

## **Training at Dojran**

Training on the topic *Building partnership and networking* was delivered by two experts – Mario Veljkovic and Fatmir Saracini for Delcevo region. It was realized from 11<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> July, 2008. The training contained topics such as partnership, introduction and analysis of possible partners (NGO, Municipality, and institutions), networking and coalition building, decision making, administration and public relations of networks/coalition, action plan for networks/coalition, partnerships for lobbying and advocacy, building partnership with media.

On this training, organized by NGOSC Delcevo, 28 representatives from NGOs, LGs and public institutions from Delcevo, Berovo, Pehcevo, Makedonska kamenica and Vinica participated. The training was realized according to the planned agenda. Trainers responded to participants' needs. Several exercises for building partnership and networking activities were carried out and adapted to the needs of Roma community in this region. On the second day, there was a slight misunderstanding among some representatives from Roma NGOs because they thought that the seminar is organized only for solving Roma problems and issues. The local coordinator explained that the seminar is for all representatives, no matter of their ethnic belonging. The evaluation lists for the training came out very positive.