







Gravity Water Supply System to deliver water to communities. This system has no carbon emission and is environmentally friendly. © IOM


SHELTER - NFIs - WASH


 **48,591** Individuals benefitted from rehabilitation of water infrastructure.

 **17,478** Individuals benefitted from hygiene promotion activities.

 **2,220** Individuals benefitted from rehabilitation of sanitation facilities.

 **242** Individuals benefitted from distribution of soaps and jerrycans.

 **330** Individuals benefitted from communal structures construction/expansion/maintenance

 **1,948** Individuals benefitted from transitional shelter support.


MIGRATION GOVERNANCE

IOM and the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia (FDRE) Attorney General has developed final a draft of the National Coordination Mechanism (NCM) Regulation. Once fully operationalized, it will ensure a whole-of-government and society approach towards migration management in Ethiopia.

REGIONAL MIXED MIGRATION PROGRAMME - EAST AND HORN OF AFRICA (EHOA)

As part of responding to the COVID-19 pandemic in Somalia and after assessing the needs of the Somalia/Ethiopia border towns of Togowachale and Baligubadle, IOM has procured and handed over 40 handwashing stations and 300 boxes of soap to the Ministry of Water Development in Somaliland. The equipment and the hygiene materials will be stationed in the border towns to benefit the border town communities, the immigration officials as well as people crossing the borders to mitigate risks of further spread of the virus.


OPERATIONS


 **41** Documents verified for different embassies on behalf of refugees and migrants.





Returnee migrant registration at quarantine facility. © IOM


RETURNS & REINTEGRATION

 **3,456** Returnees were registered, profiled and screened for vulnerabilities in quarantine facilities.


 **169** Returnees received economic and social support.


 **11** Returnees received one-on-one and group psychosocial counselling.


 **11** Returnees received Post-Arrival Assistance.


 **15** Implementing Partners (IPs) received capacity building training.


HEALTH

 **6,395** Medical consultations conducted.


 **11,033** Individuals benefitted from health awareness sessions.


 **1,479** Children less than five years old screened for malnutrition.

 **1,111** Women of reproductive age benefitted from sexual and reproductive health services.

 **90** Health assessments conducted.

BEHAVIOUR CHANGE COMMUNICATION

 Conducted Risk Communication and Community Engagement (RCCE) in Arat Kilo quarantine facility.

 Radio spots in local languages - Amharic, Oromiffa, and Tigrigna - were recorded and transmitted to raise awareness. Cultural music was played to entertain returnees in quarantine centres.



Demonstration of hygiene practices. © IOM

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