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ESR Issue

A recurring question concerning undocumented minors is the accessibility to health services in case an accident occurs during a sports practice or competition. In such circumstances, access to health services is guaranteed by law. However, few actors involved know about this.



NHRI Action

Together with the Federation of Sports Organisations and Flemish sports authorities, Myria developed a leaflet which outlines how health services can be accessed in case of a sports injury. The leaflet shows that even if an athlete is an undocumented minor, they still have access to a full range of health services.



Impact

The diversity of partners involved in the production of the leaflet meant that a range of actors took ownership of it. All authorities involved supported its production and encouraged its use. The leaflet has also been updated a few times with the involvement of UNIA and the Commissioner for Children's Rights.



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