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## What are we doing?

- CAFE works closely with UEFA and its 53 member associations, the European leagues and their clubs, disabled supporters groups (national and local), disability and equality NGOs such as FARE, and supporter networks such as Football Supporters Europe and Supporters Direct.
- CAFE is working with disabled supporters groups and their clubs to increase the number of disabled people attending live football matches.
- CAFE has set up a network of like-minded parties who support our aims of 'Total Football - Total Access'. CLUB CAFE is free to join - show your solidarity and visit our website for more details on how to join.
- CAFE has established a European-wide Advisory Group which underpins our work and projects to ensure a more inclusive game.
- CAFE is also working with local partners to deliver the official UEFA EURO 2012 Respect Inclusion project – more information can be found at <http://euro2012.cafefootball.eu>

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### 'Total Football - Total Access'



'Total Football - Total Access' ... The Game Belongs to Everyone



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## About CAFE

**CAFE works closely with UEFA and its 53 member associations including their clubs, disabled supporters groups (national and local), organisations such as FARE, national disability NGOs and supporter networks such as Football Supporters Europe.**

CAFE engages with the European Union and the Council of Europe, national governments and CEN (European Committee for Standardisation) to encourage continued progressive legislation and guidance that supports equal access for disabled people.

CAFE promotes and shares all areas of good practice and presents new ideas and initiatives to all stakeholders. The CAFE website carries a wide range of helpsheets, good practice guidance and information, and includes a separate section with details of accessible facilities and information at stadiums throughout all of Europe. The new UEFA and CAFE Good Practice Guide to Creating an Accessible Stadium and Matchday Experience - Access For All - can also be found on our website, along with videos and presentations from our first ever European conference.

**If you have an event or activity that you wish to publicise on the CAFE website or in our newsletter, please contact us at [info@cafefootball.eu](mailto:info@cafefootball.eu), or via Skype at [cafe-football](https://www.skype.com/join/cafefootball).**

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## CAFE (Centre for Access to Football in Europe)

**More than 500 million people live within the European Union and approximately 10% (50,000,000) are disabled.**

It is reasonable to conclude that within the UEFA geographical region there could be more than 100,000,000 disabled people. A significant number of these are likely to be football fans, and they have the right to enjoy football alongside their fellow fans. For this to be possible, good access to stadiums is essential.

Accessibility is essential for disabled people to be able to exercise their rights and participate fully in society. 50% of disabled people have never attended a sporting event, and inadequate access to venues is one of the reasons for this. 97% of Europeans think that something should be done to ensure better integration of disabled people into society.

CAFE is now well established and recognised as the leading organisation with the purpose of achieving equal access to football across Europe.

**CAFE acts as a consultant, friend and partner to all stakeholders sharing good practice and providing access advice and guidance.**

CAFE's aim is inclusivity and equality of experience. As football embraces diversity in all its forms, CAFE works with the football family to raise disability awareness throughout Europe.

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