Regional Refugee Response for the Ukraine Situation

RCF Meeting

July 2024

Online

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Refugee Coordination Forum

AGENDA

- Education of refugees from Ukraine across RRP countries: challenges/trends [Regional MSNA Education Sector Analysis Group]
- Displacement patterns, protection risks and needs of refugees from Ukraine: Reflections on the regional/national protection monitoring results [UNHCR]
- PSEA Resource HUB – Updates [PSEA RH]
- 2025 RRP process [IA]
- AoB

EDUCATION of REFUGEES from UKRAINE across RRP COUNTRIES: CHALLENGES/TRENDS

by the Regional MSNA Education Sector Analysis Group

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Main findings

Poland, Germany and Czech Republic

are the three countries hosting the **largest numbers of refugee children and youth** from Ukraine.

57%

of refugee households surveyed who have not enrolled children say that participating in **on-line or remote education** is a driver for not enrolling in education in the host country.

14%

of refugee households surveyed who have not enrolled children indicate that **language barriers** are preventing them from enrolling their children in schools in host countries.

8%

of refugee households surveyed who have not enrolled children have been **denied a place in a school** because there was no space.

3

school years have been disrupted by mass displacement as a result of the full-scale war in Ukraine, with a fourth starting in September 2024

Main findings

ESTIMATED REFUGEE CHILD POPULATION BY COUNTRY AT START OF 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR (AGES 3-17)

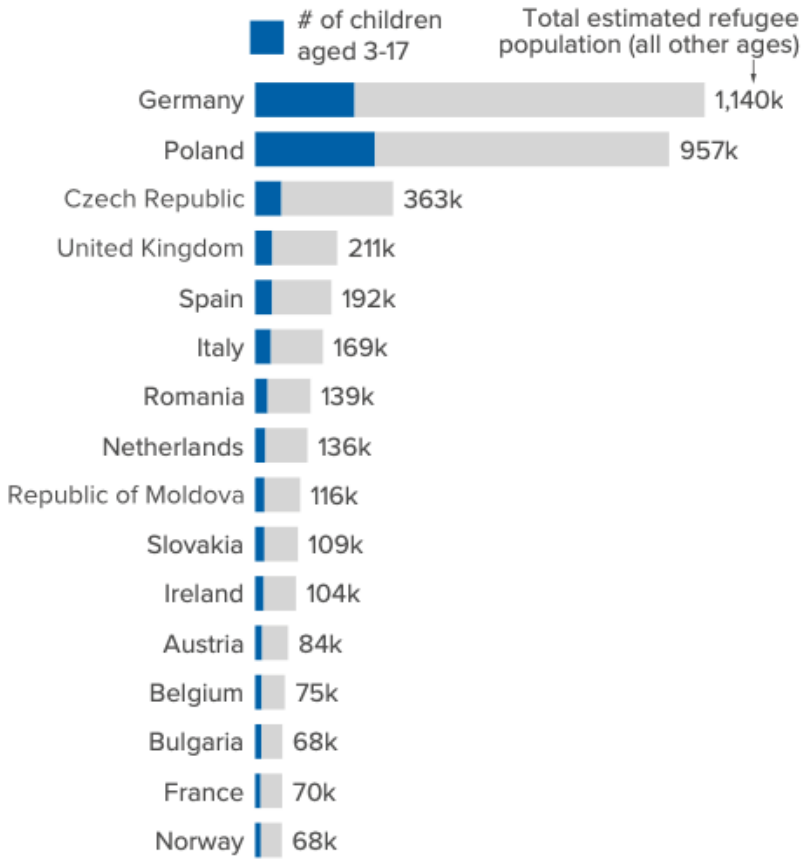

Fig 1. Estimates of child and youth refugee population per country. Compiled by UNESCO based on Eurostat data and other sources.

