

European Competence Centre for Social Innovation

On-site Event: 'Integrated Approaches to Material Support: Accompanying Measures and Partnerships in Practice'

Key information

Date: 24-25 March 2026

Location: Onsite

Agenda

Time (CET)	24 March
09:00 - 09:30	Registration
09:30 - 09:50	Opening and Welcome Maria Teresa Bellucci, Vice-Minister, Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs Barbara Funari, Councilor for Social Affairs, Municipality of Rome Ruth Paserman, Director - Funds: Programming and Implementation, DG EMPL, European Commission Sabina Bankauskaitė, Deputy Director, European Social Fund Agency, European Competence Centre for Social Innovation
09:50 - 10:30	Material Support System and the Role of Accompanying Measures in Italy Representative of Managing Authority, Italy (TBC)
10:30 - 10:50	Presentations by Partner Organisations – Part I. Food Aid and Accompanying Measures: Promoting Social Service Networks at Community Level - Emanuele Perrotta, Associazione Banco Alimentare Roma, (A warehouse of opportunities) - Giuseppe Tamburro, Banco Opere della Carità, (Food aid and social empowerment)
10:50 - 11:20	Coffee Break

11:20 - 11:40	<p>Presentations by Partner Organisations – Part II</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Marco Piuri, Fondazione Banco Alimentare, (Promoting territorial networks for accompanying measures) - Barbara Rosina, he President of National Council of Social Workers, (Food aid and social inclusion: the centrality of the person in networking with Ops)
11:40 - 11:55	Q&A Session
11:55 - 13:00	Panel Session
13:00 - 14:30	Lunch
14:30 - 18:30	<p>Study Visits</p> <p>Participants will be divided into four groups.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Caritas “Cittadella della carità”, food distribution and social opportunities - Comunità di Sant’Egidio Casa dell’Amicizia, Material assistance and social facilities and services - Red Cross, Experiencing Community Care and Food Aid - Sempre Insieme per la Pace, From material assistance to information, counselling, support and legal aid
19:00 - 20:30	Dinner

Time (CET)	25 March
09:30 - 10:00	Registration
10:00 - 10:20	Reflection and Feedback on Study Visits
10:20 - 10:35	<p>Overview of the EU Anti-Poverty Strategy</p> <p>Representative of the European Commission (TBC),</p>
10:35 - 10:45	Q&A Session
10:45 - 12:00	Working Groups on Material Support and Accompanying Measures: Building Bridges Between People and Service Providers
12:00 - 12:05	Closing Remarks
12:05 - 13:15	Light Lunch