

## PROJECT PEH021

### "EDUC-PLUS Permanent Training and Professionalism for Quality Services Provided to Children in the Protection System"

#### Update of activities - September 2016

- Under the title "Partnership and Education for Equal Opportunities for Children and Youth in the Protection System", 10 county seminars are planned for the second half of September. The seminars are organised by the General Directorates for Social Assistance and Child Protection in 9 beneficiary counties and GDSACP Sector 1 and are dedicated to the public – private partnership in support of children and youth from the protection institutions. The main objective of the seminars is to facilitate at county level the collaboration between institutions, NGOs, private entities, community representatives in order to identify and put into practice measures aimed at increasing the chances of school and community integration of children and youth from the residential care services.

The seminars are planned as follows:

- GDSACP Sector 1 Bucharest (project partner) – 30.01.2016
  - GDSACP Alba – 13.09.2016
  - GDSACP Arges – 30.09.2016
  - GDSACP Arad – 23.09.2016
  - GDSACP Bacau – 30.09.2016
  - GDSACP Buzau – 21.09.2016
  - GDSACP Cluj - 30.09.2016
  - GDSACP Mehedinti – 29.09.2016
  - GDSACP Mures – 04.10.2016
  - GDSACP Valcea - 30.09.2016
- We are please to announce that the courses under the 4<sup>th</sup> Module of the training for educational staff in residential type services have started. The courses are delivered within the General Directorates for Social Assistance and Child Protection in the 10 beneficiary counties and GDSACP Sector 1. The courses are planned to be carried out by the end of September, their topic being the empowerment of the educational staff working in child protection services in order to face the challenges of their professional activity. The courses address a total number of 240 educators. So far, three training modules have been delivered under the project in order to increase the staff competences in the professional activity undertaken within the residential care services, with the ultimate goal to enhance the quality of the services provided to the beneficiary children.