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Inter-Sector Coordination Group Meeting

October 8, 2024

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Opening Remarks

LRP Co-Chairs

Agenda

1. **Flash Appeal and Response Overview**

2. **Needs Monitoring**

3. **Partner Reporting**
   - Daily Reporting for Emergency
   - Monthly Regular Activities
   - Financial Reporting

4. **Conflict Sensitivity**

5. **AoB**

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Flash Appeal and Response Overview

Kasper Engborg, Head of Coordination and LRP Co-Chair (OCHA)

Flash Appeal and Response Overview

Impact (as of 7 October 2024)

SITUATION OVERVIEW

Displacement and Casualties

608,509 **Displaced***

52% females

**according to IOM DTM Round 51 - 07 October 2024.*

Based on the 2006 experience, where only 25% of IDPs were in collective shelters, Lebanese authorities estimate the total number of **Internally Displaced Persons** is over **1 million**

Collective Shelters**

978 out of which 775 are full.
The ongoing registration now includes more than **180.7K** Internally Displaced Persons

*** according to DRM shelter monitoring dashboard - 07 Oct*

Casualties

9,869 **Injured** according to MoPH as of 03 October 2024

7,177 Between 17 Sep-07 Oct.

2,083 **Fatalities** according to MoPH as of 03 October 2024

1,151 Between 17 Sep-07 Oct.

77 **Health care workers** killed***

Civilian Infrastructure

26 **Water Facilities**

damaged impacting nearly 344K residents in Lebanon.

98 **Health Facilities**

96 Primary Health Centers and dispensaries and 2 hospitals closed across the country.

Flash Appeal and Response Overview

Launched on 1 October

1 Million
People in Need

1 Million
People Targeted

$ 425.7 M
Required (USD)
40%

Basic Assistance	1M	1M	47M
Education	0.3M	0.3M	15.4M
Emergency Telecommunications	-	-	0.2M
Food Security and Agriculture	1M	1M	131M
Health	1M	0.4M	40M
Nutrition	0.3M	0.2M	7.9M
Protection	1M	0.4M	20M
Protection (Child Protection)	0.4M	0.2M	13.7M
Protection (GBV)	0.3M	0.1M	8M
Shelter	1M	0.7M	44.5M
Site Management and Coordination	1M	0.2M	8.4M
Social Stability	1M	1M	28M
WaSH	1M	1M	38.4M
Livelihoods	0.4M	0.1M	11.2M
Logistics	-	-	10.08M
Coordinationa and Common Services	-	-	1.3M

Flash Appeal and Response Overview

Strategic Objectives

Provide timely life-saving multi-sectoral assistance to people affected by the escalation of hostilities

- **Delivering essential assistance (including multi-purpose cash):** Shelter, Food Security, Emergency Livelihoods/Income support, Health and Nutrition, WASH and Education to people affected by the conflict.
- Scale up Logistics and ETC to enable an efficient and effective response and ensure accountable response.

Promote the protection of civilians and civilian infrastructure

- **Promote the protection, prevention and mitigation of physical harm to civilians and civilian infrastructure:** through protection monitoring, specialized protection services, explosive ordnance risk education, and victim assistance.
- Strengthen AAP, PSEA and GBV

Support the rapid delivery and resumption of essential services in areas affected by the escalation in hostilities

- **Support, complement and fill gaps in the delivery of essential services:**
  - Delivery of critical supplies.
  - Repairs to restore life-saving and life-sustaining services.
  - Health care and mental health WASH, Education and Protection.
  - ETC and Logistics.

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Needs Monitoring

Assessment & Analysis Working Group (OCHA and REACH)

Needs Monitoring

Emergency Assessments

Assessments list related to the Emergency – Extract from the LASER Microsoft Power BI:
https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1UOzMxE9d7tDeswPHNZotOcbCRB4yW2qYGC-CbCrO6-k/edit?gid=0#gid=0

E-RNA – Managed by UNHCR
Emergency RNA Monitoring Dashboard View (arcgis.com)
https://experience.arcgis.com/experience/2238358cf597442987579559f0d10fb8/page/Page/?views=3W
Username: LBN_view
Password: LBNview321

Site Monitoring Tool – Managed by IOM
https://app.powerbi.com/view?r=eyJrIjoiNWM3YTJkNzgtODRjMC00ZTMwLWI1ZmEtMTAwY2ViOTVhNDg5IiwidCI6IjE1ODgyNjJkLTIzZmItNDNiNC1iZDZlLWJjZTQ5YzhlNjE4NiIsImMiOjh9

Displacement Impact Rapid Needs Assessment (Outside collective shelters)
Access to Essential Services Outside Collective Shelter and Primary Needs Snapshot

Displacement Impact and Rapid Needs Assessment (DIRNA)

Access to Essential Services Outside Collective Shelter and Primary Needs Snapshot

Oct 2024

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Objectives

Objective : *The general objective of DIRNA is to generate a comprehensive* ***cadastral snapshots of the impact of the ongoing conflict on access to essential services and to identify the priority needs of internally displaced persons (IDPs) and host community in areas of arrival outside of collective sites***

Specific Objectives:

Service availability + access

- Assess access basic services, including shelter, essential goods, water, health services, education, electricity, and internet.
- Identify barriers limiting access to services for both displaced households and host communities.

