

Institutional Protection

Situation Update: Unaccompanied Minors (UAM) in Greece

Reference Date: 01.11.2025



Key Facts

* 1.839 minors in total out of which:

91% Boys

9% Girls

12,8% <15 years old

1.290 minors in Accommodation Center

194 minors in $\sigma\epsilon$ Semi-Independent Living apartments (SIL)

69 minors in **Emergency Accommodation Facilities**

285 minors in Reception and Identification Centers & Closed Controlled Access Centers of Islands

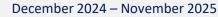
1 minors in Controlled Accommodation Facilities for Asylum Seekers

Number of places

1.745 places in Accommodation Facilities (Accommodation Centers/SIL apartments)
155 places in Emergency Accommodation
Facilities

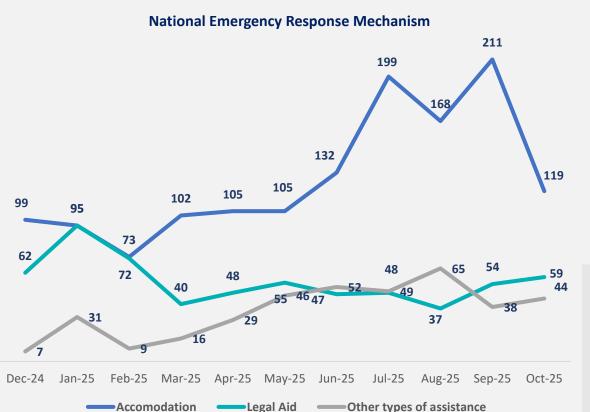
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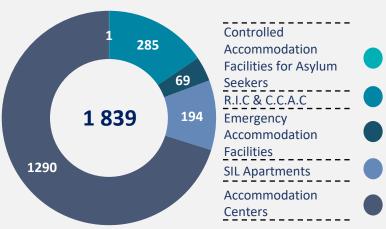






UAM analysis per accommodation type





The National Emergency Response Mechanism for Unaccompanied Minors (UAM) in precarious living conditions launched the telephone line in April 2021. Until today, the Mechanism received 16.224 calls, which concern 11.340 different cases of (UAMs), out of which 8.842 concern accommodation requests, 1.517 legal aid, and 981 other types of assistance. Since 02.03.2022, the line has received referrals for 4 unaccompanied*, 10 orphans (with escorts) directly from an orphanage of Ukraine and 606 separated minors from Ukraine.

*there are cases of unaccompanied minors whose status changes from unaccompanied to separated following their initial referral as well as due to their adulthood



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Number and places of UAM shelters, apartments SIL, emergency accommodation facilities, November 2025





UAM Shelters

-Current: 59 UAM shelters with total 1.507

places

SIL (Supported Independent Living apartments)

-Current: 60 SIL apartments for UAM with total

238 places

Emergency Accommodation facilities

-Current: 4 emergency accommodation facilities

with total 155 places



Epirus:

4 shelters- 120 places

Western Greece:

2 shelters- 53 places

Thessalv:

■ Long-term places

3 shelters-90 places

Available places by type and region

North Aegean:

7 shelters - 183 places
5 SIL apartments- 20 places

Attica:

34 shelters- 781 places

50 SIL apartments- 198 places

■ Temporary places

3 emergency accommodation facilities- 110 places

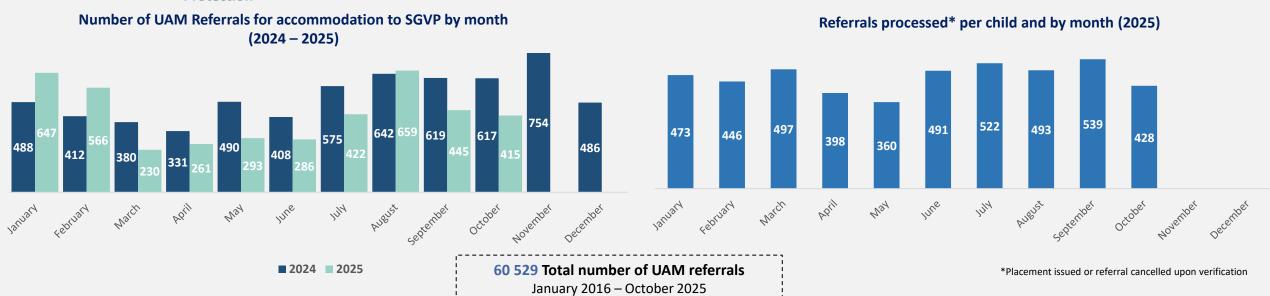




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Estimated UAM population disaggregated by nationality

