



Updates on the IOM Facilitated Voluntary Movements Programme

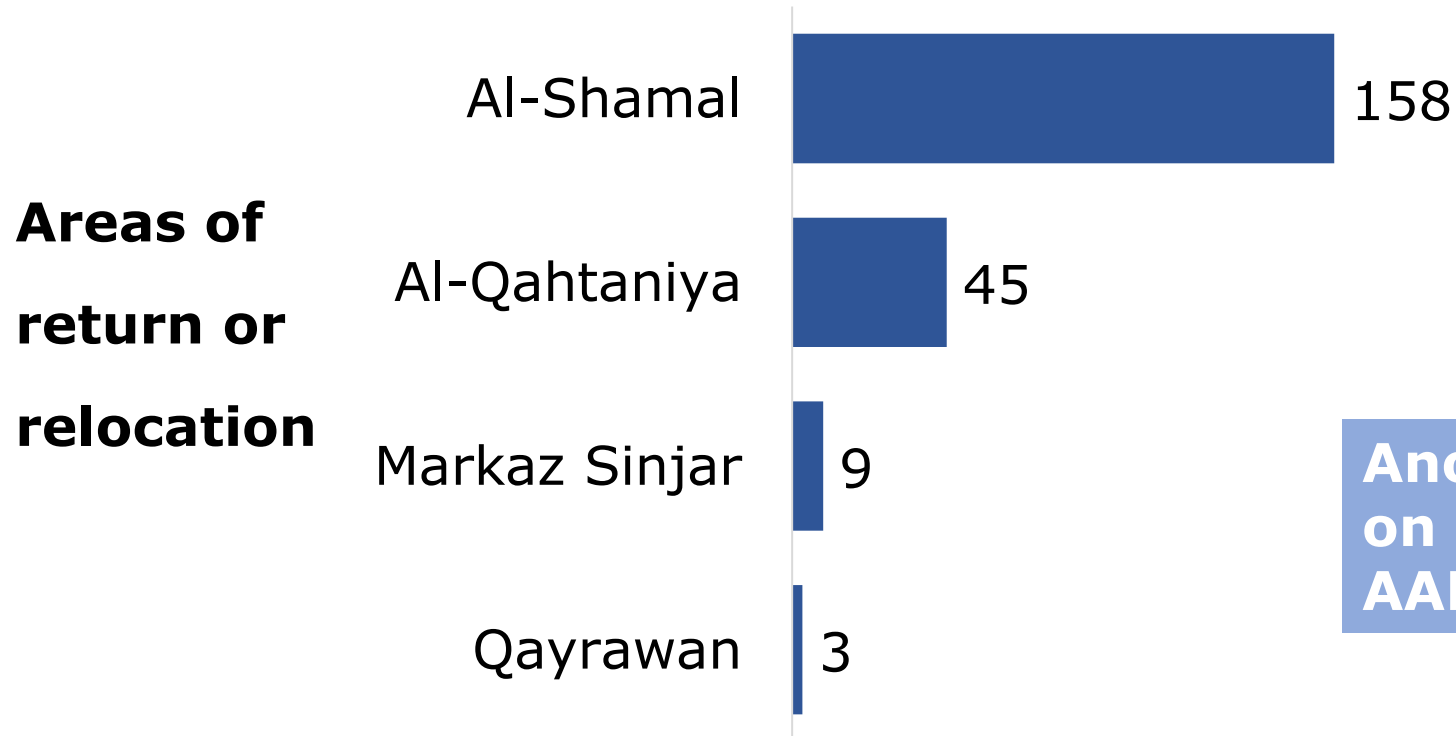
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215 households returned/relocated through IOM FVM programme

1,149 individuals



Another departure is planned on 29 November 2023 from AAF, Anbar.