Priority Needs:

- Understand the priority needs of both populations, focusing on critical sectors such as food, WASH, health, education, livelihoods, and protection.
- Identify and refer individuals seeking collective shelters, ensuring they receive immediate assistance.
- Document reasons for refusal of shelter options to understand barriers and improve future responses.

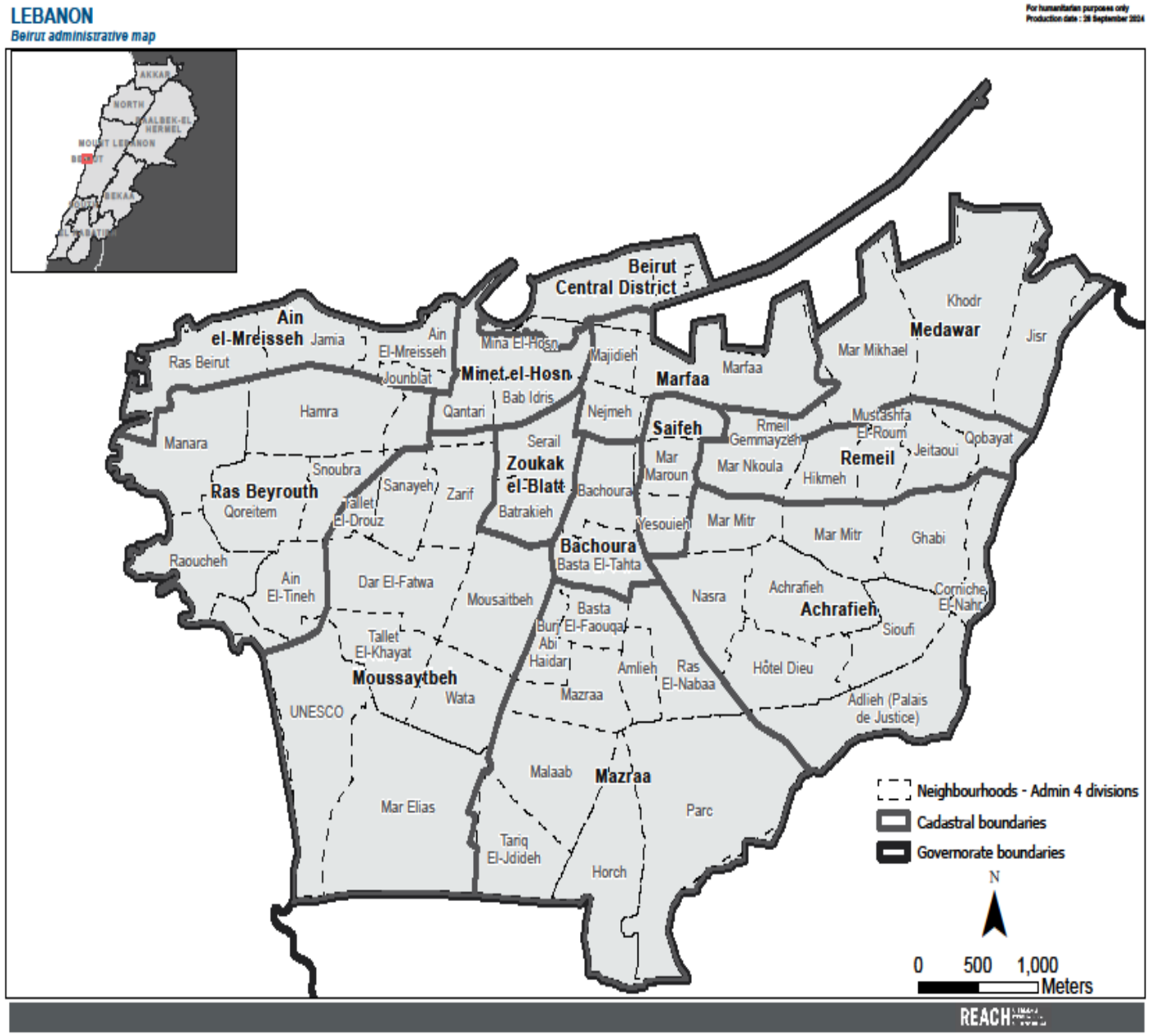
Coverage

The coverage will focus on **both host and displaced populations outside of the government collective sites including hosted, renting and self-settled individuals from all population groups in areas of arrivals.** The identification of the target cadastres will be from the DTM and the self-settled sites tracker

Pilot Geographic Coverage:

•In Beirut district across the 12 highest-influx cadastres.

•Data collection will focus on KIIs IDPs outside collective shelters, hosts, and service providers in these cadastres.



