

HIGHLIGHTS

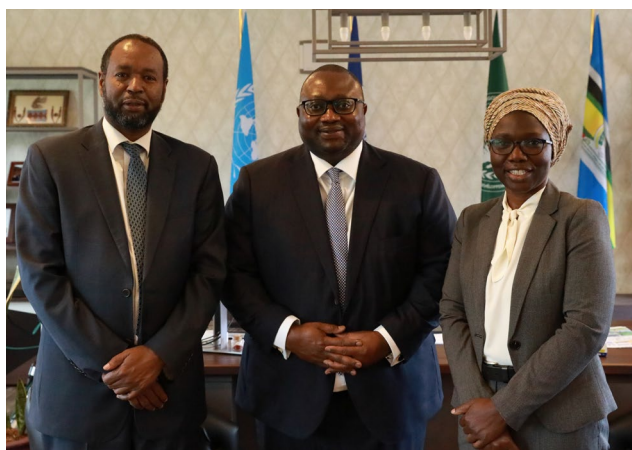


- The Director General of IOM, Antonio Vitorino completed a high-level visit in Kenya on 13 to 14 February 2023, where he met senior Kenyan government officials. During his visit to Kenya, Director General held talks with Cabinet Secretaries from Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ministry of Labour and Social Protection, Ministry of Environment and Principal Secretary, State Department for Citizen Services under Ministry of Interior and National Administration. DG Vitorino commended Kenya's commitment to the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration, the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and Kenya's strong support of IOM's work and priorities.

- IOM in partnership with UNHCR led a delegation of UN agencies, Embassies, and donors to a field visit of Dadaab refugee camps of Ifo 2 and Dagahaley with the objective of assessing the situation of the new arrivals and understanding related needs. Participating delegates included representatives from the Swedish Embassy for Somalia, German Embassy for Somalia, the OCHA Regional head for East and Horn of Africa, an Energy expert from the World Bank, the Slovak Ambassador of Kenya, the Directorate of Refugee Services Director, and high-level officials from the Kenyan Immigration office and IOM KCO colleagues.



During the visit facilitated with the support of an RMM chartered flight, the delegates met with the DRS and interacted with the new arrivals. The key needs identified included Shelter, water, NFI, health and protection needs. The delegation discussed prospects of funding while acknowledging the need for urgent assistance to the new arrivals and surrounding host community. In addition, the delegation visited IOM Dadaab Sub-office and received a briefing by the Head of Sub-Office about IOM's current activities in Dadaab.



















- IOM Kenya and IOM Regional Office for East and Horn of Africa hosted H.E. Mr. Lansana Gberie, IOM Council Chair, and Permanent Representative of the Republic of Sierra Leone to the United Nations Office at the Kenya Country office on the 23 - 25 March 2023. H.E Ambassador Lansana met with respective government ministries including the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Ministry of Labor and Social Protection. During the meeting H.E the ambassador and the GoK officials discussed support to GoK on Return and Reintegration, capacity building of recruitment agencies, skills enhancements on negotiations and implementation of Bilateral Labour Agreements and IOM support towards the upcoming African Climate Summit.

RESETTLEMENT UPDATES



1026 

Resettlement and Movement Management (RMM) team facilitated departure of **1026** beneficiaries to various resettlement countries from 1 January to 31 March 2023.

COUNTRY							TOTAL
		Female	Male	Adults (12yrs+)	Children (2 - 12yrs)	Infants (2yrs and below)	
	AUSTRALIA	12	27	26	12	1	39
	CANADA	206	264	390	66	14	470
	FINLAND	20	14	28	5	1	34
	FRANCE	8	7	8	7	0	15
	GERMANY	112	106	162	48	8	218
	NETHERLANDS	0	1	1	0	0	1
	NORWAY	5	6	5	5	1	11
	SWEDEN	0	1	1	0	0	1
	SWITZERLAND	1	1	2	0	0	2
	UNITED KINGDOM	17	7	18	6	0	24
	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	89	122	169	36	6	211
TOTAL		556	470	810	185	31	1026

KAKUMA SUB-OFFICE

	IOM Kakuma Sub-office processed 326 departures . (Female 168, Male 158)		Supported Netherlands selection mission for 139 beneficiaries in Nairobi. 38 were camp-based beneficiaries from Kakuma.
	Provided Pre departure Orientation/ Cultural Orientation to 538 individuals (January CO -375 pax & February outreach mission 163 pax)		Facilitated transfers of 523 beneficiaries to Nairobi for USCIS interviews.
	Supported virtual selection mission interviews in Nairobi for 18 beneficiaries for Iceland Resettlement in March.		IOM assisted 300 queries for Australia, Canada, United Kingdom, Germany and Netherlands, and 400 from United States Refugee Assistance Program (USRAP) through open day appointments.

