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Purpose

With this project, we aimed to provide haircuts and personal care to the children of families in need and the nursing home residents. In this way, we aimed to improve the professional development of the apprentice students in our team while serving the people in need.

Proje Details

School Name: Esenyurt Vocational Training Centre **Project Name:** Voluntary Barber at My School Project

Target Audience

The target audience of our project consists of apprentice students and teachers in our school, master trainers with whom we are in close contact, nursing home staff and residents, children and young people.

80 apprentice students and **3** teachers worked for the project;



- **20** nursing home residents were provided with haircut and personal care services,
- **63** children/young people were given hairstyle design and haircut services.

Collabrations

Orhangazi Neighbourhood Unit

1Person

Private Gulsah Nursing Home

2 Persons

During the preparation phase of our project, we met with the Mukhtar of Orhangazi Neighbourhood and the people residing around the school. We identified the people in need of haircuts and personal care and call them to inform about our project.



We shared our project idea with apprentice students studying in the field of beauty and hair care services in our school and included volunteer students in our team.



By organizing a visit to the Private Gulsah Nursing Home, we informed the institution manager about our project and requested support for its implementation.

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By creating an appointment system, we carried out hairstyle designs and haircuts of children and young people residing around the school.



We visited the residents of the nursing home and did their haircuts and personal care. We have developed our sensitivity and solidarity muscles for people in need in our society.



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What do beneficiaries and practitioners think about the project?



With this project, we both improved our professional skills and had a great opportunity to cooperate. I'm glad we did this work.

It was worth the whole world to hear positive comments from the people we provided care services and to witness the happiness of children.

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Parents accompanying the children said that they were economically relieved and that the children counted the days to receive this service. Hearing these things increased our enthusiasm.



Recommendations for implementing and improving the project

Increasing the scope of implementation by involving different stakeholders in the project Receiving contribution of masters and master trainers who serve in the field of beauty and hair care services

- Making the implementation a standard practice in the apprenticeship training field of beauty and hair care services
- Identifying the barber/hairdresser wastes that can be recycled and carrying out "reduction" works
- Continuing to provide services periodically to the same people to whom the service was provided, strengthening personal ties with these people Implementing cooperation processes by adapting them to all occupations in the school







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