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Please, call us first and sign up for an interview with the counsellors.

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"The European Union is made up of 28 Member States who have decided to gradually link together their know-how, resources and destinies. Together, during a period of enlargement of 50 years, they have built a zone of stability, democracy and sustainable development whilst maintaining cultural diversity, tolerance and individual freedoms.

The European Union is committed to sharing its achievements and its values with countries and peoples beyond its borders".

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# Reintegration Assistance after return to Georgia

# **Mobility Centre**

A project implemented by



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# Reinforcing the Capacities of the Government of Georgia in Border and Migration Management

# About the project

This leaflet presents the key elements of the post-arrival reintegration assistance programme that the International Organization for Migration (IOM) will implement in Georgia, for the benefit of citizens of Georgia, who previously migrated abroad and have recently returned to their native country.

IOM will implement this post-arrival reintegration assistance programme in close coordination with the authorities of Georgia, in particular with the Ministry of Internally Displaced Persons from the Occupied Territories, Accommodation and Refugees (MRA), and a range of service providers.

One of the main objectives of this programme is to secure sustainable reintegration of returned migrants, who migrated to the European Union and other destinations and are in need of assistance.



# Types of reintegration assistance

Through the Mobility Centre, IOM and the MRA will provide the following types of assistance:

- Airport arrival assistance for returnees with special needs (to be implemented by the Georgian authorities);
- Initial counselling post arrival, needs assessment and identification of assistance possibilities;
- Addressing urgent legal issues, including concerning identity documents;
- Referring to relevant public and private programmes for follow-up assistance (medical care, employment centre, vocational education centre, enrolment in schools, etc.);
- Direct job counselling and placement, including professional (re-)training, preparation for job interviews, assistance in drafting CV;
- Temporary accommodation for newly arrived persons without shelter;
- Medical assistance for acute and chronic conditions that represent hazard to life, referrals to relevant medical providers for testing and treatment and provision of necessary medication;
- Income-generating schemes for beneficiaries with the relevant skills, including development of business plans, business training and market orientation.

# **Eligibility criteria**

For exceptionally vulnerable cases the programme will provide pre-return exploration of reintegration options, mainly concerning medical and accommodation issues. Information on such cases shall be shared with IOM prior to the return of the individual on the following e-mail address: reintegrationgeorgia@iom.int.

# Criteria for participation in the project:

- Beneficiaries shall be citizens of Georgia or stateless persons who have the right of residence in Georgia;
- Beneficiaries can be those persons who applied abroad for asylum, who stayed abroad irregulary or those who held temporary protection status.
- The date of return to Georgia shall be confirmed as being no longer than 9 months prior to the registration of the beneficiary;
- The period of residence abroad shall be as a minimum 1 year.

# Beneficiaries can not be:

- a) persons who travelled abroad legally for a study programme or on the basis of a work contract;
- b) participants of reintegration assistance offered by IOM's Assisted Voluntary Return and Reintegration Programme and other actors in Georgia.