- Migration Health Assessment Centre - Kakuma conducted health assessments, a total of **1,045 cases were assessed**.

PROGRAMME	AUS-REF	CAN-REF	USRAP	UK GATEWAY	GERMAN-REF	NEWZEALAND	TOTAL
No. of APPLICANTS EXAMINED	70	288	623	5	58	1	1,045

DISAGREGATION BY GENDER	Female	Male	Boys (Below 18 yrs)	Girls (Below 18 yrs)	TOTAL
	550	495	177	179	1,045

- MHD department administered **911 vaccine doses** to clients under the s USRAP and Canadian resettlement programs. To date the vaccination room has a total power supply from the newly installed solar hence the return of vaccines to IOM-vaccination room for continuity of vaccine administration to the beneficiaries.
- 22 staff and 2 implementing partners** (LOKADO and Kenya Red Cross Society) received Protection against Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (PSEA) awareness training.
- IOM Kakuma Sub Office held a recommendation meeting in Lodwar on 24 February 2023 on Migration and Environment Climate Change (MECC) interventions. During the meeting 200 copies of Climate Change Action plan for Turkana West and Turkana Central Sub Counties were handed over to the County Government of Turkana.
- The office hosted Centers for Disease Control and Prevention on 28 March 2023 to observe the migration health processes and compliance in resettlement of beneficiaries to USA.



- IOM donated **4500 doses of COARTEM** (1000 doses of Tabs Coartem 6's and 3500 doses of Tabs Coartem 24's) to Kenya Red Cross Society to support efforts in Malaria prevention and control.

DADAAB SUB-OFFICE

- The Sub-office facilitated departure of 107 beneficiaries to various resettlement countries from January to March 2023.

COUNTRY	AUSTRALIA	CANADA	USA	UK	FRANCE	TOTAL
No. of departures facilitated	19	72	11	2	3	107

- Facilitated Resettlement Selection Centre (RSC) interviews where 340 cases of 1,750 individuals were conducted.

	Female	Male	Total
Total Cases - 340	832	918	1,750











- Facilitated transfer of 525 cases US Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) to attend interviews in Nairobi.

COUNTRY							TOTAL
		Female	Male	Adults (12yrs+)	Children (2 - 11yrs)	Infants (0- 1 year)	
USA	USCIS	243	282	385	119	21	525
















- Mr. Emrah Guler, Deputy Chief of Mission, IOM Kenya visited Dadaab from March 14-16. During the visit he held meetings with UNHCR Head of Operation in Dadaab, Head of WFP Dadaab, Deputy County Commissioner and the Department of Refugee Services, where they expressed gratitude for the support provided to IOM Dadaab team and discussed ways to enhance collaboration in the future.

- The Sub-office facilitated departure of 443 beneficiaries to various resettlement countries from January to March 2023.

COUNTRY		 Female	 Male	 Adults (12yrs+)	 Children (2 - 12yrs)	 Infants (2yrs and below)	TOTAL
	AUSTRALIA	28	18	25	17	4	46
	CANADA	94	120	150	54	10	214
	FRANCE	1	2	1	2	0	3
	UK GATEWAY	14	12	8	7	11	26
	USRAP	72	82	107	44	3	154
TOTAL		209	234	291	124	28	443

- Dadaab sub-office conducted Fitness to-Travel (FTT) checks for 677 individuals of which 58 FTT were applicants that are going to the resettlement countries, and 619 were beneficiaries that were going to be transferred to Nairobi for USCIS interviews.

