

Local approach on child prostitution

Municipality of Rotterdam, the Netherlands

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Child prostitution & Trafficking in Persons (NL)

National legislation on trafficking:

- all forms of coercion, violence and exploitation in prostitution, social & economical exploitation in general and, the removal of organs (2005)
- Slavery like practices
- Crime against personal freedom of human beings
- Violation of the psychological and physical integrity
- Violation of fundamental Human Rights.
- Dutch Penal Code: 6 to 15 years imprisonment



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The phenomenon 'loverboys'

- 'loverboy' = pimp
- 'loverboy' = liable to punishment according to article 273f, Dutch Penal Code (trafficking)
- international: Palermo Protocol

- Young criminals operating alone and together in order to: bring minors and adolescents to prostitution through: deception, violence and threat

- Sole goal: exploitation and pursuit of profit
- There is no true love.



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Method of recruitment used by 'loverboys'

The expression 'loverboy' refers to the strategy of recruitment and coercion used: deception of love.

The seduction method is not new, it's been used with adult women and men as part of the cross border trafficking. However, at present it is receiving a great deal of attention.

Method of recruitment:

1. To Encounter
2. To Impress
3. To feign a relationship
4. To push boundaries
5. To have sexual contact
6. To incite to prostitution
7. To exploit



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Local approach on child trafficking (Rotterdam)

Target group:

- Under aged persons and youngsters (- 18 > 23 years)
- Living in Rotterdam,
- towards whom, from facts and circumstances identified:
 - a) a direct threat exists of sexual exploitation by a third party
 - b) or who are already sexually exploited by a third party



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Objectives

- Prevent more victims by identifying risk circumstances and trafficking sooner;
- Early and coordinated intervention to break the circle of violence, coercion and exploitation;
- Victims protection, support and save shelter
- Prosecution of traffickers

These goals are achieved through activities in the field of **P**revention, **P**rotection and **P**rocescution

- Organizing cooperation between professionals



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Set of instruments to prevent and combat TIP

Value chain with:

- Uniform list for identification of TIP
- Code of Conduct: local referral mechanism
- Protocol of collaboration between organisations in:
prevention, support and prosecution
- Protocol for sharing information
- Educational programme for children, adolescents,
professionals



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Results 2005 - 2007

Reports on internal trafficking and assistance provided:

- 2004: Reports of and interventions in only 7 concrete cases
- 2005: 50 reported cases and coordinated interventions in prevention and protection of victims
- 2006: 108 reports and coordinated interventions
- 2007: reports of 112 cases



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Implementation strategy

Organizing:
The netwerk
and
Chain partners
=
Intervention



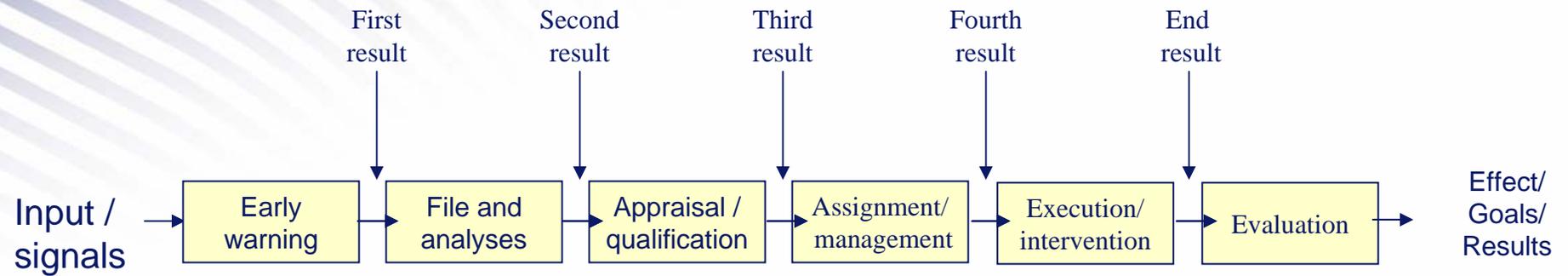
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*Chain partners
deliberate
in different
contexts*