DIRNA Core Group

- **Suggested and Formed** on October 6th
- **Core Group Members:** UNHCR, WFP, UNICEF, UNOCHA, WHO and IOM
- **Frequency of meetings:** Weekly
  - First meeting Monday 7 Discussion of Tool and Methodology
  - Second meeting Wednesday 9 Finalization of tool and discussion on support and roles
  - Third meeting to be scheduled on Wednesday
  - **Ongoing:** Continuous coordination with Core Group and partners for data sharing, validation, and reporting.

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Timeline of DIRNA

General	
Training of trainers	4th Oct
Phase 1	
Pilot in Beirut: 12 Cadasters	11 Oct
Data collection start	11 Oct
Data collection end	14 Oct
Data cleaning and analysis	15 Oct
Dashboard/HTML output	17 Oct

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Partner Reporting

IM Working Group Co-chairs (OCHA & UNHCR)

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Emergency Response

Raffi Kouzoudjian, Information Management Officer (UNHCR)

Reporting for Emergency:

Emergency Tools

1. **LRP Regular Sectors Reporting form (Emergency Tag)**
2. **Collective Sites – Emergency Daily Interventions Tracking Tool**
3. **Contingency Stocks Reporting Form**
4. **Collective Shelters List**

Reporting for Emergency (1)

LRP Regular Sectors Reporting form (Emergency Tag)

LRP Sectors Reporting Form:

- The primary form for reporting and publicly sharing figures (e.g., Sitreps, Flash updates, appeals).

Guidance for Emergency Response Reporting:

- Partners are advised on reporting activities related to the **Emergency Response**.

Streamlined Reporting Process:

- Emergency activities are integrated into **regular sector reporting forms** on **Activity Info**.
- Avoids creating a parallel reporting system.

Using the "Emergency Tag":

- Each form on Activity Info now includes an **"Emergency Tag"**.
- **Tick "YES"** to report activities linked to the Emergency Response.

Lebanon Information Hub (unhcr.org)

Reporting for Emergency (2)

Collective Sites – Emergency Daily Interventions Tracking Tool

Request from National Emergency Operation Room:

- Monitor response and daily distribution of items by agencies at the site level.

Development of Tool:

- The IM Working Group has created the "**Collective Sites - Daily Interventions Tracking Tool**" on Activity Info.

Purpose of the Tool:

- Designed to capture daily interventions by partners supporting IDPs in Collective Shelters.
- Form focuses on critical and lifesaving items, as requested by DRM.

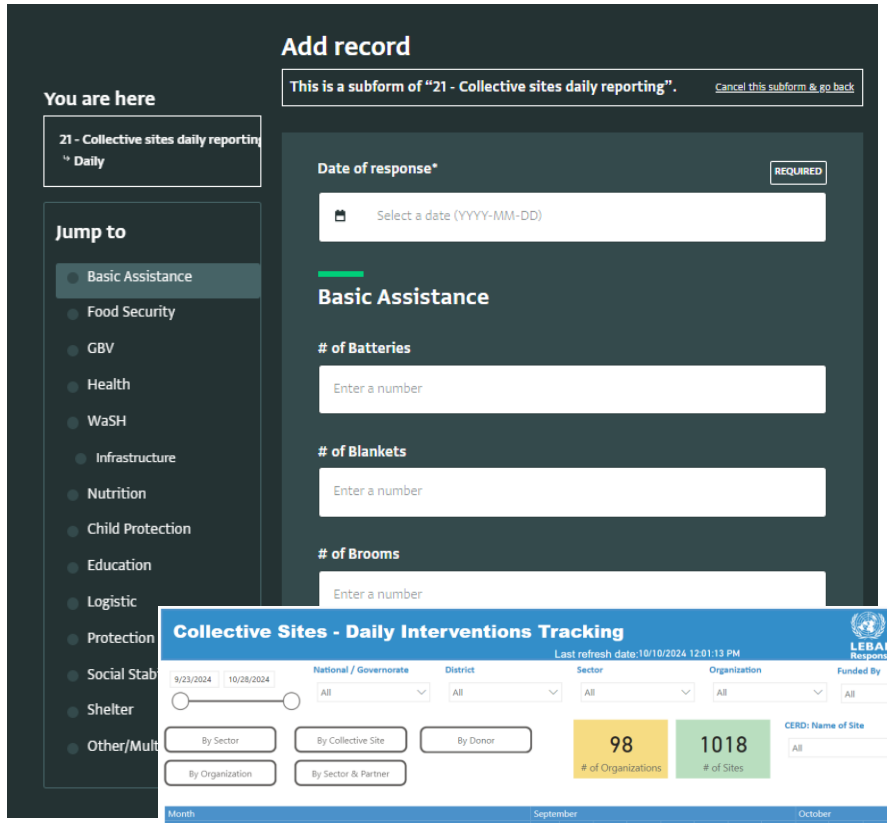
Integration with DRM Database:

