

EMERGE COVID-19 and Gender Questions Migration Process and Quarantine

These questions are for individuals who migrated from their home place to another location for employment or economic opportunity (i.e., economic migrants).

Migration Circumstance

1. What type of work did you migrate for?
 - a. Daily wage construction worker
 - b. Daily wage agricultural worker (pickers)
 - c. Household help
 - d. Daily wage factory worker
 - e. Driver – employed with a family or organization
 - f. Driver – self employed
 - g. Vegetable/Fruit vendor
 - h. Local shopkeeper
 - i. Daily wage tailor/clothing sector
 - j. Tailor/clothing sector – self employed
 - k. Professional employment (employment requiring higher education)
 - l. Do not work, moved with spouse (Skip to Q. 3)
 - m. Other _____

2. Were you regularly working prior to the COVID-19 pandemic?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No

Now I want to ask you about why you returned to home, and what your experiences have been in the process of returning home.

3. Why did you return to your home place? (check all that apply)
 - a. Loss of job/No work available
 - b. Loss of accommodation
 - c. Required by government to leave
 - d. No savings/money to afford current living situation
 - e. Fear of contracting COVID-19
 - f. Family or friends told them to go back for their safety
 - g. Spouse decided to migrate back
 - h. Other

4. Was there a delay before you start your journey? If yes, how long?
 - a. Yes If yes, indicate number of days you could not leave when you wanted to _____
 - b. No

5. Once you were able to leave, how many days did it take you to reach your home place?
 - a. Less than 7 days
 - b. 7-14 days
 - c. 15-21 days
 - d. 22-30 days
 - e. 31-27 days
 - f. Over 40 days

6. What modes of transportation did you use to travel back to your home place? (select all that apply)
 - a. By foot
 - b. Bus
 - c. Train

- d. Airplane
- e. Other

Source: Questions for this survey were made by EMERGE.

Returning Home

1. Upon reaching your home place, were you put into a quarantine facility? By quarantine facility, I mean a designated space for you live isolated from others to reduce the risk of COVID-19 transmission.
 - a. Yes
 - b. No If No, go to Q.5
2. Who ran this quarantine facility?
 - a. The government
 - b. The local community
 - c. A private group or NGO
 - d. Other (please specify _____)
3. For how many days did you have to stay at the quarantine facility? _____ days
4. Were you required to pay for your stay at the quarantine facility?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No
5. At the quarantine facility, how many people were in your room, apart from your family members?
 - a. Only me/family members
 - b. At least 1 other person
 - c. 3-5 people
 - d. More than 5 people
6. What is your current living situation now?
 - a. Voluntary quarantine (stay at home and severely limit contact with people outside of your home and only leave the house for necessities) due to fear of exposure
 - b. Voluntary quarantine due to confirmed/suspected case in household
 - c. Mandated self-isolation/quarantine by medical professional due to confirmed/suspected case (not allowed to go out for any reason including groceries)
 - d. Stay-at-home (or shelter-in-place, or lockdown) order by local government and/or employer urging people to stay home (e.g., can still take walks and socialize outdoors while maintaining social distancing)
 - e. In transit, towards my home place
 - f. In my home, no COVID-19 related restrictions in place
 - g. None of the above

Source: Adapted from - Fisher, P.W., Desai, P., Klotz, J., Turner, J.B., Reyes-Portillo, J.A., Ghisolfi, I., Canino, G., and Duarte, C.S. (2020) COVID-19 Experiences (COVEX).

Current Circumstances (regardless of whether the migrant is in transit, in quarantine or returned home)

1. Currently, what are your most important needs that are not met?
 - a. Cash
 - b. Food/Nutrition
 - c. Employment
 - d. Healthcare
 - e. WASH
 - f. Fuel/Electricity
 - g. Education
 - h. Shelter Support
 - i. Psychosocial Support
 - j. Information counselling
 - k. Other

Source: Adapted from - OECD (2017). Affected People and Field Staff Survey – Iraq. Retrieved from: [https://www.oecd.org/dac/conflict-fragility-resilience/docs/OECD_Iraq_Affected_people_and_staff_survey_\(October%202017\).pdf](https://www.oecd.org/dac/conflict-fragility-resilience/docs/OECD_Iraq_Affected_people_and_staff_survey_(October%202017).pdf)

2. Have you or anyone in your household received financial support or other assistance from any of the following to help you and your family deal with financial hardships due to the COVID-19 pandemic?
 - a. Government support in the form of direct monetary payment
 - b. Government support in the form of food or other resources
 - c. Government support in the form of gloves, masks, sanitizer etc. or other supplies to help you keep safe from infection
 - d. Government support in the form of personal hygiene supplies (menstrual supplies, baby diapers, etc.)
 - e. Charity from NGOs, either money or resources including food and clothing
 - f. Charity from International Organizations, either money or resources including food and clothing
 - g. Charity from Religious Organizations or Groups
 - h. Borrowing money or charity from friends or family
 - i. Other (please specify)

Source: Adapted from - The World Bank COVID-19 Core Questionnaire

COVID-19 Testing and Treatment for Migrants

1. Many migrants receive COVID testing and health care in the process of returning home, or once they returned home. Can you let us know which of the following applies to you?-- Tested, results of test, treatment, other health care

	Prior to	Journey	Quarantine	Currently/At Home
			(if applicable)	
Did someone check your temperature to test for fever?	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No
Were you tested for COVID-19?	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No
If yes, indicate date of the Test (dd/mm/year)				
If Yes, indicate Test Result	a. Positive b. Negative	a. Positive b. Negative	a. Positive b. Negative	a. Positive b. Negative
If No, skip to next section.				

