

Situation Update: Unaccompanied Minors (UAM) in Greece

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Key Facts

* 2.562 minors in total out of which:

91% Boys

9% Girls

11,6% <15 years old

prosecutor's order.

1.358 minors in Accommodation Center 206 minors in σε Semi-Independent Living apartments (SIL)

136 minors in **Emergency Accommodation Facilities**

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

208 minors in Controlled Accommodation Facilities for Asylum Seekers

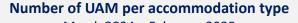
*The number includes 62 separated minors, who are accompanied by an adult who is not their primary legal guardian.
& their care has not been assigned by a

*The number includes 9 minors with 3 caretakers from Ukraine.

Number of places

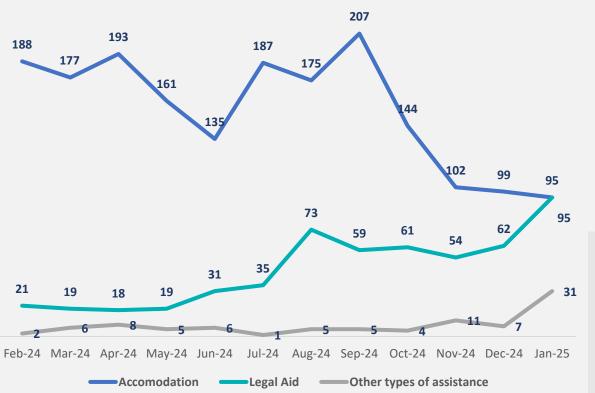
1.775 places in Accommodation Facilities (Accommodation Centers/SIL apartments)
145 places in Emergency Accommodation
Facilities

Figures dynamically change and may be adjusted based on verification by SSPUAM. All figures are based on referrals.

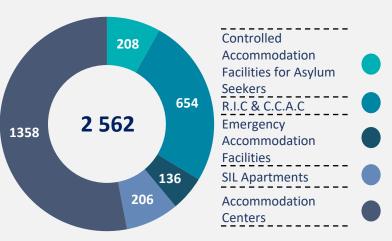




National Emergency Response Mechanism



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 13.988 calls, which concern 10.244 different cases of (UAMs), out of which 8.312 concern accommodation requests, 1.220 legal aid, and 710 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 593 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, February 2025





UAM Shelters

-Current: 60 UAM shelters with total 1.537

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 145 places

East Macedonia and Thrace: **Central Macedonia:** 2 shelters- 51 places 6 shelters- 169 places Western Macedonia:

5 SIL apartments- 20 places 2 shelters- 60 places

Thessalv:

Epirus:

Western Greece:

1 emergency accommodation facility- 50 places

Available capacity by type and region 4 shelters- 120 places



7 shelters - 183 places 5 SIL apartments- 20 places

Attica: 2 shelters- 53 places

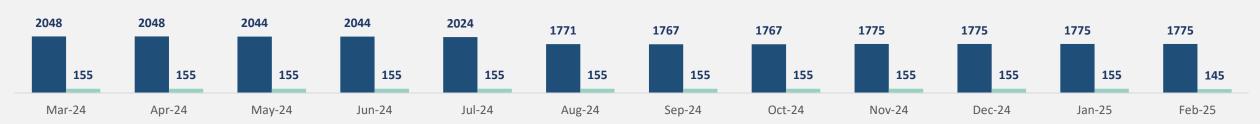
34 shelters-811 places

50 SIL apartments- 198 places

3 emergency accommodation facilities- 95 places

Current Capacity compared to previous months

March 2024 – February 2025





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