

Cooperation mechanisms

This section provides examples of how national human rights structures collaborate to implement EU law. The protection and promotion of human rights within the EU require collective action across various structures and mandates. The mapping offers practical cases of cooperation designed to facilitate peer learning, although it does not claim to be exhaustive. Effective national human rights frameworks depend on both formal and informal collaboration among key stakeholders, including human rights statutory bodies, civil society organisations, government bodies, and parliamentary committees. Such partnerships promote coordinated efforts and the exchange of expertise, enhance rights awareness, help operationalise human rights principles, address gaps in protection, and reduce unnecessary duplication. The Tool includes two examples for each country, with supplementary details and, when available, additional practices under "more information." The Practices section outlines mechanisms that support cooperation among stakeholders, such as formal and informal arrangements. These mechanisms include collaborative working relationships, joint initiatives, memoranda of understanding, protocols, and advisory councils.

MS	Title	Partners	Description	More details
Slovenia	Media and information literacy (Medijska in informacijska pismenosti (MiPi)) project	The MiPi project is particularly interesting from the perspective of interactions and cooperation among various human rights structures, as it brings together many different project partners.	The MiPi project covers the themes of media literacy, information literacy, internet safety, children and the media, and inappropriate content (e.g. cyberbullying or online sexual abuse), with the aim of 'raising awareness among the general public about the importance of critical and informed use of media content and information technologies'. The MiPi project is particularly interesting from the perspective of interactions and cooperation among various human rights structures, as it brings together many different project partners. The MiPi project also includes elements of vertical cooperation among human rights mechanisms and structures: not only are many of the aforementioned partners also financed through EU funds, but the MiPi project is also partnered with international civil-society organisations, such as the European Association for Viewers Interests. For more information, see Background information for the FRA human rights structures tool.	View more

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