

## Fact Sheet for ITALY (CISOM)

<p><b>ur core services in Refugee and Migrants' Aid</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• During the rescue operations, our staff has always granted first aid at sea even in adverse weather conditions;</li> <li>• It has prepared the first aid medical treatments, and to administer transfers to the nearest hospital, in case of emergency (MEDEVAC)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Our expertise in Refugee and Migrants' Aid</b></p>	<p>Since 2008, doctors and nurses of the Italian Relief Corp of the Order of Malta have been providing first-class medical assistance on the naval fleets of the Italian Coast Guard, Guardia di Finanza and Italian Navy.</p>
<p><b>National challenges and solutions created with the Order of Malta</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Reinforce respect for the man itself and human rights through health assistance at sea;</li> <li>- Encourage a different and more effective planning of the reception also through a better perception of the phenomenon of migration throughout the population Your local contribution when addressing the most pressing challenges in cooperation with the government/different stakeholders</li> </ul>
<p><b>Best practice</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In the last ten years CISOM doctors and nurses have matured specific training in the field of rescue operations at sea and health emergencies related to migratory flows from Africa, becoming crucial resources to ensure greater safety in the field of aid to migrants.</li> <li>• Moreover, between december 2015 and march 2016 CISOM's medical staff provided assistance in the Aegean sea for the sirian migration flow from Turkey, in cooperation with M.O.A.S. NGO's</li> </ul>
<p><b>Number of refugees</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- No. of migrants assisted by CISOM's Health Team onboard of ICG Patrol Vessels and ships <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o 2015 :37261</li> <li>o 2016 :32158</li> <li>o 2017 :33353</li> <li>o 2018: 1393</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>Number of involved employees &amp; volunteers</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- January 2017 - March 2018</li> <li>- Employees: 129</li> <li>- Volunteers: 67</li> </ul>
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