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# Migration as an accelerator to reach the Global Goals



International Organization for Migration (IOM)  
The UN Migration Agency



1 NO POVERTY



Migration can be an effective poverty reduction tool for migrants and their families and can make significant contributions to development efforts in both countries of origin and destination

2 ZERO HUNGER



Food insecurity can be a driver of migration for individuals and their families

3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



Addressing the health and well-being of migrants is a precondition for social and economic development

# Migration and the 2030 Agenda

4 QUALITY EDUCATION



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5 GENDER EQUALITY



Migration can be a source of empowerment for women and girls, but they can also be especially vulnerable to violence, sexual abuse and exploitation

6 CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION



Water scarcity and related issues may impact on living standards, food availability and health which in turn can be drivers of migration

7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY



Inexpensive and alternative energy solutions can benefit vulnerable or displaced communities with limited or no access to electricity

8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH



Decent jobs and safe and secure work environments for migrants are essential if they are to become productive members of society and contribute to economic growth



9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE



Migrants can transfer valuable knowledge and skills to their countries of origin and destination, helping to support technology development, research and innovation

10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES



Effective migration governance is vital for safer, more orderly and regular migration

Migration governance will be a success factor for the achievement of all SDGs. **Migration affects and is affected by all areas of governance and is therefore relevant to ALL SDGs.** Migration is a global phenomenon affecting all countries worldwide and its effective governance needs global partnerships and a 'whole-of-government approach' if we want to make the most of its benefits.

11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES



Migrants help cities to thrive and become more vibrant, successful centres of economy and life

12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION



Promoting sustainable consumption and production patterns can help to protect migrant workers from exploitation

13 CLIMATE ACTION



Migration can be a potential climate change adaptation strategy and a way to build resilience

14 LIFE BELOW WATER



Combating marine and coastal ecosystem degradation and diversifying the livelihoods of communities that are dependent on marine resources can help address forced displacement and migration

15 LIFE ON LAND



Deforestation, land degradation, desertification and biodiversity loss can have profound impacts on communities whose livelihoods rely on natural resources and can be drivers of migration

16 PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS



Stronger, more transparent and accountable institutions and improved access to justice can help to protect and promote migrants' rights

17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS

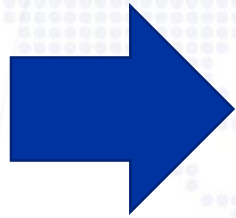


Timely, reliable and comparable data on migration can help policy makers devise evidence-based policies and plans to address the migration aspects of the SDGs



# Integration of migration in sectoral policies

Sectoral policies can facilitate or impede the contribution of migration to sustainable development



**Need for policy coherence and cooperation across all development sector**

**Integrating migration into planning frameworks and connected with budgeting**

**Cooperation across all levels of governance (local – national – regional)**

**Whole-of-society approach**

# Available tools

## Joint IOM UNDP Programme funded by SDC

“Making Migration work for Sustainable Development” with 11 countries  
Focus sectors:  
Employment, health, social security and human rights, education

## New IOM Institutional Strategy on Migration and Sustainable Development

To maximize the potential of migration to achieve sustainable development outcomes for migrants and societies alike  
Migration Governance Indicators

## UNDP’s role as SDG integrator

Key enabler of the SDG Integration offer (Next Gen Policy and Programming)  
Part of UNDP’s contribution to a Decade of Action.  
Align MAPS as a direct contribution to CCA and UNSDCF processes

## Migration and the 2030 Agenda: Guide for practitioners

Linkages between migration and all 17 SDGs  
Steps and tools for national and local governments to integration migration into SDG efforts  
Poster and booklet





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