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3 SETTEMBRE 2004

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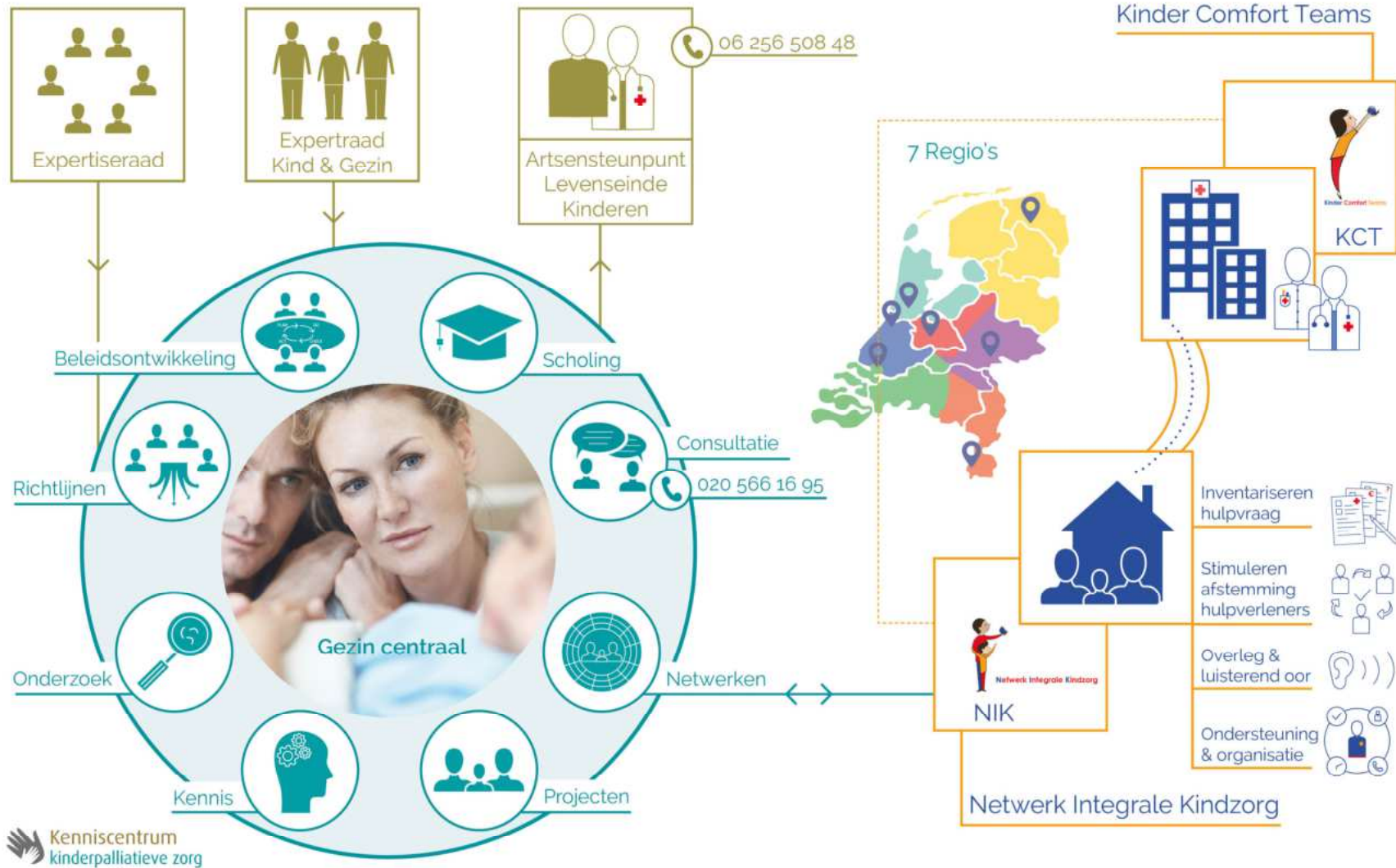
Non è stato possibile fino a questo momento reperire il testo del protocollo che descriverebbe l'accordo intervenuto tra la clinica universitaria di Groningen in Olanda e le autorità giudiziarie olandesi, riguardante l'estensione della possibilità di eutanasia anche per i bambini sotto i 12 anni, fino all'età neonatale. Tale protocollo - stando alle notizie diffuse dalle agenzie di stampa e attribuite al Dr. Edward Verhagen, direttore della suddetta clinica - stabilisce "con estremo rigore, passo dopo passo, le procedure che i medici debbono seguire" per affrontare il problema di "liberare dal dolore" i bambini (nell'arco di età menzionato) gravemente ammalati, sottoponendoli ad eutanasia.

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## Criticism:

1. Slippery slope
2. No PPC in the NL

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