

REINTEGRATION PROGRAMME

Joint Reintegration Services

NIGERIA

About Joint Reintegration Services

The Joint Reintegration Services is at the core of the Frontex Reintegration Programme. It provides for the provision of reintegration assistance to returnees departing on a voluntary or non-voluntary basis from Member States and Schengen Associated Countries to their countries of origin. At the same time, it contributes to an effective return policy in the European Union, ensuring that returns are done in a dignified and humane manner. To implement this assistance, Frontex has concluded a partnership with **IRARA** who cooperates with **COWOYEM** in **NIGERIA** to assure the deliverance of high level of support.



About COWOYEM

IRARA collaborates with Concern for Women and Youth Empowerment (COWOYEM) for the delivery of reintegration services. COWOYEM is focused on community development and delivering sustainable reintegration for returnees to Nigeria. COWOYEM and IRARA assist returnees by providing advice and support for successful and long-term reintegration, tailored to individual's needs.

Range of available services of the Joint Reintegration Services



Post-Arrival assistance

- Airport pick-up or reception at place of arrival
- Temporary accommodation
- In-country travel assistance
- Referrals for urgent medical care
- Special assistance for vulnerable people after arrival
- Cash assistance



Post-Return assistance

- Business start-up assistance
- Long-term housing support
- Social, legal and medical support
- Job placement assistance
- Schooling and language training
- Technical and vocational training
- Cash assistance

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