Romania - Multi-Sector Needs Assessment (MSNA) - 2023

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Identification

SURVEY ID NUMBER
UNHCR_ROU_2023_MSNA

TITLE
Multi-Sector Needs Assessment (MSNA) - 2023

COUNTRY

Name	Country code
Romania	ROU

STUDY TYPE
Sample Frame, Households [sf/hh]

ABSTRACT
The 2023 Multi-Sector Needs Assessment (MSNA) in Romania surveyed 1,222 households representing 3,485 individuals to evaluate the needs of refugees in the country. Conducted from July to September 2023 by a regional interagency team, the assessment aimed to understand refugees' access to basic services, identify service gaps, and determine refugees' priorities for the coming year. The data will inform the 2024 Refugee Response Plan, guiding funding and planning requirements for the continued refugee response in Romania. Key focus areas included the in-country refugee population, current level of access to services and how needs are being met, and refugees' self-reported priorities moving forward. The comprehensive interagency effort provides a critical information baseline to shape an effective, evidence-based humanitarian response.

KIND OF DATA
Sample survey data [ssd]

UNIT OF ANALYSIS
Household

Version

VERSION DESCRIPTION
v2.1: Edited, cleaned, and anonymised data.

VERSION DATE
2023-10-26

Scope

NOTES
The scope includes:
- demographics
- cash and livelihoods
- protection
- health
- education
- accomodation
- accountability
- feedback on humanitarian assistance

TOPICS

Topic
Health

| Protection |
| Food security |
| Education |
| Livelihood and Social cohesion |
| Gender Based Violence |
| Child Protection |
| Mental Health and Psychosocial Support |
| Cash Assistance |

KEYWORDS

Keyword
MSNA
Ukraine refugees
Needs assessment

Producers and sponsors

PRIMARY INVESTIGATORS

Name
UNHCR

PRODUCERS

Name
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Sampling

SAMPLING PROCEDURE
The 2023 Multi-Sector Needs Assessment survey in Romania sampled 1,222 Ukrainian refugee households randomly selected based on geography and accommodation type. The sample allows for limited national representativeness to assess urgent needs across health, protection, food security and education. Data serves to inform the refugee response and 2024 Regional Response Plan, though is not statistically representative.

Data Collection

DATES OF DATA COLLECTION

Start	End
2023-07-25	2023-09-25

DATA COLLECTION MODE
Face-to-face [f2f]

DATA COLLECTION NOTES
Interviews were conducted in person only with the head of the household or any other adult members consenting to the interview and willing to respond on behalf of the household. Two separate microdata files were produced; one at the household-level and one at the individual-level.

DATA COLLECTORS

Name
UNHCR
IOM
Centre for the Comparative Study of Migration

Questionnaires

QUESTIONNAIRES
Income, food consumption, expenditures, assets, community relations, wellbeing, resilience, mental health, health, accommodation, protection, and education

Access policy

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PRODUCERS

Name
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Data Dictionary

Data file	Cases	Variables
Households This file contains the household data dictionary.	1222	458
Individuals This file contains the individual data dictionary.	3232	156

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