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WITH PROFOUND AND MULTIPLE  
DISABILITIES AND THEIR FAMILIES

ANNUAL REPORT 2025

# Greater Impact, greater future

**2025** has been a year of **consolidation, resilience and impact**. In a challenging economic and social context, Nexe Foundation has continued to move forward to ensure highly specialised, high-quality educational, healthcare and psychosocial support for children and young people with profound and multiple disabilities, as well as their families, always keeping them at the heart of everything we do.

In line with our Strategic Plan, **we have strengthened the sustainability of our services and the resilience of our organisation**, with the aim of ensuring the continuity, quality and impact of a comprehensive model of care that responds to complex needs and contributes to improving the quality of life of the children, young people and families we support.

Throughout the year, **we have continued to promote innovation and technology as key drivers of transformation**, incorporating new tools, knowledge and methodologies that enable us to deliver increasingly specialised, effective and person-centred care for children and young people. At the same time, **we have strengthened strategic partnerships with organisations, public institutions, universities and stakeholders** across different sectors, convinced that collaboration is essential to generate knowledge, expand social impact and develop innovative and sustainable responses to the challenges of today and tomorrow.

**Thanks to the commitment of our Board of Trustees, the dedication of our team, the trust of the families we support, and the invaluable collaboration of our partner organisations and corporate supporters**, we continue working to build a **more inclusive society**, where children and young people with profound multiple disabilities, together with their families, have **the opportunities, recognition and support they deserve**.

**Together, we continue making it possible.**



Cécile de Visscher  
Presidenta



Sonia Corpas  
Vicepresidenta y  
Directora General



389

Children and  
young people served

175

Human  
Team

634

Families  
supported

29

Volunteers  
involved

1.681

Respite and  
leisure sessions



At Nexe Foundation, **we are a recognised leader in supporting children and adolescents with profound multiple disabilities, as well as in providing care and support to their families.** We remain committed to strengthening this leadership by fostering excellence in the human and professional quality of our team, while advancing innovation, research and public awareness.

A child or young person with profound multiple disabilities **requires comprehensive, holistic and continuous support from birth** in order to achieve their full developmental potential and attain the greatest possible level of autonomy.

Children and young people with profound multiple disabilities require an **individualised, comprehensive, continuous and high-intensity model** of therapeutic, healthcare, educational and social support that **respects their needs and upholds their dignity at all times.**

**Profound multiple disabilities** may have **different causes, whether genetic or acquired, and require specialised, coordinated support from birth onwards.**



## TESTIMONIAL

*We have been travelling from Sabadell every day for the past three years. For Marc, Nexe means being able to understand and be understood, having a group of friends like any other child and, above all, exceeding expectations by achieving things that no one thought would be possible. For our family, Nexe has provided us with knowledge and guidance to equip Marc with more opportunities and has given us the strength and confidence to embrace his profound multiple disabilities in a healthy and positive way.*

**Neus Piñol, Marc's mother**





# Children and Families Services

*A leading educational project that responds to diversity through a holistic approach: **two schools, two inclusive support units and educational support services; a unique model in Catalonia** for children with profound multiple disabilities.*

## Special Education School – "Les Girafes Blaves"

We are **the only state-funded special education school in Catalonia**, accredited by the Catalan Department of Education, providing specialised support for **children aged 0 to 6 with specific educational support needs (SEN)** arising from profound multiple disabilities and/or other developmental conditions. We further consolidated pedagogical documentation as a core methodology for observing, reflecting on and adapting our educational approach to the individual needs of each child. We also participated in the MEMS programme and implemented the new regulations governing school kitchens and dining services.

## CAE – Specialised Care Centre

We are **the only specialised early intervention centre in Catalonia offering an early childhood education model** specifically designed for children aged 0 to 6 with profound multiple disabilities. We consolidated the **Sala Niu** as a dedicated space for holistic, comprehensive and individualised support. Thanks to the partnerships fostered through the **CRIT's Research and Innovation Area**, we welcomed students who completed placements and collaborative projects focused on designing adapted support solutions for six children.

## SCS – Specialised Classroom Support

We continued developing a shared model of learning and positive coexistence across the entire educational community. We **provide support to children from the Baix Llobregat region and their families** within an inclusive environment based in a municipal early childhood school.

## Trencadís – Inclusive Early Childhood Education School

A multidisciplinary team **provides guidance and support to the professionals at EBM Trencadís**, in Barcelona's Gràcia district, promoting the inclusion of children with specific educational support needs (SEN) arising from profound multiple disabilities within an inclusive early childhood education environment.

