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GENEVA

COVID-19 impacts

- As of November 2021, 229 countries, territories and areas issued 111,456 travel-related measures.
- By mid-2020, over 3 million people around the world were displaced.
- **Air passengers dropped by 60 percent** in 2020 compared to 2019.
- There were around **2 million fewer migrants in 2020** - permanent migration flows to OECD countries alone declined by over 30 percent.

COVID-19 impacts

- Migrants have proved resilient in terms of support - **only a slight drop in remittances by 2.2% in 2020.**
- Migrants have also proved critical to **COVID-19 response**, in the health, agricultural and food service sectors, with some governments making critical exceptions to allow travel for seasonal workers.



COVID-19 Health Response

- Of the 177 countries IOM has surveyed, **122 provide COVID-19 vaccination access to regular migrants** in practice.
- But while 67 countries provide access to irregular migrants, **the situation for irregular migrants in most countries remains unclear.**
- IOM is **assisting 38 Member States with COVID-19 vaccination efforts** for migrants, including 5 with the administration of COVAX COVID-19 vaccines.
- IOM is also **providing support to service delivery** (i.e., transport and logistics, cold chain and supply chain enhancement).



COVID-19 Labour Market Impacts

- **Temporary labour migration rates have dropped** significantly.
- Lockdowns and mobility restrictions caused **global working hours to decline by 8.8 per cent** in 2020.
- The G20 countries alone have **lost equivalent to 195 million full-time jobs** in 2020, which led to **labour income loss of 8.1 per cent**.
- **Migrants have faced massive job cuts** and are given more precarious working conditions.
- For example, according to an IOM Survey:
 - **Over 790,000 Filipino migrants working abroad returned to the Philippines in 2020.**
 - COVID-19 has caused over a 60% drop in household income for those returning, and 83% remain unemployed three months after return home.
 - Joblessness doubled in the Philippines in 2020, reaching 10.2 per cent compared to 5.1 percent in 2019.
 - Nearly half of those surveyed expressed a desire to re-migrate internationally, once it is possible.

Climate Change



Source: World Bank
"Groundswell" Report 2021

IOM Crisis Response in 2020

Shelter / NFI operations in **54** countries
reached **4.6 million** people in need



1.6 million individuals supported
through **cash-based interventions**
in **56** countries



Nearly **40,000** people supported with **protection** interventions
& programming



Emergency health operations in **40** countries with **3.4 million** primary health care consultations conducted
with **804,200** vaccinations