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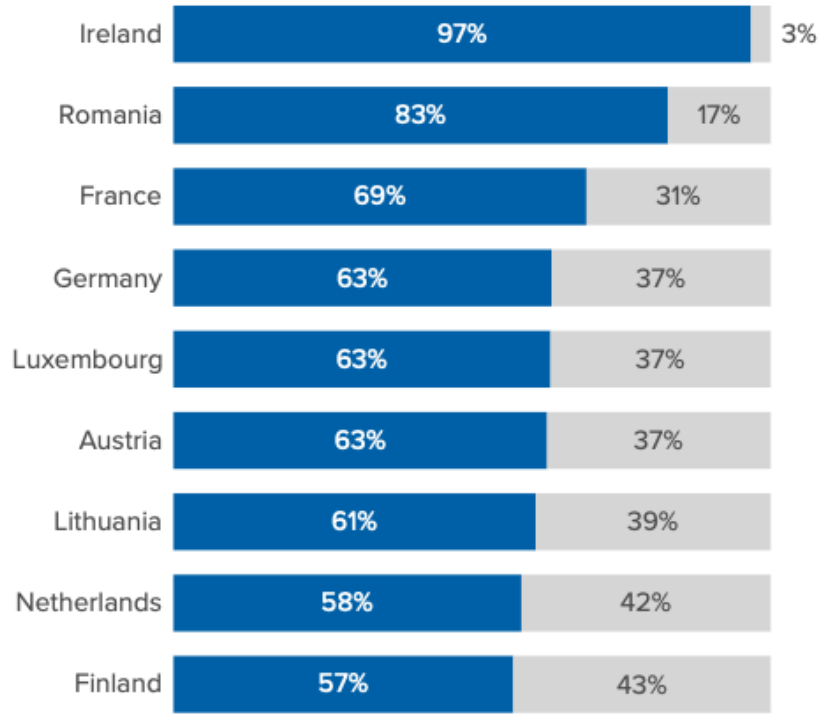
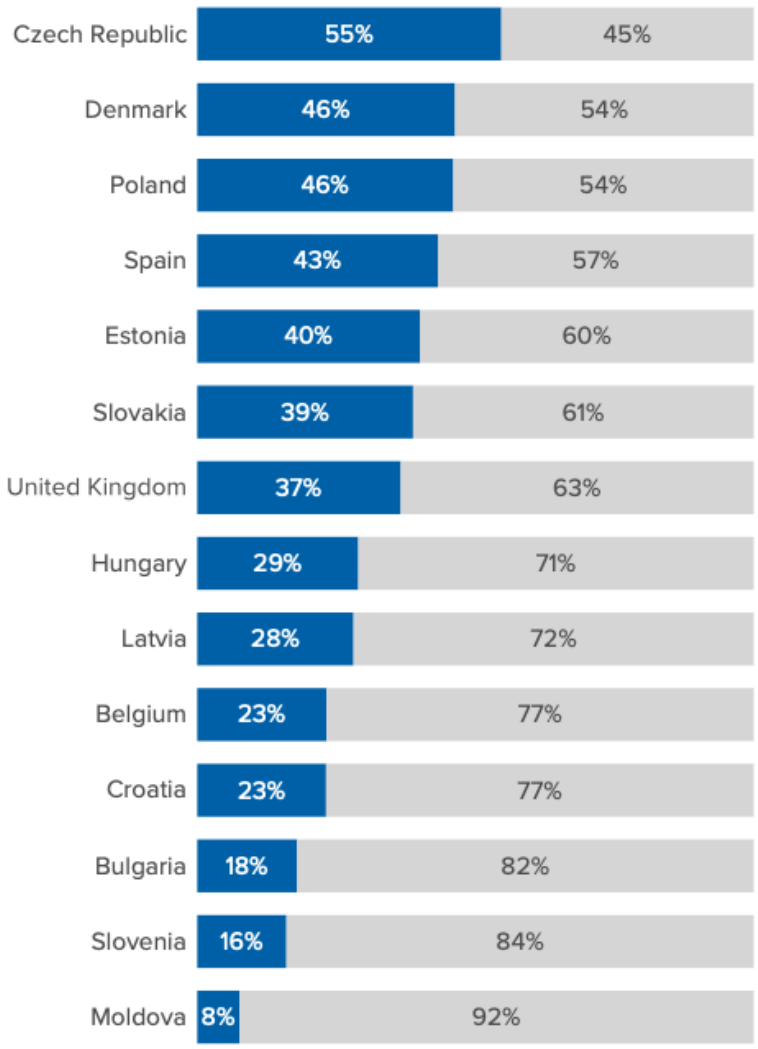
ESTIMATED PERCENTAGE OF UKRAINIAN REFUGEE CHILDREN IN AND OUT OF SCHOOL BY COUNTRY AT START OF 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR





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REASONS FOR NOT ENROLLING CHILDREN IN NATIONAL EDUCATION SYSTEMS OF HOST COUNTRIES

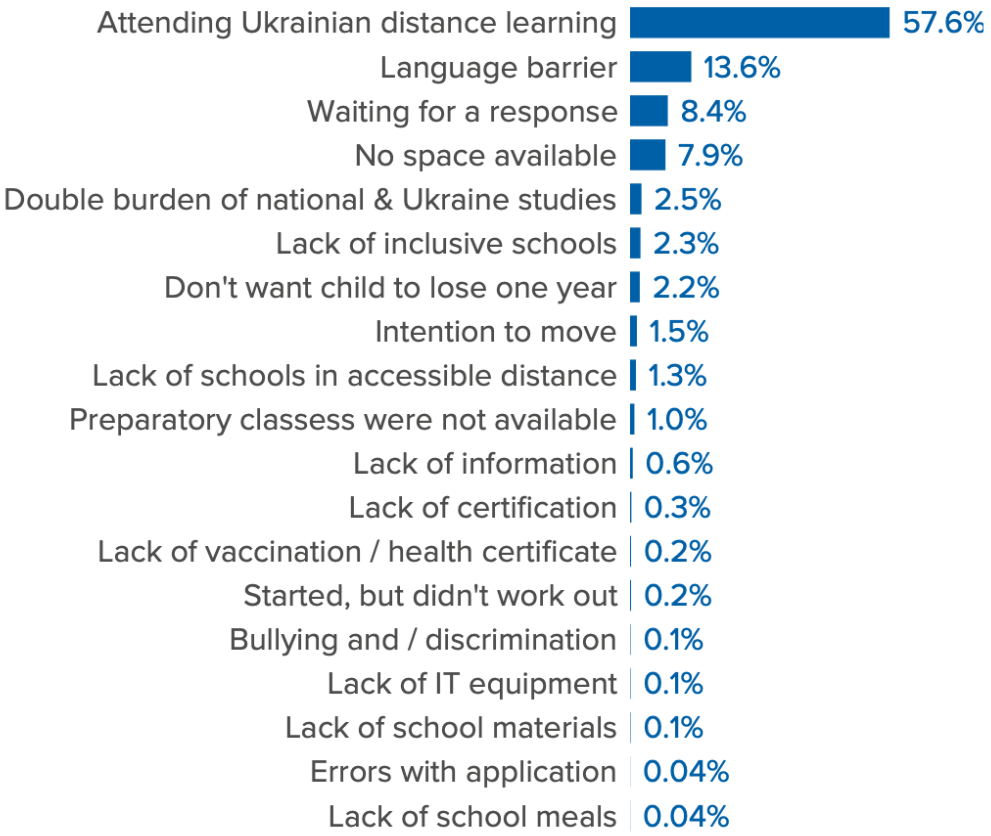

Fig 3: Reasons indicated by households who have not enrolled children in host country education systems for not enrolling children in the host country. Source: 2023 MSNA