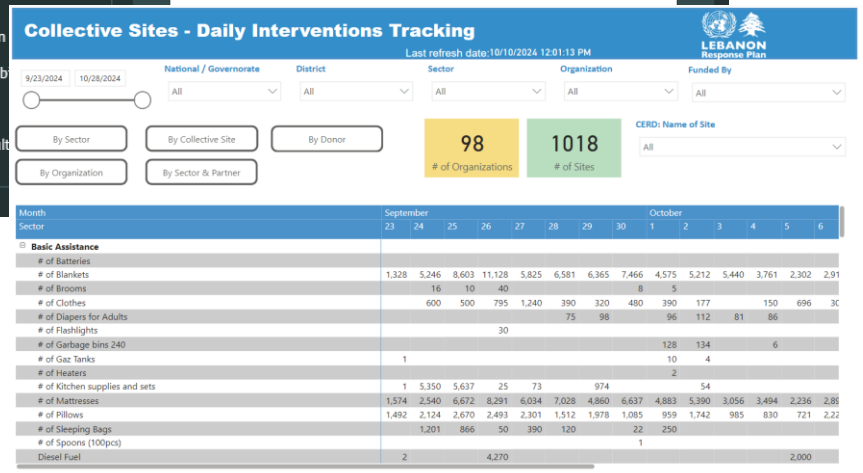
- Data from the tool is shared with DRM team.

Access to the Tool:

- Access granted to all Activity Info users for 2024.
- Additional access can be promptly provided by sector IMs to new partners or users.

[Emergency Response Tools (unhcr.org)](#)





Month	September								October					
Sector	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	1	2	3	4	5	6
Basic Assistance														
# of Batteries														
# of Blankets	1,328	5,246	8,603	11,128	5,825	6,581	6,365	7,466	4,575	5,212	5,440	3,761	2,302	2,91
# of Brooms		16	10	40				8	5					
# of Clothes		600	500	795	1,240	390	320	480	390	177		150	696	30
# of Diapers for Adults						75	98		96	112	81	86		
# of Flashlights				30										
# of Garbage bins 240									128	134		6		
# of Gaz Tanks	1								10	4				
# of Heaters									2					
# of Kitchen supplies and sets	1	5,350	5,637	25	73		974			54				
# of Mattresses	1,574	2,540	6,672	8,291	6,034	7,028	4,860	6,637	4,883	5,390	3,056	3,494	2,236	2,89
# of Pillows	1,492	2,124	2,670	2,493	2,301	1,512	1,978	1,085	959	1,742	985	830	721	2,22
# of Sleeping Bags		1,201	866	50	390	120		22	250					
# of Spoons (100pcs)								1						
Diesel Fuel	2			4,270									2,000	

Reporting for Emergency (3)

Contingency Stocks Reporting Form

- The Contingency & Preparedness database is available under Activity Info: The data collected is related to Stocks at Governorate Level of the available items under different sectors "Shelter, Wash, NFI, Food, …".

- The database must be updated by partners and UN Agency focal point. Warehouse Locations information also need to be updated.

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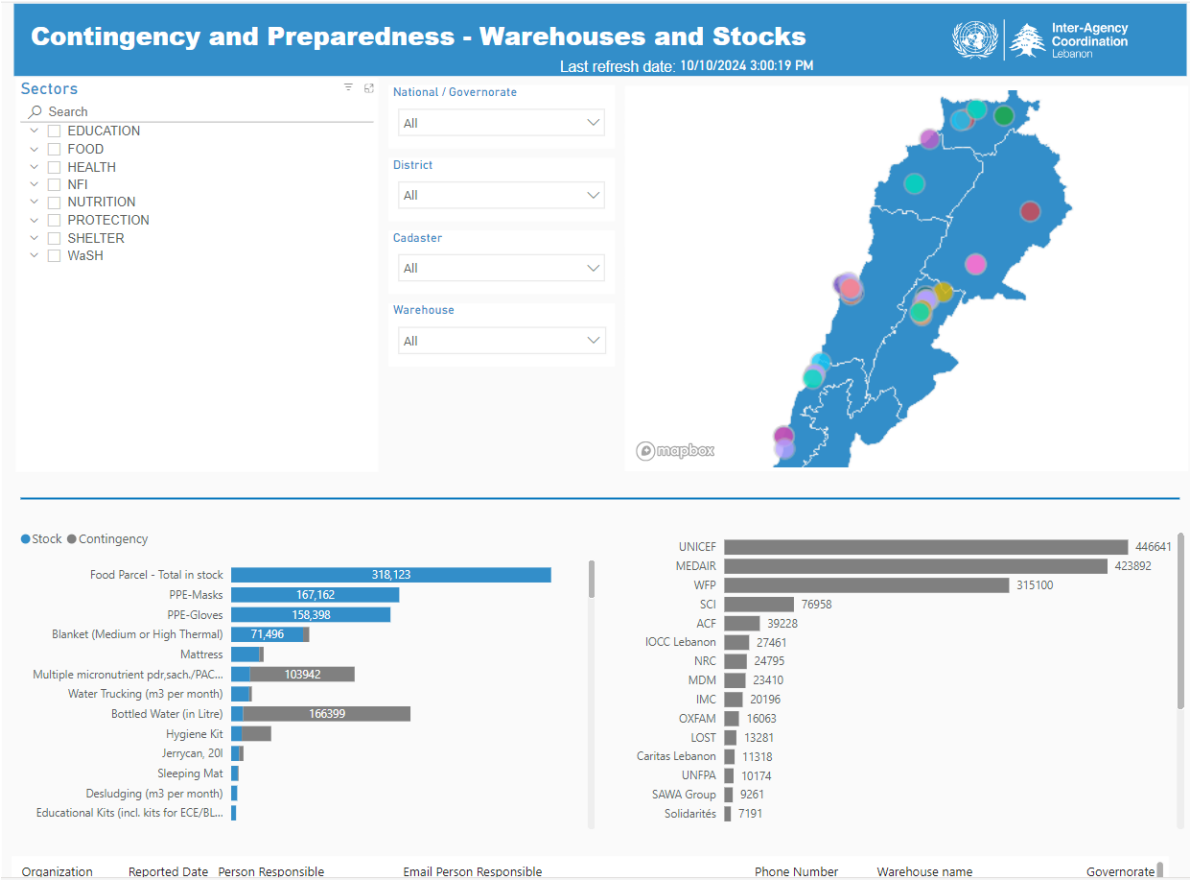

