New Capacity Building Tools on Migration Management

Berne Initiative's International Agenda for Migration Management, IOM’s Essentials of Migration Management

International Dialogue on Migration

Intersessional Workshop on Developing Capacity to Manage Migration

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Introduction – Evolution of Migration Management

Migration

• Defining feature of our contemporary world
• Integral to the fabric of social and economic life
• Growing awareness of need to develop capacity to manage migration
Today’s Presentation – Two Goals

1) Introduce new capacity building tools:
   • Berne Initiative’s International Agenda for Migration Management (IAMM)
   • IOM’s Essentials of Migration Management (EMM)

2) Describe plans for “Break Out” Sessions
International Agenda for Migration Management (IHAMM)

• Product of the Berne Initiative

• Developed through a series of consultations in 2004, including the following regional consultations:
  • Addis Ababa for Africa,
  • Budapest for Europe and Central Asia,
  • Guilin for Asia and the Pacific, and
  • Santiago de Chile for the Americas region

• First attempt to gather common perspectives and understandings in a balanced, comprehensive and non-binding framework at the international level

• Based on various documents emanating from Regional Consultative Processes on migration (RCPs) and migration conferences

• Finalized at Berne II Conference (December 16-17, 2004), attended by some 300 participants representing more than 100 countries, as well as representatives from international organizations, NGOs and independent migration experts
International Agenda for Migration Management (IAMM)

IAMM Structure

I. Introduction
   1. Migration Realities
   2. The Berne Initiative

II. “Common Understandings for the Management of International Migration” (20)

III. “Effective Practices for a Planned, Balanced, and Comprehensive Approach to Management of Migration” (on 20 topics)
IAMM – The Contents

Common Understandings

• Serve as basis for the IAMM
• Gleaned from prior documents and efforts
• Non-binding reference system and framework
• Recognizes complex, shared and complementary interests of States in migration
• Reflect shared assumptions concerning benefits, risks, challenges and opportunities associated with migration

Effective Practices

• Premised on planned, balanced and comprehensive approaches to managing all major aspects of migration
• Drawn from actual, practical experience of Governments
• Focus on international dialogue and cooperation
• Underscores partnerships in managing migration
• Identifies national migration policy and linkages to other policy domains
Some Examples

Common Understandings

• Migration integral feature of globalization
• Primary role of States in managing migration
• Requires balanced consideration of economic, social, humanitarian and development issues, taking into account root causes
• Protection of human rights and dignity of migrants
• Important linkages between migration and development
• Systematic data collection and enhanced research are beneficial to coherent policy development

Effective Practices

• Visa Requirements
• Regular Migration
• Temporary Migration
• Immigration Programs
• Humanitarian Resettlement
• Labour Migration
• Irregular Migration
• Trafficking
• Protection of Victims
• Human Rights of Migrants
• Integration
• Return Policy
• Naturalization
International Agenda for Migration Management (IAMM)

• Widely disseminated to Governments
• Inform work of Global Commission on International Migration
• IOM and other organizations to assist Governments to put the IAMM to use at national, regional and global levels
  • Organization of capacity building workshops
  • Establishment of closer dialogue with existing RCPs
  • Policy research and studies on specific topics
• Tri-lingual, English/Spanish/French publication
• Now posted on the IOM and Swiss Federal Office for Migration websites
• HERE WE ARE!
Essentials of Migration Management (EMM)

- Learning tool written in a non-technical manner
- Grateful for support of Canada, Australia and Italy
- Provides overview of key elements of international migration management
- Reference manual on contemporary migration dynamics, policies and trends
- Designed for migration and other Government officials, policy makers, academics, journalists
International Migration Management - What the EMM is?

• Substance
  – Encyclopedic-like reference
  – Training tool on migration management
  – Highlights links between migration and other disciplines
  – User friendly – accessible to various audiences

• Structure
  – Curriculum format
  – Self-contained sections or modules
  – Specially designed for self and group study
  – Practical exercises and themes make principles applicable to user’s setting
IAMM – What Makes It Unique?

• Provides valuable global perspective
  • Supplement with input from regional and specific state developments
  • Fine tune for specific audiences

• Framework of issues and subjects
  • Allows for tailoring or a “mix and match” approach
  • Solid building block for development of practical national and regional training efforts
International Migration Management - How is the EMM Organized?

- 3 Volumes
- 32 Chapters
- Guiding Questions
- Key Messages
- Practical Application Exercises
EMM Volume One: Migration Management Foundations

- 1.1 Terminology
- 1.2 Conceptual Model for Migration Management
- 1.3 Migration and History
- 1.4 Authority and Responsibility of States
- 1.5 Rights and Obligations of Migrants
- 1.6 International Migration Law
- 1.7 International Cooperation
- 1.8 Developing Migration Legislation
- 1.9 Developing an Administrative Framework
- 1.10 Managing Perception
EMM Volume Two: Developing Migration Policy

- 2.1 Migration and Statistical Data
- 2.2 Migration and Demography
- 2.3 Migration and Development
- 2.4 Migration and Trade
- 2.5 Migration and Family
- 2.6 Migration and Labor
- 2.7 Migration and Health
- 2.8 Migration and Security
- 2.9 Migration and Displacement
- 2.10 Migration and Gender
EMM Volume Three: Managing Migration

- 3.1 Passport and Visa Systems
- 3.2 Immigration Systems
- 3.3 Border Management Systems
- 3.4 International Carrier Responsibilities
- 3.5 Refugee Protection
- 3.6 Integration of Migrants
- 3.7 Migration and Citizenship
- 3.8 Determination of Migrant Status and Appeals Systems
- 3.9 Return Migration
- 3.10 Management of Operational Data
- 3.11 Migration and Intelligence Systems
- 3.12 Irregular Migration
Putting the EMM into Use

- Launched at IOM Council
- Distributed and introduced to Regional Consultative Processes in context of April IOM-GCIM Meeting
- Distributed to all IOM Field Missions in May
- Conducted first IOM Staff “Train the Trainer” Session in May, with second planned for November
- Focus of MIDSA workshop in July
- Future national and regional workshops planned
- Being shared with you now at the Intersessional Workshop
Today’s Break Out Sessions

Two sessions co-facilitated by IOM Staff

11:00 – 13:00 Migration and Labour (EMM Section 2.6)
15:00 – 17:00 Counter-Trafficking (EMM Section 3.12)

Purposes of the Break Out Sessions

1. Familiarize you with the EMM
2. Provide an illustration of how the EMM can serve as a framework for discussion
3. Engage in some lively exchange of views
Break Out Session Logistics

Participants divided into five groups
- Group A in Room A (tri-lingual)
- Group B in Room B (tri-lingual)
- Group C in Room C (tri-lingual)
- Group D in Room D (English only)
- Group E in Room E (English only)

Please remain in the same group and same room for both sessions
New facilitators will come to you!
Goals of Break Out Sessions

• Enjoy an informative and open exchange
• Get your responses to the EMM, both in substance and in form
• Stimulate your thinking about:
  • how the EMM and other capacity building tools could be integrated into your work in building the capacity to manage migration
  • what new capacity building tools are needed for the future

We have prepared a Participants’ Worksheet for your personal use (take your thoughts home with you)
Thanks for your attention

- Questions and Discussion