

UNICEF and IOM Support for persons with severe disability

International Organization for Migration (IOM) and UNICEF under agreement with the Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs and Family of the Slovak Republic aim to provide support, Carer's Benefits, to carers of Ukrainian adults and children with a **severe** disability who are living in Slovakia.



Temporary Protection holders who believe that they may be eligible for additional disability support through a Carer's Benefit should indicate this during the registration process with UNHCR.

NO DETERMINATION OF ELIGIBILITY FOR CARER'S BENEFIT WILL BE MADE BY UNHCR.



UNICEF (for children) and IOM (for adults) will conduct an assessment of eligibility for the Carer's Benefit. This assessment will be used to determine whether or not an individual is eligible for a Carer's Benefit.

Not all individuals with disabilities will be eligible for Carer's Benefit Support



UNHCR will **transfer information** on households who are interested in receiving a Carer's Benefit to:

IOM for adults who may be eligible for disability support

UNICEF for children who may be eligible for disability support

UNICEF or IOM will then contact the potential beneficiaries directly within two months to follow up.



Individuals who are assessed for the Carer's Benefit will receive a notification of whether or not they are approved for support. Those who are approved for the Carer's Benefit will receive further information on when and how the support will be provided at the time that they are notified if they are eligible about the determination of their status.

IOM and UNICEF will provide additional information related to the Carer's Benefit in the coming months.