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Promoting health and safety of Municipal Urban Cleaners (MUC) – Getting out of the pandemic with more knowledge through the MUC-Training for Health European project.

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This project was introduced in the wake of the Covid-19 pandemic, aiming to address the health and safety training needs of a particularly vulnerable group of workers those of municipal urban cleaners.

The MUC Training for Health project aims to improve the health and well-being of municipal urban cleaners by developing a training program on risk awareness and improve their knowledge on related occupational health and safety issues. MUC training for health is a three-year project (01/11/2020 - 31/10/2023) co-funded by the ERASMUS+ Programme of the European Union. The project consortium comprises municipalities and organizations from 5 European countries: Varna Economic Development Agency (Bulgaria), Center for Social Innovation (Cyprus), Athens Development and Destination Management Agency (Greece), Prolepsis Institute (Greece), Comune di Andrano (Italy), IKM Pro Sakowska, Michalowska, Lyszkiewicz spolka jawna (Poland).

The MUC Training for Health Partner Organizations have reached the first milestone, developed the conceptual framework, the training methodology and the training modules. The modules get into various topics, from nutrition, to instructions on how to use tools, to mental health in the workplace, to





communication issues. The consortium is currently working towards the translation of the educational material in all project languages and testing the output by MUC's and participating organizations. The final milestone is to upload the educational material to the e-learning platform and the training that will fill the gaps and contribute to improving Occupational Health and Safety (OHS) of MUC's during their work.

The material developed within the project will be available for free through the project's e-learning platform accessible from the [Project's Website](#).

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