Registered Afghan refugees returned to Afghanistan between 1 Jan 2022 to 30 Apr 2022 of whom 108 returned from Pakistan and 88 from Iran.

This figure is 76% lower compared to the 308 Afghan refugees returned to Afghanistan during the same period in 2021.

Afghan refugees have returned to Afghanistan between Mar 2002 to Apr 2022

Has been provided to 196 refugee returnees in 2022 to support their immediate humanitarian needs and transportation costs.

In line with Solution Strategy, UNHCR facilitates voluntary repatriation for Afghan refugees from Iran, Pakistan and other countries who wish to return to their home country, once it is established that their return is voluntary, safe, dignified and durable. Since 2002, UNHCR has supported the return of nearly 5.3 million refugees to return to Afghanistan including 196 refugees so far in 2022. Refugee returnees are provided with a cash grant amounting USD 250 per person to help them address their immediate needs including transportation. In addition to cash grant, a range of interagency services are provided for returning refugees. This includes basic health and malnutrition screening, vaccination, mine risk education, information on school enrolment and transit facility for overnight accommodation, if required. UNHCR also adopted to prevent the spread and transmission of COVID-19. Household level interviews are also conducted to assess return trends and reasons as well as to identify persons with specific needs for necessary assistance and follow-up.

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