2022 YEAR IN REVIEW



IOM MEXICO AT A GLANCE











10 Offices to assist migrants across Mexico

- Ciudad Juarez, Chihuahua
- Guadalajara, Jalisco
- Mexicali, Baja California
- Mexico City
- Monterrey, Nuevo Leon
- San Luis Potosi, San Luis Potosi
- Tapachula, Chiapas
- Tenosique, Tabasco
- Tijuana, Baja California
- Villahermosa, Tabasco



HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE IN SHELTERS



+156.000 beneficiaries



to improve accommodation conditions.

Food aid



to ensure sufficient meals.

Non-food items delivery



to equip facilities and supply daily use items.

Digital information services



to keep migrants up to date on immigration policies and procedures, services availability, and safety risks.

Free internet



to support migrants' connectivity and shelter management.

DIRECT HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE

to highly vulnerability migrants (single-parent families, pregnant women, elderly, LGBTI+, and others)



E-wallets

Monthly stipend of US\$120 per person for up to three months. Assistance is capped at US\$480/month for a family of 4 or more. E-wallets can be used at selected stores in Mexico to buy food and other basic goods.



Temporary accommodation

Emergency support in case of shelters overcrowding or migrants with special needs.

1.790

Beneficiaries

Women Men

61% 36%

Other

3%

138

1.068

3.198

Beneficiaries

Accommodation nights

Meals

^{*} Includes 24 institutions/organizations providing other services to migrants



PROTECTION



5.772 Protection cases

assisted

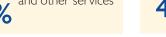


Referrals to migratory, social, and other services

Gender-based

violence

(GBV)





Human trafficking

Child

protection



Referrals to prenatal care

Support to other crime victims

Assistance during pregnancy



253 Pre-and post-natal care kits delivered

33 Beneficiaries

Legal identity



registration campaigns

95 children born in Mexico to migrant parents with birth certificates

Protection services and consular assistance



fairs in Mexicali (3) and Monterrey (1)

770 participants

Legal assistance



law school clinics in Chihuahua, Mexicali, and Monterrey.

Missing migrants



- >>>> Carried out consultations with 13 Local Search Commissions (CLB) to identify challenges in triggering the National Search System to locate missing migrants.
- >>> Co-organized the Regional Forum on Missing Migrants.
- Supported the development of community tools for missing migrants' search.

Internally Displaced Persons (IDP)



- >>>> Promoted the right to legal identity, through guidance and support to obtain required documentation and complete the birth registration process.
- Daunched data collection for the study "Internal displacement, migration and U.S. returns along the northern border of Mexico, a perspective from 12 cities."

INTERNATIONAL MOBILITY ASSISTANCE

Regional Assisted Voluntary Return (AVR)

In coordination with IOM offices in 20 countries, IOM Mexico provided administrative, logistical, and financial support to vulnerable migrants in the Americas, who are unable or unwilling to remain in host countries, voluntarily want to return to their country of origin and lack the means to return without assistance.



voluntary returns



returns from Mexico

Resettlement assistance



persons assisted to resettle in a third country, according to protection needs.



RESPONSE TO EMERGENCIES

IOM Mexico boosted and adjusted humanitarian assistance in response to COVID-19 and changes in the U.S. immigration policies, through which thousands of migrants of certain nationalities were returned or expelled to Mexico under different regulations.

COVID-19



Filter hotels in Tijuana and Ciudad Juarez for the temporary accommodation of migrants with suspected or confirmed COVID-19 and/or with some vulnerability condition.

3.528 beneficiaries





medical consultations and/ or psychosocial support

Migrant Protection Protocols (MPP) resumption



returned MPP enrollees 7.546 assisted in 4 points of entry (PoE) on the U.S.-Mexico border



COVID-19 6.921 tests to prevent cross-border contagion



safe transfers to/ from PoE and inter-cities in Mexico to attend MPP court hearings in the U.S.

