

NORWAY

COUNSELLING PROVIDER

IOM Norway

RETURN NUMBERS

Numbers of assisted voluntary returnees by IOM from 2010 – 2015



MAIN COUNTRIES OF RETURN IN 2015

Ranking	Countries of Return
1.	Iraq
2.	Russia
3.	Afghanistan
4.	Bangladesh
5.	Ukraine

Source: IOM Norway

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Group A: 20,000 NOK ≈ 2200 € (additional 10,000 NOK maximum for minors) for clients applying for voluntary return before obligatory date of return

Group B: 7,000 NOK ≈ 750 € maximum for adults applying for voluntary return after obligatory date of return (2,000 NOK ≈ 220 € maximum for underage returnees)

FOR VULNERABLE RETURNEES

Vulnerable returnees may receive up to 42,000 NOK ≈ 4500 € financial assistance, of which 8000 NOK ≈ 850€ is cash support and 34,000 ≈ 3500 € in-kind support.

HANDLING OF VULNERABLE CASES

Special Assistance:

- Risk assessment for victims of trafficking
- Family tracing and assessment for unaccompanied minors
- Airport assistance and escort to final destination, if needed
- Monitoring 3 and 12 months after return by local IOM office in coordination with IOM Norway

SPECIAL FEATURES:

- Dissemination of information about voluntary return amongst the irregular migrations through NGOs such as Caritas Norway

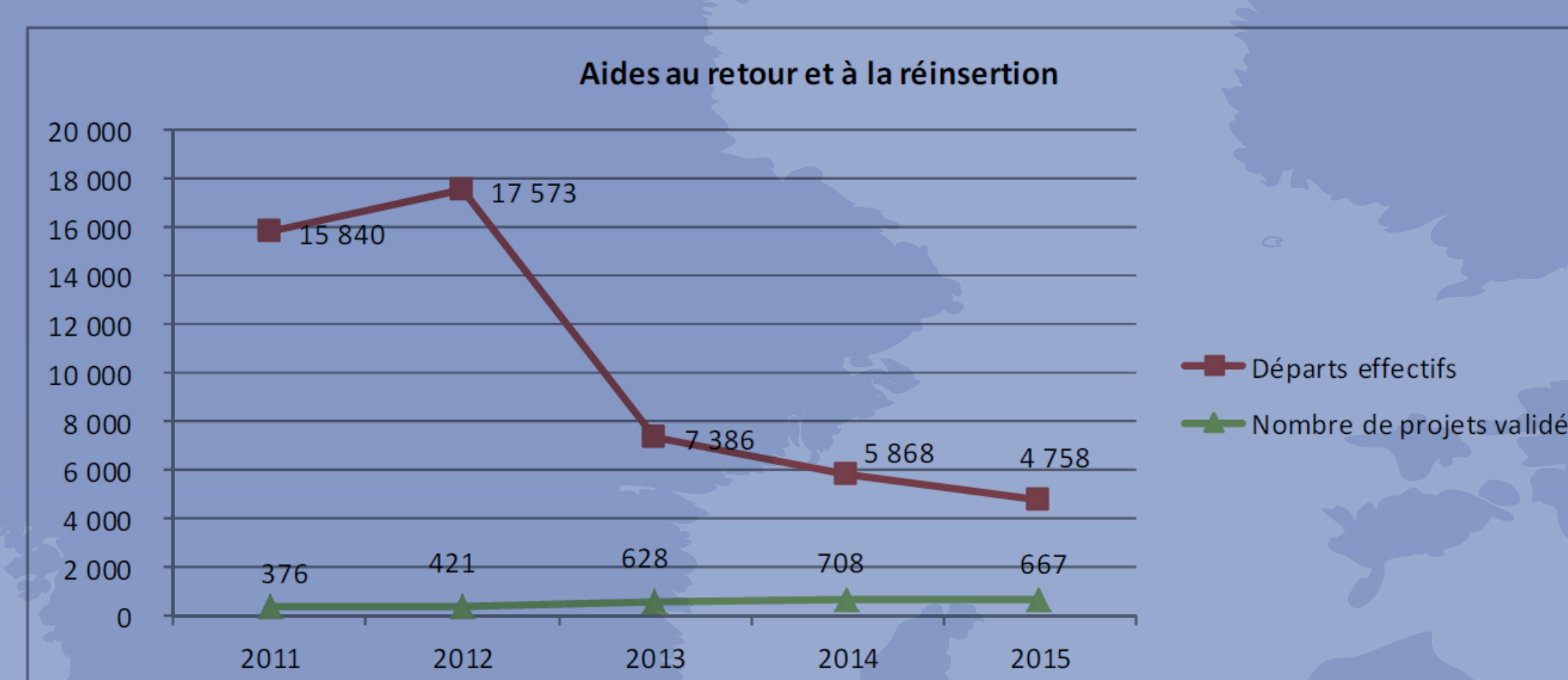
FRANCE

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French Office for Immigration and Integration (OFII)

RETURN NUMBERS

Number of assisted voluntary returns and number of returnees who received reintegration assistance in France from 2011 – 2015



Source: OFII

MAIN COUNTRIES OF RETURN IN 2014 & 2015

	2014	2015
1.	Albania (805)	China (473)
2.	Russia (631)	Albania (463)
3.	Bosnia-Herzegovina(379)	Russia (385)
4.	China (322)	Kosovo (282)
5.	Kosovo (290)	Algeria (281)

Source: OFII

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

A returnee receives 300 € per person travel money, if he/she returns to countries without visa requirements in France or to Kosovo. A returnee to other countries excluding EU, EEE, Switzerland, Andorra, Monaco and San Martin receives 650 € per person. The director of the OFII may grant additional 350 € in exceptional cases.

The reintegration assistance level 1 amounts to 400 € per adult and to 300 € per child. The reintegration assistance 2 consists of employment with a possibility to follow a professional training. The reintegration assistance level 3 includes the support of a business start-up.

ESTONIA

COUNSELLING PROVIDER

IOM Estonia (1 counsellor and 1 project coordinator)

COUNSELLING SYSTEM

Voluntary Assisted Return and Reintegration Programme from Estonia (VARRE).

- Information and counselling regarding return
- Assistance with organization of travel document
- Organization of flight ticket
- Reintegration Assistance: Individual Reintegration Plan (Business start-up, educational training, professional training, work placement)

RETURN NUMBERS

Between the 01.01.2010 and the 01.11.2016 161 people returned voluntarily with the assistance of IOM. The main countries of return are Ukraine (49 returnees), Georgia (27 returnees), Russia (20 returnees) and Belarus (15 returnees).

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Voluntary returnees receive a cash assistance which ranges between 200 € and 400 € per person prior to the departure at the airport.

HANDLING OF VULNERABLE CASES

A travel escort can be arranged when necessary. Returnees with severe medical issues may receive extra financial assistance in order to cover the medical care for the first couple of months after arrival.

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