## SEI – Itinerant Educational Support

We provide pedagogical guidance and support to the teams of Barcelona's municipal early childhood schools, helping them **deliver inclusive support for children aged 0 to 3 years**.

### 2025 IN NUMBERS

Supported students







# Children and Families Services

## SAFE – Specialised Family Support Service

**A child's well-being begins with supporting their family.** Through the SAFE – Specialised Family Support Service, we provide **comprehensive, specialised support to families of children with profound multiple disabilities, promoting their emotional well-being** and enhancing the overall quality of family life.

During 2025, we further consolidated **spaces for emotional support, guidance and learning**, while launching innovative initiatives such as Weaving Connections, a support group for single mothers, alongside self-care workshops and activities designed to strengthen support networks and encourage family participation. We also made significant progress in **developing our own assessment and monitoring tool for identifying and following up on families' needs**. This will enable us to deliver more personalised support while generating valuable knowledge about the realities faced by families of children with profound multiple disabilities.

Our commitment to quality and innovation was further strengthened through **active participation in sector conferences and professional forums**, where we **shared good practices in family participation**. We were also honoured to receive recognition under the **Positive Parenting Programme, awarded by the Spanish Ministry of Social Rights, Consumer Affairs and the 2030 Agenda, together with the Spanish Federation of Municipalities and Provinces (FEMP)**.



## MUSIC THERAPY

**Music and the arts are powerful tools for fostering the holistic development of children.** For this reason, music therapy is an integral part of our educational model, as well as of the specialised care provided to newborn babies and their families in the **Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) at Germans Trias i Pujol University Hospital**.

During 2025, we provided **music therapy support to 91 children and their families**. This intervention promotes communication, strengthens emotional bonds, encourages participation, and supports children's emotional, cognitive and motor development.

## ADVANCED ADAPTED NUTRITION PROGRAMME

**Food is far more than a nutritional necessity: it is a source of well-being, connection and quality of life.**

Through our **Advanced Adapted Nutrition Programme, we transform adapted nutrition into a sensory, enjoyable and dignified experience that promotes children's participation, independence and well-being**. This innovative approach turns every mealtime into an opportunity for discovery, inclusion and holistic development.



# Respite and Leisure Services



We are a **recognised leader in inclusive leisure opportunities for children and young people with profound multiple disabilities**, creating meaningful opportunities for growth, social connection and well-being, while providing essential support to their families. **Supporting those who provide care and ensuring that every child and young person has access to enriching, high-quality leisure experiences lie at the heart of our work and our commitment to achieving genuine inclusion.**

Respite care and adapted leisure activities for children and young people aged 0 to 21.

## 2025 in numbers:

### WEEKEND RESPITE BREAKS

Respite stays and leisure with overnight care

|     |                                  |
|-----|----------------------------------|
| 12  | weekend respite breaks           |
| 86  | children and young people served |
| 321 | interventions delivered          |

### CAMPS AND HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES

Activities during school holiday periods

|     |                                                   |
|-----|---------------------------------------------------|
| 3   | camp sessions                                     |
| 3   | holiday programmes (Christmas, Easter and Summer) |
| 197 | children and young people served                  |

### TIME FOR YOU

Inclusive activities for early childhood

|     |                                  |
|-----|----------------------------------|
| 34  | sessions                         |
| 25  | children and young people served |
| 249 | interventions delivered          |

### FRIENDS GROUPS

Stable leisure groups

|     |                                  |
|-----|----------------------------------|
| 45  | activities                       |
| 47  | children and young people served |
| 373 | interventions delivered          |

### DISABILITY RESPITE BREAKS

Occasional respite and leisure activities

|     |                                  |
|-----|----------------------------------|
| 27  | activities                       |
| 83  | children and young people served |
| 356 | interventions delivered          |

### OTHER ACTIVITIES

Design of activities on demand

|     |                                     |
|-----|-------------------------------------|
| 9   | activities with other organisations |
| 93  | children and young people served    |
| 148 | interventions delivered             |

In addition, during 2025 we took part in the Family Work-Life Balance Pilot Programme led by the Municipal Institute of People with Disabilities (IMPD) of Barcelona City Council.



# CRIT (Centre for Research, Innovation and Technology)



At CRIT, **we transform needs into innovation to improve the quality of life and independence** of children and young people with profound multiple disabilities and their families.



## APPLIED INNOVATION TO TRANSFORM LIVES

### WHAT WE DO?

We drive **technological, educational and design innovation projects** to develop accessible, tailored solutions that respond to real-world needs.



