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## **SWOT Analysis of the Slovenian Good Practice** *EDRC perspective*

European Partnership on Adult Education and Mobility for Social Inclusion  
Mobility Activity in Frattamaggiore, Italy  
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# STRENGTHS

- This practice (counting together) encourages individuals to listen to each-other and to coordinate their efforts; useful as a team building exercise;
- This practice (hotchair) gives the participants self confidence while communicating with others, allowing them to discover each other and each others' culture;
- The practice (hotchair) allows the organizers to bring together people with diverse backgrounds. This could be a mean to promote social inclusion and the fact the each person has a chance to speak make it an adequate way to advance equal chances ;
- These practices (numbering, hotchair, singing) do not require other resources in addition to people. The content can be easily adapted to the environment/language/season;
- The football tournament helps participants to find ways to interact beyond language and their knowledge of each others' language.
- The football tournament can be a good and useful practice for conflict management, helping people to focus on their common passion for sports and not the ethnic/language/religious differences.





# WEAKNESSES

- The method (football tournament) will not offer the same benefits if the teams are split on ethnic/language identity lines ;
- The method (football tournament) will not bring maximum benefits without some follow-up activities;
- Insufficient knowledge of the rules of football game on the side of the organizers might make the result less successful;
- Repeating the same words a number of times (in the numbering and singing practices) could make the exercise less stimulating for some quick-learners.





# THREATS

- The goal of the practice (football tournament) might be diminished by racist/violent manifestations occurring on the stadium or presented in media;
- Weather conditions can affect the development of the activity (football tournament);
- The eventual miscommunication between the organizers and the participants (due to different social backgrounds);
- Gender differences makes the method suitable mainly for males (football tournament).





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Thank you!