

We are a Civil Society organization dedicated to **promoting comprehensive development in early childhood and transforming the reality of the elderly.**

Founded in 1973 by María del Carmen and Sara Navarro Viola, and Marta Navarro Viola de Herrera Vegas, three sisters who wanted to pass on their heritage and give continuity to the public assistance deeds they carried out throughout their lives, Navarro Viola Foundation mission is to support **education, social medicine and care for the elderly.**



More than four decades later, this mission continues to guide our daily work, adapting to the challenges posed by the new times. Today, this is the core of our purpose of **identifying and developing initiatives that inspire, mobilize, transform the reality and promote a comprehensive development, especially during early childhood and old age.**

EARLY CHILDHOOD



Alongside with families, educators and the community, we work so that boys and girls can receive during early childhood the care, education and healthcare they need for their full development.

- With **PIP Early Childhood First**, we provide families in vulnerable situations with tools and guidelines on parenting, care and teaching. From a comprehensive and community approach, we strengthen child development.
- Through **Good Start for Early Childhood Education**, we strengthen and accompany early childhood institutions by training educators, teachers, managers and local technical teams.
- **Upbringing as a family** is meant to bring families up-to-date information in plain language on upbringing, care and health, to enhance the development of boys and girls during early childhood.

THE ELDERLY

We want to build a country where the elderly are respected, can live a dignified, safe, active and healthy life, where they are the true protagonists of their stories. To achieve this, we need to bury the myths around old age, showing that there are as many ways of living it as there are elder people in the world, and we promote active ageing.

- We created **Elderly Voices**, a federal registry of stories +60 to resignify the view of our society towards the elderly, providing a space where they are protagonists and can make their experiences and knowledge visible.
- **We extend and promote the rights of the elderly**, so that, as a society, we guarantee their fulfillment. We invite experts in different related topics to share their knowledge and experiences in the *International Seminar on the Rights of the Elderly*. We lead the *Program to prevent and address violence against the elderly* to support local governments in the implementation of local care mechanisms.
- We promote **Popular Libraries** as meeting and participation spaces for the elderly where they can live an experience of mutual enrichment and promote participation.
- We develop and accompany **volunteer experiences with the elderly**, to socialize a positive view of old age, promoting their role and favoring the exercise of their rights.
- From the **Elders in Action Network** we make visible, encourage and promote activities for the elderly, their caregivers and social organizations that work with and for them, generating an enriching exchange and giving visibility to the different generated proposals.
- We offer **chess workshops** as a privileged space to promote encounters, exercise memory and attention.
- **We produce knowledge** through research, studies, and the development of intervention models to reflect and generate debates about the reality of the elderly.



SUPPORT TO SOCIAL ORGANIZATIONS

In our daily work, we also support innovative initiatives by social organizations that promote a comprehensive development in early childhood and transform the reality of the elderly. In addition, we provide free spaces where social organizations can carry out their activities, with the aim of strengthening and enhancing their work.