



The European Family Support Network



INTERMEDIATE RESULTS BROCHURE

1. The network

1.1 Description of the network

The Action aims to inform family policies and practices towards the ultimate goal of ensuring children's rights and families' well-being by building collaborations between researchers, practitioners, policy-makers, children and families, public and private agencies, and general society.

Structure

The European Family Support Network (EurofamNet) is a bottom-up, evidence-based, multidisciplinary network funded as an Action (CA18123) under the COST program.

Principles

EurofamNet is a pan-European family support network focused on family support policies and practices that works under the following principles:

RIGHTS ORIENTED

ETHICAL PRACTICE

MULTI & CROSS-SECTORAL
MULTI & INTER-DISCIPLINARY

POLICY & PRACTICE AWARE

EVIDENCE- INFORMED

PLURALIST APPROACH TO RESEARCH
& EVALUATION DESIGN

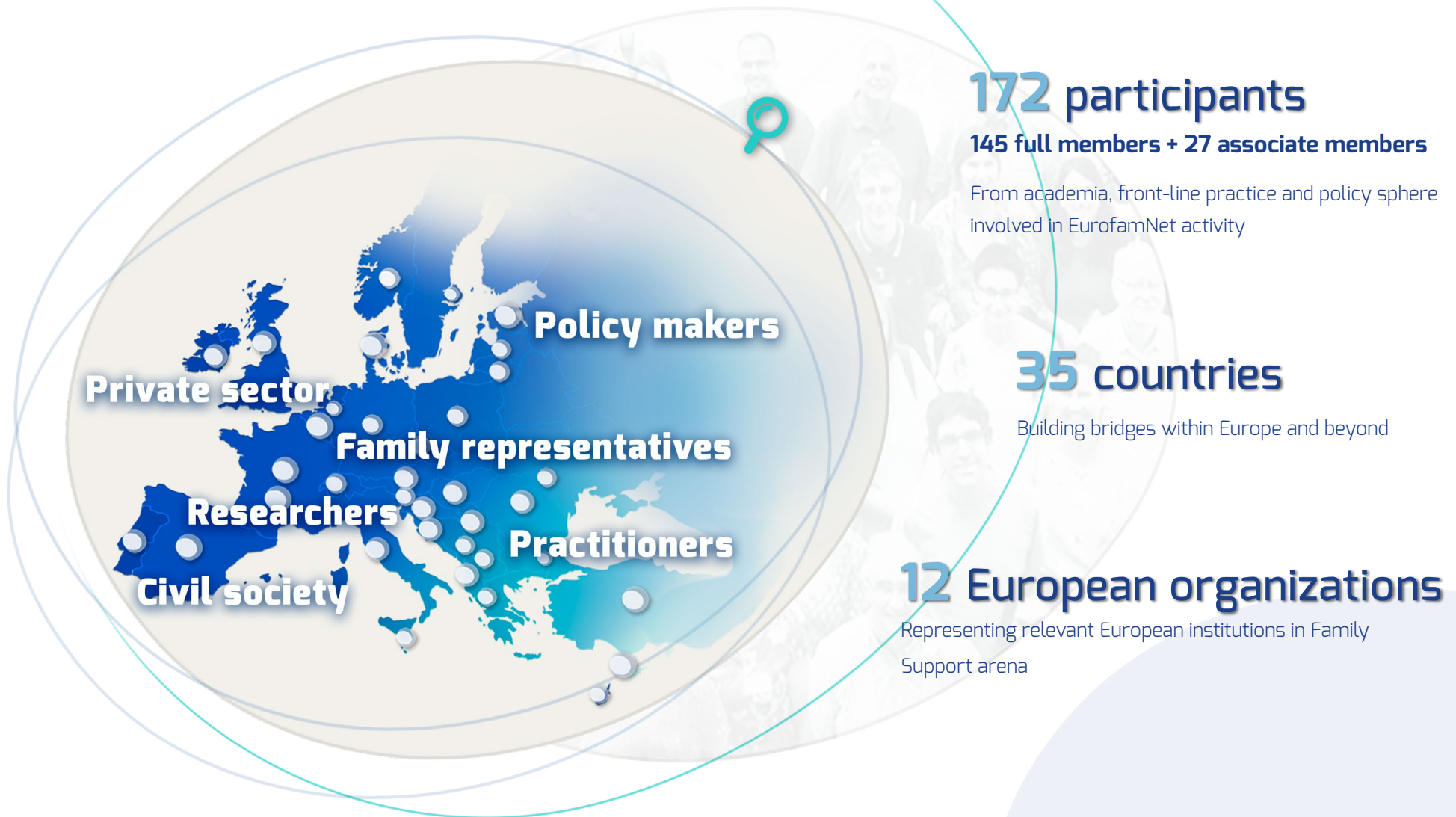
INCLUSIVE COMMUNICATION & LANGUAGE



1.2 Network objectives

- To produce an innovative **conceptual framework** for family support research.
- To enable **frontier-knowledge** responses to parenting across the life-course and in particular to challenges faced by families affected by migration (including intra-European one), psychosocial risk, mental health issues, or that are multicultural or diverse in structure.
- To support the **professionals and the policy making institutions** in family support with high quality knowledge adapted to their needs from a trans-national collaboration framework.
- To mobilise a **critical mass of researchers** across Europe for family support research, working through coordinated activities that are multidisciplinary and inclusive.
- To contribute with **high quality training** of the future generations of European researchers in the field of family support from an evidence-based and pluralistic approach.
- To **fully incorporate ICT** (information and communications technologies) approaches in family support, in the whole Action as well as through the involvement of ICT engineers in the Network. To make the use of new technologies visible in family online support research.
- To **raise awareness** among key European and international stakeholders in family support by involving them into the Action and disseminating internationally with interactive tools.