Now I want to ask you about what happened after you tested positive.

2. Were you placed in an isolated area to prevent you from infecting other (i.e., in quarantine)?
 - a. Yes, in a facility
 - b. Yes, at home
 - c. No
3. Were you provided any medical treatment for your COVID-19?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No If no, go to the next section
4. Do you feel you got the health care you needed for your COVID-19 infection?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No

Access to Services/Resources and Treatment of Migrants During the Journey and Upon Returning Home

Migrants face a number of stressors, in terms of access to hygiene, economic insecurity, food insecurity, stigmatization as a migrant, and mistreatment. I would like to ask you about these at each point in your migratory process.

	Prior to	Journey	Quarantine (if applicable)	Currently/At Home
Health and Sanitation				
1. Did you have access to soap and water every day?	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No
2. If you had your menstrual period during the time, what did you use to collect or absorb your menstrual blood? (DHS 2019)	a. Reusable sanitary pads b. Disposable sanitary pads c. Tampons d. Menstrual cup e. Cloth f. Toilet paper g. Cotton wool h. Underwear only i. Other (specify) j. Nothing	a. Reusable sanitary pads b. Disposable sanitary pads c. Tampons d. Menstrual cup e. Cloth f. Toilet paper g. Cotton wool h. Underwear only i. Other (specify) j. Nothing	a. Reusable sanitary pads b. Disposable sanitary pads c. Tampons d. Menstrual cup e. Cloth f. Toilet paper g. Cotton wool h. Underwear only i. Other (specify) j. Nothing	a. Reusable sanitary pads b. Disposable sanitary pads c. Tampons d. Menstrual cup e. Cloth f. Toilet paper g. Cotton wool h. Underwear only i. Other (specify) j. Nothing
3. Did you get any access to contraceptives such as condoms, birth control pills?	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No
Economic Insecurity				
4. Did you have some cash with you every day?	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No
Food Insecurity				
5. Did you have a minimum of 2 meals every day?	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No
6. Did you have drinking water every day?	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No
Stigmatization vs Respect				
7. Were you treated with respect by the people you encountered? (OECD 2017)	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No
8. Did people avoid you or stay away from you for fear that you might have COVID?	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No
Mistreatment or Abuse				
9. Has anyone ever hit, slapped, kicked, or done anything else to hurt you physically during this time? (IIPS, 2017)	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No
If Yes, who?	a. Employer/Someone at work b. Police c. Soldier d. Priest/Religious leader e. NGO/Aid worker f. Government employee providing services or resources g. Stranger h. Friend or Acquaintance i. Spouse j. Family member k. Other (please specify_____)	a. Employer/Someone at work b. Police c. Soldier d. Priest/Religious leader e. NGO/Aid worker f. Government employee providing services or resources g. Stranger h. Friend or Acquaintance i. Spouse j. Family member k. Other (please specify_____)	a. Employer/Someone at work b. Police c. Soldier d. Priest/Religious leader e. NGO/Aid worker f. Government employee providing services or resources g. Stranger h. Friend or Acquaintance i. Spouse j. Family member k. Other (please specify_____)	a. Employer/Someone at work b. Police c. Soldier d. Priest/Religious leader e. NGO/Aid worker f. Government employee providing services or resources g. Stranger h. Friend or Acquaintance i. Spouse j. Family member k. Other (please specify_____)

10. Has anyone ever forced you in any way to have sexual intercourse or perform any other sexual acts when you did not want to? (IIPS, 2017)	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No	a. Yes b. No
If Yes, who?	a. Employer/Someone at work b. Police c. Soldier d. Priest/Religious leader e. NGO/Aid worker f. Government employee providing services or resources g. Stranger h. Friend or Acquaintance i. Spouse j. Family member k. Other (please specify_____)	a. Employer/Someone at work b. Police c. Soldier d. Priest/Religious leader e. NGO/Aid worker f. Government employee providing services or resources g. Stranger h. Friend or Acquaintance i. Spouse j. Family member k. Other (please specify_____)	a. Employer/Someone at work b. Police c. Soldier d. Priest/Religious leader e. NGO/Aid worker f. Government employee providing services or resources g. Stranger h. Friend or Acquaintance i. Spouse j. Family member k. Other (please specify_____)	a. Employer/Someone at work b. Police c. Soldier d. Priest/Religious leader e. NGO/Aid worker f. Government employee providing services or resources g. Stranger h. Friend or Acquaintance i. Spouse j. Family member k. Other (please specify_____)
11. If they said yes to any of the above (9-10), ask: From whom have you sought help in the past 12 months? Anyone else? (Select all that apply)	a. Own family b. Husband/Partner's family c. Current or former husband/partner d. Friend or Acquaintance e. Religious leader f. Doctor/Medical personnel g. Police h. Lawyer i. NGO/Aid worker j. Other_____	a. Own family b. Husband/Partner's family c. Current or former husband/partner d. Friend or Acquaintance e. Religious leader f. Doctor/Medical personnel g. Police h. Lawyer i. NGO/Aid worker j. Other_____	a. Own family b. Husband/Partner's family c. Current or former husband/partner d. Friend or Acquaintance e. Religious Leader f. Doctor/Medical personnel g. Police h. Lawyer i. NGO/Aid worker j. Other_____	a. Own family b. Husband/Partner's family c. Current or former husband/partner d. Friend or Acquaintance e. Religious leader f. Doctor/Medical personnel g. Police h. Lawyer i. NGO/Aid worker j. Other_____

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