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# IOM Ethiopia Assistance to Refugee Movements

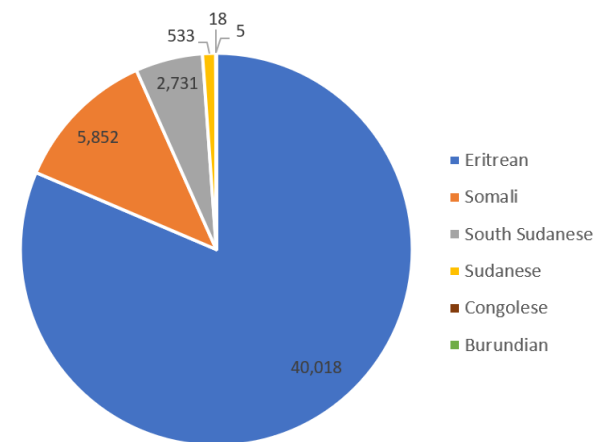
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The largest group of refugees assisted were Eritrean at 40,018 individuals (80.5%). The second largest group to receive assistance were Somali nationals at 5,852 individuals (11.8%), followed by South Sudanese at 2,731 individuals (5.49%) and Sudanese at 533 individuals (1.1%). Throughout the transportation process, additional assistance included fit-to-travel assessments, hot meals, high energy biscuits, water, non-food items and accomodation where necessary.

In terms of location, majority of transportation assistance was provided in Shire with 41,244 refugees assisted here, followed by 4,970 refugees assisted in Dollo Ado and 2,902 refugees assisted in Assosa. This project was made possible thanks to the support of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) and the Bureau of Population, Refugees and Migration (PRM).

### Number of Refugees Assisted by Nationality



**Top left :** Refugees are boarding buses which will transport them to designated camps © IOM 2019.

**Top Right:** An IOM worker is assisting refugees as they board an Ethiopian Airlines plane © IOM 2019.

### Number of Refugees Assisted by Location of Departure

