

DIRECT ASSISTANCE

**IOM CONTINUES PROVIDING ASSISTANCE TO VULNERABLE MIGRANTS AND
VICTIMS OF TRAFFICKING**



Photo by IOM Kyrgyzstan

**vulnerable
Migrants**

896

Received humanitarian, legal and return assistance by IOM missions in Central Asia since the beginning of 2021

IOM Central Asia in order to assist in the reintegration of returned migrants provided social support, as well as assistance in the creation of income-generating activities for vulnerable migrants. Within "Community stabilization through returned migrant reintegration in Kyrgyzstan and Tajikistan during and after COVID-19» IOM Central Asia conducted events for receiving communities in the six pilot sites in Kyrgyzstan. Community events included fairs dedicated to the Nauryz holiday, sports, tree planting, and community clean-up activities. In March 2021, 267 men and 287 women participated in the event.

DISPLACEMENT TRACKING MATRIX (DTM)

IOM Central Asia organized two Regional Roundtables “Displacement Tracking Matrix (DTM) in the conditions of crises, including pandemics, in the countries of Central Asia and the Russian Federation”.

The events gathered experts and officials from IOM, international organizations, and



March 18, 2021, Tashkent, Uzbekistan



March 31, 2021, Nur-Sultan, Kazakhstan

to exchange the experience in collection, analysis and reporting the data on displacement and mobility of the population in the region.

Vittorio Bruni, an International expert on IOM DTM, noted that the Displacement Tracking Matrix (DTM) collects and analyzes data to disseminate critical multi-level information on the

mobility, vulnerability, and needs of displaced and mobile populations, enabling decision makers and responders to provide these populations with more effective context-specific assistance.

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On 11 March, ‘UN Reform Dialogue: United Nations and the Government of Tajikistan’ took place at the premises of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Tajikistan. IOM Tajikistan, together with other UN agencies, organized an exhibition to share



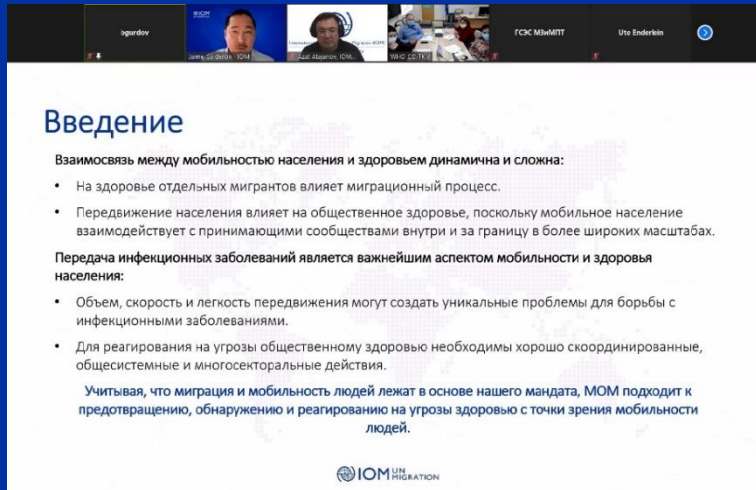
Photo by IOM Tajikistan. Participants of “UN Reform Dialogue: United Nations and the Government of Tajikistan” going through the body temperature check and registration

their works and information for the government officials. IOM particularly contributed manuals and legal guidelines for public workers in assisting victims of human trafficking. During the dialogue, the Resident Coordinator of UN Tajikistan Sezin Sinanoglu addressed the efforts of the UN to improve its efficiency through the reform and further steps to strengthen the cooperation between UN Tajikistan and the government.



Photo: IOM Tajikistan. Exhibition table of IOM Tajikistan during «UN Reform Dialogue: United Nations and the Government of Tajikistan»

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Введение


Взаимосвязь между мобильностью населения и здоровьем динамична и сложна:

- На здоровье отдельных мигрантов влияет миграционный процесс.
- Передвижение населения влияет на общественное здоровье, поскольку мобильное население взаимодействует с принимающими сообществами внутри и за границу в более широких масштабах.

Передача инфекционных заболеваний является важнейшим аспектом мобильности и здоровья населения:

- Объем, скорость и легкость передвижения могут создать уникальные проблемы для борьбы с инфекционными заболеваниями.
- Для реагирования на угрозы общественному здоровью необходимы хорошо скоординированные, общесистемные и многосекторальные действия.

Учитывая, что миграция и мобильность людей лежат в основе нашего мандата, MOM подходит к предотвращению, обнаружению и реагированию на угрозы здоровью с точки зрения мобильности людей.



On March 12, 2021, the IOM Mission to Turkmenistan took part in the webinar hosted by the WHO Country Office in Turkmenistan that focused on the COVID-19 response at the points of entry (POEs). The event was attended by representatives of the Ministry of Health and

Medical Industry, the State Sanitary and Epidemiological Service, Sanitary and Epidemiological Service of Ashgabat city, the State Migration Service, the State Customs Service, the State Frontier Service, the State Veterinary Service under the Ministry of Agriculture and Environmental Protection, Civil Aviation, and the Sea Transportation Agency as well as international experts representing the IOM and WHO regional offices. During this training, participants discussed IOMs' Health, Border and Mobility Management (HBMM) framework, WHO checklist assessment tool for Covid-19 preparedness and response at the points of entry, and experience of Turkmen counterparts in COVID-19 prevention at checkpoints.

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