

On 24 February 2022, the Russian Federation launched a broad military invasion in Ukraine, which has contributed to significant internal displacement and cross-border movements.

As of today, it is estimated that over **19,293,161¹** persons have been forcibly displaced into neighboring countries, with still more projected to move out of the country.

2,316,456¹ persons have arrived to Hungary across the Hungarian-Ukrainian border.

34,248¹ persons applied for the temporary protection status in Hungary.

STORY

Since the beginning of the crisis, IOM Hungary's mobile team has provided much needed information, as well as mental health and psychosocial support, cultural mediation and interpretation services in the region bordering Ukraine. During their periodic visits to the shelters where refugees from Ukraine are accommodated, IOM staff members conduct regular assessments to identify needs and provide adequate support. Recently, the lack of employment opportunities and the difficulty to access education facilities due to the large geographical distances have been identified as some of the main hardships experienced by families in the region.



IOM staff members assessing the needs of a family accommodated in a farm in the bordering region.
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KEY FACTS - IOM HUNGARY RESPONSE



13,898 F
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21,891 PEOPLE assisted on site and remotely through information provision



739 SESSIONS Mental Health and Psychosocial Support counselling



2,631 PEOPLE provided with safe accommodation



86 PEOPLE received Voluntary Humanitarian Return assistance



88,466 SAFE NIGHTS of accommodation provided



590 referrals of vulnerable cases



66,663 MEALS provided for children in community centers



13,354 FOOD VOUCHERS distributed to beneficiaries



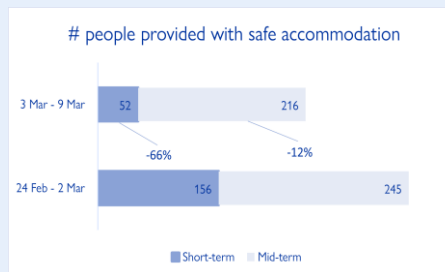
5,166 SURVEYS conducted by DTM



340 PEOPLE provided with interpretation services

TRENDS

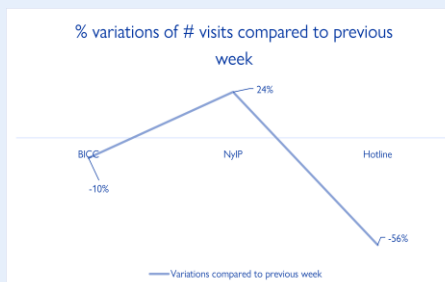
Accommodation



As of 9 March:

2,030 people have been provided with *short-term* accommodation. 601 people have been provided with *mid-term* accommodation.

Information Provision



IOM provides information both in Budapest (Nyugati Info Point & Budapest Helps! Information & Community Center) and at the border area. Information is also provided via our Hotline.