

How to apply?

If you wish to return to Afghanistan under IRRANA program, you need to fill in an application form, which can be downloaded from www.iom.no or you may contact any of the following;

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UDI and its Regional Offices

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UDI Regional Office East (Tel: 23351500)
UDI Regional Office Inner East (Tel: 61146500)
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Asylum Reception Centres

Norwegian Refugee Council

Tel : 80041042/80041855
Email: incor@nrc.no
Internet: www.nrc.no

Norwegian Organisation for Asylum Seekers (NOAS)

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IOM is committed to the principle that humane and orderly migration benefits migrants and society. As an intergovernmental body, IOM acts with its partners in the international community to: assist in meeting the operational challenges of migration; advance understanding of migration issues; encourage social and economic development through migration; and uphold the human dignity and well-being of migrants.

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A Sustainable Home Coming: Information, Return, and Reintegration of Afghan Nationals to Afghanistan



What is IOM Oslo's IRRANA programme?

It is Information, Return, and Reintegration of Afghan Nationals to Afghanistan programme offered to Afghan nationals with asylum seekers status or residence permit/protection in Norway. It aims at an orderly, humane and dignified voluntary return to Afghanistan with a reintegration package, which will facilitate a sustainable reinsertion into your home society. **The programme is available to you until April 25, 2007.**

IRRANA in Norway will provide you with the following;

- ⇒ Return information and counselling;
- ⇒ Business Training Program (to be implemented by Business Innovation Programs, www.bips.no);
- ⇒ Acquisition of travel documents;
- ⇒ Travel arrangements,
- ⇒ Airport assistance (at departure, and in transit).



IRRANA services in Afghanistan include;

- ⇒ You are received at the airport by an IOM staff, who will assist you with border and customs clearance;
- ⇒ You are given medical assistance, if needed;
- ⇒ You are given counselling and other information, which will help you in your reinsertion into your society;
- ⇒ If needed, you will be provided with temporary accommodation at the IOM operated reception centre in Kabul,
- ⇒ You are assisted with onward transportation to your final location.



Under the reintegration package;

- ⇒ You are entitled to receive 5 000.00 NOK if you are an asylum seeker and 15 000.00 NOK if you have a residence/protection permit.
- ⇒ You may choose one of these three services;
 - ◇ Employment, through referrals, which may be obtained by returnees through IOM's job vacancy database or direct placement;
 - ◇ Training—vocational or educational, or
 - ◇ Self-Employment,
- ⇒ You will be consistently followed up to monitor your progress.

IOM Kabul works in close cooperation with the Afghani government (Ministry of Refugees and Repatriation), UNHCR, Norwegian Refugee Council Offices in Afghanistan and other NGOs, which will assist you to achieve a sustainable reinsertion.

Note that before IOM can include you in the return programme, IOM needs to get approval from the Norwegian authorities (UDI and Police).