Coverage of state subsidised outreach youth work in 2017

Contact (request)
26,499 young people
All requests, where a young person should be reached

- Young person does not have the need or desire to start cooperation
- Reached 18,550 young people
- Cooperation continues after contact

- In the measure: 13,716 young people
- Not yet covered by measures: 4,425 young people
- Refused measures: 409 young people

- 286 local authorities
- 590 workers
- 12,638,000 € state subsidies

Source: Regional State Administrative Agency
Outreach youth work is work with marginalized youth that aims to help young people under the age of 29 who are not in education or employment or who need support to reach the services they need.

Outreach youth work offers young people individual support and guidance. Key elements of outreach youth work include encountering, comprehensiveness and trust. Outreach youth work is voluntary for the young person.

Outreach youth work is provided for in the Youth Act (1285/2016). The Outreach Youth Work Report is a summary of national outreach youth work in 2016. A total of 236 organisations responded to the questionnaire. The results of the 2016 questionnaire are also available at the nuorisotilastot.fi website.

Source: Ministry of Education and Culture/Regional State Administrative Agency (National Outreach Youth Work Questionnaire)