



Linia de buget: **Programul Național - Fondul Azil, Migrație și Integrare**
Proiectul: **„AIM 5 - Acțiuni de integrare a migranților în Regiunea 5”**
Număr de referință: **FAMI 20.02.01.03 (05)**
Beneficiar: **AIDRom - Asociația Ecumenică a Bisericilor din România**
Partener 1: **Asociația Filantropia Oradea**
Partener 2: **Instituția Prefectului Județul Timiș**
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Regional Integration Centres for the integration of refugees and migrants in Romania

Closing conference of the project:
„AIM 5 – Actions to integrate migrants in Region 5”
Stage III

- PRESS RELEASE -

Timișoara
December, 6, 2022

AIDRom - The Ecumenical Association of Churches in Romania will organize the closing conference of the 3rd stage of the project: "AIM 5 - Actions to integrate migrants in Region 5".

The event will take place on **December 14, 2022**, at the **AIDRom headquarters in Timișoara, Gheorghe Șincai street no. 9**, between **15:00-17:00**.

INFORMATION ABOUT THE PROJECT

The project was implemented by:

Beneficiary: AIDRom – The Ecumenical Association of Churches in Romania
Partners: The Philanthropy Association Oradea
The Prefect Institution Timiș County
The Prefect Institution Caraș-Severin County
The Prefect Institution Bihor County

The project was implemented in 3 stages:

Duration: 12 months (1st stage)
12 months (2nd stage)
3 months (3rd stage)

The 3rd stage of implementation started on September 26, 2022, and will be accomplished on December 25, 2022.

The overall budget of the project, comprising the 3 implementation stages, reaches 3.163.283,80 RON.



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The project was and is financed by the **European Union** and the **General Inspectorate for Immigration**, through the **National Program - Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund**.

The main **target group** of the project was represented by beneficiaries of international protection (BP) and third-country nationals (RTT) with the right to stay on Romanian territory (on the basis of a short or long-term residence permit), who require support in order to integrate in Romania, as they are defined in national and European legislation.

This project aimed to:

Objective 1: Increase the level of social integration of BP and RTT in Region 5, through access to individualized and complex integration services.

Objective 2: Strengthening local inter-institutional support networks, community support, volunteer networks and representative members from the communities of foreigners.

Objective 3: Developing the professional capacities of the actors involved in assisting the target group.

Through this project, the activity of the Oradea Regional Integration Centre continued, being offered, free of charge, specialized social and legal counselling services, material assistance for vulnerable categories, Romanian language courses and cultural accommodation, leisure activities for migrants, specific actions for minor beneficiaries of the target group and mediation of the migrants' relationship with the institutions involved in the project. Also, the county volunteer networks were strengthened, working groups were created, training sessions and information and awareness sessions on the phenomenon of migration in the local community were organized.

STATISTICS:

According to the data provided by the General Inspectorate for Immigration, on 29.02.2020, the total number of foreigners in Romania who fall into the main target group was 87,395 migrants. Among them, 3797 people are beneficiaries of a form of protection, refugee or subsidiary protection. In the counties of interest, the situation of foreigners is as follows, most of them increasing compared to the data from 2018 and 2019:

- Bihor - 1687, Arad - 1858, Hunedoara -705



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- **Timiș - 5415, Caraș-Severin - 518, Mehedinți – 376**

INVITATION

For more information, we invite you on **Wednesday, 14.12.2022**, between 15:00 and 17:00, to the closing event of the project that will take place at the **AIDRom Timișoara headquarters**, with the participation of representatives of the local authorities from **Timiș County**, of non-governmental organizations, as well as of representatives of the communities of foreigners in Timișoara.

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