Enforcement of Title 42





shelters supported with emergency NFI deliveries



Information sessions and individualized attention on migration procedures

INSTITUTIONAL STRENGTHENING

Training activities



Participants



Private sector



Shelters

Main training topics

- Immigration processes and regularization
- >>> Access to justice
- Ethical recruitmentMigration-related from Migration-related frauds prevention
- Trafficking in persons
- Migrant smuggling
- >>>> Prevention of sexual abuse and exploitation (PEAS)
- SSS Gender-based violence
- >>> Labor integration
- >>> Protection of migrant children and adolescents
- >>> Data protection

Capacity building in the public sector

Migration Governance Indicators (MGI)

- >>> 5 studies on migration policies and institutional frameworks.
 - Mexico (national level)
 - Mexico City
 - Durango
 - Guerrero
 - [®] Michoacan

Migrant children protection

- 3 assessment studies in Guanajuato, Oaxaca, and Quintana Roo.
- >>> 4 action plans in Jalisco, Nuevo Leon, Tabasco, and Tamaulipas.

Knowledge sharing

>>> 6 exchange activities on migration governance and labor inclusion good practices among state government officials in Mexico and between authorities in Mexico City, Santiago, Chile and El Salvador.

Capacity building in shelters

>>> 8 shelters received technical assistance to register as charities and strengthen fundraising activities

Volunteering program in Tijuana and Mexicali

>>41 university students

>>> 16 participating shelters



INTEGRATION AND SOCIAL COHESION

>>> 417 migrants trained in job skills.

>>> 775 migrants assisted with the validation process of foreign studies, degrees, and other qualifications.

>>> 1 networking group of people on the move focused on entrepreneurship and job opportunities.

>>> 7 migrant entrepreneurs

sister city partnership launched between Tapachula, Mexico, and Santa Ana, El Salvador.

3 initiatives for migrant women inclusion through childcare and support groups.

migrants received medicines, glasses and/ or had access to medical consultations.

3 social dialogue activities between migrants and government institutions.

Cultural Activities

1 film festival

2 cultural bazaars

1 live music performance

PUBLIC POLICY COORDINATION AND DIALOGUE

Collaboration with government coordination initiatives



Inter-Secretarial Commission for Addressing Migration Issues (CIAIMM)

Inter-Secretarial Commission to Prevent, Punish and Eradicate Crimes Related to Trafficking in Persons

National Search Commission (CNB)

Citizen Council of the National Institute of Migration

>>> Advisory Council on Migration Policy (CCPM)

>>> National System for the Comprehensive Protection of Children and Adolescents

Collaboration with other United Nations agencies in Mexico



>>> Inter-Agency Human Mobility Group (GIMH), co-led by IOM and UNHCR, implemented a coordinated response to unprecedented human mobility flows.

>>> UN Network on Migration-Mexico, coordinated by IOM, supported the Mexican Government in making 6 pledges to advance the objectives of the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration during the International Migration Review Forum (IMRF).

>>> 2 Co-coordinated working groups

- Shelters (IOM and UNHCR)
- Internal displacement (IOM, UNHCR and OHCHR)

3 Joint projects

- >>> 1 Coordination platform
- Mexico chapter of the Interagency coordination for migrants and refugees from Venezuela (co-led by IOM and UNHCR)
- Strengthening the WASH capacities of shelters (IOM and UNICEF)
- Labor mobility pathways for persons with humanitarian needs (UNHCR
- Capacity building of local governments in Santiago, Chile and Mexico City to strengthen the socioeconomic integration of migrants and refugees (IOM, UNHCR and ILO)

MIGRATION DATA AND RESEARCH



Displacement Tracking Matrix (DTM)

is a set of tools to better understand migrants' needs and mobility patterns.

14 surveys to monitor monthly migration flows across two cities in the south, Tapachula, Chiapas and Tenosique, Tabasco.

North and South Borders Migration Surveys (EMIF)

Collaboration with the Colegio de la Frontera Norte (COLEF) to collect data on the magnitude and characteristics of migration flows at the norther and southern borders.

Other studies and research

6 studies on:

- Internal displacement
- Migration and the labor market
- Local migration policy
- Migrant smuggling

3 bulletins analyzing migration trends.

COMMUNICATION



- Immigration procedures and regularization
 Social cohesion
 Hate speech and discrimination awareness
 Migrant children
- Access to rights
- Socio-economic inclusion

Social media

17.5 million people reached

252 thousand interactions

Two-way communication

420 referrals

180 migrants assisted by IOM

Media engagement

130 interviews

20% international media

28 press releases

2 op-eds

- International Migration Review Forum
- International Day for Countering Hate Speech