



## ***ROUND TABLES/DEBATES REPORT*** ***December / January 2013***

- *Partner: Vardakeios*
- *Target group: Women immigrants*

Let's do it better project is based on educational and training competences of the participants, in order to become promoters of their own social emancipation and social integration.

Round tables and debates based on interviews with the beneficiaries are an inspiration both for beneficiaries and professionals to think about how popular education and social mediation promote social and political empowerment of target group.

Please describe - according to the beneficiaries -

### ***1. how popular education and social mediation contribute to valorize beneficiaries as professionals in terms of:***

#### **o equal opportunities**

- The drama workshop project made the beneficiaries to realise that through art they can have equal opportunities to show their talents and to collaborate with other people. They have the chance to express their ideas, to suggest new things, to change the process if it's necessary.

#### **o social inclusion**

The drama workshop was an excellent opportunity for women to show to the local community that they can have other roles than that of a mother and immigrant.



o intercultural dialogue

The participants were women from different countries and backgrounds. Through the workshop they realized their differences and their similarities and they exchanged ideas coming from their origin . The audience of the play was surprised and fascinated to see foreign women acting in Greek language.

*2. how the practices of active citizenship and equal opportunities promote a process of target group's social and political empowerment*

The participants through this project became more confident of themselves. The collaboration with the other participants and the successful exposition to the audience made them realize how powerful they are and that they can achieve anything if they work hard. The message of the theatrical play is “together we can fight the injustice”. This is a very important political message in this difficult period for Greece.