COUNTRY		 Female	 Male	 Adults (12yrs+)	 Children (2 - 12yrs)	 Infants (2yrs and below)	TOTAL
	AUSTRALIA	6	12	8	9	1	18
	CANADA	2	24	21	4	1	26
	FRANCE	1	2	1	2	0	3
	NETHERLANDS (FTT)	18	10	31	8	0	39
	UK Gateway (FTT)	2	2	4	0	0	4
	UK Gateway (Departures)	2	0	1	1	0	2
	FTT check for USCIS interview	293	326	442	147	30	619
	USRAP (Departures)	9	0	9	0	0	9
TOTAL		333	376	517	171	32	720

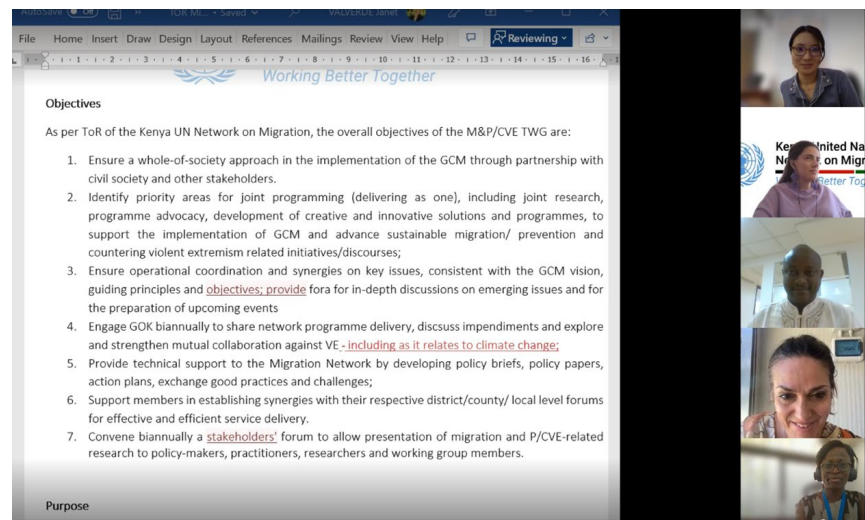
PROGRAMMATIC UPDATES

MIGRATION GOVERNANCE



- 47 Representatives from different Ministries, Departments and Agencies from the Government of Kenya and the Kenya UN Network on Migration met on the 27–29 March in Machakos, Kenya, to assess the progress and identify challenges faced in the implementation of the Global Compact for Migration (GCM) in Kenya. The goal of the 3-day meeting was to develop the first draft of the National Action Plan (NAP) for GCM 2023-2026 using the step-by-step guide for implementing the GCM built by the UN Network on Migration. Through roundtable discussions, the participants assessed progress, identified challenges, and drafted the new template for the development of the NAP for GCM 2023-2026. The meeting was co-organized by the National Coordination Mechanism on Migration in Kenya (NCM) with the support of the Kenya UN Network on Migration represented in the meeting by IOM, FAO, UNHCR, UNAIDS and IFAD.

- The Migration and Preventing/Countering Violent Extremism Technical Working Group met on 8 March to share information, review its Terms of Reference (ToR) to enhance the climate change component and discuss the development of a policy brief on Integrating Migration and Prevention/Countering of Violent Extremism in the County Integrated Development Plans (CIDPs). The Meeting was chaired by IOM and IRCK with participation from UNHCR, EAI, UNWOMEN, KECOSCE, Equal Access, Nubia Rights Forum.



- On 30-31 March, 37 participants from the IOM Kenya Country Office attended a training to enhance their knowledge and understanding on the Global Compact for Migration (GCM) for Kenya from the local, national, regional, and global perspective.

