



## KEY NUMBERS

**7,031** beneficiaries received migration health assessment services  
**3,830** individuals received primary health care services  
**978** beneficiaries supported through family assistance programme

**743** refugees received pre-departure cultural orientation  
**772** beneficiaries facilitated for resettlement  
**12** migrants were assisted with return and reintegration services

## HIGHLIGHTS

- IOM Kenya launched its **2022-2025 Programme Strategy** illustrating IOM Kenya's strategic thinking and how it intends to operationalize its Country Strategy 2021-2025.
- Resettlement and Movement Management (RMM) facilitated **departure of 772 beneficiaries** to various resettlement countries.
- **7,031 beneficiaries received migration health assessment services**, including 804 government-funded refugees.
- The **Kenya Migration Governance Indicators (MGI) Report was validated** by the National Coordination Mechanism on Migration (NCM).
- The Government of Kenya through the Ministry of Labour and in collaboration with IOM **launched an Oversight Mechanism (OM) and Community Feedback Mechanism (CFM)**, that will address issues of unethical recruitment to prevent human trafficking.
- **12 vulnerable migrants** were **assisted with return and reintegration services** and were also supported with setting up enterprises for income generation.
- IOM conducted an analysis on **"Human Mobility in the National and County Climate Change and Disaster Risk Reduction Frameworks in Kenya" in Turkana County** which resulted in the design of two pilot projects in Turkana County (see under MECC section below).
- IOM Kenya facilitated the finalization of the **National Shelter Strategy technical working group (TWG)'s terms of reference** in preparation for the development of the national shelter strategy in the context of natural-induced disasters.
- **Kakuma Sub Office** completed the **construction of the latrine unit** for use of people with disability and **children playground** for beneficiaries in line with IOM's Accountability to Affected Population (AAF) commitment and to ensure beneficiary centered services.
- **Dadaab Sub Office** is now **fully operational** after completion of the renovations of the guest house and offices.

<sup>1</sup> MGIs are a standard set of approximately 90 indicators to assist countries in assessing their migration policies and advance the conversation on what well-governed migration might look like in practice

<sup>2</sup> The OM will provide a platform for promoting identification, monitoring, and reporting of unethical recruitment practices and illegal activities by private recruitment agencies (PRAs). The CFM is a platform for soliciting, receiving and/or channeling complaints and community feedback on labour migration and trafficking in persons as well as promoting knowledge and awareness about the labour migration cycle

## Resettlement Updates

RMM facilitated departure of **772 beneficiaries** to various resettlement countries from April to June 2022

Country	Female	Male	Total
Australia	14	12	26
Belgium	0	1	1
Canada	226	225	451
Finland	25	27	52
France	1	0	1
Germany	17	5	22
Jamaica	1	0	1
Mongolia	0	1	1
Norway	8	8	16
United Kingdom	1	2	3
United States of America	117	81	198
Total	410	362	772



553  
Adults (12 yrs+)



204  
Children (2-12 yrs)



15  
Infants (2 yrs and below)

### Kakuma sub-office

**529 beneficiaries** were supported during three USRAP circuit rides for the first time since the outbreak of COVID-19 (RSC data collection, pre-screening and verification; cultural orientation; and DNA circuit ride).

**456 beneficiaries** were supported for the German selection mission.

### Dadaab sub-office

**788 beneficiaries** were supported during the USRAP selection mission (RSC Pre-screening mission)

**179 beneficiaries** were supported during the Canadian selection mission - The mission was the first in the last 10 years.

## PROGRAMMATIC UPDATE

### MIGRATION GOVERNANCE

With the support of IOM, Kenya's National Coordination Mechanism on Migration (NCM) held a National Multi-Stakeholder Consultation on 9 May 2022 to **update the Voluntary Global Compact on Migration (GCM) Review Report** and converse on pledges to be made for the International Migration Review Forum (IMRF) held on 17-20 May 2022. The consultation gathered over 60 representatives, including the UN Resident Coordinator, DG Immigration, national and county government, UN agencies, Academia, FBOs & CSOs.

The Counter Trafficking and Smuggling of Migrants Technical Working Group (TWG) from the UN Network on Migration (UNNM) met on Thursday 9 June to **revise the TWG workplan and Terms of Reference (ToR)** and agree on joint activities for the World Day Against Trafficking. The meeting was attended by representatives from Recollect, Trace Kenya, AMADPOC, Love Justice Kenya, UNHCR, UNODC, HAART, CHTEA, and IOM.

