REPORT ON THE RESERVE FUND OF THE REGIONAL CONFERENCE ON MIGRATION FOR THE ASSISTED VOLUNTARY RETURN OF **HIGHLY VULNERABLE INTRA-REGIONAL** MIGRANTS



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WHAT IS THE RESERVE FUND OF THE RCM AND WHAT IS ITS PURPOSE?

The "Reserve Fund for the assistance of regional migrants in highly vulnerable situation" has been established in 2004.

This fund is administered by the International Organization for Migration (IOM).

This is a regional mechanism for providing financial and operational support of voluntary return of highly vulnerable migrants.

The fund provides a maximum of \$ 1,000 for each case of assistance.

It complements the assistance provided by other existing programs established by each country member of the RCM.

WHAT ARE THE TYPES OF VULNERABILITIES THAT ARE COVERED BY THE FUND?

The Reserve Fund supports returning migrants who are facing one or more of the following situations of vulnerability:

» Unaccompanied children and adolescents.

- » People with disabilities.
- » Adults over seventy years.
- » Sick and / or injured.

Migrants who have suffered domestic violence, sexual abuse and trafficking in persons shall also benefit, on a case by case basis, from the Fund.

WHAT KIND OF ASSISTANCE CAN BE FINANCED WITH RESOURCES FROM THE RESERVE FUND?

The cost of transportation required for the return.

The cost of transporting escorts for the migrant, in case this is required.

The cost of medical escort services or assistance, if required.

The medications need to be given for the return of the migrant.

The medical devices that are necessary for the safe and dignified return of the migrant.

If necessary, medical evaluations that are required to ensure that the migrant can return.

The cost of documentation required for the migrant to return.

HOW ARE REQUESTED THE RESOURCES OF THE RESERVE FUND?

Applications must be submitted at the request of the beneficiaries, by:

» Government officials of the countries of departure and return of migrants who wish to return.

- » International organizations.
- » Civil organizations under certain conditions.

WHAT ACTIVITIES DO THE IOM CARRY OUT WHILE EVALUATING A REQUEST OF ASSISTANCE?

Gather the most important information for assessing the vulnerabilities of the person who wants to return

Make sure that voluntary return is indeed a viable option and that it does not jeopardize the life, integrity and dignity of the person.

Define a suitable travel itinerary to preserve the integrity and dignity of the person who wishes to return in coordination with the authorities in the country where the migrant is.

Define the technical and logistical conditions must have the return trip for the proper care of the person who plans to return.

Make sure that the person can get to their return assistance and protection that he/she requires, according to his/her special needs in countries of origin, transit and return.



GENDER OF BENEFICIARIES

Gender	2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017 (Octubre)	
Female	41	25.5	11	26.2	30	36.6	21	61.8	23	59.0	14	56.0
Male	120	74.5	31	73.8	52	63.4	13	38.2	16	41.0	11	44.0



■ Mujeres ■ Hombres

NATIONALITY OF BENEFICIARIES 2012-2017



ASSISTANCE BY PLACE FROM WHICH THE BENEFICIARY IS RETURNING 2012 - 2017



FINANTIAL CONTRIBUTIONS

COUNTRY	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015 (OCT)	
Belice	PENDIENTE	PENDIENTE	PENDIENTE	PENDIENTE	PENDIENTE	PENDIENTE	
Canadá	\$15,000.0	\$15,000.0	\$15,000.0	\$15,000.0	\$15,000.0	PENDIENTE	
Costa Rica	\$1,062.0	\$1,062.0	\$1,062.0	\$1,062.0 \$1,062.0		\$1,004.0	
El Salvador	\$5,000.0	\$5,000.0	\$1,062.0	\$5,000.0	\$5,000.0	PENDIENTE	
Guatemala	PENDIENTE	PENDIENTE	PENDIENTE	PENDIENTE	\$3,350.0	PENDIENTE	
Nicaragua	\$1,100.0	\$1,100.0	\$1,100.0	\$1,100.0	\$1,100.0	\$2,000.0	
Honduras	PENDIENTE	PENDIENTE	PENDIENTE	\$531.0	\$6,372.0	\$1,062.0	
México	\$7,080.0	\$7,080.0	\$7,080.0	\$7,080.0	\$7,080.0	\$7,080.0	
Panamá	\$1,062.0	\$1,062.0	PENDIENTE	\$3,290.0	\$1,062.0	\$1,062.0	
República Dominicana	PENDIENTE	PENDIENTE	\$2,124.0	\$2,124.0	\$1,062.0	PENDIENTE	
Estados Unidos	\$40,000.0	\$40,000.0	\$30,000.0	\$30,000.0	\$30,000.0	\$30,000.0	
TOTAL	\$70,304.0	\$70,304.0	\$57,428.0	\$65,187.0	\$71,088.0	\$42,208.0	

FINANTIAL REPORT

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017 (oct)
BALANCE AT THE						
BEGINNING OF THE						
YEAR	-\$13,677.6	-\$49,093.8	-\$3,235.5	\$4,869.5	\$4,869.5	\$46,171.5
INCOME	\$70,304.0	\$70,304.0	\$57,428.0	\$65,187.0	\$71,088.0	\$42,208.0
SUB-TOTAL	\$56,626.4	\$21,210.2	\$54,192.5	\$70,056.5	\$75,957.5	\$88,379.5
(-) TOTAL						
EXPENDITURES	\$105,720.2	\$24,445.7	\$49,323.0	\$24,502.5	\$29,786.0	\$11,919.4
BALANCE AT THE						
END OF THE YEAR	-\$49,093.8	-\$3,235.5	\$4,869.5	\$45,554.0	\$46,171.5	\$76,460.1
AVERAGE COST						
PER RETURN	\$656.6	\$582.0	\$601.5	\$720.7	\$763.7	\$476.8