

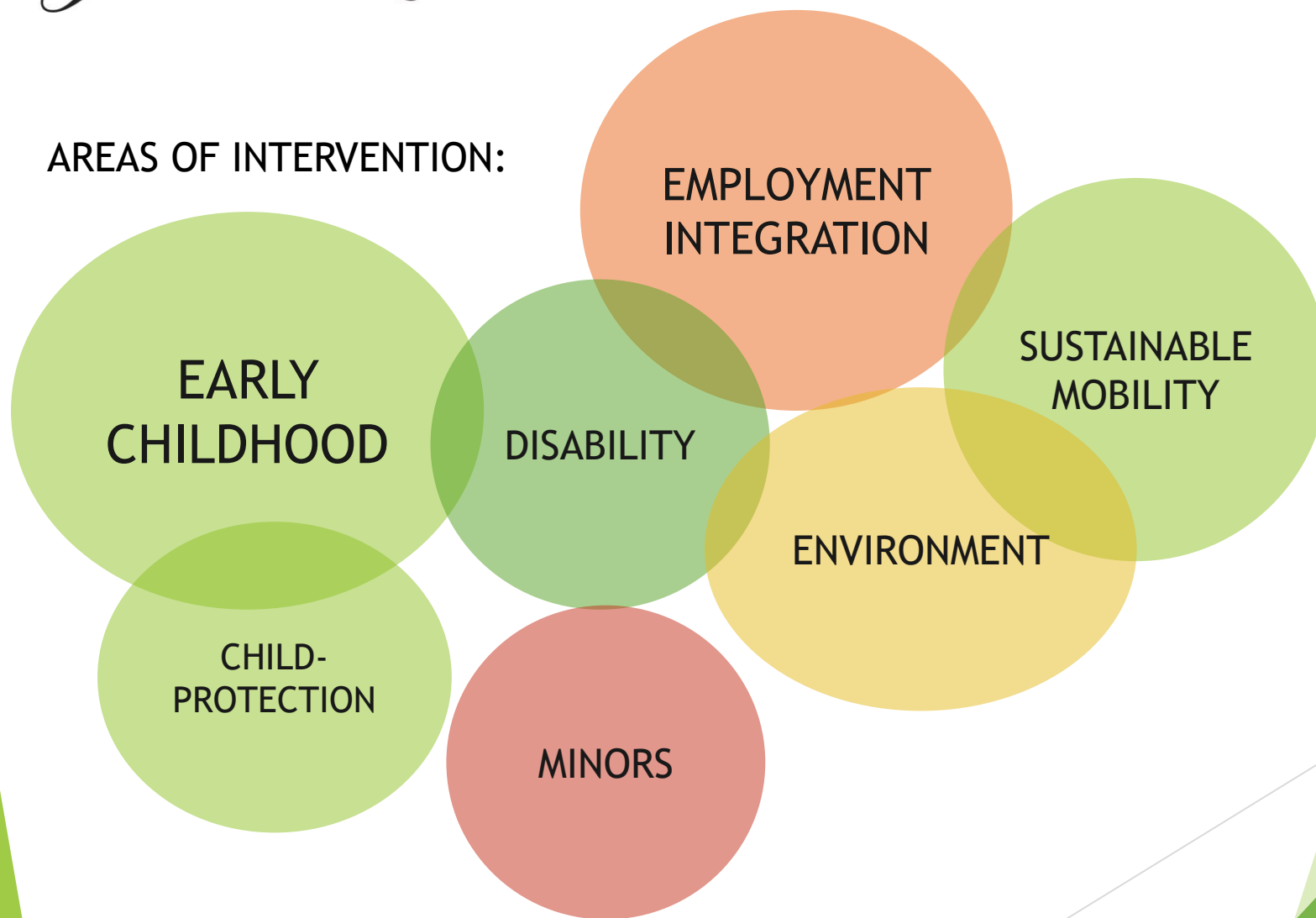


Il Germoglio cooperative has been active since 1991, managing and designing educational services for minors and youth with fewer opportunities in the city of Ferrara, in Italy.

It operates in different areas of intervention, striving to respond to the ever-evolving needs. Its efforts are mainly directed towards individuals in situations of social disadvantage, for whom the pursuit of dignity is a challenging goal if not accompanied by a pathway of employment.

The main areas of intervention are social-educational, employment integration and inclusion, sustainable mobility and environment.

AREAS OF INTERVENTION:





MINORS:

Within the educational sector, the cooperative manages several kindergartens and preschools throughout the Ferrara area. Moreover, it operates in the field of disability and social challenges, providing educational and care services within local schools as well as extracurricular activities. It also offers home-based and educational services for both minors and vulnerable adults. Il Germoglio works closely with local social services and manages “neutral spaces” ensuring child-protection.



Il Germoglio is a multi-purpose Social Cooperative which, in accordance with Law 381/1991, identifies as its general community interest the promotion and the social integration of the human being through the management of social, healthcare, and educational services, as well as through various activities aimed at the employment inclusion of disadvantaged individuals.

From its original educational mission primarily focused on childhood, the cooperative's work inclusion function has evolved over the years into a concrete and structured response to the emerging needs of at-risk groups within the adult population of the area.

The cooperative, through a UNI ISO 9001-certified organizational process coordinated by a specific internal function (the **R.I.L. - Work Inclusion Manager**), works daily to meet these needs by making available its facilities, services, and expertise, in close collaboration with the relevant local networks and institutions (Regional Employment Agency, Targeted Placement Office, Social Services, Local Health Authority, Penitentiary Institute, and local associations).



For this reason, the cooperative manages several work inclusion projects in the fields of cycling, catering, and environmental sustainability.

PROJECTS OF EMPLOYMENT INTEGRATION:

Our “**Ricicletta**” project helps people with disabilities acquire technical skills related to bicycles while also promoting sustainable mobility through organized activities.

Our **Restaurant- Catering** project introduces them to the world of work and helps them engage with the local community. The restaurant spaces also host other community initiatives, creating truly inclusive environments.

Our **Environment** project promotes sustainability and eco-design while supporting employment inclusion.



Our team is made up of professional educators, psychologists, social workers, and social care operators.

We work in close collaboration with local social services, neuropsychiatry units, the Municipality of Ferrara, and various associations active in our fields of operation.

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We are open to any proposals and collaboration.

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