

2 nd Open Call - Normal Projects	
Project code	ROHU-183
Project title	SAFEBOR SAFE BORDER, SAFER LIFE
Priority axis	6 – Promoting cross-border cooperation between institutions and citizen (Cooperation of institutions and communities)
Investment priority	11/b, Promoting legal and administrative cooperation and cooperation between citizens and institutions (Cooperation for institutions)
Implementation period	21 months (1 st of December 2018 – 31 st of August 2020)
Objective	The main objective of the project SAFE BORDER, SAFER LIFE was to improve the cross-border cooperation of the institutions from the Romania-Hungary border area in the field of migration management. By intensifying cross-border cooperation, the 4 institutions, Prefecture of Bihor County, Hajdú-Bihar County Police, Regional Border Police Oradea and Bihor County Police improved their administrative capacity in terms of migration management.
Partnership	Lead Beneficiary: Prefecture of Bihor County (Romania)
	Project Partners: PP2: Hajdú-Bihar County Police (Hungary) PP3: Regional Border Police Oradea (Romania) PP4: Bihor County Police (Romania)
TOTAL Budget	€ 287,904.85, out of which, ERDF € 244,719.12 Total eligible expenditure certified within the project: € 279,028.99 Budget execution: 96.91 %
Summary	The project ROHU-183 aimed to intensify the cooperation between the 4 institutions by enhancing their administrative capacity regarding prevention of cross border criminality and illegal migration.



	<p>The main activities implemented within the project:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • renovation, modernization and endowment with equipment of an Information Point on migration at the location of the Prefecture of Bihor County (Romania), • renewal and endowment with equipment of a conference room at the premises of Hajdú-Bihar County Police (Hungary), used for cross-border meetings between the four institutions involved in the project, professional conferences and training sessions of police officers on themes of migration and cross-border crime prevention, • purchase of specific equipment on behalf of Regional Border Police Oradea (Romania), used for the practical training modules of police officers: passports readers, thermal and night vision cameras, • renovation and endowment with equipment of a shooting range that belongs to Bihor County Police (Romania), a facility to be used for joint practical training in Bihor county, • training sessions for police workers on border management, on behalf of the Lead Beneficiary and Project Partner no. 2 <p><i>On August 31, 2020, the project was successfully finalized. All activities provided in the project were completed (100%).</i></p> <p>The Programme Output Indicator is „11/b1 Number of institutions directly involved in cross border cooperation initiatives”. In project ROHU-183, 4 institutions were directly involved in cross-border cooperation activities.</p> <p>The collaboration of the 4 institutions improved the way of reacting to and approaching the problems and challenges in the field of migration. The institutions benefited from better-trained police officers, exchange of experience and information and proper infrastructure for training.</p>
<p>Main results</p>	<p>The project's main results are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 2 fully renovated and equipped facilities, out of which: 1 Information-Point on migration in Oradea (Romania) and 1 conference room at the location of Hajdú-Bihar County Police



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in **Debrecen** (Hungary), used for the theoretical trainings of police officers and for sharing best practices together;

- **acquisition of specific equipment for the border police officers** in Oradea and a **refurbished shooting range** for training activities of all police officers in the region;
- **6 training modules on migration management** issues, offered for Romanian and Hungarian police officers;
- **1 report entitled “Diagnosis on migration in Bihor-Hajdu-Bihar region”**, offering an accurate image of the impact and dimension of migration that occurs in the region, as a consequence of the free movement of people in the European Union and from outside the EU;
- **promotional materials**, used for disseminating the information regarding migration to all the interested institutions and stakeholders.

Website/webpage:

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