Main findings

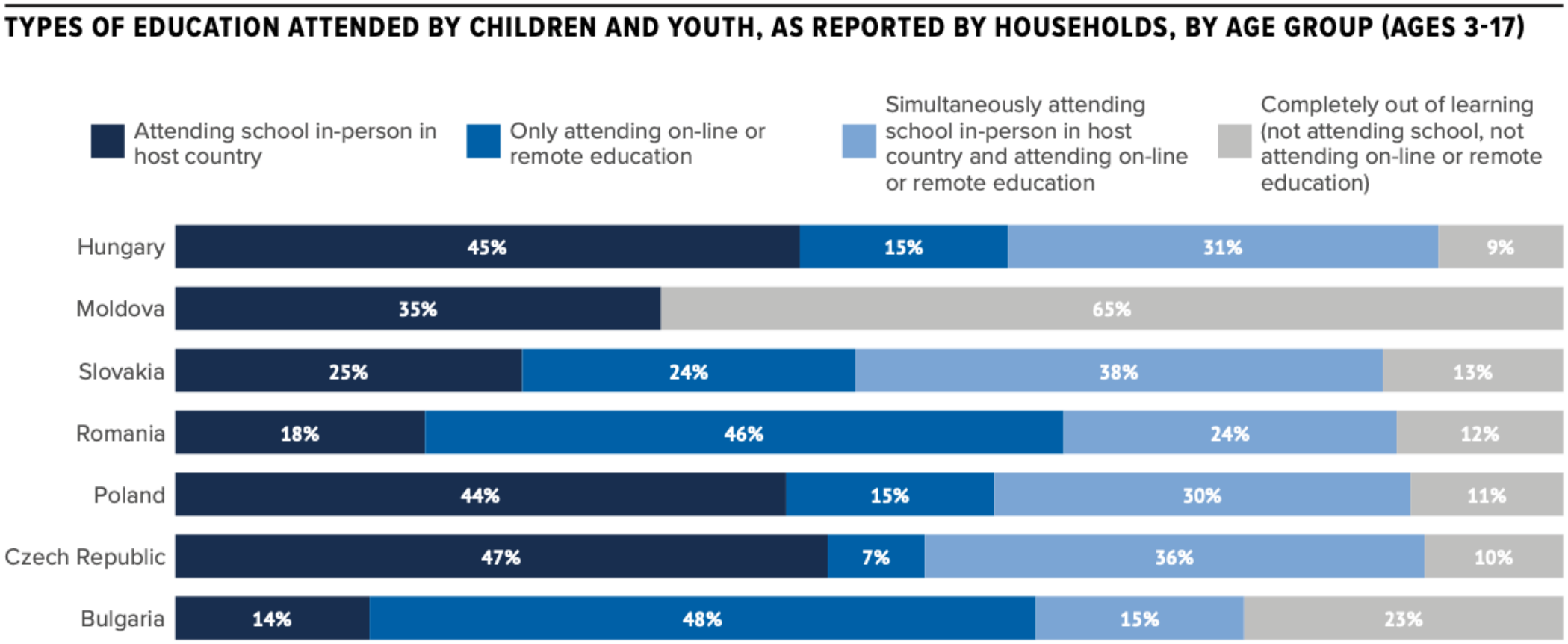

Fig 5: Types of education attended by children and youth, as reported by households, by country. Source: 2023 MSNA.

