



IOM and partner delivered food items to the migrants affected by COVID-19 outbreak in Samut Sakorn. ©MIGRANT WORKING RIGHTS NETWORK 2020

In 2020, IOM Thailand's activities reached over 220,000 beneficiaries across 36 projects funded by 17 donors.

271	8	36	17	17.9 M USD	>220,000
					
STAFF	OFFICES	PROJECTS	DONORS	BUDGET SPENT	BENEFICIARIES

COVID-19 RESPONSE



13,952 migrants received food, water, hygiene supplies during the pandemic.

9 surveys and assessments were conducted to gauge the needs, conditions and challenges faced by migrants during the pandemic.

36,183 Information, Education and Communication materials (IECs) were distributed to migrants.

85,000 masks, hand sanitizers and infrared thermometers were provided to Thai Immigration Bureau border officers and immigration detention centres.

4,999 employers from private sectors were sensitized about increased vulnerabilities of migrant workers due to the pandemic.

MIGRANT ASSISTANCE AND HUMANITARIAN SUPPORT



164,710 migrants were reached through awareness-raising activities on topics such as migration policy, safe migration, trafficking in persons, labour rights and social welfare.

6,321 migrants benefited from direct assistance, including return and reintegration assistance, purchase of health insurance and first-aid.

37,830 food and non-food items were distributed to migrants in detention and at shelters as humanitarian assistance.

522 children born to non-Thai mothers at Ranong Hospital were issued with birth certificates by the municipality with the assistance of IOM's Legal Clinic.

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An IOM staff interacts with a migrant family in Mae Sot, Tak Province.
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VIDEOS



28 videos were produced in 2020:

- 4 animation videos on COVID-19 Information for Migrant Workers
- 20 videos of IOM Language Training course for Myanmar and Cambodian Migrant Workers
- 2 videos of IOM and Walmart Joint Efforts to Better Protect Migrant Workers
- Tsunami Evacuation simulation in Phang Nga
- COVID-19 Response for Frontline Officials

CAPACITY-BUILDING



1,016 officials and civil servants from the Royal Thai Government received training on immigration and border management, trafficking in persons and child protection.

87 NGO and CSO workers were trained on leadership, data protection, communications for development, case documentation, monitoring and evaluation and advocacy.

899 migrants benefitted from vocational training, skills upgrade, leadership training and livelihood.

223 employers from the private sector were trained on ethical recruitment, employment and skills development for migrant workers.

REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT AND MOVEMENT MANAGEMENT



1,190 camp-based and urban refugees were resettled to 5 countries. Of this number, 545 benefitted from cultural orientation conducted by Australian Cultural Orientation (AUSCO) and Canadian Orientation Abroad (COA).

MIGRATION HEALTH



6,424 benefitted from health assessments conducted by IOM's medical teams.

24,809 migrants and Thai nationals in Tak and Mae Hong Son provinces were educated on malaria elimination and prevention by 339 volunteers trained by IOM.

15,541 long lasting insecticide treated bed nets were distributed to refugees, migrants and non-Thai nationals in Tak and Mae Hong Son provinces.

PUBLICATIONS



43 publications were finalized and published in 2020. Of this number, 39 were COVID-19 related publications.

WEBSITE



1,592 users visited the MitrThai.com information hub for migrant workers in Myanmar, Khmer, Laos and Thai languages.

PUBLIC AND MEDIA ENGAGEMENT



57 news reports, op-eds and feature stories referencing IOM Thailand's work were published by local and international media.

423 attended workshops, conferences and meetings organized by IOM Thailand.



An IOM enumerator conducts a survey with a Myanmar migrant at Pak Nam Harbour in Ranong Province. ©IOM 2020/VISARUT SANKHAM

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DONORS

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Government of New Zealand	U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
IKEA Supply AG	U.S. Department of State
Government of Australia	Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration
Government of Canada	UK Visas and Immigration
International Labour Organization	United States Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance
IOM Development Fund	Walmart Corp. Inc.
Joint Fund for the 2030 Agenda	
Laudes Foundation	
Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency	

NUMBER OF PROJECTS BY SDGS



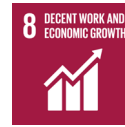
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