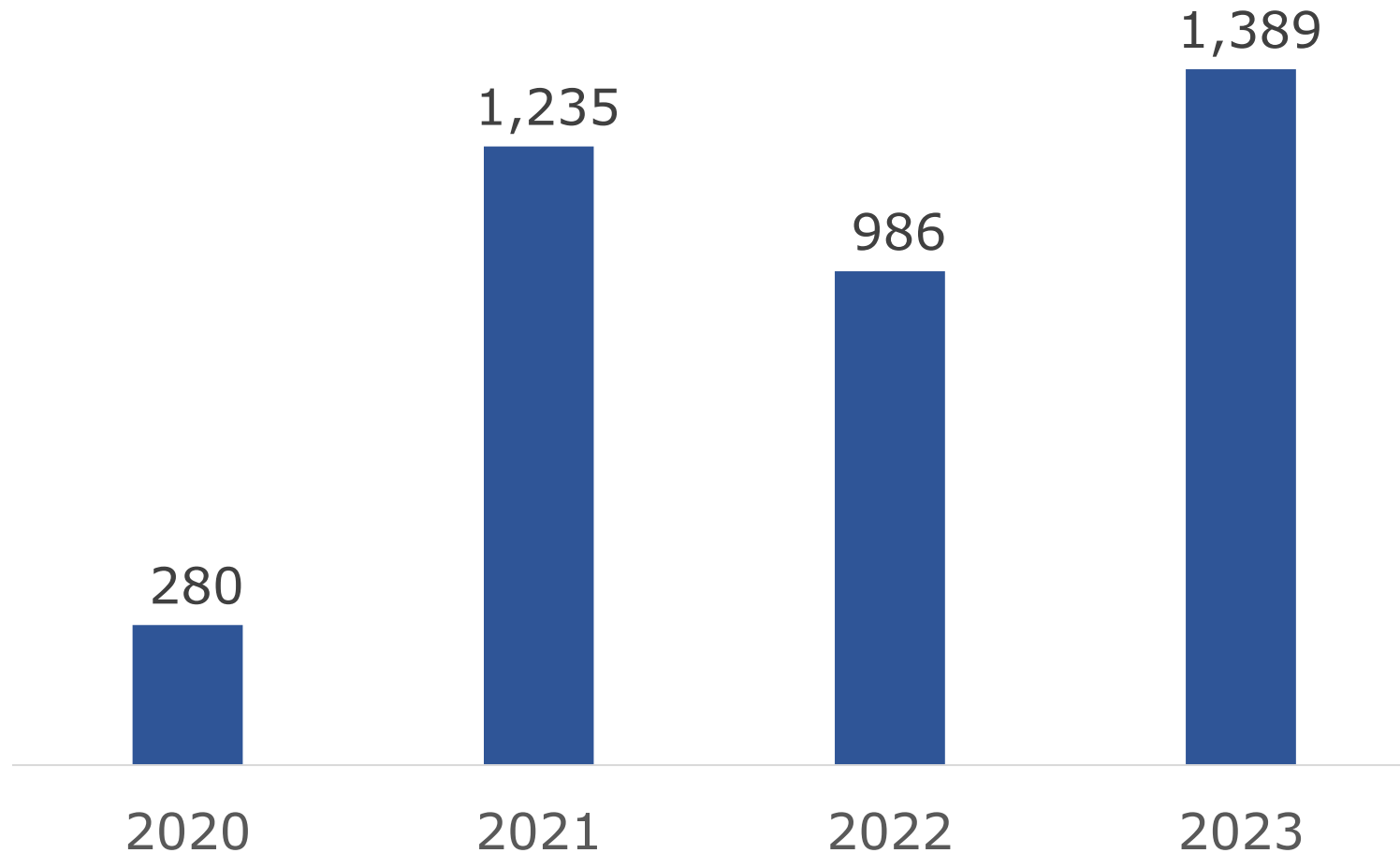
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Main Challenge faced in October-November period

- Time to process the **security clearances** (process taking around a month to be finalized and households' pre-conditions and intentions to return or relocate may be negatively affected).
- Over 200 additional households could benefit in 2023 and supported to go back home or relocating to other locations in Anbar, Salah Al-Din, and Ninewa if security clearances processes were less complex and time effective.

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Yearly departures supported through IOM FVM Programme



Since 2020, IOM has supported the return or relocation of 3,890 households in Iraq through the FVM programme.