



Returning to Ethiopia

Information Leaflet

WHAT ASSISTANCE CAN BE PROVIDED?

Pre-Departure Information:

- Returning individuals whilst in the UK can contact IRARA to discuss reintegration options in Ethiopia.

Assistance on Arrival:

- Meet & Greet at the airport.
- Accommodation for up to five nights.
- Onward transportation to an address in-country.
- Care / hygiene packs.
- Covid-19 testing (if required).
- Cash assistance to meet immediate needs.

In-Country Support:

- Assistance with tracing and reuniting with family.
- Support with in-country documentation.
- Signposting to local services.
- Support with accessing local health services.
- Mental wellbeing and counselling (if required).

Economic assistance:

- Support with accessing the job market.
- Support with setting up a business.
- Support with accessing vocational training or further education.
- Access to an Education and Entrepreneurship Fund.
- Assistance with legal migration opportunities.

Contact information in Ethiopia:

-  **PAD:** PAD Yeka Sub-City Woreda, 11, House No 2392, Around Wesen Area, Addis Ababa **PAD opening hours:** Mon to Fri 9am to 5pm
-  **Email:** reintegration@irara.org
-  **Tel:** +251 116166261 or +251 953100220
-  **IRARA in the UK (24hrs):**
-  **Tel:** +44 (0)1433 627 247
-  **Email:** reintegration@irara.org

Who can get Support?

If you are an Ethiopian national and have been returned to Ethiopia or will be returned from the United Kingdom, IRARA can help you rebuild your life in Ethiopia.

This support is available for up to 18 months following your return to Ethiopia.



How to access support?

If you are currently in the UK, contact the UK IRARA office using the details below.

If you have already returned to Ethiopia, please contact the IRARA representative in Addis using the details below.

About the Programme:

The Home Office Reintegration Programme assists the return and reintegration of those who have no legal right to remain in the United Kingdom.

The programme offers a wide range of services, providing assistance on arrival and longer-term support for persons returning to Ethiopia.

About IRARA & PAD

IRARA collaborates with Positive Action for Development (PAD) for the delivery of the Home Office Reintegration Programme in Ethiopia. PAD strives to deliver social justice, improve the livelihoods of citizens and drive social and economic growth across Ethiopia. Together IRARA and PAD provide expert and long-term reintegration support tailored to individual's needs.



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