



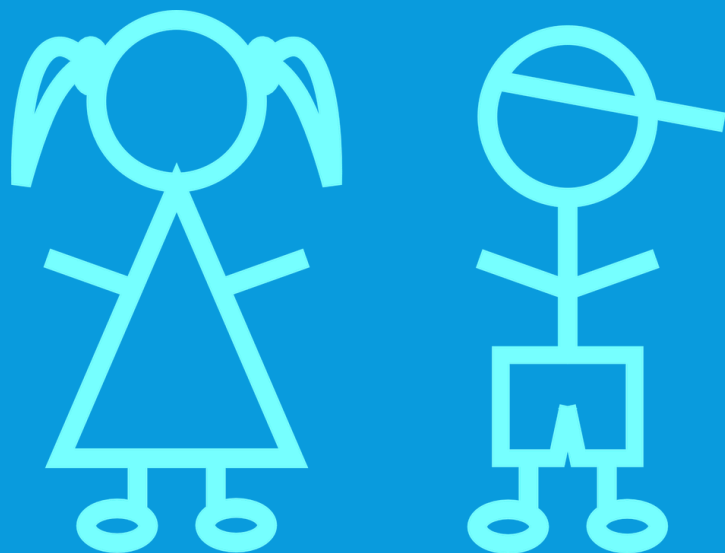
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CHILDREN ON THE MOVE

Access to justice for children asylum seekers
and migrants in Bosnia and Herzegovina

OPERATIONAL CONTEXT

- 1,232 Arrivals in 2020
- 29,196 Arrivals in 2019
- 24,046 Arrivals in 2018



23%

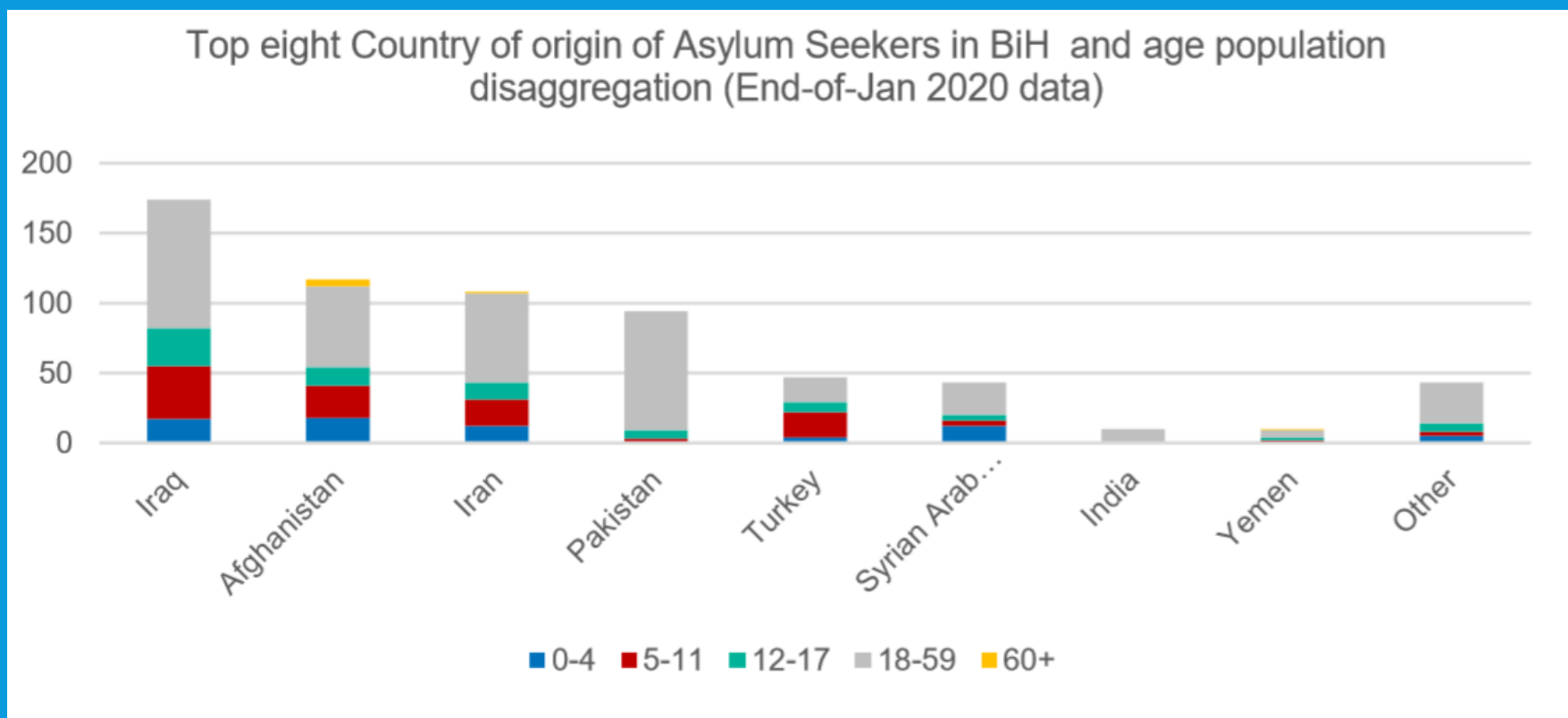
Families with children

11%

Unaccompanied and Separated Children (UASCs)



COUNTRIES OF ORIGIN



BIRTH REGISTRATION OF NEW BORN BABIES – PREVENTING UNDOCUMENTED CHILDREN



IN THE COUNTRY AND PROCEDURE

- Children accompanied / UAMs
- Appropriate assessment / registration procedure
- Early appointment of the guardian / no action is taken unless CSW is notified
- Accommodation/reception conditions suitable for children – age
- Appropriate period of reflection/emotional support/psycho social support and counselling
- Constant attention to satisfy the needs of children



PROCEDURE AND DETERMINATION OF STATUS

- Best interest of child at all times
- Consent of child (whenever possible) for decision affecting / getting the best interest protected
- „Male families“ phenomenon
- Country of origin
- Language assistance
- Protection
- Legal aid and legal protection