LABOUR MOBILITY AND SOCIAL INCLUSION



- IOM Kenya participated in a three-day (7-9 February 2023) capacity building workshop on development of a migrant welfare programme/system for African union member states under the AU-ILO-IOM-UNECA Joint Programme on Labour Migration Governance for Development and Integration in Africa (JLMP) in Moshi, Tanzania. The aim was to strengthen the technical capacity of governments and other stakeholders to govern migration more effectively and consistently by establishing formal mechanisms to support and improve the welfare of their migrant workers, especially in destination countries; to contribute to inclusive economic growth and poverty reduction and harness the benefits of migration to both countries of origin and destination.
- To equip the Government of Kenya with necessary tools, knowledge and skills to better manage and meet the protection needs of migrants in situations of crisis, IOM Kenya held a three-day training on 6 – 8 February 2023 on the Migrants in Countries in Crisis (MICIC) capacity building program. Participants recommended the review of the Kenya National Emergency Response Plan to incorporate the MICIC guidelines.
- IOM Kenya sensitized **15 participants** from Civil Society Organizations, youth and women leaders, religious leaders and community gatekeepers on the importance of ethical recruitment in the labour migration process, to promote safe, orderly and regular migration. In the four day training, participants were reminded of their role in monitoring recruitment agencies' practices and cascading information to the local community members, youth and potential migrants for them to make informed decisions before migrating for work.
- **8 private recruitment agencies** based in Mombasa and registered under Association for Skilled Migrant workers in Kenya were trained on International Recruitment Integrity Systems (IRIS) ethical recruitment. IRIS Ethical Recruitment is IOM's flagship initiative to promote ethical recruitment of migrant workers. IRIS is a global multi-stakeholder initiative that supports governments, civil society, the private sector and recruiters to establish ethical recruitment as a norm in cross-border labour migration.



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- Ms. Dimanche Sharon, IOM Kenya Chief of Mission met and congratulated Ms. Roseline K. Njogu, Principal Secretary, State Department for Diaspora Affairs, on the newly established State Department for Diaspora Affairs. IOM Kenya presented some of its interventions in the diaspora field and reiterated its support for diaspora engagement initiatives.



- Labour Ministers representing governments from 11 countries in East and Horn of Africa (EHoA) met on 20 March 2023 committed to strengthen regional and national collaboration, coordination and advisory structures on labour mobility, gender-sensitive migration governance, and regional integration for development and economic growth.

At the 4th Regional Ministerial Forum on Migration (RMFM) focused on labour mobility, migration governance and regional integration in East and Horn of Africa, Ministers from Burundi, Djibouti, Ethiopia, Eritrea, Kenya, Somalia, South Sudan, Sudan, Rwanda, United Republic of Tanzania, and Uganda agreed to unite as a block to address migration issues in the region and establish a more robust negotiating position in their engagement with migrants' countries of destination, in particular Gulf countries and the European Union.

- The Ministry of Foreign and Diaspora Affairs together with IOM Kenya held a 2-day inception workshop from 16 – 17 March 2023 for the Revision of the Kenya Diaspora Policy. The proposed initiative of revising Kenya's Diaspora Policy 2014 is to champion the rights and welfare of the diaspora, to promote continuous dialogue, to mainstream diaspora involvement into the national development plans, to provide entrepreneurship and employment opportunities and to harness diaspora investment and incentivize framework for diaspora remittances.








- On 21 and 22 March 2023, IOM Regional Office for EHoA in close cooperation with the IOM country office in the United States, convened US-based diaspora associations and EHoA government stakeholders in Washington DC, to explore partnerships that will contribute to development in countries of origin. Key government officials, and diaspora leaders from Ethiopia, Kenya, Somalia and Uganda pledged collaboration and cooperation to create opportunities and foster engagement in their respective countries.



- IOM Kenya and community gate keepers from Kisumu County developed an information communication strategy through a three-day workshop from 29 to 31 March 2023. The strategy gears towards behavior change for potential and irregular migrants who are in vulnerable situations in Kisumu County through involving women, youth, as well as the private sector in community level dialogues and assessments to explore causes of irregular migration and provide safe migration pathways.

Pre-Departure Cultural Orientation

- Pre-departure cultural orientation provides refugees with information on the country of resettlement before their arrival to prepare them for the new environment. Beneficiaries supported with Pre-Departure Cultural Orientation:

	COUNTRY	 Beneficiaries Supported	 Female	 Male
	AUSTRALIA	188	83	105
	CANADA	617	279	338
	UNITED KINGDOM	15	10	5
	ICELAND	18	6	12

MIGRANT PROTECTION



- IOM Kenya provided reception assistance and financial assistance to four stranded migrants from Germany.
- Provided reception assistance to one female Victim of Trafficking (VoT) from Libya and one stranded male from Cameroon.
- Provided in-kind reintegration assistance to five female VoTs and one female minor from (5) Lebanon and (1) Iraq.
- Provided reintegration grant to one male migrant from Iceland.
- Provided in-kind reintegration assistance for medical costs to a female migrant from Switzerland.
- Provided reception assistance and in-kind reintegration support to three stranded males from Turkey.
- In-Kind reintegration and reception assistance provided to one stranded male from Khartoum.

