



MEDICAL ASSISTANCE TO MIGRANTS

Through the support provided by the European Union, and in close collaboration with the Ministry of Health, IOM has provided health assistance to 3,651 migrants (75% male, 12% female and 12% children), with total of 4,620 different medical interventions during the period January 2017 – June 2019. The teams provided basic medical care and examinations for the migrants, as well as referral and coverage of the cost for hospital treatments for those in need. Largest number of migrants assisted suffered from dehydration and seasonal flu as well as flash injuries due to long walks. Special consideration is given to the protection of the health of the children.



PEER TO PEER EXPERIENCES FOR PREVENTION OF VIOLENT EXTREMISM (PVE)

The experts and practitioners from the educational sector and representatives from the staff of National PVE Coordinators Offices from North Macedonia and Albania attended roundtable meetings sharing their peer to peer experiences for prevention of violent extremism among youth. The meetings allowed the participants to exchange information, analyze and understand the local perspectives and actions that need to be undertaken.

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MEETING WITH THE MINISTER WITHOUT PORTFOLIO RESPONSIBLE FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF ROMA INTEGRATION STRATEGY

On 26th of June 2019 IOM Skopje had a meeting with the Minister without portfolio responsible for the implementation of the National Strategy for the improvement of the situation of Roma in the country Mr. Muzafer Bajram. At the meeting, the IOM's activities addressing Roma issues were presented and possible activities for cooperation were discussed.

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HIGHLIGHTS

QUOTE OF THE MONTH



MEDITERRANEAN MIGRANT ARRIVALS REACH 26,090 IN 2019; DEATHS REACH 597

The International Organization for Migration (IOM) reports that 26,090 migrants and refugees have entered Europe by sea through 19 June, roughly a 35 per cent decrease from the 40,846 arriving during the same period last year.

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SMART YOUTH PROGRAM WORKSHOPS

In order to provide the youth with the opportunity to improve their communication skills, from 27 until 30 June 2019 in Skopje, IOM Skopje has organized series of workshops that have allowed the youth to develop the:

- Capability of presentation of vital questions and problems;
- Capability of collection and relevance evaluation of information;
- Capability of making quality and reasonable conclusions and solutions.

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MIGRANTS TELL THEIR STORIES

Dahham - "I got my diploma recognized, I have a safe home, and I started a NGO to help refugees get their qualifications acknowledged."

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MIXED MIGRATION FLOWS IN THE MEDITERRANEAN AND IN THE WESTERN BALKANS

A total of 21,869 migrants and refugees arrived in Europe through different land and sea routes between January and April 2019, 29 per cent less than in the same period last year, when 30,961 sea and land arrivals were reported, 56 per cent less than the 50,108 arrivals registered in 2017 and 88 per cent less than the 189,370 registered between January and April 2016.

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JOINT MESSAGE BY THE MEMBERS OF THE UN NETWORK ON MIGRATION ON THE OCCASION OF THE INTERNATIONAL DAY OF FAMILY REMITTANCES

On the occasion of the International Day of Family Remittances (IDFR), proclaimed by the General Assembly in June 2018, the United Nations Migration Network (UNMN) joins the global community in recognizing the crucial contribution of migrant workers and their families to the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.

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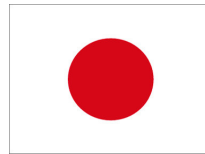
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