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BASIC DETAILS

Language

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English

Sector: Social & and family affairs
Title (EN): More than a roof over your head

Abstract description (EN):

The present survey focuses on those eleven minimum standards for women's shelters which were defined by a group of experts at the Cologne conference in March 1999. Our principal concern was to ascertain whether the women's shelters in the EU and candidate countries already complied with these standards. The raw data were obtained by means of a questionnaire which was sent first and foremost to WAVE's national network partners, the Focal Points. For the most part these Focal Points are national shelter networks or organisations with extensive experience in the field of prevention. Where such organisations do not exist, it proved difficult and in some cases impossible to obtain answers to the questionnaire.

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