



RESETTLEMENT Fact Sheet

IOM Sudan provides transportation assistance to refugees and migrants currently living in Sudan to resettle in other countries such as Australia, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, France, Italy, German, the Netherlands, Norway, Sweden, Switzerland, the United Kingdom and the United States.

The Resettlement Programme involves organizing interviews for applicants, cultural orientation sessions for selected candidates, conducting medical health assessment and pre departure medical screening, preparing travel arrangement from airline booking to exit permit processing and transporting candidates from their place of residence to the airport and on to final destinations.

Refugees accepted for resettlement receives cultural orientation to prepare themselves to adjust and reintegrate in their respective country of resettlement. IOM conducts medical screening to ensure that refugees moving under the auspices of IOM are fit to travel and that they receive appropriate medical attention and assistance during all phases of the travel.

RESETTLEMENT DEPARTURE By Country from 2005 to 2014

	Country	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	TOTAL 2005 to 2014
1	Canada	212	279	342	537	366	497	599	545	745	1,150	5,272
2	USA					10	45	168	78	22	45	368
3	Australia	87	349	298	718	199	237	255	95	261	122	2,621
4	New Zealand							3	28	9	13	53
5	Norway					158	332	495	437	236	378	2,036
6	Sweden					185	345	449	235	249	269	1,732
7	Netherland					15	36	69	19	80	180	399
	EUROPE/Other	53	65	87	205							410
8	France					2		3	4		2	11
9	Italy						1	3	6	7	3	20
10	Switzerland					170	239	276	376	177	161	1,399
11	UK					5		26	86	167	214	498
12	Denmark						2	3	4	12	14	35
13	Belgium						5		5	2		12
14	Luxemburg							4				4
15	Germany									2		2
16	Spain								1			1
17	Finland										2	2
18	Others					4	4					8
	Total by Year	352	693	727	1460	1114	1743	2353	1919	1969	2553	14,883



Since the resettlement programme started in 2005, to date IOM Sudan has resettled 14,883 individuals under government refugee quota and family reunification scheme. IOM Sudan works in close coordination with the United Nation High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR), the Commission for Refugees (COR), and the Alien Department of the Ministry of Interior (MOI), Khartoum International Airport Authority in all stages of the pre departure preparation and processing for accepted refugees and their final travel departure from Sudan.

The IOM Sudan will start arranging cultural orientation training, medical health assessment and pre departure arrangement for final departure after receiving confirmation of refugee acceptance for resettlement from the relevant government of resettlement.

Below is operational activity in coordination with UNHCR and other government partner :

CULTURAL ORIENTATION
<ul style="list-style-type: none">· IOM Ops inform UNHCR for arranging travel permit for refugee to travel from Camp in East Sudan to Khartoum through COR from the Local Authority (Group – 10 working days / individual request 3-5 working days)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">· IOM Ops in coordination with(with the help of) UNHCR in East (Kassala+Gedaref) arrange and coordinate land transportation from various camps to main highway to Khartoum
<ul style="list-style-type: none">· IOM Ops arrange and prepare logistic for CO in Khartoum (lodging, classes, etc) . Note : Entry Visa to Sudan for CO Norway, Sweden, The Netherland, Australia or Kenya is processed in Sudanese Embassy in respective countries.
<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Refugee who need follow up cases due to medical or other issue stay behind in Khartoum till finish
<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Refugee return to camps in East
MEDICAL SCREENING
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<ul style="list-style-type: none">· IOM OPS + MHU arrange and prepare logistic for CO (lodging, classes, etc)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">· IOM MHU conduct medical screening in IOM office and MMC
<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Refugee return to camps in East
PREDEPARTURE PREPARATION
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">· IOM arrange exit permit through COR and Alien Department (MOI) , fit to travel, pre departure orientation (During this COA Canada took place as well) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">· Refugee depart to Airport + Final destination in resettlement country |

Yearly Budget for Resettlement Programme to all countries is around 3 to 4 Millions USD to fund operations expenses i.e. Internal transportation in Sudan, Accommodation and Meals while staying in Khartoum for CO, Medical Screening and Departure Activity, Exit Permit processing, International Airline Ticket.

Counterparts : UNHCR, Government of Resettlement Countries, Embassy of Resettlement Countries in Sudan, Commissioner for Refugee (COR) and Alien Department, Ministry of Interior (MOI) , Airport Authority in Khartoum International Airport.