**We identify needs**  
from the everyday lives of children and their families



**Design tailored prototypes**  
and innovative solutions.



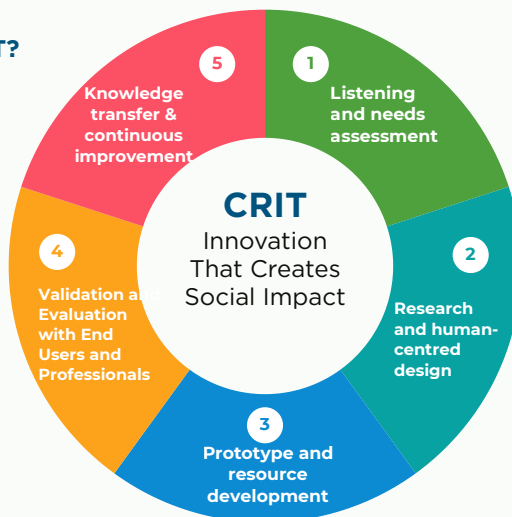
**Evaluate and improve**  
with scientific rigour and evidence



**Implement and share**  
to create real impact

### ¿HOW DO WE DO IT?

A **collaborative innovation process** that **transforms ideas into impactful solutions**.



### WHO WE COLLABORATE WITH?



**Universities and Research Centres**



**Technology Companies and Start-ups**



**Educational, Healthcare and Social Care Organisations**

# CRIT (Centre for Research, Innovation and Technology)

## OUR IMPACT



### Innovative Solutions

tailored, accessible and personalised support solutions



### We improve independence

y la participación de los niñ@s en su vida diaria



### We support families

by providing practical, tailored responses to each family's unique needs.



### We generate knowledge

through papers, training and open-access resources.



### We contribute to a more inclusive and accessible future

## WE ARE PART OF AN INNOVATION ECOSYSTEM

- ✓ Hackathons & Innovation Challenges
- ✓ European projects
- ✓ Strategic Partnerships and Professional Networks
- ✓ Research with Real-World Impact

When **commercially available products do not adequately address the unmet needs** of children with profound multiple disabilities, **we have a responsibility to develop solutions that make participation possible.** This is the only way to ensure they can actively engage in everyday life and fully exercise their right to inclusion.



**During the year, CRIT further consolidated an open innovation model based on strategic collaboration with leading universities and research institutions.**

**Six tailored projects have been developed for children supported by Nexe Foundation.**



We promoted collaborative projects developed in partnership with students and academic teams from the **Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (Engineering, Psychology and Early Childhood Education)** and **ELISAVA Barcelona School of Design and Engineering (Industrial Engineering and Product Design).**



# CRIT (Centre for Research, Innovation and Technology)

## Training and Research

We organised **the 5th Annual Technical Conference, held at Blanquerna – Ramon Llull University**, dedicated to profound multiple disabilities and innovation under the title **Profound Multiple Disabilities and Innovation: Needs and Solutions**, bringing together 147 participants. The conference provided a collaborative forum for leading organisations from the fields of **healthcare, research, education, technology, culture and inclusion** to share knowledge and work together.

**The 4th Nexe Music Therapy Conference**, attended by 70 participants, offered a space for **reflection on professional practice and multidisciplinary collaboration across hospitals, schools and specialised care services**, highlighting the importance of the transformative power of music. We also delivered training to professionals working in educational, healthcare and social care organisations.

## Pas a Pas / Resource Bank

Nexe provides an **advisory and lending service for assistive products and inclusive technologies**, promoting resource sharing and the circular economy while facilitating access to the support and equipment that families need in their everyday lives.



