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ADRA Moldova Activity:
2024



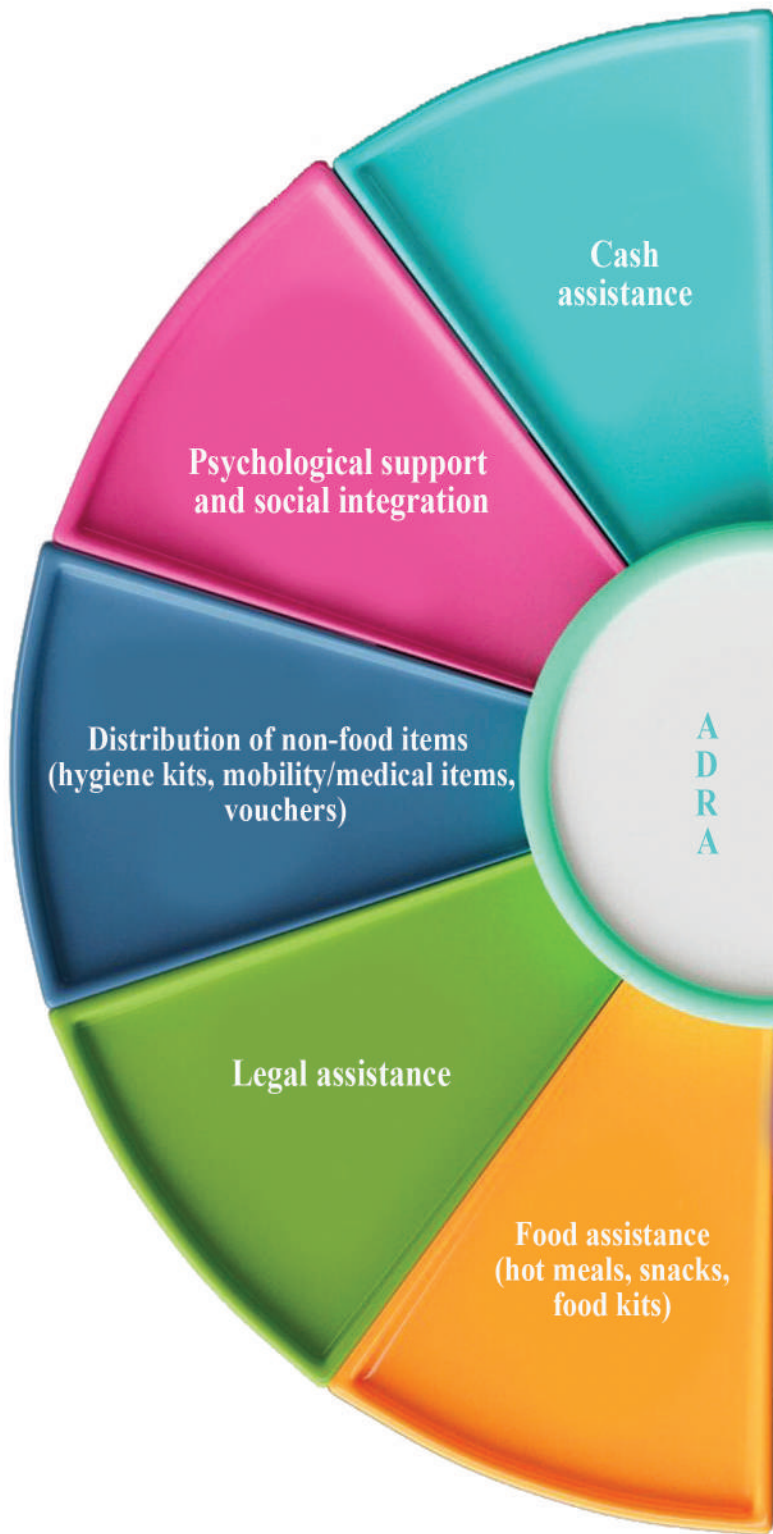


The Adventist Development and Relief Agency is an international humanitarian organization that provides relief and development to people in need through health, education, livelihood and emergency relief efforts in over 120 countries.

ADRA Moldova is part of the ADRA Network and has been active in Moldova since 1992, providing assistance to the most vulnerable groups (children at risk, people with disabilities, elderly, people affected by crisis, etc.), both in development and humanitarian projects.

ADRA Moldova is fully accredited by ADRA International, with all relevant policies adopted and in force, a well-trained and experienced team and a large network of volunteers, designing, managing and implementing its programs in accordance with donor requirements, ADRA policies, local legislation and international humanitarian principles.







**In 2024, ADRA Moldova
provided assistance and support to a significant
number of people in need,
both refugees and vulnerable local people.**

Social integration activities and psychosocial support



ADRA Moldova

in collaboration with the Norwegian Refugee Council, EO Meterdaad, ADRA Netherlands and ADRA Czech Republic, carried out social integration, recreational and psychosocial support activities for refugees from Ukraine and vulnerable people from Moldova.

Through 4 **ADRA** community centers (in Vulcanesti, Orhei and 2 in Chisinau) ADRA organized activities that contributed to the creation of a friendly and inclusive

environment, helping participants to adapt more easily to new realities.

