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TRAIN FOR EMANCIPATION

"Emancipation and empowerment of populations in situations of vulnerabilities involve a process of individual and collective training"

SHARED OBSERVATIONS AND WORKING ASSUMPTIONS

- The term "training" encompasses all dynamics of learning and strengthening of actors: activities including awareness raising, capacity building, animations, information, mobilization, etc.
- **Training for "emancipation"** draws from the articulation between technical capacity building (access to a trade, economic security) and political training (awareness raising, capacity for critical analysis, identification of issues and proposing solutions). This training is geared towards action.
- The so-called "emancipatory training" process includes enhancing the knowledge revealed by exchanging practices, capitalising on practices, and collective structuring.
- In a perspective of social transformation, the intention of the trainer is to encourage **independent thinking and the individual and collective power to act** of populations in situations of vulnerabilities. The trainer must thus adopt the attitude of a **facilitator** who makes it possible to provide spaces for expression and spaces for action.
- In a perspective of social transformation, the articulation between individual emancipation and collective emancipation is to be explored.