### PAS A PAS / Banc de Recursos

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7

Acciones  
formativas



264

Participantes



18

Alumnos en  
prácticas



110

Advisories



100

Loans



45

Donations managed

## TESTIMONIAL

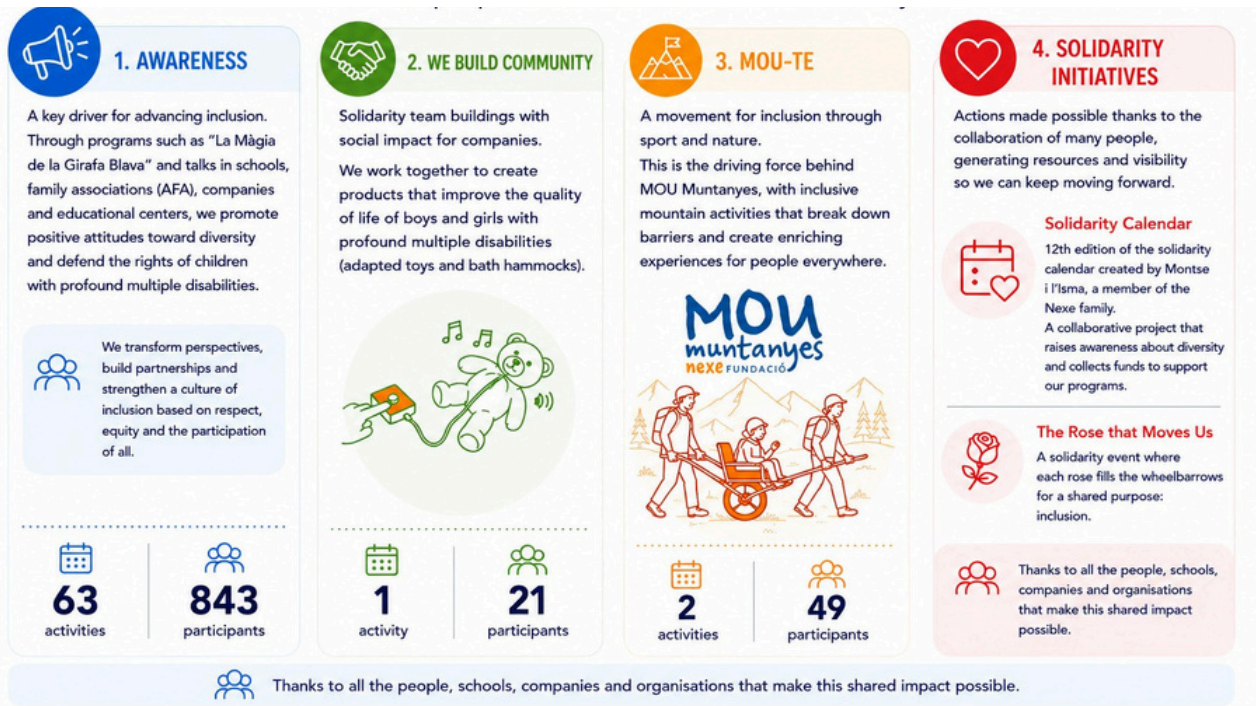
*When we first discovered CRIT at Nexe Foundation, we felt that someone was truly listening to our son's needs. They did not just create a tailored support solution for him; they took the time to understand who he was, what he needed and how they could help him become more independent in his everyday life. What has touched us most is knowing that behind every solution lies extensive research, creativity, sensitivity and a genuine commitment to people. CRIT does not simply develop products; it creates opportunities, provides solutions to needs that once seemed impossible to address, and reminds us that we are not alone.*

**Blanca, Toni's mother**



# Awareness and Impact

Through **programmes, strategic partnerships and solidarity initiatives**, we **raise awareness, inspire new perspectives and help build a more inclusive society**.





# Awareness and Impact

Through **programmes, partnerships and community initiatives**, we **raise awareness, transform perspectives and build a more inclusive society**.

## Local Businesses – Friends of Nexe Foundation

Behind this badge is **a network of local businesses committed to turning solidarity into opportunities for children and young people with profound multiple disabilities and their families**.



## Volunteer Programme

**Nexe Foundation's 29 volunteers are an essential driving force** behind our work, multiplying our social impact and making our awareness-raising initiatives possible.





# Public Advocacy and Institutional Representation

Throughout 2025, **Nexe Foundation** continued to strengthen its advocacy and institutional representation efforts to raise awareness of the realities faced by children with profound and multiple disabilities and their families, promote their rights, and contribute to improving public policies and support services.



We engaged in meetings and collaborative working spaces with public authorities, policymakers, third sector organisations, healthcare providers, universities, companies and partner organisations to share priorities, build strategic partnerships and promote initiatives that contribute to a more inclusive society.