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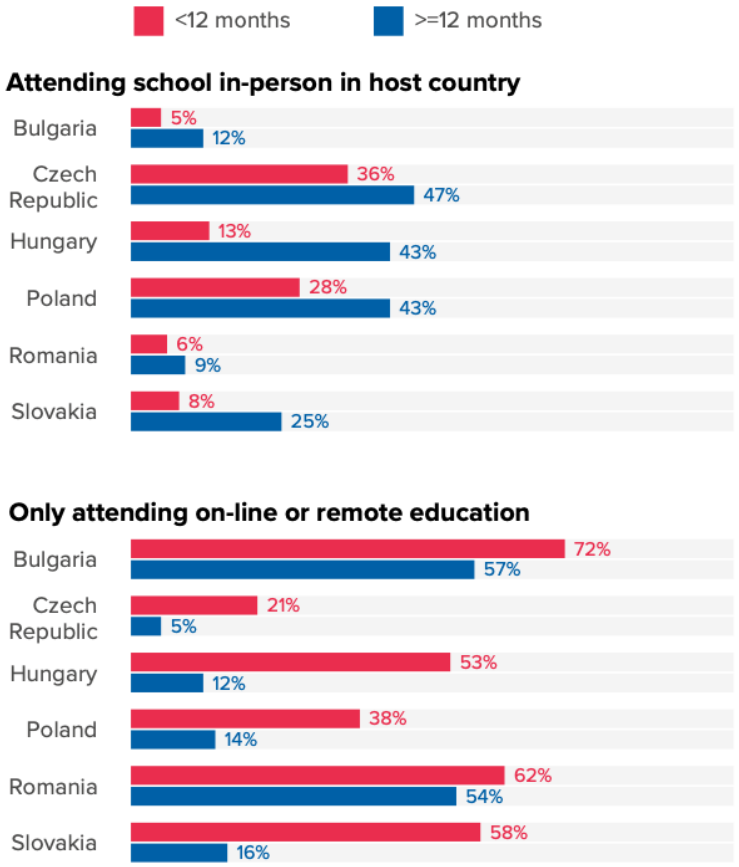
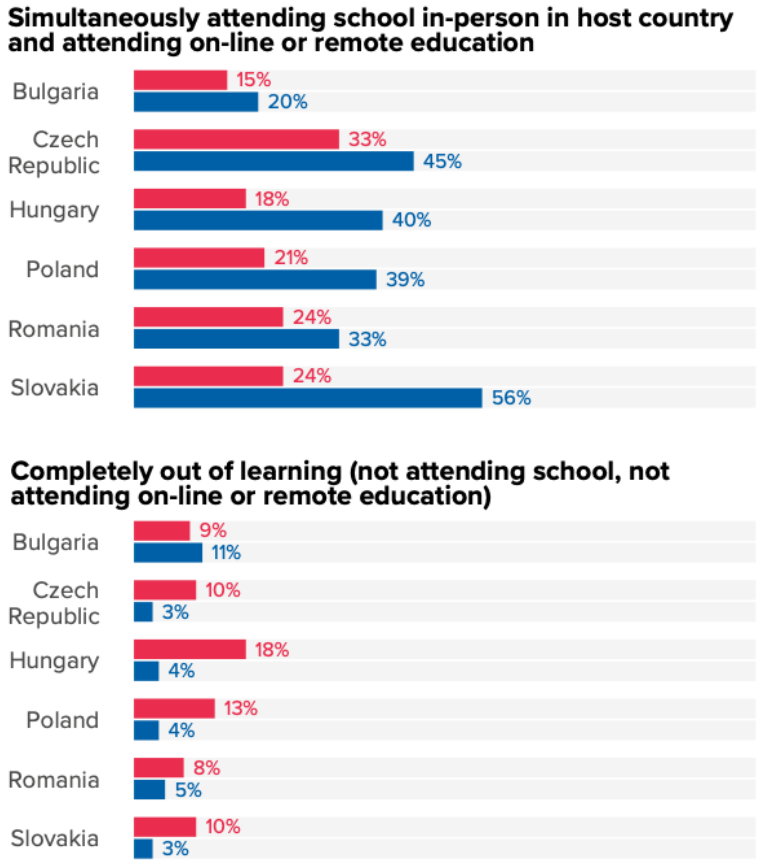
TYPES OF EDUCATION ATTENDED (AGES 3-17) BY COUNTRY AND LENGTH OF TIME IN HOST COUNTRY





[UPDATED] DISPLACEMENT PATTERNS, PROTECTION RISKS AND NEEDS OF REFUGEES FROM UKRAINE

Reflections on the regional/national protection monitoring results by UNHCR Hungary

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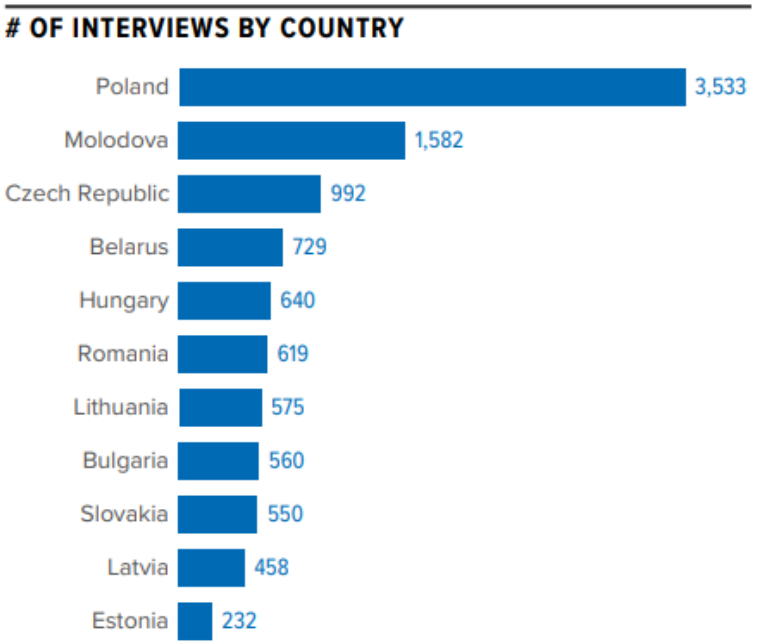
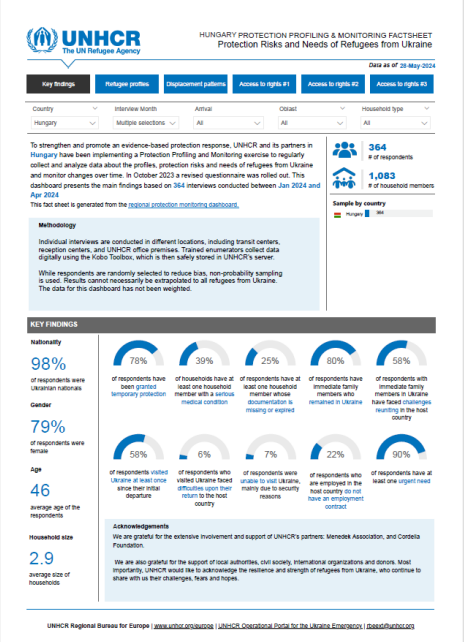
Protection Profiling and Monitoring

