

GUIDING SAFE MIGRATION: 2022

The International Organization for Migration (IOM) and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands launched the Cooperation on Migration and Partnerships to achieve Sustainable Solutions initiative (COMPASS) in 2021.

AREAS OF WORK



Protection of people on the move



Safe and dignified return



Sustainable reintegration



Research



Data collection



Awareness raising

KEY DATA

Duration: 1 January 2021 - 31 December 2023

Project partners: International Organization for Migration (IOM) and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands

Budget: EUR 55 million

Partner countries: Afghanistan, Algeria, Chad, Egypt, Ethiopia, Iraq, Lebanon, Libya, Mali, Morocco, Niger, Nigeria, Sudan, Tunisia

Management site: IOM Headquarters (Geneva)

Website: iom.int/compass

ONE YEAR IN NUMBERS

41,562 migrants (48% women, 47% men and 5% unknown) were assisted under the global targets.



21,818

vulnerable migrants were provided with humanitarian assistance



16,034

vulnerable migrants received comprehensive assistance

86%

of migrants reported satisfaction with protection services provided



446

case workers were trained on case management (54% women and 46% men)



2,820

migrants were assisted pre-departure, post-arrival and/or with voluntary return



980

returnees received reintegration assistance once back home.



57

knowledge products were produced and disseminated among 2,088 governments, UN, NGOs and other stakeholders.



1,585

government officials and stakeholders (34% women and 66% men) trained on migration management and migrant assistance



15,572

young people in communities with high mobility were engaged on the promotion of safe migration and local opportunities, alongside 15,040 members of their support networks.



> 170,000

visitors on IOM's online platforms supported through the COMPASS initiative: Yenna, WAKA Well, and the Global Data Hub of Human Trafficking

A COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH TO MIGRATION

Participation

COMPASS implements a participatory and inclusive approach that guarantees that all members of the community are equally included, whether individually or as groups, contributing to restoring social bonds and the capacities of local leadership, including through community-based reintegration.

Coordination

COMPASS is actively supporting relevant migration coordination mechanisms at the national level and the implementation of reintegration and awareness raising activities through community-based partnerships. The emphasis on coordination enhances local ownership and long-term sustainability.

Sharing

COMPASS has established a Community of Practice for Case Management Workers, which counter a total of 321 active members at the end of 2022, including case workers from IOM and partner organizations.

Learning

COMPASS is gathering an evidence base of population and mobility trends and challenges, as well as insights into knowledge, attitudes and behaviours, to inform legislative review, policy decisions and community-based interventions.

About the COMPASS initiative

The Cooperation on Migration and Partnerships to Achieve Sustainable Solutions is a global initiative implemented in 14 countries. COMPASS provides protection-sensitive pathways for all migrants, enabling them to contribute to sustainable development in their communities.

For more information, visit www.iom.int/compass or contact the COMPASS team at compass@iom.int.