

## PROGRAM TRAINING COURSE

### "TOURISM ACCESSIBLE TO ALL"

Day 1 – 21 March 2017  
Introduction to Accessible Tourism

#### The seminar program

Registration of participants

Greetings

1. General aspects of accessible tourism
  - 1.1 definition of accessible tourism (Tourism for All)
  - 1.2 The different types of disabilities
  - 1.3 The legislation on accessible tourism
  - 1.4 Potential market of accessible tourism
  - 1.5 Development of tourism available in Italy and in Europe

*Lunch break*

2. The service designed for customers with special needs
  - 2.1 Classification of the specific needs
  - 2.2 Basic Glossary and key concepts on disability
  - 2.3 Decalogue for travelers (travel habits of people with special needs)
  - 2.4 Information on accessibility: the availability and quality of information
  - 2.5 Accessibility in the transport system
  - 2.6 Reception and relationships (service models to the customer with specific needs)
  - 2.7 Accessibility Rating
3. Examples of good practice

Debate

Conclusion

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Day 2 – 22 March 2017  
Guidelines for accommodation

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- 1 Main accessibility barriers and issues to consider in relation to the different specific needs:
  - Accommodations



- Restaurants and bars
- Other services

1.1 Practical activities: tours in an area of the building blindfolded to understand the difficulties of a person with visual impairment

2 Accessibility of green spaces and trails / natural areas

3 Information and booking services

3.1 Importance of web accessibility

3.2 Sites on accessibility

Lunch break

4 Testimony of managers of tourism products and / or establishments accessible

5 Self-evaluation tools and monitoring to assess the accessibility (accommodation, restaurants and other facilities for leisure)

Debate

Conclusion

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**Day 3 – 27 March 2017**  
**Guidelines for tourist agencies**

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1 Main barriers to accessibility of tourist destinations

2 Concept of "affordable chain"

3 Design of accessible tourism products (how to organize an affordable trip)

3.1 Customer needs

3.2 Sources of information on available services (accommodation, restaurants, transportation, museums, etc.)

3.3 cultural / sightseeing routes

3.4 Sports (adaptations needed for the various activities: hiking, mountain biking, etc.).

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4 Improving and promoting tourist activities through channels available

5 Marketing adequate tourist packages (distribution and sales)

6 Presentation of a tour package available model

Debate

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