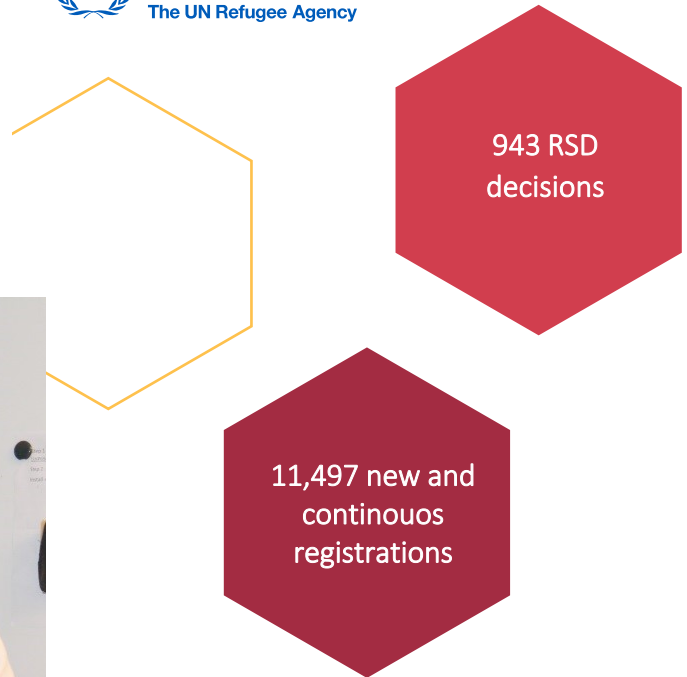




# REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND PROTECTION PROGRAMME FOR NORTH AFRICA (phase VI)

## TUNISIA - KEY RESULTS UP TO MARCH 2024

During the reporting period, UNHCR Tunisia has been observing a monthly increase in asylum requests, which allowed the registration of 11,497 new asylum seekers, exceeding the RDPP annual targets. It is important to note that for certain vulnerable groups, in particular unaccompanied minors, registration is the only proof of existence in the country hence a key protection activity. In parallel, 943 RSD individual decisions were adjudicated.



On counter-trafficking, IOM Tunisia has coordinated and planned with the National Authority Against Trafficking Committee the training plan, the awareness raising sessions, the activities related to the assessment of the perception of trafficking within the migrant communities. A training for 40 Magistrates from the regions in Southern Tunisia along the migration route was organized and held by IOM in collaboration with MOJ and the National Authority against Trafficking. 43 victims of trafficking benefitted from IOM comprehensive case management.

Several meetings of the National Coordination Group on Child Protection - which include key players from Government bodies, CSOs, NGOs as well as UN agencies – were organized. A joint pilot intervention with UNICEF and UNHCR will allow to increase the target of the development of alternative care solutions through foster families and semi-independent living options from 6 to 25 children assisted. The recruitment process of the consultant in charge of developing the assessment of the guardianship model and its adaptation for migrant children was finalized.