Reporting for Emergency (4)

Collective Shelters List

Downloadable and regularly updated to ensure all partners have access to the most updated information.

B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Source	Pcode	ACS_CODE	CERD	Site name arabic	Site name English	Governorate	Governorate_A	District	District_Ar	Cadaster
DRR	10110_001	10110	49	مدرسة العلامة صبحي الصالح المتوسطة المختلطة	Allama Subhi Al-Saleh Mixed Middle School	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Aain el-Mraisse foncièr
Other	10110_002	10110	7099	الجالية الاميركية	American community	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Aain el-Mraisse foncièr
Other	10110_003	10110	7101	انترناشونال كولدج	International College	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Aain el-Mraisse foncièr
DRR	10110_004	10110		RODAN HOTEL	RODAN HOTEL	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Aain el-Mraisse foncière
DRR	10150_001	10150	50	الشيخ جابر الاحمد الصباح الرسمية-راس بيروت	Sheikh Jaber Al-Ahmad Al-Sabah Al-Rasima - Ras Beirut	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
DRR	10150_002	10150	52	ثانوية زاهية قدورة الرسمية المختلطة	Zahya Kaddoura for Girls Secondary Public School (Ras Byrout)	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
Other	10150_003	10150	1528	ثانوية شكيب أرسلان الرسمية	El Amir Shakib Irslan Mixed Secondary Public school	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
DRR	10150_004	10150	31	ثانوية رأس بيروت الرسمية المختلطة	Ras Beirut Public Mixed Secondary School	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
DRR	10150_005	10150	1525	الامير شكيب ارسلان المتوسطة المختلطة (سابقا فردان الرسمية)	El Amir Shakib Irslan Mixed Intermediate (Verdan)	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
Other	10150_006	10150	7107	اللبنانية العامة	Lebanese General	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
Other	10150_007	10150	7111	الثانويه الانجيلية الوطنية	National Evangelical High School	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
Other	10150_008	10150	7112	ثانوية السيدة الارثوذكسية	Our Lady Orthodox High School	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
Other	10150_009	10150	7114	الهدى	El Houda	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
Other	10150_010	10150	7119	الثانوية الانجيلية الفرنسية	French Evangelical High School	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
Other	10150_011	10150	7126	الليسيه الفرنسية اللبنانية ـ فردان	French Lebanese Lycee - Verdun	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
Other	10150_012	10150	7127	الثانوية الدولية الحديثة	Modern International High School	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
Other	10150_013	10150	8543	مدرسة و روضة الاطفال الالمانيتين الدوليتين	German International School and Kindergarten	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
Other	10150_014	10150	8592	دار الحمرا الحديثة	Modern Hamra House	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
Other	10150_015	10150	8640	مدرسة دان دولي	Dan International School	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
DRR	10150_016	10150		Hayat Tower	Hayat Tower	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
DRR	10150_017	10150		ABC tower	ABC tower	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
DRR	10150_018	10150		بناية عزمي	Azmi Building	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
DRR	10150_019	10150		نادي النجمة	Star Club	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
DRR	10150_020	10150		Residance plaza	Residence plaza	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
DRR	10150_021	10150		كنيسة السيدة الارثوذوكسية	Our Lady Orthodox Church	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
DRR	10150_022	10150		بناية بفرلي	Beverly Building	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
DRR	10150_023	10150		مدرسة بسكال	Pascal School	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
DRR	10150_024	10150		اوتيل كورال	Coral Hotel	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
DRR	10150_025	10150		berkly hotel	berkly hotel	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Ras Beyrouth foncière
DRR	10210_001	10210	54	مدرسة رمل الظريف الرسمية	Raml El Zarif Mixed Public School	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Msaitbe foncière
DRR	10210_002	10210	41	مدرسة إبتهاج قدورة المتوسطة الرسمية المختلطة	Ibtihaj Qaddoura Mixed Intermediate	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Msaitbe foncière
DRR	10210_003	10210	1533	مدرسة عمر فاخوري الإبتدائية الرسمية المختلطة	Amr Fakhoury Mixed Elementary Public School	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Msaitbe foncière
DRR	10210_004	10210	21	مدرسة وطى المصيطبة الرسمية (البنات سابقا)	Wata Al Mousaitbeh Mixed Public School	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Msaitbe foncière
Field	10210_005	10210	57	ثانوية الدكتور حسن صعب المختلطة	Hasan Saab Mixed Secondary Public School	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Msaitbe foncière
DRR	10210_006	10210	60	ثانوية الدكتورة أملاء كرامة ملاك	Raml El Zawdanieh for Girls Secondary School	Beirut	بيروت	Beirut	بيروت	Msaitbe foncière

