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A beauty saloon for everyone

WELLNEA s.r.o. SLOVAKIA

Business/Employer

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WELLNEA is a workplace for six disabled young adults. These six youth work with another 13 employees, many of whom are at risk of social exclusion for various reasons, in order to provide a complete service beauty salon, including hair-dressing, cosmetics, pedicures, manicures, and massages. The salons also produce jewellery and bio-cosmetics.

Since its inception, WELLNEA has employed 20 people with a disability, many of whom have been able to integrate into the open labour market thanks to the job skills learned at WELLNEA.

WELLNEA has two salons, one in Senec that has been operational for five years, and another in Bratislava that has been operational for a year. The programme has been awarded the 'Family-Friendly Employer' title by the Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs and Family of the Slovak Republic along with the 'Social Business ASHOK Changemaker Award.'

It is the mission of WELLNEA to positively change the condition of supported employment of people with disabilities in Slovakia for the better. In addition to this, the program aims to create more effective and beneficial employment policies for persons with disabilities in Slovakia.

