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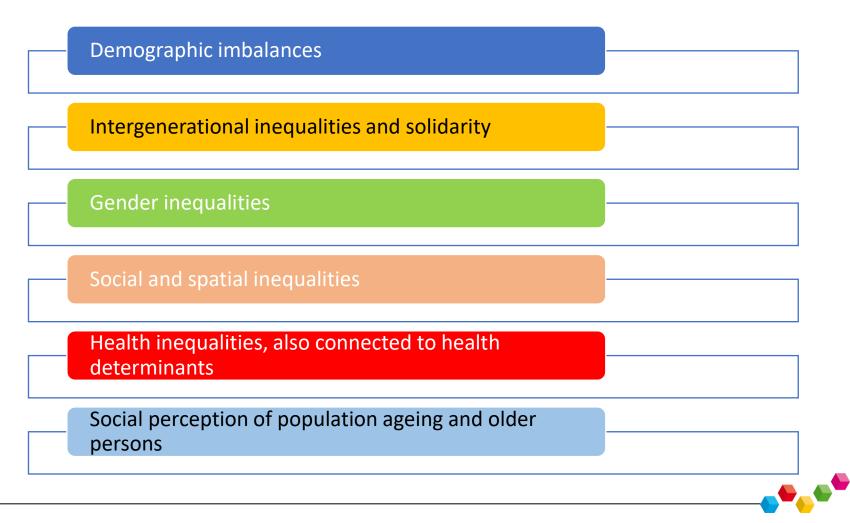
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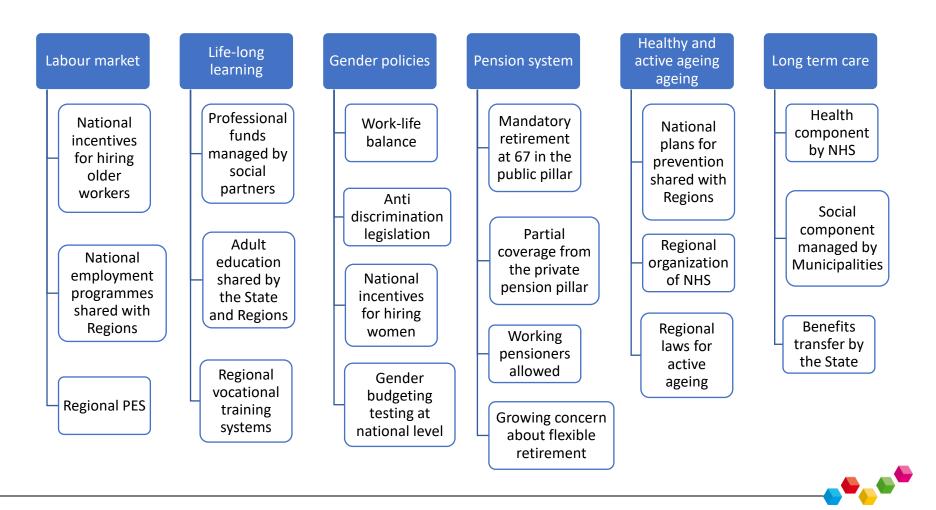
POINTS OF ATTENTION

The adaptation of societies in general, and of Italian society in particular, to population ageing recalls several points of attention for policy action



PUBLIC SECTOR, WELFARE AND POLICIES

The structure of the Italian public sector in general, and the welfare system in particular, still cause a certain fragmentation of policies, also in relation to the different social groups addressed



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- ✓ Adopting a whole of Government approach and a whole of society approach at the same time seems the most effective way to overcome existing policy fragmentation and bottlenecks
- ✓ Overarching goal Mainstreaming ageing in all policies



Whole of Government approach

- Engage relevant government departments and line ministries and specialized agencies
- (where possible) Engage Parliament as well as representatives from regional and local government

Governmental as well as societal perspectives

Whole of society approach

 Inclusion of non-governmental stakeholders System-wide incorporation of ageing priorities



Source: UNECE, Guidelines for Mainstreaming Ageing, United Nations, Geneva, 2021

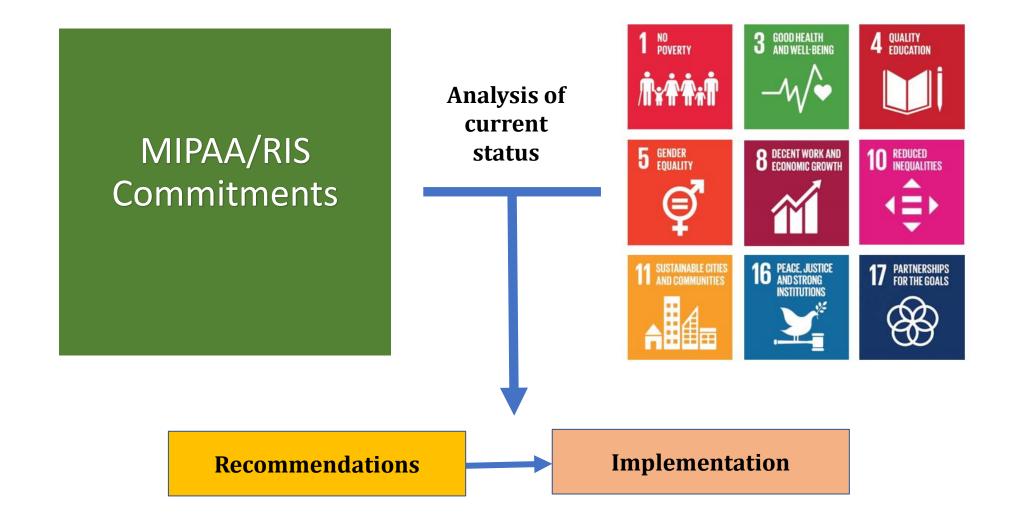




- ✓ Collect information about the status of the art at national and regional level, concerning policies/intervention of active ageing;
- ✓ Develop guidelines for modeling interventions for active ageing and social inclusion of older people at national/local level;,
- ✓ Collaborate to the realization of the Fourth review and appraisal cycle of the implementation of the MIPAA/RIS;
- ✓ Disseminate the results of the project, at national and international level



PROJECT ACTIVITIES (2019-2022)





NEW PROJECT ACTIVITIES (november 2022 – February 2025)

- ✓ Dissemination of the results of the previous stage of the project at regional level
- ✓ Regional workshops involving Public Administrations and civil society stakeholders on the implementation of active ageing policies in the next 3 years
- ✓ Exchange of experiences among Regions
- ✓ Development of a methodology of age sensitivity analysis of policies at national level
- ✓ Analysis of the current status of policies and measures in support of informal care givers



GOL Programme

Mission 5, Component 1 of NRRP - Employment policies

Timing: 2021/2025

Budget: 4,4 billion euro + 600 milions to strenghten Public Employment Services

and 600 millions addressed to the dual education system

3 milions of beneficiaries up to 2025. 75% women, long term unemployed, younger people < 30, persons with disabilities and 55+

800.000 beneficiaries at the minimum will be involved in training; among these, 300.000 will be inolved in training initiatives concerning digital skills.

By september 2022, 19.6% of current beneficiaries of GOL were 55+; among these, 3.9% and 3.4% were long term unemployed man and women, respectively



National Plan for not Autonomous People 2022-2024

- ✓ On August 3, 2022, the Government and the Regions agreed on the National Plan for not Autonomous People 2022-2024.
- ✓ Budget: 2,6 billions euros from the National Fund for not Autonomous People and support from the Mission 5 of the NRRP
- ✓ Definition of minimum levels of services to provide
- ✓ Reorganization of social services and health assistance for long term care
- ✓ Gradual transformation of monetary transfer in «in kind» services, possibly binding monetary transfer to the hiring of personal services in line with the individual care plan agreed with local authorities
- ✓ Strenghtening of integration of social and health components of care, especially by means of multidisciplinary care teams and one stop shops for accessing services

National Plan for the Family 2022

- ✓ On August 10, 2022, the Government and the Regions also agreed on the National Plan for the Family 2022-2024.
- ✓ The Plan addresses the gender dimension within the Family, both on the side of the participation of women in the labour market and the sharing of the care load
- ✓ The plan also addresses the older component of families and target the promotion of active ageing intivatives which improve the participation of older persons in the community and intergenerational relationships
- ✓ The Plan is framed in the measures envisaged by the NRRP, the Family Act, approved on April 2022, the national and European legislation on the protection of children, the National Strategy for Gender Equality, the National Strategy for the Violence Against Women and the National Plan for Social Services.





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