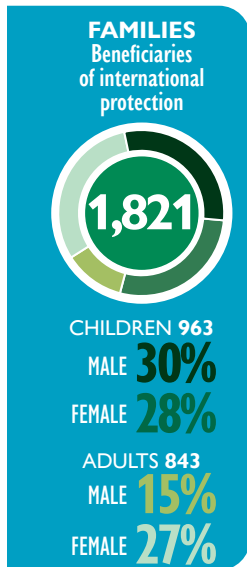


With the twin objectives to support vulnerable groups and enhance solidarity among European Union (EU) Member States and associated countries, IOM in collaboration with **EASO**, **UNHCR** and **UNICEF** is supporting the **Greek Government**, the **Ministry of Migration and Asylum**, the **Special Secretary for the Protection of Unaccompanied Migrant Children** and the **General Secretary of Migration Policy** in relocating asylum seekers

and beneficiaries of international protection from Greece to other European countries. The voluntary mechanism aims to prepare and relocate **5,200 vulnerable asylum seekers and beneficiaries of international protection**, including **1,600 Unaccompanied Migrant Children (UMC)** and children with severe medical conditions accompanied by their family members. IOM is collaborating with its partners and other sub-contracted organizations (**ARSIS, Merimna,**

METAdrasi, PRAKSIS, Syn-eirmos, Terre des Hommes, Solidarity Now, Zeuxis) to ensure that all the beneficiaries travel in a safe and dignified manner and to prepare them before departure with enhanced skills and information to ease their integration in the **Member State of Relocation (MSR)**. The project is funded by the **Directorate for Migration and Home Affairs of the European Commission**.



- Identification of beneficiaries
- Best interest assessment (BIA)
- Accompaniment of beneficiaries
- Accommodation prior to departure
- Pre-migration health activities
- Pre-departure orientation sessions (PDO) and pre-embarkation information
- Airport assistance and provision of escorts during the flight
- Movement management and reception assistance

*To be noted that 100 beneficiaries have been relocated under a bilateral agreement between the Government of Portugal and Greece. The total number of pledges provided under this scheme are 100.