They were helped to cope with the stress of the crisis situation they found themselves in, to develop new skills for personal development and to integrate more easily into the local context.

Social integration activities and events, group discussions with the psychologist, personal development, board games, concerts, sports class, culinary workshops, handicraft (such as various master classes, mosaic and number painting), art therapy and movie night were organized.

In this way, **ADRA Moldova** has contributed to their development and social integration, as well as to their general well-being.

Impact of the projects:

629 participants received psychosocial support.

1.397 beneficiaries participated in recreational and social re-integration activities.

Support to organizations providing services for children with autism spectrum disorders

Within one project funded by the Czech Development Agency and ADRA Czech Republic "Aid for children with autistic spectrum disorder (ASD) and other genetic disorders in Moldova II" support was provided to children with autism spectrum disorders, their parents and specialists involved in their education and development, for their growth and integration into society.

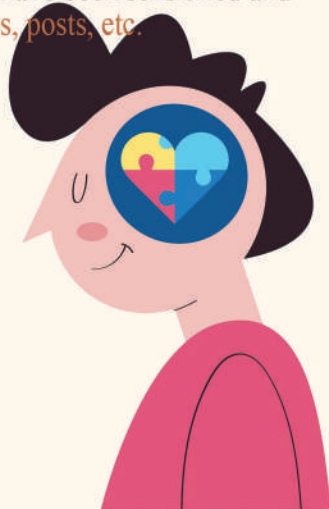
Achievements:

- * 34 FEDRA organizations (active in ASD) supported;
- * 6 organizations active in ASD supported with mini-grants;
- * 2 local ASD therapy centers have been created;
- * 50 teenagers with ASD supported in 2 LEGO clubs and 4 vocational workshops;
- * 16 specialists trained in vocational workshops and LEGO clubs;
- * 35 specialists trained in ASD therapies;
- * 100 representatives of 34 FEDRA organizations active in ASD were supported with capacity building trainings;
- * 187 representatives of active ASD organizations and ASD activists participating in thematic conferences;
- * 105 students with ASD benefited from individualized educational plans;
- * 100 people with ASD and their caregivers received psychological support services;
- * 77 people with ASD and their caregivers received legal advice;
- * At least 9000 people (followers of the SOS Autism page) have been sensitized and regularly informed about ASD through articles, posts, etc.

Through therapeutic services, training and community support, we aim to create an inclusive and accessible environment for every child.

Our impact:

9712 beneficiaries (at least)



Cash Assistance

ADRA Moldova,

in cooperation with IOM, registers Ukrainian refugees living in the Transnistrian region of Moldova for multi-purpose cash assistance (in the form of monthly payments) provided by IOM. This support enables beneficiaries to cover their basic needs in a flexible and tailored way.



Our impact:

5,994 beneficiaries

Legal Assistance

In the framework of one IOM - funded project implemented by ADRA Moldova, refugees benefited from legal counseling to legalize their stay in the Republic of Moldova and to solve other legal issues essential for their integration. They were also provided with information on their rights and obligations within the country, access to social services, education and the labor market. These activities helped to increase the safety and well-being of refugees, facilitating their adaptation to their new environment.



Our impact:

962 beneficiaries

Child protection, rehabilitation and reintegration services

The "Rainbow of Hope" Temporary Placement Center for Children in Vadul lui Voda, which has been operating for more than twenty years, was created on the initiative of a sensitive Christian family, who started to house, feed and clothe street children in their own home since 1998. The Center was soon established as an ADRA project, supported through the ADRA Network and other local and international donors.

It is a placement center for children without parental care coming from difficult situations (violence, including sexual abuse, trafficking, family neglect, death of both parents, etc.).

The Temporary Placement Center for children "Rainbow of Hope" has the capacity to accommodate 25 children at a time and a staff of experienced professional specialists (Manager, social worker, 4 educators, educational manager, psychologist, medical assistant, etc.).

Here, children are offered rehabilitation and reintegration services such as formal and non-formal educational and personal development support, psychological counseling, medical care, cultural and spiritual guidance, child protection case management

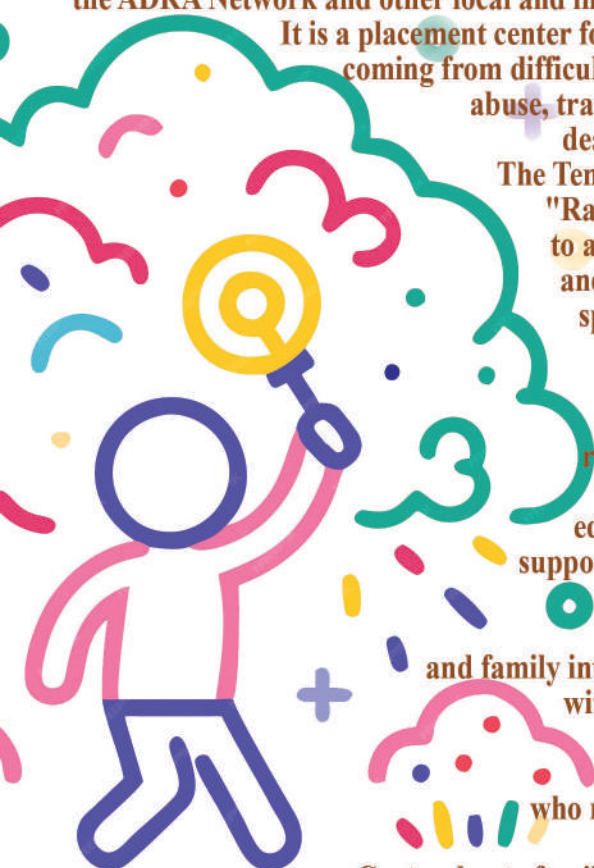
and family integration support, as well as support with accommodation, food and clothing.

