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Access of young people from disadvantaged neighbourhoods to social rights



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— Governments should:

- ▶ develop and implement sustainable, evidence-based public policies that take into consideration the specific situations and needs of young people from disadvantaged neighbourhoods. These policies should aim at preventing and eradicating the poverty, discrimination, violence and exclusion that young people face
- ▶ improve the living conditions of young people from disadvantaged neighbourhoods by providing accessible and affordable public services
- ▶ implement concrete measures to work towards abolition of the segregation and isolation that negatively affect disadvantaged neighbourhoods
- ▶ promote meaningful opportunities and programmes for consultation and participation of young people from disadvantaged neighbourhoods
- ▶ implement concrete measures to enable all young people to exercise their active role in society without discrimination
- ▶ recognise the role of non-formal education and youth work for the prevention of discrimination, violence and exclusion and the promotion of active citizenship
- ▶ develop gender-sensitive approaches to the elaboration of youth policies in disadvantaged neighbourhoods

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