

## **‘ALL WALLS do fall and the end ...’**

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**KEYWORDS :** **WALLS** & barriers (...individual, cultural, economic, social...);  
**WHO** is on the **other side** ? the look of the other...  
**PERSON** in the first, as migrant - refugee - asylum seeker  
**HOME-less.... HEALTH-less... HOPE-less... PEOPLE**  
**WELKOME** and/or distrust, fear, exploitation and reject...  
**LIFE & Well-being** as fundamental **RIGHT** before the **SOLIDARITY**

**BACKGROUND** *‘Dignity & Well being* : REPORT of SMES-Europa initiative (2024-17)  
concerning the European exchanges and inter-visions project, about the  
pathways and the interventions, in favour of home-less mentally ill people’  
**In 50 profiles** analysed and evaluated of people permanently in the streets  
and with mental health problems **15 persons are migrants people.**  
*When people has lost everything is completely at the mercy of the other.....*

**INTERVENTIONS:** **In the first to go meet** people where they are, outreaching, in order to

- understand
- evaluate
- propose.

The more important it's how to understand the person with his needs and through his / her help requests, evaluated by a multidisciplinary team.  
And not how to get rid of these people.

**In the second** : the important is how to promote and facilitate the access to health and social services (basic right) for respect of human dignity and positive integration for everyone.

**Continuity** : to accompany these people in the pursuit of well-being while realistically recognizing all the contextual difficulties and promoting the multidisciplinary and pluri-sector co-working of different field and services involved : social & health, housing & job of public and private sectors.