Over the course of a year, the Center serves an average of 35-40 children, who receive the above-mentioned assistance (some come and others leave the

Center due to family integration or the start of independent adult life).

Our impact:

40 beneficiaries



Distribution of non-food items and improvement of the living conditions

ADRA Moldova provided support for medical needs in the form of medical vouchers to 1262 families. Each registered family received 4 vouchers of 250 lei each. Also, medical items were purchased and distributed to 634 people in different localities of Moldova, such as: **tonometer, glucometer, nebulizers, adult diapers, walkers and crutches.**

42 refugees benefited from improved living conditions in the form of repair/construction materials, household assets and equipment.

This was made possible thanks to funding from the Czech Government, ADRA Czech Republic, ADRA Netherlands and EO Meterdaad.



Our impact:

1.938 beneficiaries for medical supplies



Distribution of food and Christmas gifts

For more than 15 years, every year, **ADRA Moldova**
(with the support of ADRA Switzerland)
has been distributing Christmas presents to
children from socially vulnerable families in different localities of Moldova
(consisting of a box with school supplies,
clothes, hygiene items, toys, books and sweets). In 2024, 4068 children received
Christmas presents during the winter holidays. In addition,
100 vulnerable families received bags of food (the basic necessities)
to support them on the eve of the winter holidays.

Our impact:
4168 beneficiaries



Child-friendly activities



ADRA specialists
(psychologists, educators)
and **ADRA** volunteers regularly
carried out non-formal education activities for children.

Here both refugee and local children felt safe,
learned new things and developed new skills, socialized and built friendships,
which in turn contributed to their development,
social integration and gave them
a sense of normality and well-being.



Our impact:

637 of participants in children's activities



"Thank you so much for the joy you bring to our children! As parents, we do the best we can for them, but often material and financial resources are not enough. We also deeply appreciate the food supplies that will help us provide daily meals. We are grateful to kind-hearted people who think of others who are less fortunate. We are simply surviving, so every bit of help means the world to us!"

Nina

"Thank you from the bottom of my heart - to the donors, the organizers and all those who coordinate the activities in the centers. Thank you for helping those in need, the sick and refugees like me. It is wonderful that such organizations exist and offer support in difficult situations, not only financially and materially, but also with words of encouragement! It is a great help."

Angela

"It is hard to start life over at 50, but to stand still is even worse. The war will end and things will not always be like this. I am very grateful to you, ADRA Moldova for the support you are giving to us, the citizens of Ukraine, in these difficult times. Thank you for your responsiveness, compassion, professionalism, hard work, patience and care!"

Tatiana

Referrals and information sessions

*Within one NRC project, **ADRA Moldova** provided essential information and referral support to people in need, facilitating their access to available services and resources.*

Information and advice

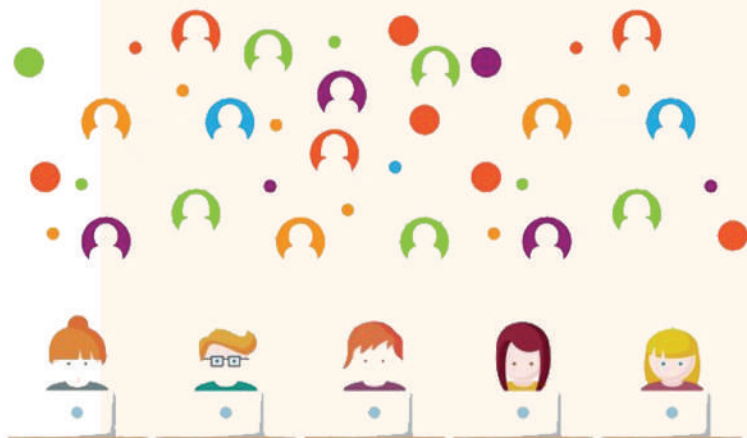
***335 information sessions on topics of interest such as legal aid, humanitarian support and other services available**

***1,074 people benefited from useful information to face current challenges**

Support and referral to specialized services

***2,297 people received referral support to access the necessary services**

The referred person received help in the form of with legal aid, medical equipment, food, financial support , vouchers, NFIs, vocational trainings, etc. Collaboration with organizations such as NRC, IOM, CARITAS, Salvation Army and many others has created an effective support network for the beneficiaries.



Through these initiatives, ADRA Moldova continues to be a pillar of support for those in need, providing real solutions and access to vital resources.

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