Digest of IDP communities November 2021



GENERAL OVERVIEW

According to the Unified database of internally displaced persons, as of July 6, 2021, there were 1.473.650 registered people who came from t emporary occupied territories of Donetsk and Luhansk regions and the Autonomous Republic of Crimea.

Webinars

«Study of the needs of the community. Why? How?» The webinar will cover the following topics:

- Why is it necessary to conduct sociological studies and analyze the needs of communities;
- Stages of sociological studies;
- Instruments of sociological studies and their results;

Speaker: Svitlana Dmitrieva, civic activist, entrepreneur, analyst, head of the board at NGO «Innovatsiina diia.»

Opportunities

Organizational development grants are awarded competitively under the Civil Society Development Platform project, which the United States Agency funds for International Development (USAID). The Selection Committee considers applications monthly.

Leaders Fund announces a call for applications for financial and mentoring support for six months. This call is for the civic sector and activists who are looking for opportunities to implement their ideas and projects. The fund will provide a stipend of 1000 UAH per month; in addition, there will be expert support and opportunities for networking inside the community. The deadline for applications is December 20, 2021.

NGO Vinnytsia municipal organization for social development and support of vulnerable categories of people «Parostok» invites for training at the «School of institutional development for representatives of NGO, created by people with disabilities.» The deadline for applications is December 16.

The Institute for Creative Innovations invites to participate in an online training program on gender-oriented management. The training will happen on December 20-21 (2 pm to 5 pm). This training aims to enhance the potential of communities in the sphere of gender-oriented planning and budgeting.

IDP communities

Every year from November 25 to December 10, activists in Ukraine organize an All-Ukrainian campaign, «16 days against violence.» This campaign aims to draw social attention to the problem of combatting home violence, child abuse, combatting human trafficking, and protection of the rights of women. This year IDP communities all over Ukraine joined the campaign. Those communities organized the following events:

Within the framework of the campaign «16 days against violence», the youth of the Ivano-Frankivsk region and activists and youth from the IDP community developed a concept of animation to draw social attention to the problem of violence against women. This concept was developed with support from the UNHCR and NGO «Rodyna Kolpinga na Prykarpatti.»

NGO «D.O.M.48.24» launched a campaign called KrashKava to support the international campaign «16 days against violence.» All local coffee shops will pour coffee in paper cups that will display information about the early signs of toxic relationships. That is because the early signs of violence could be seen during the early dates.

Representatives of NGO «Fundatsiia dobryh sprav» met with women who stay at shelters for victims of home violence. Activists provide charity support to children, including children's food and warm clothes.

IG «Berdychivska miska biblioteka» launched an online flash-mob #Do not be silent when.

IG «Shliakh do novoi sebe,» Cherkasy was featured in the morning TV show «Ranok z Interom.» Their project functions since 2015, and it provides free psychological and juridical help and self-defense training for women.

Representatives of CO «Halytska hromada» joined the organization and implementation of the campaign «Rozirvy kolo», dedicated to the International Day for the Elimination Violence Against Women.

NGO «Myr na doloni,» Zhytomyr, and specialists from various state institutions, organized preventive conversations with local high school students. They discussed home violence and the ways to protect self from home abusers.

Legislation news

During the meeting on November 17, 2021, the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine divided a subvention from the state budget. It is planned to purchase 30 real estate objects to temporarily house 106 internally displaced persons.

On November 3, 2021, the Cabinet of Ministers decided to create an opportunity for IDPs to apply for prolongation or termination of financial assistance through the online portal «Diia.»

Applications to the «CRIMEASOS» hotline

In November, 132 persons contacted the hotline and «CRIMEASOS» provided 282 initial legal consultations. Equally urgent is the question of the crossing the administrative border with Crimea in both directions for the period of quarantine, obtaining a certificate of registration of an internally displaced person, establishing the facts of birth and death.