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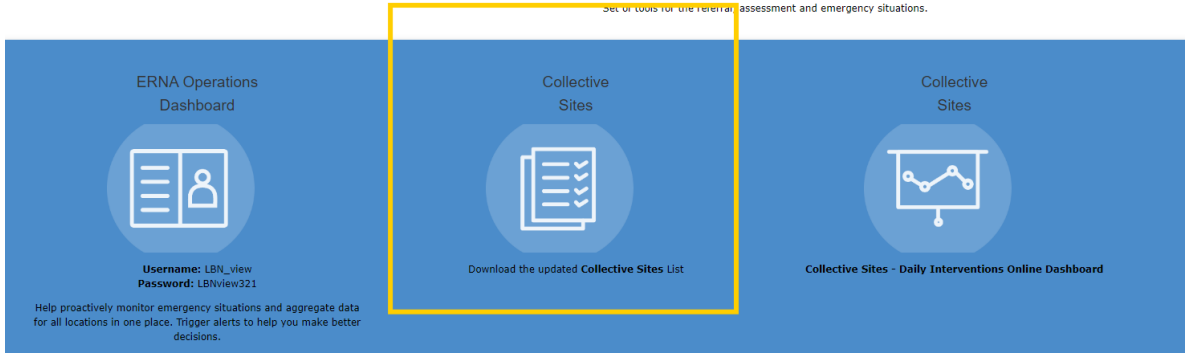

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Monthly Regular Activities

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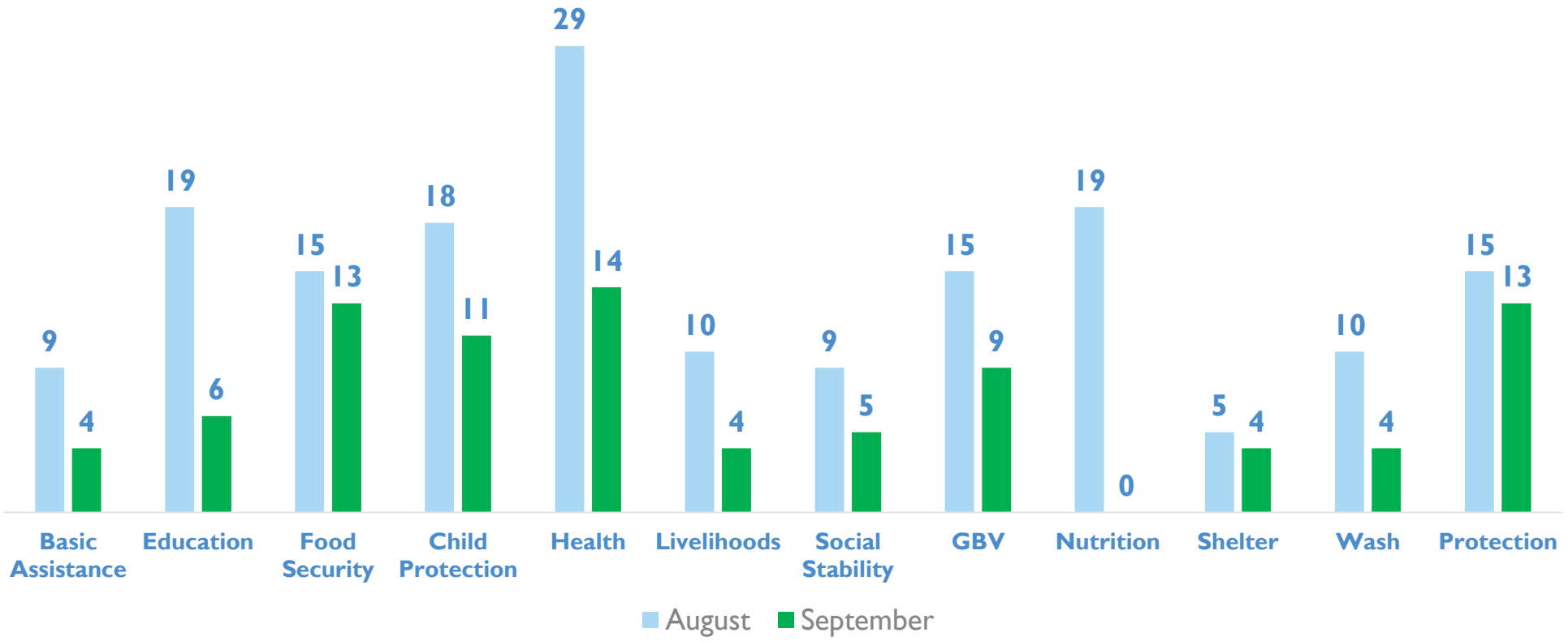
Monthly Regular Activities

LRP Sectors Monthly Reporting

Average 50 % decrease in partner reporting in September

Number of Partners Reporting per Sector



Monthly Regular Activities

LRP Sectors Monthly Reporting

- The regular activities should continue active and reported under all sectors.
- Partners should report the data of the **previous month** under the sector indicators on the **8th** of the current month.
- The previous month's data will be locked on the **15th** of the current month.
- Sector coordinators develop sector dashboards, donor briefings, assessments, and gap analyses using data provided by partners.

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Financial Reporting

Rony Gedeon, Development Coordination Officer (RCO)

Lebanon Aid Tracking: including funding under the Flash Appeal

Coordinated Approach for Aid Tracking

- Lebanon Aid Tracking (Joint tool for transparency, visibility, and planning).
- Flash Appeal (Escalation Response).
- Lebanon Aid Tracking linking to OCHA-FTS.
- Frequency for reporting and donor verification.
- Timely reporting is critical in emergency context.

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Conflict Sensitvity

Nisreen Jaafar, Conflict Sensitivity and Mainstreaming Officer (UNDP)

TENSIONS MONITORING SYSTEM
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Overview:
Tensions & Conflict Sensitivity

Tensions & Conflict Sensitivity

Current Tensions Landscape

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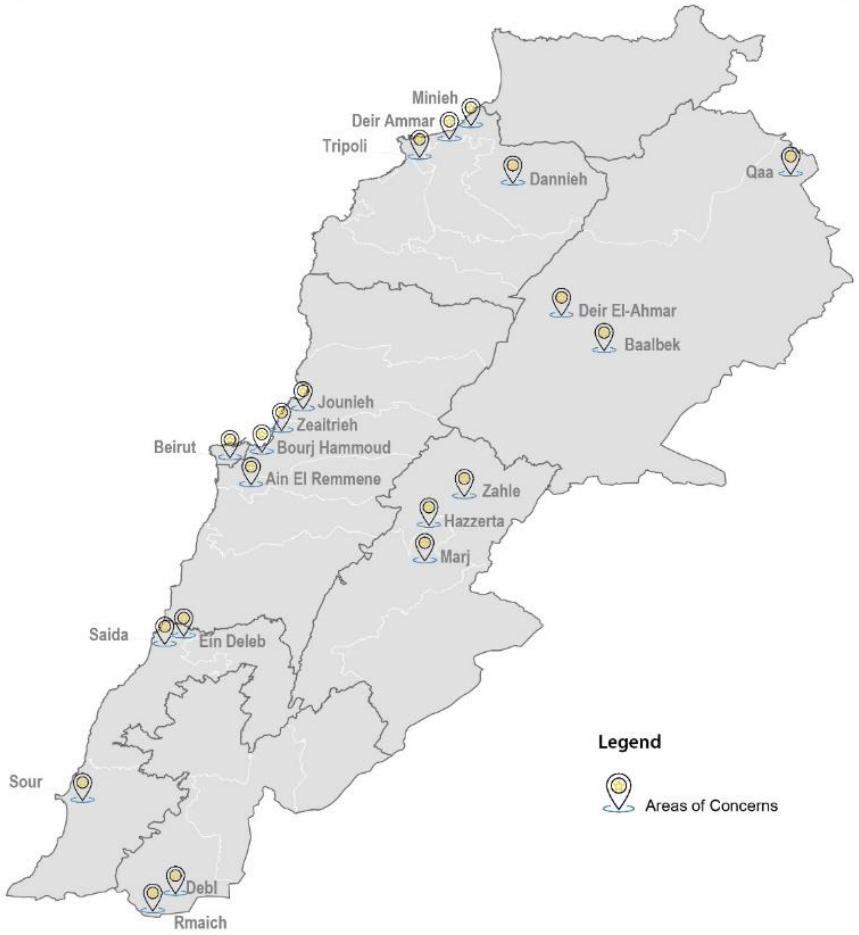
! Tensions taking several forms:

- Tensions **in** collective shelters related to assistance, vertical tensions with school managers and security concerns
- Tensions **around** collective shelters with makeshift business stands
- Tensions around people resorting to public spaces due to **gaps in shelter solutions** and **clashes around political differences**
- Inter-sectarian tensions and clashes (mainly based on **political and/or religious** differences as triggered by displacement)
- Inter-communal tensions and **anti-Syrian sentiments** related to the displacement (incl. scapegoating for crime)
- Vertical tensions towards **partners** & **authorities**
- Peak in fake news & **misinformation** leading to panic

! **Local actors/authorities have contained incidents**, and no large-scale incidents have been reported. However, risks of further escalation remain high.

