Introduction to MHub and the Migrant Footprints Database

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The North Africa Mixed Migration Hub (MHub) will provide an overview of MHub, its research activities and introduce a new information sharing tool: "The Migrant Footprints Database". The database serves as a communication and analytical tool for those working in the field of migration. It brings together information from various levels and sources on to one platform to provide a comprehensive picture of mixed migration flows to, through and from North Africa. The Cairo-based MHub serves as a knowledge hub and secretariat for the North Africa Mixed Migration Task Force, comprising of the Danish Refugee Council (DRC), the International Organization for Migration (IOM), the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR), the Regional Mixed Migration Secretariat (RMMS), Save the Children, the UN High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) and the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC). The Task Force promotes a human rights-based approach to ensuring the protection of people moving in mixed and complex flows to, through and from North Africa.