MIGRATION, ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE (MECC)



- 13 participants (5 females and 8 males), drawn from Turkana County Government Department of Economic Planning, Department of Environment and Climate Change, Department of Disaster, LOKADO and KRCS and IOM held a consultative meeting in Nairobi to review the *County Integrated Development Plan 2023-2027* to incorporate migration and human mobility and make the plan gender and vulnerability sensitive. The plan will inform Turkana County government programmes for the next five years.



- IOM is supporting the Government of Kenya to strengthen its conflict preventive measures including root causes and the hot spots, through mapping out existing peace structures and providing possible solutions for insecurity exacerbated by climate change. The findings will be consolidated into a framework and mainstreamed into existing peace structures in each target county. This mapping exercise has been conducted through an IOM Research Assessment on Natural Resource-Based Conflicts in North-western Kenya, carried out under the “Enhancing peace through the prevention of natural resource-based conflicts in Northwestern Kenya” project funded by [IOM Development Fund](#).

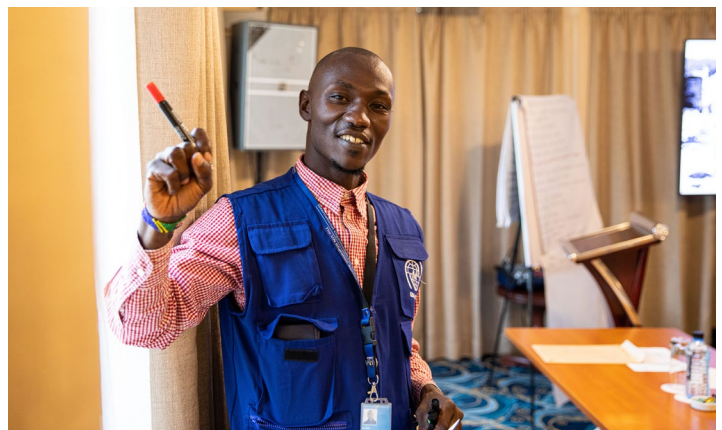
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, RESPONSE & STABILIZATION

- **1,169 beneficiaries** were reached through **12** Disaster Risk Management (DRM) gender and vulnerability-sensitive capacity development trainings and workshops that IOM and its implementing partners World Vision Kenya and Kenya Red Cross conducted in Tana River and Turkana Counties from January to March 2023. The sessions aimed at strengthening the DRM county and community organizational structures to enhance the capacity of local leaders and communities on preparedness and mitigation measures from disasters.

1,169 beneficiaries
attended county level
sessions in Tana River
and Turkana County

504 Female
665 Male

- On 2 February 2023, the Technical Working Group (TWG) on National Shelter Strategy led by IOM, State Department for Arid and Semi-Arid Lands and Regional Development and KRCS finalized and approved terms of reference, the TWG road map and plan. The meeting aimed at developing and designing a gender and vulnerability-sensitive shelter national strategy in the context of disasters. 21 participants (13 men, 8 women) from Government different UN agencies attended the TWG meeting.
- 20 members (14 men and 6 women) of the National Shelter Strategy-Technical Working Group attended and completed the training on Shelter International Minimum Standards held in Nakuru from 14 to 17 March 2023. The participants were able to enhance and acquire basic skills and knowledge on the international shelter framework, basic concepts and humanitarian principles of shelter interventions in the context of humanitarian crisis. The participants were also trained on how to effectively respond to displaced population using the shelter minimum standards and indicators in providing lifesaving assistance among the most disaster affected population. The training was officially opened by the Principal Secretary of SD-ASALs and Regional Development, H.E. Idris Dokota.



- IOM published three Displacement Tracking Matrix (DTM) Mobility Tracking and Multi-Sectoral Location Assessment (MSLA) reports for Marsabit, Isiolo and Samburu between January to March 2023. The DTM assessed the mobility dynamics of the population groups (pastoralist drop-outs, absentees, arrivals, returnees and foreign nationals) who have been displaced due to prolonged severe drought which affected the ASAL region. Apart from assessing the mobility dynamics of the displaced population, the deployment also included data collection of the most urgent needs of mobile populations for referrals and planning for emergency response by the government and humanitarian agencies. The unit also deployed and published two DTM Emergency Event Tracking (EET) in Garissa and Turkana Counties which **assessed over 10,000 displaced persons** due to the worsening drought. The DTM reports were viewed by over **10,000 viewers** on IOM official social media accounts and websites with more than 380 downloads from IOM official websites.

