

### **Rene Keet\_bio**

René Keet is psychiatrist and director at the community mental health service GGZ-Noord-Holland-Noord, The Netherlands. This service operates in a catchment area of 600.000 inhabitants. The heart of this service are the multidisciplinary ambulatory teams that provide specialized mental health care and are organized according to principles of Flexible Assertive Community Treatment (F-ACT). The service also includes psychiatric hospitals, recovery colleges run by service users, activity centers, consumer run companies and sheltered living facilities. He leads the FIT Academy (Flexible, Innovative Top-ambulatory), that provides training, e-learning, evaluation of the service and support to international reform of community mental health care.

He is chair of the European Community Mental Health Services network (EuCoMS, <https://www.eucoms.net>). The aim of this network is to learn from each other in international exchange and support human rights in mental health care. It is a network of practice, based upon a shared vision on community mental health. This vision is described in the consensus document that you can download from the website.

<https://assets-sites.trimbos.nl/docs/3297941c-f835-4f16-9b45-c4f1e02cf154.pdf>

He describes the 6 principles in 15 minutes in <https://vimeo.com/256413380>

He is an international expert in MENSANA in Moldova (<http://trimbos.md/?lang=en>) and other mental health reform projects. His research experience is in the European First Episode Schizophrenia Trial (EUFEST), Family Motivational Intervention (FMI) and the evaluation of the introduction of Flexible Assertive Community Treatment in a new region in the Netherlands.