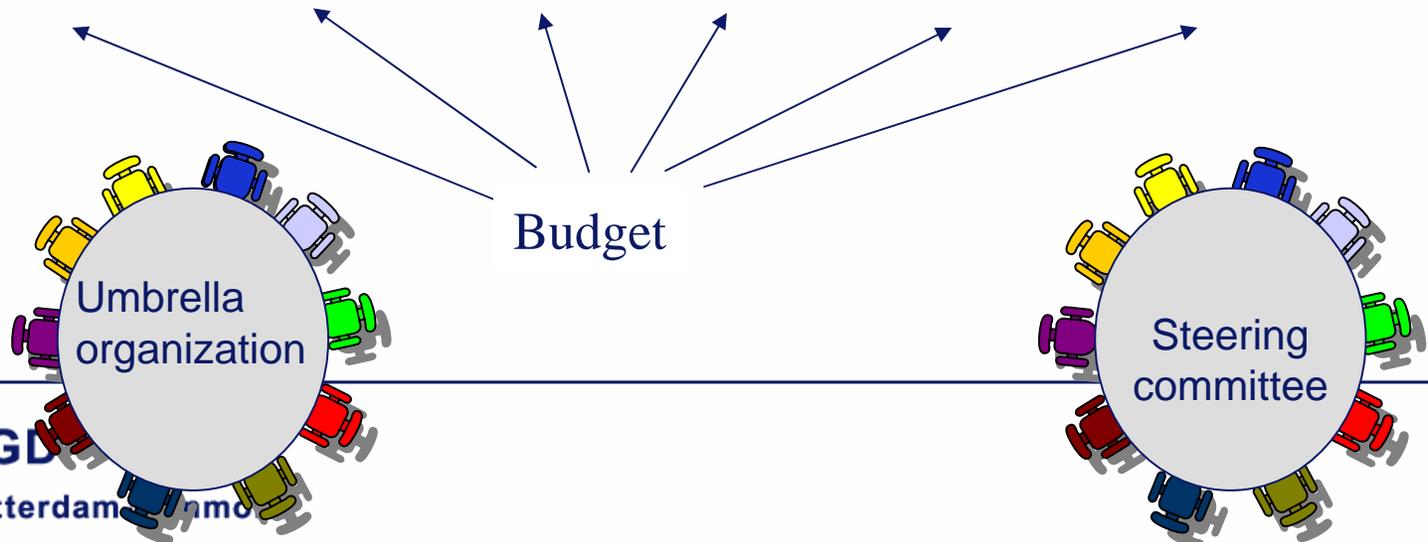
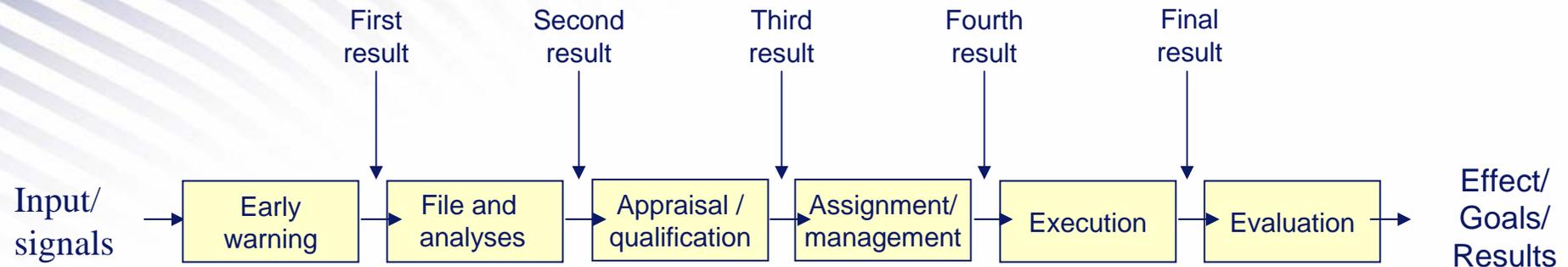
Develop into a process chain



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Activities and management

Chain director: Municipality Rdam



Process responsibility: partners

Direction

Input/
signals

Early/
warning

File and
analysis

Appraisal/
qualification

Assignment/
management

Execution

Evaluation

Effect/
Goals/
Results

Activiteiten:

- Identify signals
- Registration of signals
- Investigation and feedback
- Excution police query

- Trend analysis
- Investigate nature and scale

•Activities:

- Transform input and signals to a case
- Produce a file
- Analysis of files and signals
- Assessment

- Case demarcation
- Criteria for closure of the file

•Activities:

- Prioritise
- Case selection
- Decision making
- Determine case

•Activities:

- Case-manager selection
- Assignment to case manager
- Intervention plan development

•Activities:

- Execute actions (intervention plan)
- Coordinate actions
- Monitoring
- Record the

- Progress of activities
- Aftercare
- Legal actions
- Case closure

•Activities:

- Policy evaluation
- Case-evaluation
- Chain evaluation
- Process evaluation

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