Reflections on the regional and national protection monitoring results

(October 2023 - April 2024)

UNHCR Regional Bureau for Europe





MCO Hungary

364
# of respondents

1,083
# of household members

Household Characteristics and Displacement Pattern

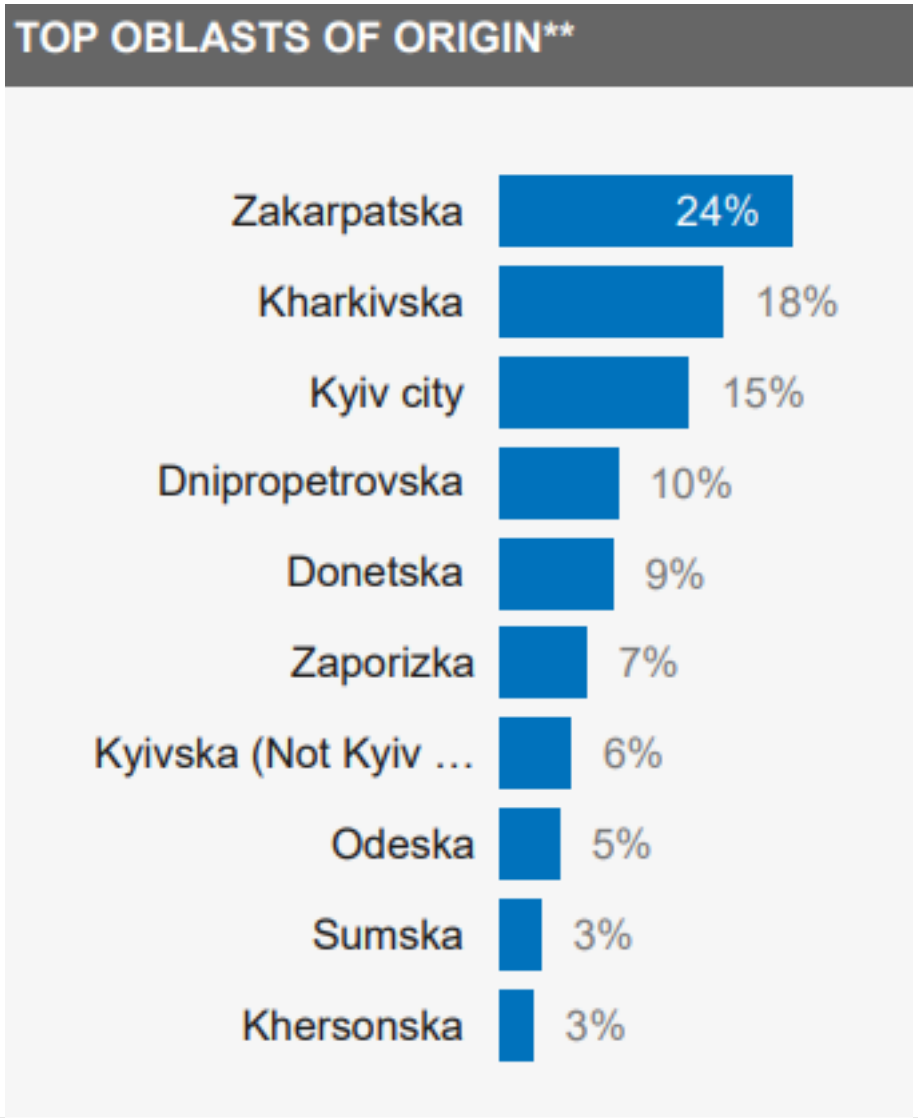
98%
of respondents are Ukrainians

79%
of respondents are women

16%
of respondents are older persons

14%
at least one member with a disability

39%
a least one member with a serious medical condition



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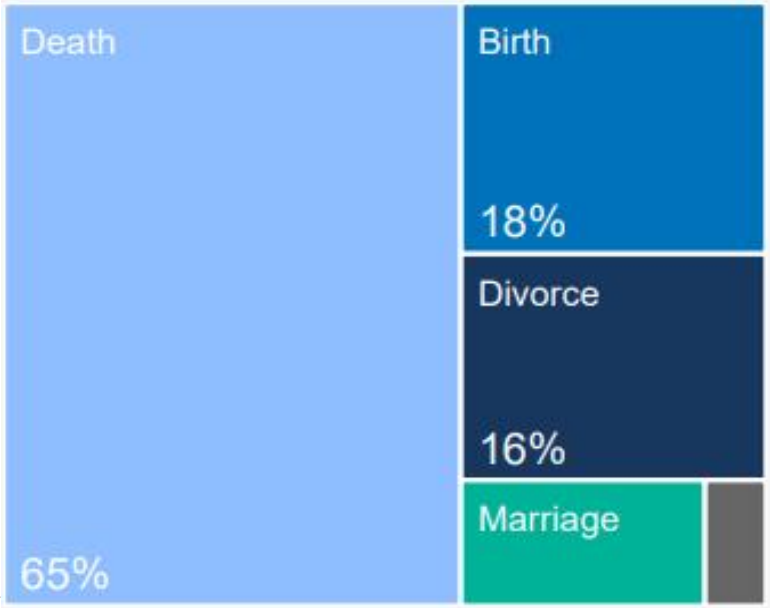
The UN Refugee Agency

