



# Call for proposals on promoting mental health – implementing promising best practice(s) to improve mental health and psychosocial wellbeing in migrant and refugee populations

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# Background

- *Impact of Ukraine crisis on displaced people*
- *Commission's actions*
  - *Training courses and e-learning modules on migration and health*
  - *Stakeholders' network "Supporting Ukraine, neighbouring EU Member States and Moldova' on the Health Policy Platform.*
  - *Contribution agreement with the Red Cross*

# Call for proposals: objectives

- *Increase awareness, knowledge generation, and sharing, and capacity building to improve mental health and psychological wellbeing in migrants and refugee populations.*
- *special focus on Ukraine's displaced people*
- *Implementation of promising and best practices and guidance.*

# Activities

- *Exchange and implementation of best practices that will increase awareness, knowledge sharing and support for health professionals and NGOs working with refugees.*
- *Focus on the needs of Ukraine's displaced people who are mainly located in Ukraine's neighboring countries or in other EU member states*
- *Support for NGOs and health professionals speaking Ukrainian/Russian who work with displaced people from Ukraine.*

# Mandatory deliverables

- *Other organisations working with Ukraine's displaced people, (e.g. WHO, UNHCR, Red Cross, Caritas, etc.) and include interaction with them.*
- *Practices should be implemented through on the ground activities and in consultation with representatives from the community or target group concerned (migrants, refugees, displaced people from Ukraine).*

# Mandatory deliverables

- *Evaluation of the implementation*
- *Plan for further roll-out of practice in other EU countries where the displaced people may find placement*

# Specific action-level indicators

- *Number of training materials translated by number of languages*
- *Number of health professionals and NGOs making use of the training material*
- *Number of Ukrainian displaced people benefiting from the action (by country)*

# Budget and duration

- *EUR 2 000 000*
- *Proposals to be awarded under this topic: Up to three proposals*
- *Recommended length of a project is 24 months*



# Eligibility

## Special requirements

<b>Applicants – specific eligibility criteria</b>	Academia and educational institutions, civil society organisations supporting migrants and refugees (health and social professional associations, schools, foundations, NGOs and similar entities).
<b>Specific eligibility criteria applicable to the consortium composition</b>	The consortium must also include at least one NGO active in the field of mental health, preferably at Union level, and at least one NGO working in the area of migrants and refugees.
<b>Non-eligible activities</b>	<i>No</i>
<b>Financial support to third parties</b>	<i>No</i>
<b>Place of implementation</b>	<i>No</i>

# Deadline 31 May!

- *Call publication: 20 April 2022*
- *Proposal submission opening: 20 April 2022*
- *Deadline for submission of proposals: **31 May 2022 - 17:00:00 CET (Brussels)***