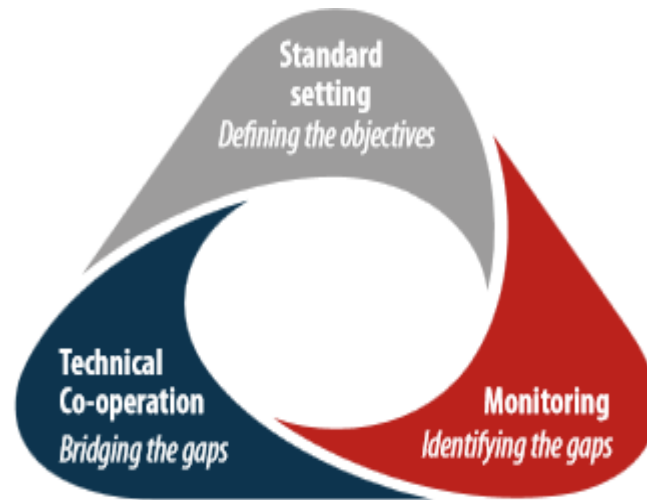


CO-OPERATION AS ONE OF THE MAIN TASKS OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE

Strategic triangle





CO-OPERATION ON VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN

Violence against Women Project

- focused, flexible and responsive support to beneficiary countries, upon their request, in the area of preventing and combating violence against women.
- This technical assistance is based on the Council of Europe standards in this area, in particular the *Council of Europe Convention on preventing and combating violence against women, including domestic violence (Istanbul Convention)*.



CO-OPERATION ON VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN

Norway Grants (2009-2014)

- Legal support (gap analysis)
- Training (and materials) of the law enforcement, prosecutors and judges and also on multi-agency co-operation
- Expertise to prepare a handbook for social service providers
- Peer-to-peer support (study visits)
- Study on co-ordinating bodies under different HR mechanisms
- Expertise in designing and implementing a national awareness raising campaign



CO-OPERATION ON VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN

Southern Mediterranean region (Morocco and Tunisia)

- Neighbourhood Partnership 2015-2017: Promoting gender equality and combating violence against women
- Promotion of the Istanbul Convention and international good practices
- Legislative support
- Support to enhance the capacities of the professionals working on VAW



CO-OPERATION ON VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN

Preventing and combating VAW in Ukraine 2013-2016

- Preparing a legal assessment on the compatibility of the Ukrainian legislation with the Istanbul Convention
- Mapping exercise related to the system for collecting administrative data by setting up of minimum common data categories for collecting data on VAW and domestic violence
- Enhancing inter-agency co-operation in the area of victim assistance by establishing recommendations for efficient co-operation between regional and/or local authorities and other relevant stakeholders
- **Ratification expected soon...**