### LABOUR MOBILITY AND SOCIAL INCLUSION

IOM supported the National Employment Agency (NEA) in **training community members in Nandi, Busia, Mombasa, Nairobi City and Kilifi counties on the use of the Oversight Mechanism and the Community Feedback Mechanism**. The 126 community members trained are supported to conduct cascade trainings in their communities to raise awareness of these mechanisms to ensure that the local communities engage in identification, monitoring and reporting of unethical recruitment practices and illegal activities by Private Recruitment Agencies (PRAs) sending migrant workers abroad in order to prevent human trafficking. **58 PRAs** in Nairobi and Mombasa counties were trained on the International Recruitment Integrity System (IRIS). IOM provides further support to interested agencies to change their management system and align to IRIS principles.

### 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 orientation:

Country	Number	Male	Female
Canada	484	214	270
Australia	198	100	98
Germany	58	30	28
United Kingdom	3	1	2



## MIGRANT PROTECTION

IOM and the Counter Trafficking in Persons Secretariat (CTiP) *strengthened knowledge of 60 court users* in Nairobi, Nakuru and Muranga counties *on identification, assistance and referral of victims of trafficking through the dissemination of the national referral mechanism (NRM) for trafficking in persons*. Targeted court users included first line responders for TIP, children officers, police, community leaders, women leaders, and representatives from CSOs and NGOs.

## MIGRATION, ENVIRONMENT AND CLIMATE CHANGE (MECC)

Based on the “Analysis of Human Mobility in the National and County Climate Change and Disaster Risk Reduction Frameworks in Kenya”, two pilot projects were launched with the support from Lotus Kenya Action for Development (LOKADO), IOM's local NGO partner in Turkana County, under a joint project funded by Migration Multi-Partner Trust Fund.

The *first project enhances dialogue and promotes partnerships* to address challenges and opportunities for regular migration pathways, sustainable development, and human mobility in the context of disasters, environmental degradation, and climate change. The *second project facilitates regular migration pathways* through promoting sustainable development and green economy in the context of disasters, environmental degradation, and climate change.

IOM Kenya enhanced the knowledge of various stakeholders on the *migration, environment, and climate change nexus and the policy* responses to support climate-resilient migration management in Kenya. 18 participants from the Stated Department of ASALs, National Drought Management Authority (NDMA), National Coordination Mechanism on Migration (NCM), Kenya Forestry Service (KFS), Kenya Wildlife Service (KWS), county government officials from ASAL counties, UNEP and CSOs joined the training.

IOM supported stabilization and diversification of livelihoods for communities vulnerable to the impacts of climate change in Tana River county by providing fishing gears to the Beach Management Unit and *fishers, and agricultural equipment to pastoralist women* from Tawfiq Girls.

## EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, RESPONSE AND STABILIZATION (EPRS)

SDD-ASALs and IOM held a strategic meeting to discuss the continued collaboration between IOM and the national government on how to strategize and harmonize programming on the worsening effects of climate change, as well as mainstreaming climate change in disaster risk reduction and management. IOM will be involved in the finalization of Kenya's Mid-Term Plan IV on disaster risk management.

*The National Symposium on Mainstreaming Preventing and Countering Violent Extremism (P/CVE) in Kenya* was held to discuss how the government, the UN, and CSOs can redefine their P/CVE programming and adopt a comprehensive approach, where P/CVE programming is incorporated in the County Action Plans (CAP). The National Counter Terrorism Centre (NCTC) and participating UN agencies, including IOM, agreed on a P/CVE mainstreaming plan and strategy and discussed the review of CAP-P/CVE at the county level, as well as the need to increase the budget of programming for better impact among youths and communities.

*IOM, as the co-lead for emergency and NFI sector in Kenya* conducted a number of meetings with the sector to develop the contingency plan (CP) 2022 for both election preparedness and natural-induced disasters.

## IMMIGRATION AND BORDER MANAGEMENT (IBM)

Under the Better Migration Management (BMM) II Programme, IOM Kenya sensitized 31 community leaders and Border Management Committee (BMC) members from Kenya Bureau of Standards, Port Health, and Ministry of Interior in Bungoma as well as 80 Community leaders and Government officials from 9 PoEs in Kitale, Homa-bay and Bungoma Counties with the objective to *strengthen community engagement in border management* at POEs and One-Stop Border Posts (OSBPs). The community members were sensitized on the role they can play in securing borders, protecting vulnerable migrants, especially those being trafficked or smuggled, and facilitating legitimate trade and travel.