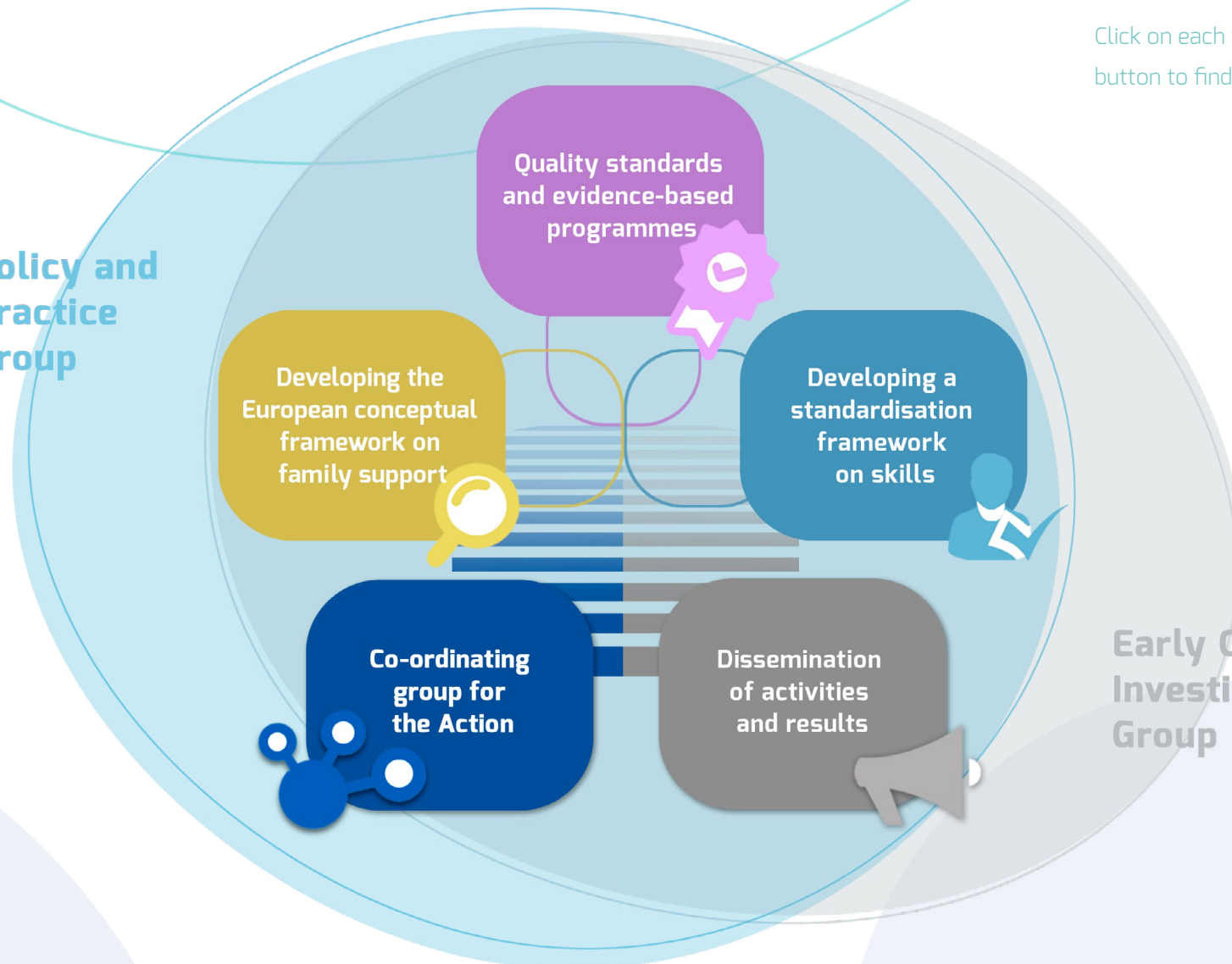
1.3 Map of Action participants








1.4 Graphic description of Working Groups

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**Policy and
Practice
Group**



1.5 Deliverables of the Working Groups

		May 19	Nov 19	May 20	Nov 20	Nov 21	May 22	Nov 22	May 23
		Oct 19	Apr 20	Oct 20	Oct 21	Apr 22	Oct 22	Apr 23	Oct 23
WP1  Co-ordinating group for the Action	Management Committee meetings	1 st and 2 nd meeting	3 rd meeting	4 th meeting	5 th and 6 th meeting	7 th meeting	8 th meeting	9 th meeting	Final conference
	Eurofamnet principles	Foundational document							
	Eurofamnet structure	Launching	Map european stakeholders		Monitoring report		Monitoring report		Sustainability report
	Action results				Intermediate brochure				Final brochure
WP2  Developing the European conceptual framework on family support	Family support organization and delivering				Research report Policy brief	Academic paper Policy brief			
	New realities and families targeted-needs				Stakeholders workshop		Academic paper Policy brief		
WP3  Quality standards and evidence-based programmes	Programme' quality standards		Map of agencies		Research report Policy brief		Training school	Academic paper	
	Evaluation strategies' position				Academic paper Policy brief		Training school		
	Evidence-based programmes				Stakeholders workshop Catalogue		Training school	ICT-focused research report	
	Evaluation tools						Catalogue	Academic paper	
WP4  Developing a standardisation framework on skills	Skills standards for workforce in family support		Map of agencies		Academic paper Research report Policy brief				
	Standardisation framework on family support workforce skills						Stakeholders workshop	Catalogue Academic paper Policy brief	Training school
WP5  Dissemination of activities and results	EurofamNet dissemination strategy	Foundational document			Monitoring report Dissemination activities		Monitoring report Dissemination activities		Dissemination activities compilation
	Interactive platform			Launching					Sustainability report



Click on each deliverable along the Action's timeline to find out more

2. EurofamNet outputs

2.1 Toolbox

- 5 Research reports 🔍
- 1 Special issue in Social Work and Social Sciences Review journal 🔍
- 9 Academic papers 🔍
- 8 Policy briefs 🔍
- 4 Practice resources 🔍
- 4 Videos with Voices from the Frontline 🔍
- 6 Videos about EurofamNet 🔍
- 8 Conference presentations introducing EurofamNet 🔍



2.2 Activities

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EurofamNet meetings

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EurofamNet workshops and open events aimed at society at large

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STSMs

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Dissemination Meetings Grants

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Training Schools

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EurofamNet has participated in

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