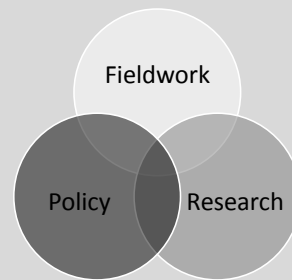


**NEWIP** | NIGHTLIFE EMPOWERMENT  
& WELL-BEING  
IMPLEMENTATION PROJECT

## Safer Nightlife challenges, innovations and solutions

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### Health and nightlife : the stakeholders



### SAFER NIGHTLIFE fieldwork EU Networking

The BASICS Network  
(1998)

The Democracy Cities &  
Drugs Safer Nightlife  
workgroup (2005-2011)

The Nightlife  
Empowerment and Well-  
being Implementation  
Project (NEWIP)

#### Other EU Projects

The Club Health Project  
The Healthy Nightlife toolbox  
The Rednet Project  
...

### SHARING - THE CONTEXT ANALYSIS

- PRINCIPLES
- VALUES

- Numerous persons want to consume drugs and will do it
- Consuming drugs doesn't necessary means « having problems »
- A drug consumer can be interested in tacking care of his health
- It is more efficient to work on other risks than « addiction »
- The priority is the quality of life and the well being of individuals and communities

### IN THE 90s

#### PUBLIC & SPACES

- Mainly electronic free parties
- Focus on Ecstasy users

#### ACTIONS & STRATEGIES

- Field work
- Peer work
- Risk reduction

#### TYPES OF PARTNERSHIP

- Peer group NGOs start EU networking

### IN THE 2000s

#### PUBLIC & SPACES

- All types of venues (Clubs, festivals, parties)
- All types of publics & problematics (health, drugs, mobility, sexuality, external environment, violence)

#### ACTIONS & STRATEGIES

- Field work
- Peer work
- Risk & pleasure Management
- Health Promotion
- Community empowerment
- Participative democracy for nightlife city planning

#### TYPES OF PARTNERSHIP

- EU partnership (NGOs & Admin)
- Local partnership (NGOS, Admin & Nightlife professionals)

**IN THE 2010s****PUBLIC & SPACES**

- Implementation of Safer Nightlife projects in more cities and regions

**TYPES OF PARTNERSHIP**

- EU & Local partnership (NGOS, Admin & Nightlife professionals)

**ACTIONS & STRATEGIES**

- Coordination
- Dissemination
- Evaluation

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**THE EUROPEAN NETWORK FOR SAFER PARTY LABELS**

**4 countries – 80 venues – 1500 staff trained**

The network aims to improve nightlife settings through community empowerment among European cities and regions by implementing quality Labels and Charters for nightlife venues and by enhancing existing ones.

**START A LABEL IN YOUR CITY**

Party+ proposes a service of expert visits to help you start developing a safer nightlife label in your city or region

[WWW.PARTYPLUS.EU](http://WWW.PARTYPLUS.EU)

NEWIP | STANDARDS

To improve field work interventions:

Improving and standardizing existing interventions reducing synthetic drugs related harm, facilitating their transferability and implementation.

**Based on:**

- EQUUS
- Prefri 2.0
- The Healthy Nightlife Toolbox handbook

**Actual partners (OPEN to new partners):**

- Jellinek/Unity (The Netherlands)
- VAD (Belgium)
- Breakline (Belgium)
- Crew 2000 (Scotland)
- Vitalsoundz (Belgium)
- CePT (Luxembourg)

NEWIP | EMERGING MEDIA

To develop innovative technologies and communication tools for harm-reduction/prevention practices

To improve and innovate field work interventions (attraction power, interactivity, users participation...)

To adapt responses to partygoers lifestyle, languages, trendiness, mobility.

To test and validate new solutions efficiency and efficacy

To train peers/professionals in the use of new media in night interventions settings

NEWIP | TRAINING

To train peers and professionals to set up common interventions of a multidisciplinary European team to answer the needs of a European public in party settings.

**First one: May 2011, Bologna**

21 volunteers – 13 projects – 10 countries

**Next one : May 2012**

**Contents:**

- Team building
- Exchange of practice
- Crisis intervention
- New media : serious games and bluetooth technology
- Drug checking
- Evaluation – standards materials

## NEWIP | FIELD INTERVENTION

To promote well-being within recreational settings by implementing health promotion actions in 6 summer European festivals.

In 2011:  
FUSION (DE)  
TRANSYLVANIA CALLING (ROU)

Information and services  
in 7 languages

In 2012: in Spain and Portugal



## NEWIP | TEDI

### TRANS EUROPEAN DRUG INFORMATION

To develop a private electronic database with the relevant data of the groups

To standardize the drug checking protocols of each group and to develop a guide on counselling

To detect new trends and subjective effects of new drugs

To diffuse the warning alerts, synthetic drug trends reports (July 2012) and scientific articles. *Factsheet on drug checking in Europe*

To develop two training sessions

Coming soon: [www.TEDIproject.org](http://www.TEDIproject.org)

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Partners Events Publications Standards  
Drug Checking Training Exchange

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2012 NEWIP Drug Checking  
The TEDI workshop has developed a checklist for drug checking, that gives a complete overview about Drug Checking in Europe today...  
a Backstory

15.10.2012 NEWIP Party - Website  
The Drug Library is in the new phase. It is now to become more about the european context for safer party settings. If you want to help your team...

**SAFER NIGHTLIFE.ORG**

**NEXT EVENTS:**  
May 2012: NEWIP seminars and training sessions  
2012: EU SAFER NIGHT  
"Keep an I on you friends"

- COLLABORATING PARTNERS OPPORTUNITIES  
- NEWIP NEWSLETTER  
- DIGITAL LIBRARY

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