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“This is a pilot project to develop and test the database in some branches of the MoMD; this will allow us to further review and adapt the system and consider expanding it in the future.”

*Zaza Matikashvili, Database Specialist and Software Developer*

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## IOM Iraq makes headway in the Ministry of Migration and Displacement's information management system

Following a first workshop held in August 2015, IOM Iraq's EU-funded HIJRA AMINA Programme gathered a smaller group of the Ministry of Migration and Displacement's (MoMD) IT specialists for a four-day technical consultation from 23 to 26 of November in Erbil to further discuss the development of the migration information management system.

The consultation focused on software development, which aims to enhance the current data collection system of the MoMD in terms of accuracy and management of beneficiaries' data. The software will be installed as a pilot initiative in three locations — Erbil, Baghdad and Basra — with the main server hosted in the MoMD headquarters in Baghdad.



“The consultation fully met my expectations as it gave us the opportunity to hold detailed discussions on our processes and on how a tailored database would facilitate our operations. I very much look forward to participating in future trainings on how to manage the system.”

**Safaa Hussein Mahmoud, Statistics Section, MoMD**



“This high-level consultation enabled us to identify and correct gaps and build a more reliable information management system.”

**Ali Abdulghaffar Kadhim Almuslih, Dept. of Information and Research, MoMD**



“This consultation is the ideal platform for face-to-face interaction between technicians in order to find the most suitable software that will support the MoMD to manage the beneficiaries’ assistance programme.”

**Firas Talal Ahmed,  
Dept. of Information  
and Research, MoMD**

The consultation was practical and hands-on, relying on a live demonstration of the system developed by an IOM expert, thus enabling the MoMD IT specialists to provide feedback and also to take part in developing a tailored system that responds to the specific data requirements of the MoMD.

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