Under the framework of the UN CT Travel Programme, IOM and the UN Office of Counter Terrorism (UNOCT) sensitized 20 government officials (9 female, 11 male) working on immigration and counter terrorism on *Advanced Passenger Information and Passenger Name Records (API & PNR)* to enhance their knowledge to detect and counter serious crimes and to improve the use of international databases with known and suspected terrorists and criminals. In the context of the COMESA-led Small-Scale Cross Border Traders Initiative (SSCBTI), IOM built the capacity of the migration, trade, and customs government authorities on the interlinkages between trade facilitation, human mobility, and migration issues.


## FAMILY ASSISTANCE PROGRAMME

978 beneficiaries were supported through the family assistance programme:

Beneficiaries	Female Principal Applicant	Male Principal Applicant	Visa Submitted
978	221	337	229

## MIGRATION HEALTH

Total	Male	Female	Intervention
<b>3,830</b>	<b>1,554</b>	<b>2,276</b>	Individuals received primary health care services from the IOM Eastleigh Community Wellness Centre, 2,886 (75%) were from the host community
<b>1,113</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>522</b>	Children were examined for nutrition status and offered routine health services, including 520 children who received Vitamin A supplements and 106 who were diagnosed with malnutrition and referred to the subcounty for nutritional supplement
<b>569</b>			Households were reached through awareness raising sessions on health promotion through Community Health Volunteers, including on child immunization and COVID-19 safety measures
<b>7,031</b>			Beneficiaries received migration health assessment services
<b>6227</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>3464</b>	Migrant (self-payer)
<b>804</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>392</b>	Refugees (resettlement)
<b>772</b>			Beneficiaries underwent pre-departure medical procedures and fitness to travel check
<b>110</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>51</b>	migrant (self-payers)
<b>662</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>282</b>	refugees (resettlement)

 **4,543** COVID-19 PCR tests were performed for UN staff/dependents, diplomatic community, humanitarian organization, refugees, migrants


**422** (185 male, 237 female) were screened for COVID-19

 **105** (75 male, 30 female) frontline health care workers/ CHV's/CHA's trained

**50** (17 male, 33 female) community health volunteers and gender champions trained on GBV

 **34** (11 male, 8 female) individuals received GBV support


**30** (10 male, 20 female) dignity kits issued to GBV survivors

 **354,332** individuals reached with COVID-19 vaccination campaigns and radio messaging

 **1,728** WASH items donated

 **5** (2 male, 3 female) individuals got medical referral

 **395,502** PPE and IPC supplies items donated

 **19** individuals (8 male, 11 female) were provided with mental health and psychosocial support

# SUPPORT

## MEDIA OUTREACH

Sharon Dimanche, Chief of Mission - BBC Africa <https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p0crr0yn>

Pravina Gurung , LHD-MPA Project Manager- NTV Kenya <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RIFBuNEoMMU>



Social media: Impressions - **76,350**

Engagements – **6,124**

New followers - **528**

## EXTERNAL STAKEHOLDER MANAGEMENT AND UN COORDINATION

*IOM Kenya and World Vision Kenya signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)* in May to further strengthen their partnership on emergency response, disaster risk reduction and other programmes in line with IOM Kenya's strategic plans.

## DATA AND RESEARCH

IOM conducted a *survey at the Eastleigh Community Wellness Center (ECWC)* which provides free medical services to the migrant and host community living in Eastleigh, Kamukunji county. The data collection was designed to increase the *understanding of the client demographic, their economic status, education level and skills, and how to improve the services* provided in the clinic.

## PROGRAMME PORTFOLIO EXPANSION

IOM Kenya organized a breakfast meeting with development partners on 25 May to launch *IOM Kenya 2022-2025 Programme Strategy* and brainstorm on the establishment of a *Migration and Mobility Working Group in Kenya*.

Portfolio diversification: The Migration and Climate Change portfolio increased by **USD 72,000** with new funding to start a research *analyzing the conflict dimension of climate change and migration in Turkana, West Pokot and Baringo counties*.



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

# DONORS

IOM works in close coordination with the Government of Kenya and these donors, in outreach efforts, direct assistance, enhancing access to support mechanisms for migrants and migrant workers.



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