



COVID-19 and Needs of Migrants in South Caucasus

ANNOUNCEMENT

Based on the findings of the Rapid Needs Assessment of COVID19 vulnerabilities among 3rd country migrants in Georgia, the International Organization for Migration (IOM) intends to provide urgent assistance and support vulnerable migrants to address <u>basic food and hygiene</u>, <u>housing/accommodation</u>, <u>personal documents and/or medical needs</u>.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR THE SUPORT:

- Migrants in irregular situations (i.e. those who have overstayed visas, whose personal documents have expired, etc.)
- Low skilled/low income labor migrants without income
- Foreign students
- Rejected asylum seekers

who are in a dire economic situation, in urgent need of food and/or shelter and/or are experiencing urgent medical issues they have no financial means to address.

WHO IS NOT ELIGIBLE FOR THE SUPPORT:

- Persons with Georgian citizenship
- Persons with the permanent residence permit in Georgia

To apply for the assistance, applicants falling under any of above-mentioned migrant groups and fulfilling vulnerability criteria should register for in person interview by 30 September 2020 via:

- Phone call at +99532 2 25 22 16 (ext. 214 or ext. 211)
- Online registration form
- Registration form available at the IOM offices at the following locations:

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Final selection of beneficiaries for assistance will be done based on individual face-to-face interviews conducted at IOM Georgia offices.

Thank you for your attention!

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