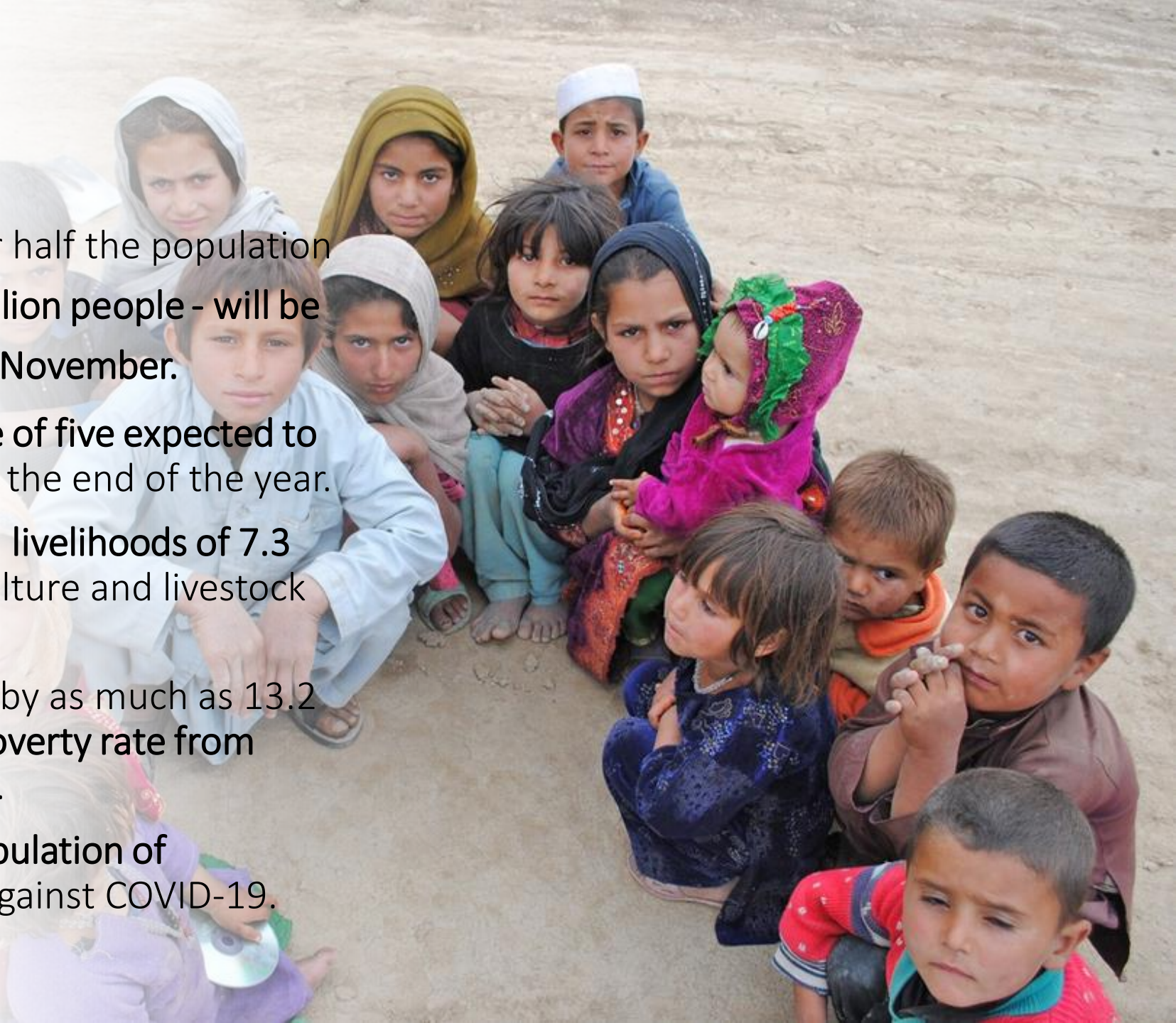
165 countries supported in conducting **movement operations**
for **118,630** persons



IOM reached over **37 million people**, including IDPs, refugees and migrants either directly or as part of community-based programmes.

Afghanistan

- **Food crisis and malnutrition:** over half the population of Afghanistan - a record 22.8 million people - will be facing acute food insecurity from November.
- 3.2 million children under the age of five expected to suffer from acute malnutrition by the end of the year.
- **Drought:** continues to impact the livelihoods of 7.3 million people who rely on agriculture and livestock to survive.
- **Poverty:** real GDP could contract by as much as 13.2 % leading to an increase in the poverty rate from current 75% to 97% by mid-2022.
- **Health:** Only 6.6% of the total population of Afghanistan are fully vaccinated against COVID-19.



Yemen

- IOM co-leads the **refugee and migrant multi-sector (RMMS)** and **rapid response mechanism (RRM)** sectors.
- IOM leads clusters on camp coordination and camp management (**CCCM**), shelter and non-food items (**NFI**), health, water, sanitation, and hygiene (**WASH**) and protection clusters.
- IOM has opened a **temporary humanitarian hub** in Ma'rib city.
- IOM is the lead of the **taskforce on population movement (TFPM)**.
- IOM's **Displacement Tracking Matrix (DTM)** assessments serve as the operational baseline for humanitarian response.



Haiti

- A **7.2 magnitude earthquake** struck southwestern Haiti on 14 August 2021, hitting a country already in crisis.
- Haiti's Civil Protection reports over **2,189 deaths** and over **12,000 injured**, with more than **52,000 collapsed buildings**, 77,000 damaged buildings and 137,000 families affected.
- IOM working to **support internally displaced persons** and rebuild destroyed infrastructure, restore essential services, and repair the country's fragile social fabric.



