

Regional Thematic Training/Workshop

“Combating Trafficking in Persons – Protection of Victims of Human Trafficking”

4-6 April, 2016, Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan

PROGRAMME

Day 1

April 4, 2016

8.30-9.00	Arrival and participants registration	
9.00-9.30	Opening Remarks Ms Tatiana Hadjiemmanuel , Deputy Coordinator for Central Asia/Senior Programme Coordinator, IOM sub-regional coordination office for Central Asia, Astana, Kazakhstan Ms Agueda Marin , Regional Specialist on Counter Trafficking and Assisted Voluntary Returns, IOM Regional Office, Costa Rica	
9.30 – 11.00	Human Trafficking in Central Asia – IOM Policy and Programme Developments <i>The session will provide a brief overview of main achievements, challenges, good practices and lessons learned from IOM’s CT projects in Central Asia for the period of 2010-2015. The session will also provide an overview on IOM’s CT projects planned for the period 2015-2020. The main IOM policies on PSEA, Data Protection and Confidentiality, on Vulnerable Migrant</i>	Ms. Bermet Moldobaeva , IOM CT Programme Coordinator for Central Asia Ms. Aliya Belonosova , CT Programme Coordinator, IOM Kazakhstan Ms. Jyldyz Ahmetova ,

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	<i>and Migrant Protection will be also presented to the participants.</i>	CT Programme Coordinator, IOM Kyrgyzstan Gulchehra Ibragimova , CT Programme Assistant, IOM Tajikistan Ms. Mahym Orazmuhamedova , CT Programme Coordinator, IOM Turkmenistan Mr. Sanjarbek Toshbaev , CT Programme Coordinator, IOM Uzbekistan
11.00-11.15	Coffee-Break	
11.15 – 13.00	Central Asian States’ Experience of Combating Trafficking in Person <i>During this session, the state representatives will be given an opportunity to share best practices and lessons learned from the government perspective. Presentations will be given by representatives from:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Republic of Kazakhstan • The Kyrgyz Republic • Republic of Tajikistan • Turkmenistan • Republic of Uzbekistan 	Presentations by Government participants
13.00-14.30	Lunch	
14.30-15.45	«Good International Practices» <i>During the session, a good international practice from Central America on how States can monitor their</i>	Ms. Marin Agueda , Regional Specialist on Counter Trafficking and Assisted Voluntary



	<i>compliance with the Palermo Protocol and which indicators could be used will be presented.</i>	Returns, IOM Regional Office, Costa Rica
15.45-16.00	Coffee-Break	
16.00-17.30	<p>Main Counter- Trafficking in Person Approaches in Central Asia: NGO experience</p> <p><i>The session will provide a better understanding of role of NGOs in combating trafficking in persons. IOM partner NGOs will make presentations on their awareness raising activities, shelter operation, hotline operation and cooperation with state partners.</i></p>	NGO counterparts from Central Asia
17:30–18:00	Wrap-up discussion session	

Day 2

April 5, 2016

9.30 – 10.30	<p>Trafficking in Persons: Definitions “Trafficking vs. Smuggling”.</p> <p><i>The session will provide a better understanding of definitions of human trafficking and smuggling of persons, what are distinctions and similarities of these crimes. Case studies will be used as practical exercises.</i></p>	Ms. Gulchehra Ibragimova, CT Programme Assistant, IOM Tajikistan
10.30-10.45	Coffee-Break	
10.45 – 12.00	<p>International and National Policies and Standards on Counter Trafficking</p> <p><i>The session will provide an overview of the main international documents on combating human trafficking; introduce the national policy level documents of CA countries and compare them; explain</i></p>	Ms. Mahym Orazmuhamedova, CT Programme Coordinator, IOM Turkmenistan



