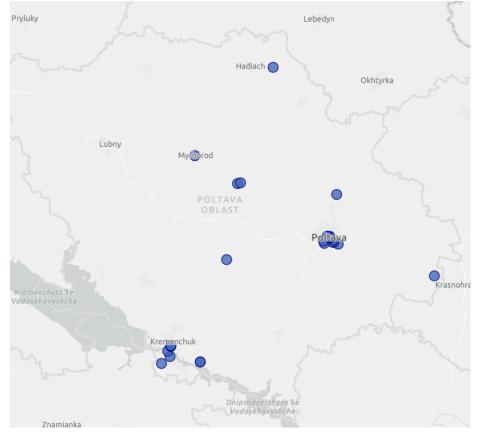
# POLTAVSKA OBLAST COLLECTIVE CENTRE ASSESSMENT

Summary of IOM's CCCM Collective Centre Assessment | Q3, 2023

# **CLASSIFICATION: Unrestricted**

# ASSESSED COLLECTIVE CENTRES IN POLTAVSKA OBLAST



# **OVERVIEW**

Between May and September 2023, IOM CCCM teams, in collaboration with Oblast authorities and local civil society organizations, conducted CCCM Collective Centre assessment across all Poltavska Oblast. Data was collected at the site-level at the request of the Poltavska Oblast administration and implemented through key-informant interviews with site managers / focal points as well as conducting observational assessments. All figures and narrative in this fact-sheet cover collective centres which are hosting (and are capable of hosting) 30 persons or more and are indicative of the situation in the sites at the time of data collection. This fact-sheet provides a short overview of the monitoring assessment in the following thematic areas: demographics, vulnerabilities, site management, site environment, health, water, sanitation and hygiene (WASH), food provision, and most urgent needs.

# SITE TYPES

In total, 30 sites were assessed, 29 of which all were hosting IDPs at the time of assessment, with 1 centre empty but ready to host. Nearly three-quarters (75%) of the assessed sites (73%) were dormitories, 17% were school buildings, 3% were hotels and 3% were kindergardens. Across 80% of the sites, site managers report that the majority of IDPs do not plan to transit, while in 20% of sites, IDPs are reportedly both planning to stay and transit.



These assessments, conducted over the third quarter of 2023, were made possible through the generous support provided by the Bureau for Humanitarian Assistance (BHA).



# **KEY FIGURES**



# 30

collective centres (sites) assessed across Poltavska Oblast



IDPs hosted in collective centres (sites)



4.438 total hosting capacity



3% of sites are dormitories



80% of sites report that IDPs do not have plans to transit to other locations

of IDP-hosting sites report the presence of persons with disabilities

# 40%

of sites are managed by the government



21% of sites report presence of unaccompanied elderly persons

# 45%



of sites do not have a health worker present or regularly visiting



21% of sites are not connected to central sewage system



27% of sites report that there is no availability of communal space for IDPs to eat food



## DEMOGRAPHICS

Out of a total of 2,152 IDPs currently hosted in the assessed sites, 59% are female and 41% are male; 24% are minors (under the age of 18), 49% are adults (aged between 18 and 59), and 27% are elderly (over the age of 59).

### **VULNERABILITIES**



A total of 123 IDPs (6% of total IDPs) across 21 sites (72% of IDP-hosting sites) were reported to be persons with disabilities. Unaccompanied elderly persons were reported in 21% of IDP-hosting sites, persons with chronic diseases in 17% and pregnant or lactating females in 14%.

#### Top vulnerable groups (% of sites with presence of)

Persons with disabilities Unaccompanied elderly persons Persons with chronic diseases Pregnant or lactating females



0% 20% 40% 60% 80% 100%

### SITE MANAGEMENT

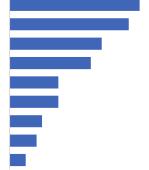
40% of sites are reportedly managed by the government, 37% by unspecified actors, 17% by private individuals, and 7% by local NGOs. 47% of sites report staff presence 24 hours of the day, 50% report staff presence in the daytime only, and 3% report periodical presence. IDP registration upon arrival is reported in all sites, and an allocation plan for vulnerable groups exists in 13% of sites. 23% of site managers report that IDPs are being charged money to stay at the centre.

## SITE ENVIRONMENT

In 40% of sites, the site manager reports that they expect the site to remain open for more than six months, in 57% of sites, site managers are unsure, and in the remaining 3% they expect the the site to close within 3 months. The below chart presents gaps in site provision of key items and services. Critically, 84% of sites are not disability accessible, 43% do not have a bomb shelter on-site or nearby, and 34% have insufficient electrical capacity.

## Lack of essential items or services (% of sites)

No lockers on-site Not disability accessible No adult recreational areas No child recreational areas Insufficient electrical capacity Insufficient Wifi No basement on-site No bomb shelter on-site/nearby Insufficient fire extinguishers



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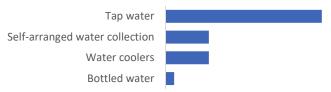
# HEALTH

There is no health worker present or to regularly visit in 45% of sites, and problems in accessing medicines are reported in 7% of sites.

#### WASH

On average, there are 12 toilets and 7 showers per site for the IDP population. Toilets and showers are not gender-segregated in the majority of sites (66% and 52%, respectively), nor disability-accessible in the majority of sites (86% for both). A critical 21% of sites are not connected to the central sewage system. The below chart details the primary ways by which IDPs access drinking water; of which, the most frequently reported way was via tap water (62%).

#### Primary way by which IDPs access drinking water (% of sites)



0% 10% 20% 30% 40% 50% 60% 70%

#### FOOD PROVISION

27% of sites reported that there was no available communal space for IDPs to eat food, and 13% of sites reported that there was no kitchen area available for IDPs to prepare food. The most frequently reported way by which IDPs have access to food in sites was by personal preparation (73%), followed by food provisions by the site (37%).

## Ways by which IDPs access food (% of sites)



### MOST URGENT NEEDS

The most urgent needs, as identified by site managers are displayed in the below table. Overall, the most frequently reported highest priority site need was found to be food services and kitchen upgrades, which were both identified by 18% of sites (5 sites).

#### Table 1: Highest priority need (% of sites)

1. Food Services	17.9%
2. Kitchen Upgrades	17.9%
3. Shower upgrades	10.7%
4. Toilet upgrades	10.7%
5. Cash Assistance	10.7%

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