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- In response to the drought affected population's needs in the ASAL region of Kenya, IOM launched its new Japan-funded project entitled "Providing Humanitarian Assistance and Build Resilience among the most Vulnerable Communities in Turkana and Garissa Counties". The project will provide multi-sectoral emergency assistance on Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH), emergency livelihoods, DTM and resource-based conflict mitigation which will benefit the severely drought and conflict affected displaced communities. The event was held on 13 March 2023 attended by **18 officials** from the national government, IOM, UN and civil society organizations (CSOs).

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER GOVERNANCE (IBG)

- On 24 –26 January 2023, IOM Kenya and IOM Somalia conducted a Regional Operational Workshop on Cross Border Cooperation in Mogadishu, Somalia, aimed at establishing and promoting regional cooperation framework and mechanisms to counter transnational organized crime (TOC) as a joint effort as well as share best practices in operational interventions in detection of threats. A total of 17 (16 Males, 1 Female) participated in the workshop.



- The second Regional Operational Workshop on Cross Border cooperation was held in Machakos Kenya from 21 – 23 February 2023 where a total of 20 (18 Male, 2 Females) participants were trained. The aim of the workshop was to increase awareness between Somalia and Kenya on the International Best Practices in detection of threats and threat analysis. The workshop engaged a number of operational border officials from various border crossing points from the two states.

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- IOM Kenya in Partnership with the National Counter Terrorism Centre and Border Management Secretariat held a 3-day workshop on Early Warning Systems in Wajir County From 28 February to 2 March 2023. The workshop was aimed at sensitizing the community on various topics related to border governance and developing early warning systems to detect and communicate threats of terrorism and Transnational Organized Crime along Kenya Somalia border and within Wajir County. This initiative was funded by the Government of Canada under the "Enhancing Security through Improved Border and Immigration Management II" program.



- From 14 – 16 March 2023, IOM Kenya in Coordination with IOM Somalia Organized a regional workshop on Transnational organized Crime and immigration risk analysis in Moshi, Tanzania. The workshop addressed the challenges related to managing borders in emergency situations, this was analyzed in conjunction with INTERPOL and EAPCCO-CT which ensure a multi-dimensional approach to regional border cooperation. The outcomes of the initiative were Key policy recommendations and development A total of 15 (14 Males, 1 Female) participated in the workshop.

- On 8 February 2023, IOM held an engagement meeting in Nairobi, to sensitize and orient the new members of the Border Control and Operation Coordination Committee (BCOCC) and Development Partners on the BCOCCs five-year strategic plan. IOM affirmed its support to the Government of Kenya in the implementation of the five-year Strategic Plan.



Family Assistance Programme



2,378 beneficiaries were supported through the family assistance programme



533

Female Principal Applicant



295

Male Principal Applicant



594

Visa Submitted

MIGRATION HEALTH (MH)



7,128 beneficiaries received migration health assessment services

Disaggregation by gender	Migrant (self-payers)	Refugee (resettlement)	Total
Male	2058	1358	3416
Female	2355	1357	3712
Boys <18	504	496	1000
Girls <18	496	492	988


1,025
beneficiaries

underwent pre-departure medical procedures and fit to travel check

	Male	Female	Boys <18	Girls <18	Total
Migrants (self-payers)	22	32	31	35	120
Refugees	347	278	155	125	905

Eastleigh Community Wellness Center

Population		HTS Services	ANC Services	PNC Services	CWC Services	FP Services	CCC Services	Immunization Services	TB Services
Host Community	Male	65	0	0	279	0	135	100	41
	Female	345	315	112	277	251	267	111	24
Migrant Community	Male	67	0	0	135	0	20	47	9
	Female	137	226	99	150	31	16	46	5
	Total	614	541	211	841	282	438	304	79

- **10,228 individuals** received primary health care services from the IOM Eastleigh Community Wellness Centre, **7628 (74.5%)** were from the host community. **841** children were examined for nutrition status and offered routine health services, including **51** children who received Vitamin A supplements and **86** who were diagnosed with malnutrition and referred to the subcounty for nutritional supplement.



