



SPEAK UP is a new educational project of the Competence Centre for Prevention and Empowerment (ZWST). The project is aimed at specialists from schools, sports and civil society and supports them in intervening against anti-semitism. **SPEAK UP** also aims to expand the OFEK e.V. counselling philosophy and to make it available across Europe.

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Intervention and Crisis Management following Antisemitic Incidents



School

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Antisemitism at school has only recently received media and political attention, although those affected have long been subjected to it. The extensive and long-term expertise of the Competence Centre (ZWST) and its current qualitative studies show the need for the expansion of intervention and prevention measures.

SPEAK UP develops innovative educational and counseling formats and measures, connects school-specific actors in Germany and Europe and makes the measures available to other actors and institutions in the form of handouts and manuals.

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Sport

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Antisemitism can be perceived at various levels in sport. Jewish children and young adults are increasingly reporting antisemitic insults and attacks in the field of amateur sport. This development testifies to the difficulty in appropriately identifying and countering antisemitic incidents,

SPEAK UP develops a model intervention procedure, trains specialists and connects those affected with appropriate advisory and counselling institutions.

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Counselling

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Antisemitic experiences are profound and long-lasting, but only a small part of the professional support available reaches those affected. In schools, online and in social media people especially face frequent disturbing and hurtful antisemitic attacks. Comprehensive counselling and support for those affected have not yet been firmly established. For several years now, Counseling Centre OFEK has been committed to offering restorative and strengthening counselling services to individuals, groups and communities.

SPEAK UP supports this development and contributes to making OFEK's counselling services more widely known and accessible. For this purpose, an innovative online advisory platform will be established, which is aimed specifically at the younger generation.

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