

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.

To this moment, it is estimated that over **18,159,214¹** persons have been forcibly displaced into neighboring countries, with still more projected to move out of the country.

2,151,419¹ persons have arrived to Hungary across the Hungarian-Ukrainian border.

33,603¹ persons applied for the temporary protection status in Hungary.

STORY

"I am grateful for the opportunity to play together with musicians in Hungary; I am pleased to bring a little joy into the everyday life by being able to play both Hungarian and Ukrainian melodies from Transcarpathia" says Rudi, an accordion player coming from Nikopol (Ukraine) and accommodated in one of the shelters provided by IOM. Last week, IOM organized a live concert in Budapest Helps! Info and Community Center where Rudi performed with his band. The Center, run by IOM Hungary in partnership with UNHCR, has become a gathering point for refugees coming from Ukraine. Every week, with the support of local NGOs, it hosts several activities, which range from events, informal education, sport to art and cultural classes.



© IOM Rudi playing music together with the Szkojani Charlatans band.

KEY FACTS - IOM HUNGARY RESPONSE



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18,047 PEOPLE assisted on site and remotely through information provision



659 SESSIONS Mental Health and Psychosocial Support counselling



2,497 PEOPLE provided with safe accommodation



79 PEOPLE received Voluntary Humanitarian Return assistance



79,776 SAFE NIGHTS of accommodation provided



433 referrals of vulnerable cases



53,895 MEALS provided for children in community centers



9,211 FOOD VOUCHERS distributed to beneficiaries



4,320 SURVEYS conducted as part of DTM



398 vulnerability screenings



69 PEOPLE provided with interpretation service

TRENDS

Accommodation

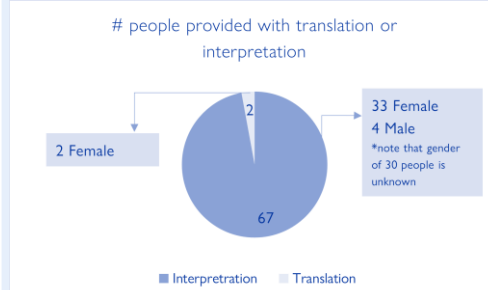


As of 2 February:

1,946 people have been provided with *short-term* accommodation. **473** people have been provided with *mid-term* accommodation.

78 people have been provided with *long-term* accommodation.

Interpretation



IOM Hungary offers free translation or interpretation in Ukrainian, Russian, English and Hungarian upon request, both in person and online.