	Female	Male	Boys (Below 18 yrs)	Girls (Below 18 yrs)	TOTAL
Primary health care service	3,000	7,228	1,146	1,238	10,228
Nutritional Assessment conducted	507	600	417	432	841

- **IOM Kenya's Eastleigh Community Wellness Centre (ECWC)** reached **569 households**, including migrants and host communities, in Eastleigh through awareness raising sessions on health promotion on child immunization, COVID-19 safety measures, TB sensitization, and case finding through Community Health Volunteers. **Over 20,000 migrants and host community members** in Eastleigh **receive primary health care services** every year through ECWC which has been operational within the urban informal settlement since 2002.
- The Migration Health Division (MHD) trained **30 youth** in Eastleigh urban informal settlement through an **awareness session on Sexual Reproductive Health (SRH)**. Participants were sensitized on topics including health education, breast, cervical, and prostate cancer awareness, adolescent and youth health care services, reproductive rights and HIV/AIDS and pre and post prophylaxis care.

SUPPORT

Media Outreach



World TB Day Campaigns 2023: [Link to video](#) Int'l Women's Day Campaigns 2023: [Link to video](#)

Surviving the Drought: The Struggle and Resilience of Pastoralist Communities in Northern Kenya: [Link to Storyteller](#)



JTiP project launch media feature: [Link to page](#)

IOM Kenya storyteller featured on UNOCHA Relief Web Surviving the Drought: The Struggle and Resilience of Pastoralist Communities in Northern Kenya: [Link to feature](#)

Social Media

Reach from October to December

SOCIAL MEDIA



FACEBOOK



TWITTER

Impressions	88,250	16,698	71,552
Engagements	9,463	2,043	7,420
New followers	882	312	570

External Stakeholder Management and UN Coordination

- In the context of the 2022-2026 UNSDCF, IOM Kenya held consultative meetings with the Government of Kenya and other UN agencies to discuss on areas of cooperation and synergies to support migrants and host communities. The consultative process informed the ongoing development to the Joint programme on Migration, Mobility and Regional Integration.
- IOM Regional Office - Brussels and IOM Kenya held a workshop with the Government of Kenya on 9 February 2023 to develop guidelines and training materials to mainstream migration into international cooperation and development. The practical guidance and series of tools can be drawn on to inform European Union Delegations (EUDs), European Union member states and partner countries on integrating migration into their work to ensure that no one is left behind, improve coherence, and contribute to wider development objectives.

Data and Research

- [Data collection Tools deployed](#) – Helped develop Kobo tools for Emergency Tracking Tool, MECC MPTF community survey and DTM Data tools
- [MHAC Finance System Development](#) – Web based Cashier database development and testing for faster issuance of Receipts at the facility.

Programme portfolio expansion

- A project to support the Government of Kenya in implementation of API/PNR systems started in January 2023 with funding of USD1,902,550 from Canada. The project aims at Contributing to the Government of Kenya (GOK)'s endeavour to enhance passenger processing and strengthen traveller identification management capacities and API/PNR establishment and implementation.
- IOM Kenya started a new project titled “*Scaling up IOM's Electronic-Personal Health Records (e-PHR)*” in 1 January 2023 with funding of USD170,629.87 Million from Takeda (Japan).

The project aims at ensuring that digital at ensuring that digital health records for migrants are available, promoting the availability of medical data at the national and cross-border levels, informing adequate health assessments and provision of care including referrals.



- IOM Kenya launched a new project aimed at providing multi-sectoral emergency assistance on Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH), emergency livelihoods, DTM and resource-based conflict mitigation which will benefit the severely drought and conflict affected displaced communities on 13 March 2023 with funding of USD 909,250 from Japan (*Japan Supplementary Budget*).
- With IDF funding, a project to support the development of the Ethiopia-Kenyan Moyale Border Community by facilitating small-scale trade and human mobility commenced in January 2023. The project aims to assist the Government of Ethiopia (GoE) and GoK in carrying out key priority activities of the Action Plan by providing capacity development assistance to governments, small-scale traders and the Moyale community on both sides of the border as well as improve cross-border trade and mobility and improve livelihood opportunities for border communities along the Moyale corridor. Under this project USD 200,000 is allocated for activities in Kenya.

DONORS



IOM thanks the Government of Kenya for supporting migrants and other vulnerable mobile population groups in Kenya.

