
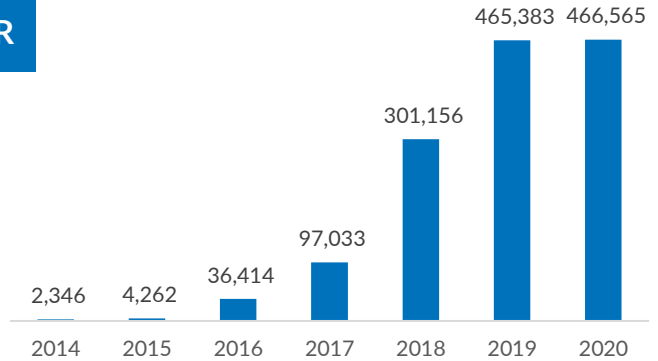


Chile

December 2020

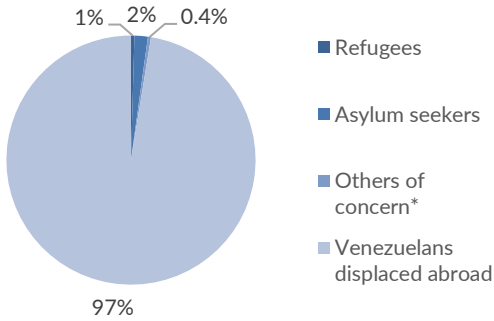
466,565 PERSONS OF CONCERN TO UNHCR

-  2,060 refugees
 -  8,092 asylum seekers
 -  1,866 others of concern*
 -  454,547 Venezuelans displaced abroad (estimated on the basis of total stock figure as of August 2020)
- * Children to foreigners in transit

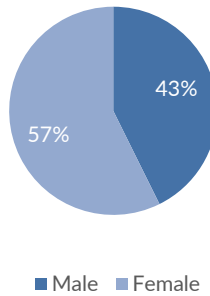


According to information provided by government authorities, as of December 2020 the population of concern to UNHCR in Chile amounted to 466,565 persons. If compared to end-2019, the total population has increased by 0.3% during the year.

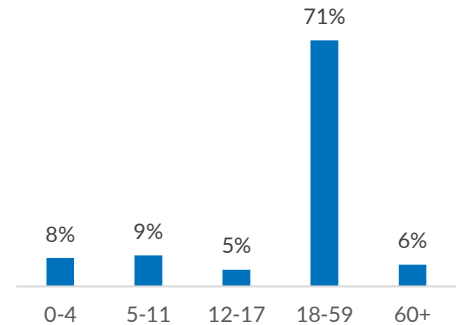
Population of concern (by population group)



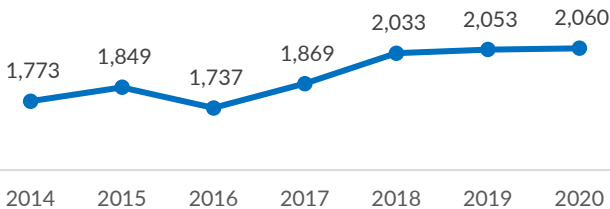
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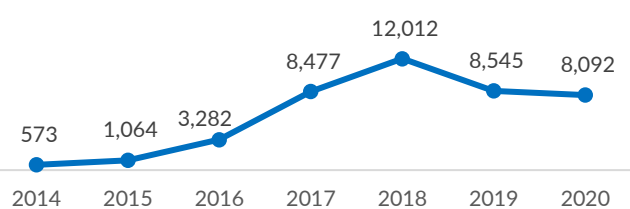
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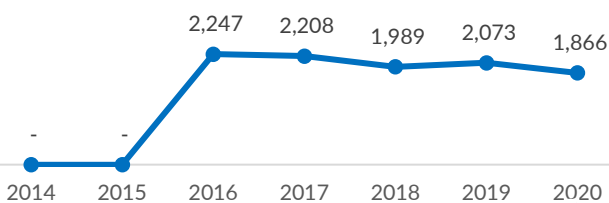
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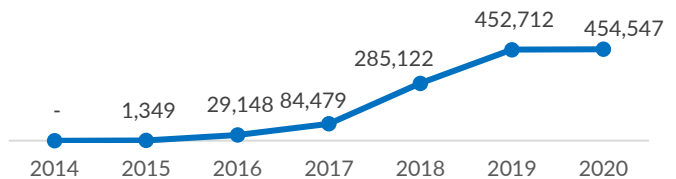
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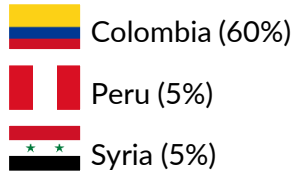
Venezuelans displaced abroad
Population data compiled by UNHCR since 2015