	<i>the basic principles and approaches to development of a national strategy to combat trafficking in human beings and action plans. After the presentation, the trainer will conduct a practical exercise in working groups.</i>	
12.00- 13.00	<p>Identification of Victims of Human Trafficking</p> <p><i>The session will review key elements of identification process, role of various agencies, criteria for identification, red flags. The trainer will introduce the audience to the agencies and actors who may encounter a victim of trafficking, e.g. through formal services by various means, including private citizens, law enforcement personnel, immigration services, victim her/himself, other trafficked persons, family or acquaintances, labour inspectors, non-governmental or international organizations (local or international), health care staff, embassy or consular officials, transportation personnel etc.</i></p> <p><i>Ultimately, the presentation will focus on the goal of identification, which is to ensure that the individual reaches appropriate support services in the safest and most appropriate way.</i></p>	<p>Ms. Bermet Moldobaeva, IOM CT Programme Coordinator for Central Asia</p>
13.00-14.30	Lunch	
14.30-15.45	<p>National Referral Mechanisms</p> <p><i>During the session the trainer will present the NRM concept establishing referral procedures that link together appropriately qualified service providers and their respective competencies, which is germane to the overall response to trafficking. This session will focus on a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary response that allows for an individualized case management process that ensures victim safety and security and facilitates</i></p>	<p>Ms. Bermet Moldobaeva, IOM CT Programme Coordinator for Central Asia</p>

	<p><i>victim recovery.</i></p> <p><i>In addition, the participants will discuss the current “informal” framework for identifying victims of human trafficking and ensuring they receive the appropriate support in Central Asian countries.</i></p>	
15.45-16.00	Coffee-Break	
16.00-17.30	<p>National Referral Mechanisms. Practical Mapping Exercise</p> <p><i>This exercise can serve to assist in identifying which stakeholder can contribute a specific service during a particular stage when providing assistance to victims in addition to identifying gaps. The exercise should be completed in a small group.</i></p>	<p>Ms. Bermet Moldobaeva, IOM CT Programme Coordinator for Central Asia</p>
17:30–18:00	Wrap-up discussion session	

Day 3

April 6, 2016

9.00-10.30	<p>Protection of Victims of Human Trafficking: Guarantees by the State</p> <p><i>The trainer will present key principles on VoTs protection as outlined in PALERMO Protocol, which are to be guaranteed and respected by the State. The following principles will be covered: non-punishment, non-discrimination principal, safe and fair treatment of VoTs, access to justice, access to civil lawsuits and compensations, status of stay in a country of destination, access to medical and other services.</i></p>	<p>Ms. Gulchehra Ibragimova, CT Programme Assistant, IOM Tajikistan</p>
10.30-10.45	Coffee-Break	
10.45-12.00	Direct Assistance to Victims of Human Trafficking	<p>Ms. Mahym Orazmuhamedova, CT</p>



	<i>The session will introduce participants with the principles and criteria of providing direct assistance to trafficked persons with a human rights based and victim centered approach; introduce with the components of direct assistance - shelter and recovery, voluntary return and reintegration. The session will also present needs of VoTs taking into consideration gender-specifics and specific needs of minor VOTs.</i>	Programme Coordinator, IOM Turkmenistan
12.00-13.00	Lunch	
13.00-14.00	Understanding of VOT's experience. VOT stories <i>The session will aim to enhance the trainees' understanding of VoTs' experience, the trainer will discuss with the group the current stereotypes and prejudices towards VoTs.</i>	Psychologist from Bishkek Shelter for VOT
14.00-15.30	VOT Interviewing Techniques <i>During this session methods of VoT identification and interview techniques which are comprehensive measures to respond to human trafficking, will be covered. The goal of this session is to introduce to the main principals, which are key to creation of an appropriate system on identification of, interviewing of, and direct assistance to, potential victims of trafficking. The session will also include interview techniques for minor VOTs.</i>	Mr. Sanjarbek Toshbaev, CT Programme Coordinator, IOM Uzbekistan
15.30- 15.45	Coffee-Break	
15.45-16.45	Training evaluation and development of the follow-up recommendations	
16.45-17.15	Workshop closure	