IOM Support to IDP Response

- IOM implements programs contributing to durable solutions in over **60 countries**, with an average duration of **27 months** and a total budget exceeding **1 billion USD**
- IOM sits on **34 steering committees or technical working groups on protection** within the IASC system, as well as **managing 12 humanitarian hubs in 5 countries**: Bangladesh, Central African Republic, Nigeria, South Sudan and Yemen.
- **80 per cent** of the Humanitarian Needs Overviews (HNO) & Humanitarian Response Plans (HRP) used DTM as full or partial data source for IDP numbers.
- Tracking & monitoring of displacement & needs were met for:

29.4 M
IDPs

20.8 M
IDP
returnees

5.4 M
returnees
abroad

Global Compact for Migration

- IOM Offered technical and policy support to 108 national governments and 17 local governments.
- **50+ country and regional Networks** – all firmly embedded in the UN development architecture
- 27 Champion Countries increasing momentum behind the GCM
- The **Start-up Fund for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration** (Migration MPTF) has been operationalized, with financing now under way for the first nine joint programmes.



IOM Initiatives as SDG Good Practices

IOM Office	Initiative
Turkey	<i>Pre-Employment Support Program for Syrians Under Temporary Protection and Host Communities in Turkey</i>
Turkey	<i>SME Strengthening and Support Program (Let's Grow this business)</i>
GMDAC	<i>Measuring 'Safe' Migration: Collection of global data on migrant fatalities for Indicator 10.7.3</i>
Belgium	<i>Equality</i>
Belgium	<i>Enhancing Tunisian youth employability through internships in Belgian companies</i>
Armenia	<i>Armenian diaspora supports to COVID-19 response</i>
HQ	<i>iDiaspora</i>
Albania	<i>National Strategy on Migration and Action Plan 2019-2022</i>
Chad	<i>Innovative shelters solutions for internally displaced persons in the Lake Chad Basin</i>
Brazil	<i>MigraCidades: Enhancing Local Migration Governance in Brazil</i>

IOM in Numbers

As of June 2021

16,923

Total number of staff



9,028
male



7,895
female

172 nationalities represented



141 nationalities

- international professional level

94 nationalities

- senior level (P4 and above)

USD 2.18 billion

Combined total revenue in 2020



- assessed contributions
- voluntary contributions
- other income

In 2021, the combined total revenue will probably exceed

USD 2.3 billion

as of November 2021



174

Member States

578 Offices

as of 1 November 2021



Unearmarked/Flexible Contributions

UNEARMARKED FUNDING OVERVIEW

Last updated: 25 November 2021

All figures in USD million

Member State	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022*	2023*	2024*	Grand Total
Sweden	6.31	7.46	10.78	10.55	12.16				47.25
United Kingdom	5.17	5.26	4.93	5.27	5.50				26.13
Denmark	-	3.81	3.68	3.65	4.10	4.10			19.35
Netherlands	-	7.50	1.83	3.17	2.39	2.39			17.28
United States of America	2.16	2.35	2.68	2.50	5.00				14.69
Norway	-	1.76	2.28	1.89	3.66	2.44			12.03
Belgium	1.20	1.16	1.14	1.14	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	9.12
Ireland	-	-	0.55	1.09	1.21				2.85
Switzerland	-	0.50	0.51	0.54	1.08				2.64
Republic of Korea*	-	-	-	-	1.00	1.00			2.00
France	-	-	-	-	1.22				1.22
Spain	-	-	-	1.19	-				1.19
Portugal	-	0.23	0.11	0.24	-				0.58
Austria	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04*				0.20
Philippines	-	-	-	0.01	-				0.01
	14.88	30.06	28.55	31.29	38.47	11.05	1.12	1.12	156.53

* Pledged but not yet received as of the date of the update, subject to change due to exchange rates

** 2021 figures reflect preliminary unaudited results as of the date of the update



Closed multiyear agreement



Active multiyear agreement

The Road to the International Migration Review Forum

9-10 December 2021 – 3rd Annual Meeting of the UN Network on Migration

17 December 2021 – launch of pledging campaign

January-April 2022 – IMRF Dialogue Series

February 2022 – launch of SG Report

February 2022 – IOM International Migration Dialogue

May 9 2022 – Multi-stakeholder Hearing

May 10-13 2022 – International Migration Review Forum