A sizable portion of refugees reported difficulties registering civil status changes – higher than the regional average

15%

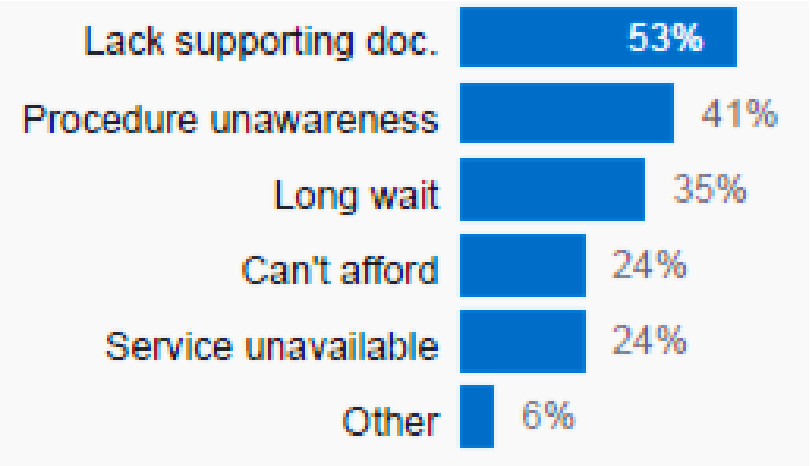
of respondents reported changes in family composition since their initial departure from Ukraine

Changes in family composition*



33%

of respondents faced challenges in registering vital events and obtaining corresponding documents in the host country



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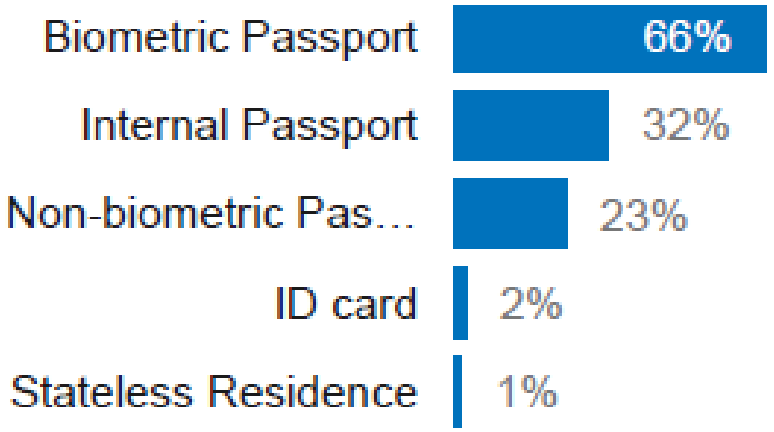
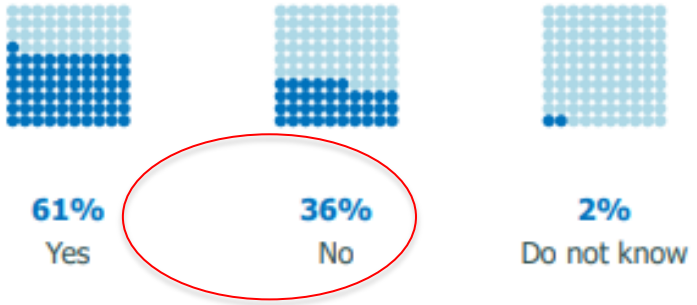
Access to identity documents in host countries remains a challenge for some refugees from Ukraine

25%

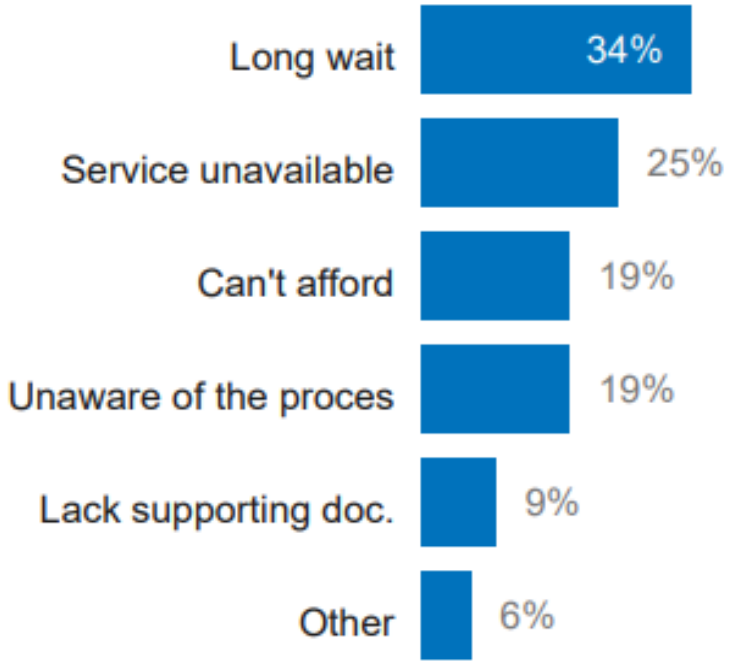
of respondents have at least one household member missing documentation or whose documents have expired



Ability to replace/renew documentation in the host country**



Reasons for inability to renew/replace documentation in the host country*



More than half of respondents in employment reported working conditions that may provide limited legal protection or indicate increased vulnerability to labour exploitation.