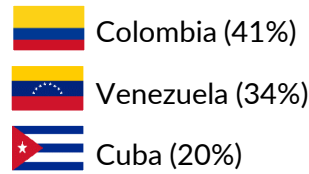
Refugees and asylum seekers in Chile

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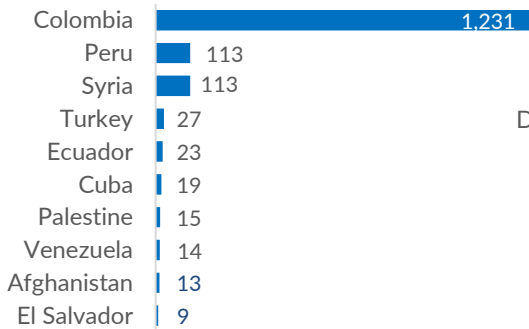
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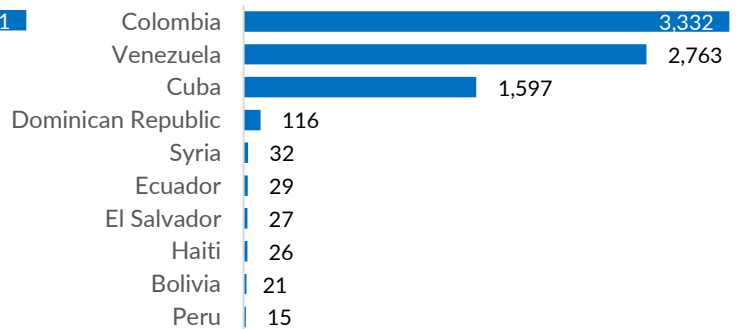
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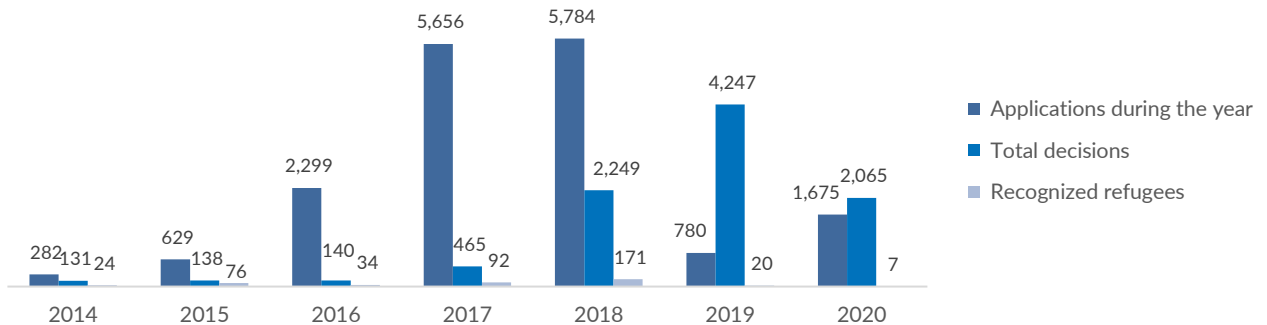
Refugees



Asylum seekers



New asylum applications vs. decisions during the year



Despite the deacceleration in the increase of population, since the border closure measures declared by national authorities, the intensification of socio-economic crisis has increased the population in need of humanitarian support, both population arriving and persons who were already residing in the country that have experienced an escalation in their basic needs.

During 2020, UNHCR and its partner agencies assisted some 38,204 persons of concern in Chile, in the areas of subsistence, documentation, language, legal and social counselling, among others. Compared to 2019, the population reached with assistance increased by 275%.

Assisted population (by age and gender)

