



Migrant Workers Resource Centre (MRC) Mapping

As of 1 January 2022

The ILO delivers assistance directly to migrant workers and their communities through a network of Migrant Worker Resource Centres (MRCs) across the ASEAN region. These MRCs are managed in partnership with government institutions, trade unions and civil society organizations (CSOs), and provide a range of services in countries of origin and destination. They are supported through the following projects: ILO-UN Women Safe and Fair, ILO TRIANGLE in ASEAN, and ILO Ship to Shore Rights South East Asia (SEA).

The MRCs work to ensure that workers seeking jobs overseas can get up-to-date information and counselling before making a decision about migrating. Returning migrants can also get information about opportunities for vocational training, employment in their communities or possibilities of re-migrating. Through the MRCs, women and men migrant workers are able to lodge complaints in case where migrant workers' rights have been abused, or they have suffered exploitation as a result of their recruitment or migration experience. Some MRCs have particular provision for migrant women to receive immediate support and be referred to violence against women (VAW) specialized service providers, including health, police/justice, and social services.

TRIANGLE in ASEAN programme has supported the operation of Migrant Worker Resource Centres (MRCs) since 2011 in Cambodia, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Thailand and Viet Nam (and in Myanmar since 2014). The Safe and Fair Programme started supporting MRCs in 2019 in Cambodia, Indonesia, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, and Thailand, with focus on providing services to women migrant workers and their families. The Ship to Shore Rights South East Asia (SEA) programme has been supporting Migrant Worker Resource Centres in Myanmar, Thailand and Viet Nam since 2021.

► ILO MRCs / 1 January 2022

Cambodia

- 1 Prey Veng ▲ ■
- 2 Battambang A
- 4 Kampot ▲
- Siem Reap ▲
- 6 Kampong Thom ▲
- Phnom Penh •
- 8 Kandal •

Indonesia

- Oirebon (West Java) ▲ ■
- 10 East Lampung (Lampung) ▲ • ■
- 1 Blitar (East Java) ▲ ■
- 12 Tulungagung (East Java) ▲ • ■

Lao PDR

- Champassak ▲ •
- 15 Luang Prabang ■

- 16 Savannakhet ■
- Bokeo ■
- 18 Salavan •
- 19 Bolikhamxay A

Malaysia

- 20 Penang •
- 21 Kuala Lumpur/Selangor •
- 22 Klang Valley •
- 23 Perak •
- 24 Johor ■

Myanmar

- 25 Keng Tung (Shan State) •
- 26 Tachilek •
- 27 North Dagon ■
- 28 Chauk
- 29 Chin Shwe Haw
- 30 Kawthaung •
- 31 Bago •
- Myawaddy •

Philippines

- 33 Negros Occidental Province
- 34 Tabaco City ▲

Singapore

Singapore •

Thailand

- 36 Bangkok ■
- Mae Sot ●
- 38 Chiang Mai •
- Songkhla 40 Ranong ■
- **41** Trat ■

- **Provide specific** services (Thailand)
- 42 Chiang Rai (COVID-19 assistance) •
- Chonburi (language) trainings) •
- Rayong (language) trainings) •

- 45 Nonthaburi (psychosocial services and empowerment activities) 🛦
- 46 Surat Thani (psychosocial services and empowerment activities) 🛦

Vietnam

- 47 Bac Ninh ▲
- 48 Ha Tinh ▲
- 49 Phu Tho 🛦
- 50 Quang Ngai 🛦
- 51 Thanh Hoa ▲

