.

- Basic problems with (ac)counting of sources:
    - Programs with wider target group definition (Roma only a part of the target population)
    - Time frame? Program period – budgetary year – calendar year
    - How to sum up national and local sources? (Important programs are financed by local administration or civil society.)
- Weak point of the Decade reporting exercise

## Education I.

- Sure Start Children's Centres
- Integrated regional programmes for the improvement of the opportunities of children and their families for social inclusion (Social Renewal Operational Programme - SROP 5.2.3.)
- Development of nurseries and kindergartens
- Offering free meals to disadvantaged students

## Education II.

- Integrated Pedagogical Programme
- Alternative learning facilities and second chance programmes
- Supporting the enrolment of disadvantaged secondary school students in higher education (SROP 3.3.10)
- Targeted programmes to reduce early school-leaving



## Education III.

- Teacher training
- Scholarship programmes
  - Road to Secondary School
  - Road to Secondary School-Leaving Exam
  - Road to Vocation
  - Road to Higher Education
- Arany János Talent Fostering Programme



## Education IV.

- The Network of Christian Roma Specialization Colleges
- Mentoring in higher education

# Thank you for the attention!

*Well-founded monitoring system*

*Organizational tools for coordination*

*Poverty is targeted – dedicated financial sources*

*Scholarships at every level of education*

*Emphasis on mentoring services*



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