

Montsià, Catalunya, Spain



RESULTS

1st technical assistance of the Energy Poverty Advisory Hub 2022-2023

DISCOVER EPAH



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Energy poverty phase: Diagnosis



Topics: Energy poverty diagnosis; Equity and justice

The **Montsià regional authority**, with the collaboration of **Enginyeria Sense Fronteres**, developed a technical assistance which consisted in the elaboration of a **social diagnosis of energy poverty** in the region, as well as the creation of a process of categorisation of energy vulnerable homes for the implementation of palliative measures in three phases.

Objectives

The project aimed at establishing recommendations based on the conclusions of the diagnosis. Other objectives included carrying out knowledge transfer activities aimed at the different actors involved, preparing a final report, and prioritising networking with entities that have already addressed the issue previously and establish customary and transparent dynamics.

Activities & Outcomes

The technical assistance resulted in 6 project meetings, 6 interviews and a focus group in Amposta, a comprehensive diagnosis report, and 2 knowledge transfer sessions.

Challenge

Experts pointed out the lack of data broken down by municipality and county as the main challenge. This affected the capacity to carry out a detailed diagnosis and led to changes in the initial work plan. As a result, the project's timeline and budget differed greatly from the original estimations.



The technical assistance streamlined a multi-governance approach to address energy poverty in the region, involving supramunicipal and local authorities, social organisations, companies, and civil society.



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