Module 7: Mass Arrival

Objectives
- Identify some of the key protection concerns that arise in situations of mass arrival as opposed to individual arrival;
- Identify who is responsible for protecting refugees in this situation and develop views on how these actors should work together.

Characteristics of mass arrival
- Large numbers;
- Rapid rate of arrival;
- Inadequate capacity in host state;
- Lack of asylum procedures;
- Tensions running high.
Protection principles in mass arrival

- Principle of *non-refoulement* applies;
- A shared responsibility;
- Group-based determination at the outset based on *prima facie*;
- All protection standards apply.

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Role play

Mass arrival of refugees in Boringia

- Chakamaka
- Boringia City
- Refugees
- IDPs
- Red Cross society
- NGOs
- ICRC