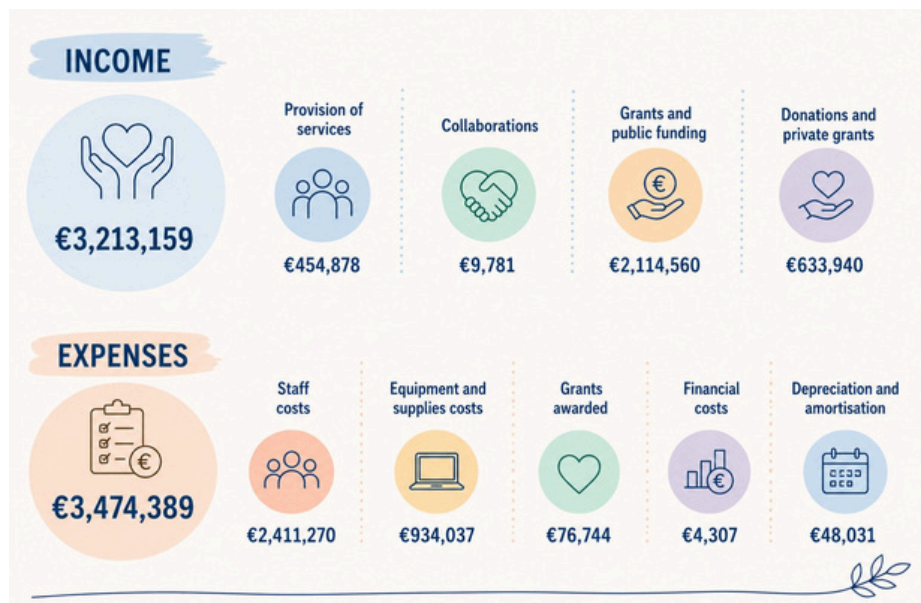
*We closed 2025 with the launch of the CENN (Specialised Centre for Paediatric Neurorehabilitation and Neurodevelopment), established in partnership with Clínica del Remei to provide comprehensive, specialised and coordinated care through close collaboration between medical and therapeutic teams.*



# Financial Summary

## Resultados

*The year 2025 required us to make **bold decisions to secure the future of Nexe Foundation.** Despite the financial impact of the year, **we prioritised the continuity of our services, innovation, and the development of strategic projects**, convinced that investing today in capacity, knowledge and partnerships is essential to achieving **greater social impact tomorrow.***



Visit the **Transparency Section** for more information.



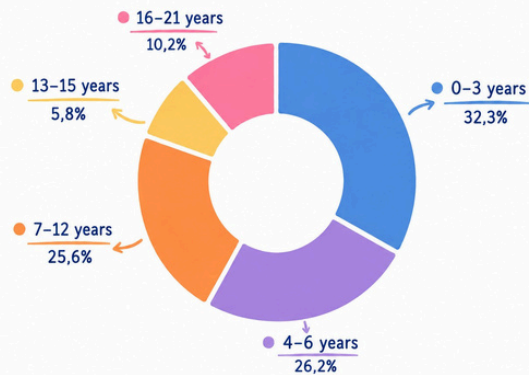
We allocate **91% of our funding to direct support services for children and young people and their families.**

Our mission is made possible by the **solidarity and commitment of individuals, companies and institutions who believe in the right of children with disabilities to learn, play and participate on an equal basis, with the support they need.**

# Social Impact

Nexe Foundation has developed an **innovative model of care** that has become a benchmark in the sector, **supporting children and young people of different ages across a wide geographical area.**

## CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE SUPPORTED



## GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE



## SOCIAL BALANCE





# Friends, Partners and Supporters

## PUBLIC AUTHORITIES

Generalitat de Catalunya • Departament de Drets Socials i Inclusió • Departament d'Educació i Formació Professional • Departament de Salut • Departament d'Igualtat i Feminisme • Ajuntament de Barcelona - Institut Municipal de Persones amb Discapacitat - Institut Municipal d'Educació de Barcelona - Districte de Gràcia - Barcelona Activa • Consell Comarcal del Baix Llobregat • Ajuntament de Sant Feliu del Llobregat • Diputació de Barcelona - Àrea d'Inclusió Social - Àrea de Feminismes i Igualtat • Gobierno de España - Ministerio para la Transformación Digital y de Función Pública

## STRATEGIC PARTNERS

AVQ Legal • Clínica Nostra Senyora del Remei • EIS European International School • Fundació "la Caixa" • Fundació Ferrer de Música • Fundació Junta Constructora del Temple Expiatori de la Sagrada Família • Fundació ONCE • Fundación Privada Mercedes Armengou Riera • Fundación Manuel Lao • Fundació Antoni Serra Santamans • Fundació Sert • Fundació Maria Teresa Rodó • Sandrigham

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## FRIENDS OF NEXE

*Thank you to all the donors, volunteers and friends of Nexe Foundation whose commitment and trust make our mission possible every day.*

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## PHILANTROPY NETWORKS & PLATFORMS

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### MAKE A DONATION

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#wearenexe #growingtogether

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2 ZERO HUNGER



3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



4 QUALITY EDUCATION



5 GENDER EQUALITY



8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH



9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE



10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES



11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES



12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION



13 CLIMATE ACTION



16 PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS



17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS

