

Meeting minutes 01.07.14

SGBV Sub-Working Group UNHCR BO Amman, Jordan EMPOS Room



Agencies present:

AWO, UNHCR, UNFPA, IMC, Waqe3, WFP, UN Women, UNICEF, UNWRA, IRC, SC Jordan, UPP, NEF, ActionAid, OXFAM GB, IFH/NHF, IATF/GenCap.

Agenda

- Updates from TF, FP, FSWG
- Review of briefing note
- Follow up on Safe Spaces
- AoB

Agenda item	Discussion	Action point	Responsible Agency
Updates from TF, FP, FSWG	ITS: Government evictions undertaken in the South. 1300 Refugees taken care of in Azraq camp by UNHCR and partners. All the refugees were registered over the weekend and underwent protection interviews. Individuals with specific needs such as UASC, Women at risk or people with disabilities have been provided with	Monitor the situation and discuss with the government prevention of protection risks related to ITS	UNHCR

	<p>special services by different agencies such as IRC, IMC and HI.</p> <p>Zaatari FWG: Safety Audit. The last safety audit in Zaatari was conducted in September 2013. A TF has been set up to speed up the process. The safety audit is based on the refugee's perception and sectors engagement on safety and security issues.</p> <p>Azraq: the SGBV focal point for wash is discussing with the sector on the best solution to improve the latrines set up after the recent discussions with the refugees on this matter</p> <p>GBVIMS: The ISP has been endorsed and signed by UNHCR, UNFPA, UNICEF, IRC, IMC, NHF and JRF. UNHCR and UNFPA are coordinating agencies, while UNHCR is compiling agency. UNICEF provides technical support. The rest of agencies are gathering organizations along with UNHCR. An isolated module of GBVIMS has been created in RAIS (Refugee Assistance Information System) to improve security and confidentiality of the data and functionality of the system. Information sharing should start in July.</p> <p>Gender Equality and Humanitarian Action training will start in August. The SGBV SWG is looking for new focal points.</p>	<p>Meeting with Wash sector</p> <p>Bilateral meetings have been scheduled by UNHCR with all the gathering organizations to ensure that technical requirements are in place and potential doubts by relevant staff solved.</p> <p>Candidates interested should submit their applications to the SGBV SWG chairs and</p>	<p>SGBV Focal point for Wash sector</p> <p>UNHCR, UNFPA & GBVIMS gathering organizations</p> <p>Interested SGBV SWG members</p>
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Review of briefing note	<p>“SGBV: Syrian refugees in Jordan”. Agreement among all was that the briefing note would be reviewed every 3 months, the time for the first update has come. The frame that has been produced for the will be maintained, but with some updates. The SGBV SWG broke into three groups to review each section of the briefing note.</p> <p>3 sections: background / response / Advocacy point</p> <p><u>Background</u>: little changes necessary. More data + disaggregated data. Need of more detailed info (i.e. in/off camp). Disclosure and stigma: provide examples? Need of updates on opening of Azraq.</p> <p><u>Response</u>: main suggestion is to add one area of response dedicated to advocacy. Example of the Round table and its strong advocacy aspects. Need to provide more practical examples, together with ethical guidance.</p> <p><u>Advocacy point</u>: focus on disabilities, PWDs are more vulnerable to SGBV. Types of risks they are exposed to, and suggestions about what can be done.</p>	Input to be compiled and shared with all by UNHCR and UNFPA	UNHCR, UNFPA
Follow up on Safe Space	Input from last SWG meeting to be shared with all. Mapping still in process, to be available by the next meeting.	UNHCR & UNFPA to compile comments from last SWG. Mapping to be finished and uploaded on Activity Info.	UNHCR & UNFPA

<p>AoB</p>	<p>Upcoming protection meeting in Azraq: IMC suggests having a single group (combining both CP and SGBV), so the group will be stronger and miscommunication avoided. At the moment the Protection WG discussing CP and SGBV matters.</p> <p>Amani Campaign: launched, in all the governorates and camps. Some activities have already started.</p>	<p>Discussions to be undertaken by the protection organizations working in Azraq</p> <p>Calendar of events to be shared with all members for their participation</p>	<p>Protection Agencies in Azraq camp</p> <p>UNHCR & UNFPA</p>
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