



Antisocial behaviour

Description

Disengagement from the labour market and education increases the incentive to engage in economically motivated criminal activities and other antisocial behaviours. Furthermore, youth offending is often linked to educational underachievement, and studies have shown a causal link between an individual's education and labour market prospects and their probability of turning to economic-related crime. Conversely, not only does unemployment make crime more likely but a criminal record makes future unemployment more likely. In addition to getting involved in criminal activities, NEETs are at a higher risk of involvement in risky behaviour in general. Young NEETs may become engaged in a cumulative set of risk-related behaviours such as alcohol and drug abuse and involvement in crime.

Related intervention approaches



Outreach

Related resources

 Good practice

PLAY YOUR SKILLS

Mobile Gaming App for Identification and documentation of Skills and Competences for disadvantaged young NEETs

Getting NEETs back on track by the "VET-ification" of gaming to encourage

 Good practice

EPIDE (Etablissement Public d'Insertion dans l'emploi)

Young people aged 18-25 who are early leavers, unemployed and/or at risk of exclusion. Young people from disadvantaged urban areas are a priority target group.

them to take part in Vocational Education and Training (VET) or at least get in touch with VET.

 **Austria**  **Germany**  **Ireland**

 **Italy**  **Portugal**  **Spain**

 **France**

Publications

European Commission: Sustainable activation of young people not in employment, education or training (NEETs)

Practitioner's toolkit

This toolkit is intended to assist you in designing and implementing your approach to activate people not in employment, education and training (NEETs). The toolkit provides concrete guidance and tools for PES to assess the NEET challenge and set priorities; draft and implement an Action Plan; and develop new tools, measures and competences from scratch.

 **EU level**

Publications

Lifelong Learning Programme: Preventing and contrasting the NEET phenomenon

How to work with NEETs - A Toolkit for local administrations

At EU level NEETs (Not in Employment Education or Training) are considered one of the most problematic groups in the context of youth unemployment. The aim of the NET not NEET project was to enhance networking and co-operation amongst public and private actors.

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