

Bulgaria

Total country population:

7,120,000

Source: 2

Persons of concern to UNHCR

27,740

Source: 3

Asylum seekers

8,995

18,678

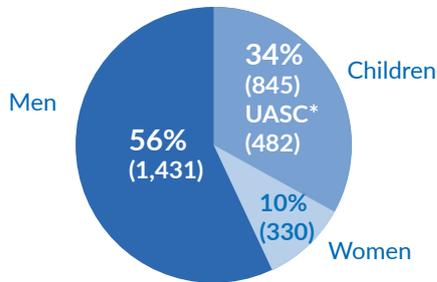
Refugees

Stateless | **67**

Source: 3

Asylum-seekers arriving in 2018

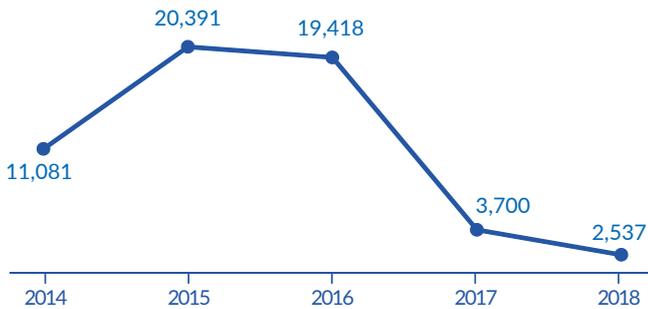
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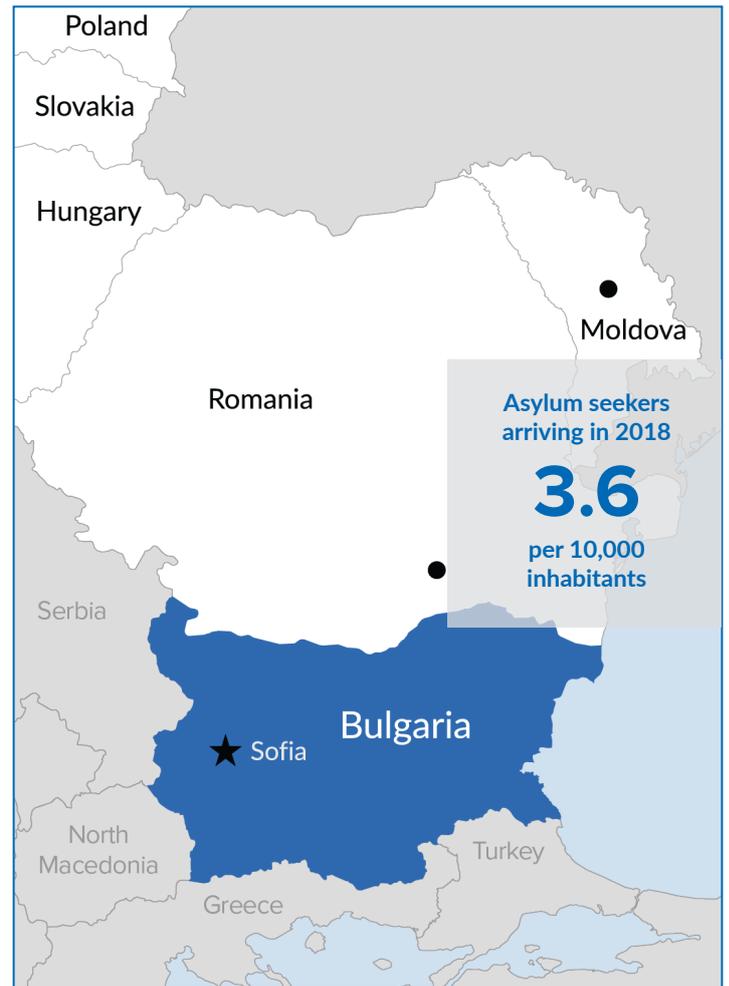
*Unaccompanied and separated children

Source: 1

Asylum seekers arriving 2014-2018



Source: 1



Five most common countries of origin among asylum seekers arriving in 2018

Syria, Iraq, Afghanistan, Pakistan, Iran

Number of people granted protection in 2018

733

Number of people granted protection in 2017

804

Source: 1

Number of people granted protection (2014-2018)

16,574

Refugees resettled and relocated since 2014:

87

Source: 1

Sources (all data as of 31 December 2018)

1. State Agency for Refugees within Council of Ministers

2. Eurostat

3. Bulgarian government does not maintain statistical information on the population of concern residing in the country. The numbers provided are projected by UNHCR statistical department