



Achieving Protection at Sea

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- Catalyse and support action to



2015 Follow-up to High Commissioner's Dialogue

1. Search, rescue and disembarkation

a. Various regional initiatives:

- Central Mediterranean Sea Initiative (<http://www.unhcr.org/531990199.html>)
- Sana'a Declaration (<http://www.refworld.org/docid/530483644.html>)
- Jakarta Declaration (<http://www.refworld.org/docid/530db94f4.html>)
- Caribbean (Brazil Declaration <http://www.refworld.org/docid/5487065b4.html>)

- b. Development and dissemination of *Rescue at Sea: Guide to Principles and Practice as Applied to Refugees and Migrants (January 2015)* (<http://www.refworld.org/docid/54b365554.html>)

2. Expanded Partnerships

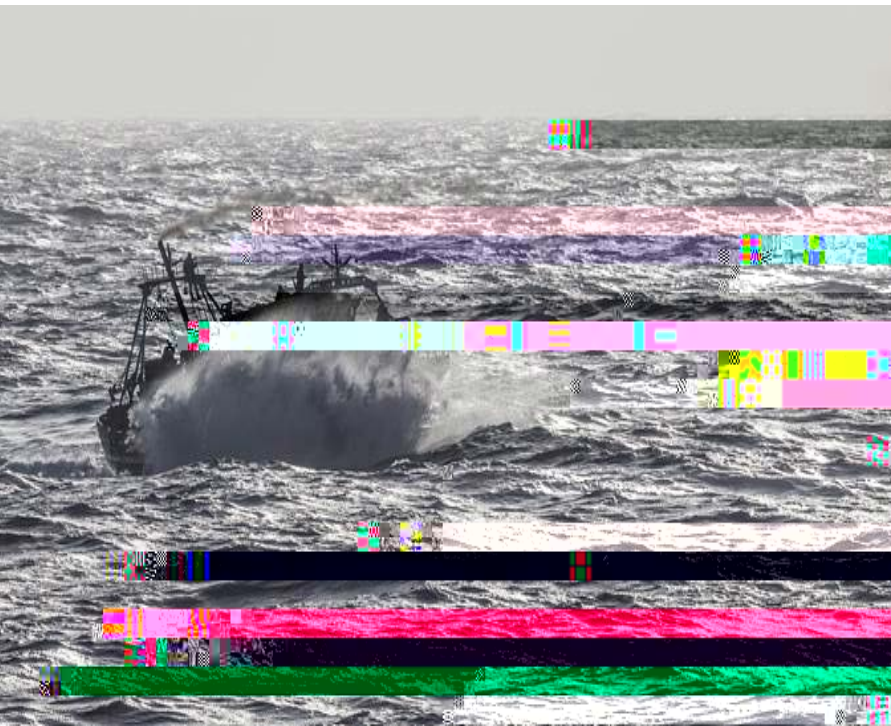
- Collaborate and foster dialogue between **shipping industry** and relevant parties



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3. Improve data on movements

- UNHCR's Maritime Movement Monitoring Unit in South-East Asia
- RMMS (www.regionalmms.org/) and MMTFs for coordination



4. Improve post-disembarkation reception and treatment

- E.g. Mobile Response Teams

5. Strengthen engagement in migration-related initiatives

- Migrants in Countries in Crisis

6. Alternative pathways

- Humanitarian admission, community based private sponsorships, medical evacuation, humanitarian visas, admission of relatives, academic scholarships, labour mobility schemes, etc.



Key documents

Selected Reference Materials:

- UNHCR, Rescue at Sea, Stowaways and Maritime Interception: Selected Reference Materials December 2011, 2nd Edition, <http://www.refworld.org/docid/4ee087492.html>
- UNHCR, Refugee Protection and Mixed Migration: The Port Plan in Action February 2011, <http://www.refworld.org/docid/4d9430ea2.html>
- UNHCR, Refugees and Asylum Seekers in Distress at Sea: How best to respond? Summary Conclusions ('Djibouti Conclusions'), 5 December 2011, <http://www.refworld.org/docid/4ede0d392.html>