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We offer services for persons with disabilities by encouraging their personal autonomy and taking care of their needs.

The Galician Confederation of Persons with Disabilities (COGAMI) is a non-profit organization born in 1990 and declared of public utility.

It consists of more than 50 organisations and has the support of 11 business initiatives of social economy that employ over 800 persons with disabilities.

WE FOCUS ON THE PERSON

COGAMI offers specialised services oriented towards persons with disabilities in order to achieve more autonomy, better quality of life and be able to manage themselves according to their needs and interests.

We have representation in the whole Galician territory, with information desks in the 7 main cities. In addition, we move to the rural areas with the purpose of taking care of the needs that persons who need our services could have.

SERVICES

Advice and Intervention

We provide support to persons with disabilities and their families. For that, we inform, advice and orient them on the management and access to the available social resources.

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We carry out interventions aimed at every person with disability (women, minors, people in situation of dependence, etc.). Moreover, we raise awareness among the society by focusing on the skills of the individuals and her or his involvement under equal opportunities.

Employment

Our Service of Information, Orientation and Research of Employment, known for its abbreviation SIL, is a great model in the specialisation of the actions oriented towards the job search.

SIL aims at persons with disabilities to whom the necessary tools for an active job search are given. In addition, it helps companies by providing workers to them, advice and support while the integration into the labour market.

Training

We have a training programme adapted to the needs that persons with disabilities could have. The objective is to achieve their incorporation into the workforce, in every course taught, people's needs and the demands of the area business sector are taken into account.

Accessibility

On the one hand, we offer advice about legislation, technical assistance, ergonomics and areas. On the other hand, also about the improvement of houses accessibility and public or private buildings by following the principles of the universal design.

In addition, we carry out consultant activities, we give advice and we create projects for accessibility improvement and the removal of barriers. The aim is to improve persons with disabilities autonomy.

Supporting products

We have at people's disposal a service of lending supporting products. For that, we make a previous evaluation of the situation.

Daytime Assistance

We have places in day and occupational centres that offer personalized care for users. They receive it through programmes of rehabilitation, basic education, handmade and training workshops and sporting, cultural and recreational programmes. Moreover, they also have the adapted transport service and eating facilities.

Organisations Assistance

We provide information and specialized advice services oriented towards organisations of the social sector. We also carry out the resources management, we organise courses, social raising awareness and health events, and we encourage the participation in adapted recreational activities for everybody.