40%

are employed in Hungary or remote

% OF RESPONDENTS WORKING WITHOUT AN EMPLOYMENT CONTRACT

22%

% OF RESPONDENTS WORKING EXCESSIVELY LONG HOURS

19%

% OF RESPONDENTS WHO REPORTED THE CONFISCATION OF THEIR IDENTITY DOCUMENTS BY THEIR EMPLOYER

14%

% OF RESPONDENTS WHO REPORTED HAVING IRREGULAR TO NO ACCESS TO THEIR EARNINGS

7%

PSEA Resource HUB – Updates

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Interagency PSEA Training of Trainers

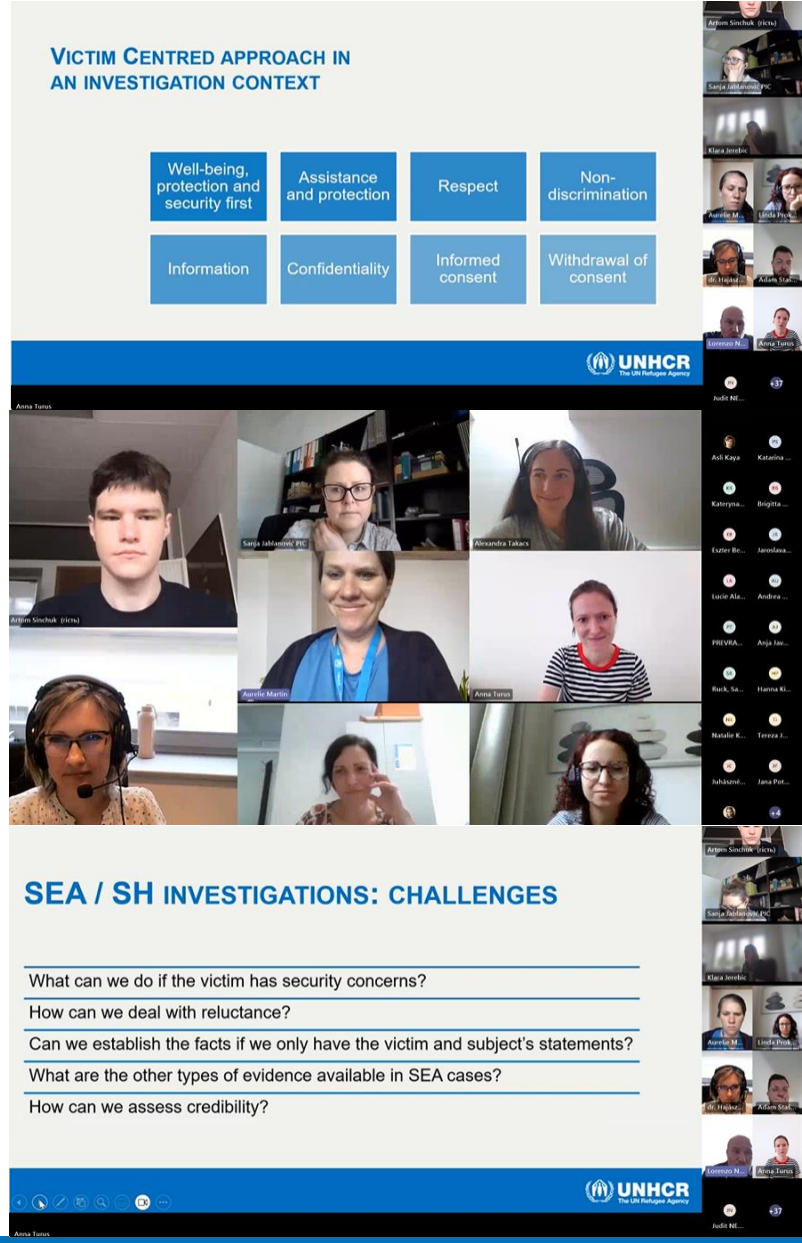
21, 22, 23 May 2024

TRAINING FACILITATION SKILLS

Webinar on workplace investigations on sexual misconduct

10 June 2024

INVESTIGATION SKILLS



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PSEA e-learning

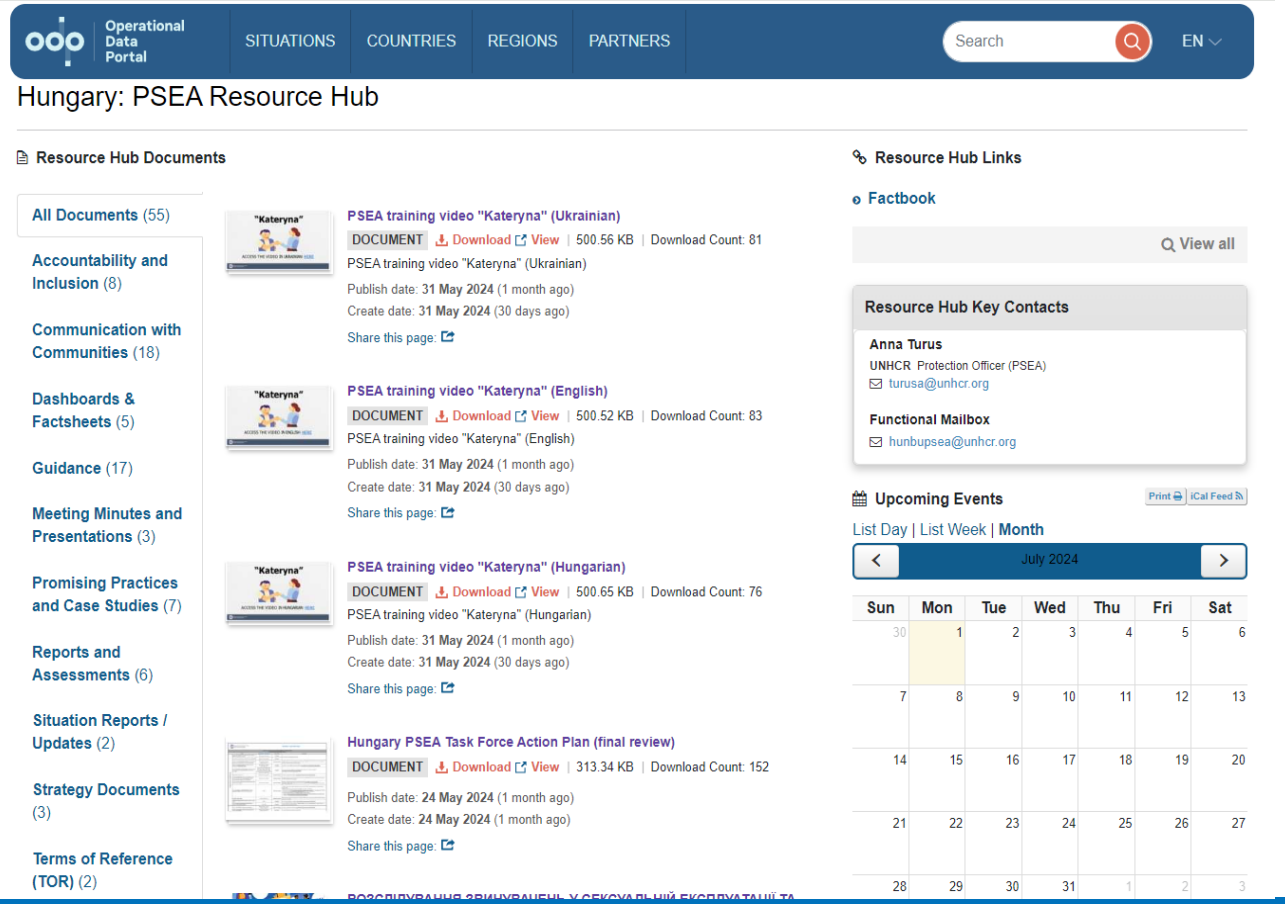
https://agora.unicef.org/course/info.php?id=41522

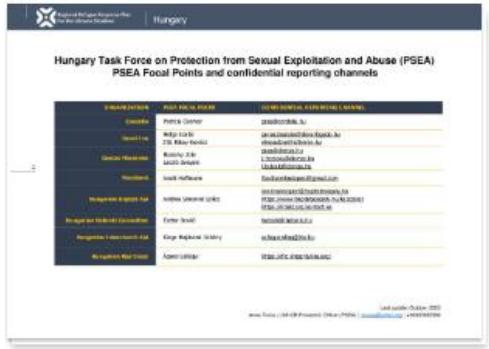
SEA investigations e-learning

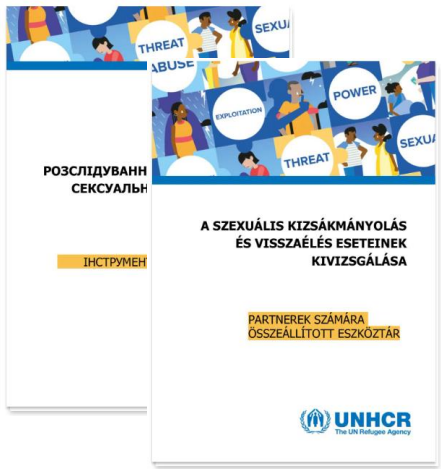
https://ready.csod.com/ui/lms-learning-details/app/course/1e12df7a-8d2e-4e16-8163-55bd4a402d9c

Hungary PSEA Resource Hub

https://data.unhcr.org/en/working-group/356?sv=54&geo=10783







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2025 RRP process [IA]

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2025 RRP process

- Continuation of RRP for UA for 2025-26
- Format flexible (1+1 or 2 years)
- Geographical scope under discussion but HU is in.
- Lighter process

- 4 components:

1. Needs and Vulnerability Assessment
2. Protection and Inclusion Strategy
3. Financial requirements
4. Monitoring Framework

2025 RRP process

July-August	September	October	November
• SEIS: FGD, data cleaning • Planning assumptions/ parameters available (RBE)	• SEIS results ready • Consultation workshops (RLO, UN, NGOs, CBOs) **Needs Assessment** **Protection/Inclusion Strategy**	• Projects + financial needs collected and submitted **List of partners** **Financial needs +** **Monitoring Framework**	• Drafting of the narrative completed (beginning of Nov.)

Next steps

- FGD for SEIS: please let us know if you can organize any or if already organized, please share with us key findings
- Book your time for consultations in September (exact dates TBC)
- Plan for project submissions in early October (sectors, targets, activities, budget per sector)

FGD Target	#	Status
Youth	**6**	Completed
Roma (M; F; urban; rural)	**4**	Planned
Older refugees (M; F; rural; urban)	**4**	Planned
Disability (FGD/KII)		Planned
TP holders (M; F)	**2**	Planned
Residence perm. (M; F)	**2**	

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