UNHCR Moldova: Cash Assistance for Refugees
18 May 2022

UNHCR provides cash assistance to refugees coming from Ukraine in Moldova. Cash assistance enables vulnerable households to meet their basic needs, mitigates protection risks including use of harmful coping mechanism. Cash assistance directly supports Moldovan economy and boosts the local markets.

KEY UPDATES IN NUMBERS

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<td>Individuals received cash assistance since 25 March 2022</td>
<td>Monthly cash grant per person</td>
<td>Cash enrolment centers</td>
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<td>$7,035,480</td>
<td>$45 Million</td>
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<td>Distributed as of 18 May</td>
<td>Planned for disbursement before the end of 2022</td>
<td>Mobile enrolment teams</td>
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<td>92%</td>
<td>Up to 150,000</td>
<td>Persons receiving cash assistance</td>
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<td>Of those receiving assistance are female headed household</td>
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CRITERIA FOR IDENTIFICATION OF BENEFICIARIES

Persons who fled Ukraine can be considered for the grant. They can be Ukrainian nationals or citizens of other countries who were residing in Ukraine. Households and people with the following characteristics are eligible for the grant:

1. Household with one or more dependents
2. Household headed by a single parent
3. Household headed by a child (below 18)
4. Household with an unaccompanied or separated child
5. Household headed by an older person (above 60)
6. Household with one or more persons with specific needs, including: Person with a disability, Pregnant woman, Person with a serious medical condition, woman at risk, person with legal and physical protection needs, LGBTI.

FOUR SIMPLE STEPS TO RECEIVE CASH ASSISTANCE

1. Visit Enrollment Center
   Approach the nearest cash enrollment center or call the helpline for assistance.
2. Enroll for cash assistance
   All family members should come with available identity documents for eligibility.
3. Issue of Bank card with pin
   You will obtain a bank card and pin where funds will be deposited. Please keep your card safe for future payments.
4. Future payments
   Future payments are subject to verification and eligibility.

Address for the cash enrollment centers

- Moldexpo Cash Center
  1, Ghioceilor street, Chisinau
- Tolstoi Cash Center
  41, Lev Tolstoi street, Chisinau
- Donduseni Cash Center
  130, Stefan cel Mare street, Donduseni
- Causeni Cash Center
  3A, Stefan cel Mare street, Causeni
- Cahul Cash Center
  15/06, Republicii street, Cahul
- Ungheni Cash Center
  16, Vasile Alecsandri street, Ungheni
- Orhei Cash Center
  10, Mihai Eminescu street, Orhei
- Balti Cash Center
  47, Mihai Viteazul street, Balti

Protection mainstreaming in cash response

8 Protection Help Desks to identify persons with specific needs, assess their vulnerability, provide assistance and refer to appropriate services where needed.

Mobile missions are organised to help vulnerable individuals to enroll for cash-based assistance.