

COUNTRY PROFILE MOLDAVA

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General Information:	
Country:	Moldova
Organisation, address, website:	Refugee Directorate of the Bureau of Migration and Asylum Republic of Moldova, Chisinau, 124 Stefan cel Mare street.
Governing institution:	Ministry of Internal Affairs
Total number of employees:	18 (10 - Refugee directorate, 8 – Reception Center)
Annual budget (EUR):	
Daily accommodation costs per one asylum seeker (EUR):	
Asylum grant proceedings:	
Legal duration of asylum grant proceedings:	No minimal duration provided. Maximal administrative procedure duration – 6 month, but in case of need it can be prolonged.
Organisation liable for asylum grant proceedings (if other than above)	Refugee Directorate
Legal regulations governing asylum grant proceedings, their last amendment	Law on refugee status nr. 1286-XV from 25.07.2002, last amended in august 2007
Total number of asylum applications during: (indicate numbers and year)	2003 – 87 2004 – 112 2005 – 105 2006 – 71 2007 – 56 (as for September 1.)
Total number of granted asylum in accordance with the Geneva Convention during: (indicate numbers and year)	2003 – 5 2004 – 112 2005 – 71 2006 – 13
Total number of provided subsidiary forms of protection: (indicate numbers and year)	2003 – 0 2004 – 0 2005 – 15 2006 – 69
5 top countries of origin of asylum seekers: (indicate year)	For 2007 1. Armenia 2. Russian Federation. 3. Jordan 4. Syria 5. Turkey
Accommodation of asylum seekers	
Total of accommodation capacity (number of beds):	200
Types of accommodation: (more then one answer possible)	<input type="checkbox"/> houses <input type="checkbox"/> hotels <input type="checkbox"/> bungalows <input type="checkbox"/> boats <input type="checkbox"/> caravans <input type="checkbox"/> tents <input type="checkbox"/> military barracks <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (shared) rooms <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> other (specify): Units
Number of facilities:	Laundry room – The class room – The playroom for children - The computer room – The TV room – Kitchen has an annex which can be used as a dinning-room.
Average length of stay of asylum seeker in asylum reception facility:	6 month
Asylum seekers has possibility to live in private housing:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
Asylum seeker's freedom of movement:	<input type="checkbox"/> without restriction <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> restricted: daily registration (in the Center at 23:00 o'clock)

	<input type="checkbox"/> obligatory permanent presence in asylum facility <input type="checkbox"/> detention
Services provided:	
Types of catering:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> individual cooking <input type="checkbox"/> catering provided <input type="checkbox"/> combined
System of provision of financial and material aid:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> cash <input type="checkbox"/> payment in kind <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> combined
Asylum seeker's access to the labour market:	<input type="checkbox"/> no <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, specify conditions: The social worker at the center helps them to get jobs. This help is legal.
Lessons of local language available:	<input type="checkbox"/> compulsory <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> voluntary <input type="checkbox"/> none
Vocational training available:	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no
Extent of health care provided:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> standard – same as health care provided for citizens <input type="checkbox"/> different, specify:
Obligatory initial medical examinations:	<input type="checkbox"/> none <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> lung X-ray (TB) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> venereal diseases <input type="checkbox"/> taking of biological material samples <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> other, specify: HIV
Vulnerable groups:	
Definition of vulnerable groups – please indicate the categories which are considered vulnerable in the reception system:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unaccompanied minors <input type="checkbox"/> Single women <input type="checkbox"/> Pregnant women <input type="checkbox"/> Families with children <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Elderly <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Incomplete families (single women with minor children) <input type="checkbox"/> Mentally handicapped <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Physically handicapped/disabled <input type="checkbox"/> Victims of trauma and other people with mental health problems <input type="checkbox"/> Others, specify
Please indicate number of asylum seekers for each category a) the whole country b) the reception facility – when available a) 243 b) 73	
Unaccompanied minors	0
Single women	There is not such a statistical survey
Families with children	There is not such a statistical survey
Elderly	There is not such a statistical survey
Incomplete families (single women with minor children)	There is not such a statistical survey
Mentally handicapped	There is not such a statistical survey
Physically handicapped/disabled	There is not such a statistical survey
Victims of trauma and other people with mental health problems	There is not such a statistical survey
Others, specify	There is not such a statistical survey