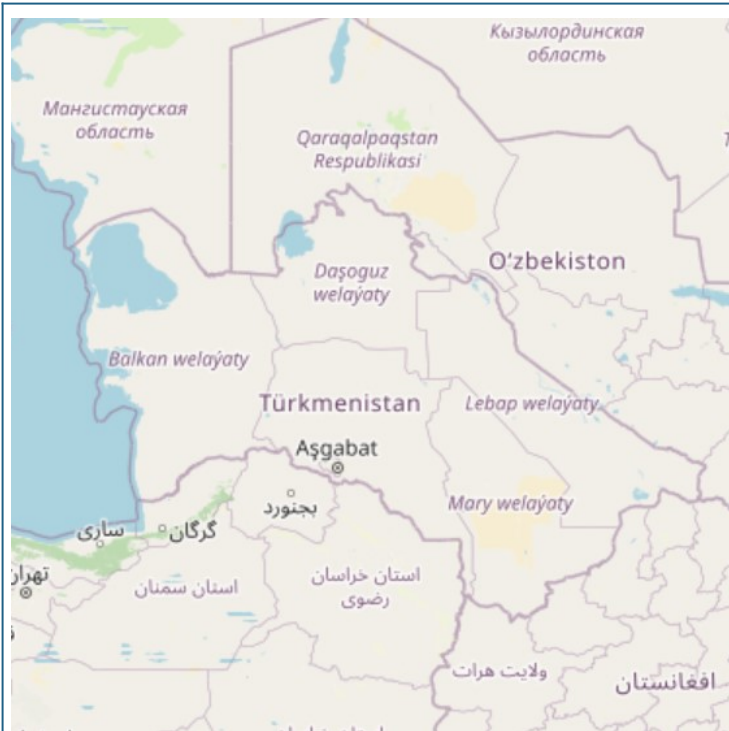


# Turkmenistan Immigration Detention Data Profile



## Quick Facts

<b>Immigration detainees (2019)</b>	Not Available
<b>Detained minors (2017)</b>	Not Available
<b>International migrants (2019)</b>	195,127

## NOTES ON USING THIS PROFILE

- Sources for the data provided in this report are available online at: <https://www.globaldetentionproject.org/countries/asia-pacific/turkmenistan>
- "Observation Dates" indicate the timeframe statistical data correspond to or other data were last validated. More than one statistical entry for a year indicates contrasting reports.

## STATISTICS

### Detention, expulsion, and incarceration statistics

		Observation Date			Observation Date
Total number of immigration detainees by year	Not Available	2019	Total number of detained minors	Not Available	2017
Criminal prison population	30,568	2013	Percentage of foreign prisoners	0.7	2006
	10,953	2006			
	13,462	2005			
	22,000	2000			
	18,000	1997			
Prison population rate (per 100,000 of national population)	583	2013			
	224	2006			
	280	2005			
	489	2000			
	400	1997			

### Demographics and immigration-related statistics

		Observation Date			Observation Date	
Population	6,000,000	2020	International migrants	195,127	2019	
	5,374,000	2015			196,400	2015
International migrants as a percentage of the population	3.7	2015	Refugees	21	2019	
					22	2018
					23	2017
					26	2016
					27	2015
Ratio of refugees per 1000 inhabitants	0.01	2014	Stateless persons	4,714	2018	
					3,851	2017
					5,744	2016
					7,144	2015

## DOMESTIC LAW

### LEGAL TRADITION

Legal tradition	Name	Observation Date
	Civil law	2017

## INTERNATIONAL LAW

Relevant international treaties and date of ratification			
International treaties	Name	Ratification Year	
	VCCR, Vienna Convention on Consular Relations	1996	
	ICERD, International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination	1994	
	ICESCR, International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights	1997	
	ICCPR, International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights	1997	
	CEDAW, Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women	1997	
	CAT, Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment	1999	
	CRC, Convention on the Rights of the Child	1993	
	CRPD, Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities	2008	
	CRSR, Geneva Convention Relating to the Status of Refugees	1998	
	CRSSP, Convention Relating to the Status of Stateless Persons	2011	
	CTOCTP, Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children	2005	
	CTOCSP, Protocol against the Smuggling of Migrants by Land, Sea and Air, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime	2005	
Ratio of relevant international treaties ratified	12/19		
Relevant international treaties and date of ratification			
Individual complaints procedure	Name	Acceptance Year	
	ICCPR, First Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, 1966	1997	
	CEDAW, Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, 1999	2009	
	CRPD, Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities	2010	
Relevant international treaties and date of ratification			
Ratio of complaints procedures accepted	Number	Observation Date	
	3/7	2017	
Relevant international treaties and date of ratification			
Relevant recommendations issued by treaty bodies	Name	Recommendation Excerpt	Recommendation Year
	Committee against Torture	34. The Committee recommends that the State party adopt the following measures in order to ensure that the prohibition against refoulement is respected in practice: [...]; (b) Ensure that asylum seekers, including detainees, have access to independent, qualified and free legal advice and representation, that their protection needs are duly recognized and that refoulement is prevented; (c) Establish a system for collecting and providing the following data to the Committee and other relevant observers, for the period from 2012 to the present: [...]; (iii) The number of foreigners detained in detention facilities; [...]	2017

**Non treaty-based international human rights mechanisms**

Relevant recommendations of the UN Universal Periodic Review	Recomendation Issued	Year Issued	Observation Date
	No	2009	2017
	No	2013	2017

**INSTITUTIONAL INDICATORS**

More information about immigration detention in Turkmenistan is available at the website of the Global Detention Project ([www.globaldetentionproject.org](http://www.globaldetentionproject.org))

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