Tensions' areas of concern amidst escalation of hostilities and displacement



Tensions & Conflict Sensitivity

Future Tensions Risks

- Rising tensions in and around collective shelters related to **cash and in-kind assistance** and **security concerns**.
- Competition over **shelter/housing**, **education** and lack of **waste collection**.
- Tensions related to **access to goods** and **pressure on resources** (if crisis persists and demands increase on fuel, bread etc.).
- Inter- and intra-communal tensions (lack of access to collective shelters and informal shelter solutions); perceptions around **aid bias**, **community insecurity**, **border movements**, **restrictive measures**.
- Continued high levels of fake news & **misinformation** triggering **panic** and tensions.
- Outbreaks of **infectious diseases** can trigger **stigma** and tensions.
- **Gaps in winter preparedness** as efforts are being dedicated to the emergency response, without proper winter preparedness plans and lack of solid waste management resources (human and monetary).
- IDPs relocated to apartments and not receiving any assistance are tending to **move to collective** shelters, creating **additional pressure** and tensions.

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Conflict Sensitivity Challenges Reported under the Response to Date

Assessment Fatigue leads to beneficiary frustration from being asked the same question by different entities often without an adequate response.

Aid bias around perceived **preferential treatment** and **prioritization** criteria per shelter type due to **lack of clear communication** with beneficiaries and **lack of coordination** with local authorities.

Reports about **corruption**.

Privacy and **dignity** jeopardized when responders take photos without the consent of beneficiaries.

Lack of Cultural Sensitivity upon donations of clothing given the religious and cultural background of some the displaced population.

Food distributions impacted by **community acceptance**. Meals risk being thrown away leading to wastefulness at a time when resources are insufficient.

Communication with communities reported as **demeaning**

Tensions & Conflict Sensitivity

Conflict Sensitivity Considerations for Partners in the Current Response

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Minimize number of assessments to avoid assessment fatigue and raising beneficiary expectations

- Use common tools & initiate discussions with the Sector Leads using the Sector Coordination Teams Contact List.

Coordinate closely at local level

- Ensure close coordination with local authorities (DRR/DRM/Site management FPs) & with the Inter-Sector Coordination Group and Sector Leads.

Communicate effectively through a conflict sensitivity lens at local level

- Communicate aid decisions with beneficiaries and local authorities to avoid perceptions of aid perception bias & disseminate **harmonized messages** to avert **misinformation** and politicization of aid.

Link up to existing referral mechanisms

- Initiate safe identification and referrals (protection, health, education etc.) during distributions based on available referral pathways.

Mitigate immediate risks by referring to conflict sensitivity guidance on cash and in-kind distributions

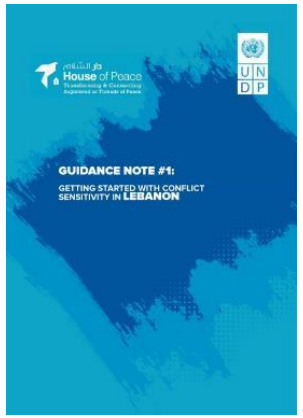
- Distribution teams should approach people with trust and cultural sensitivity to avoid tension
- Adhere to safety standards and train staff on security procedures and community crowd control
- Avoid large one-off cash transfers and opt for increments.

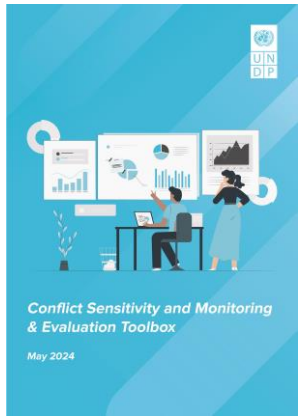
Tensions & Conflict Sensitivity

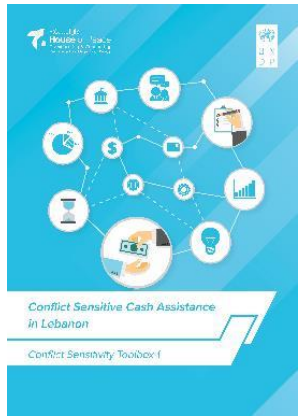
Conflict Sensitivity Resources

Seven Conflict Sensitivity Guidance Notes

1. Getting started with Conflict Sensitivity in Lebanon
2. Conflict-sensitive targeting and project design
3. Conflict-sensitive procurement and recruitment
4. Conflict-sensitive Cash Assistance in Lebanon
5. Conflict-sensitive Engagement with Local Authorities
6. Institutionalizing Conflict Sensitivity at the Organizational Level
7. Conflict Sensitivity and Monitoring & Evaluation Toolbox







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Thank you!

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Inter-Agency Photo Repository

Overview

The Inter-Agency Photo Repository includes a wide collection of **high-resolution photos** from YOUR activities under the LRP 2024 humanitarian and stabilization response to be used in various LRP materials and partner communications.

We would appreciate if you could continue sharing photos from your operations that would not need additional consent for publishing through the **Inter-Agency Photo Repository**.

Please ensure that these photos include:

1. **Diverse** and **comprehensive** representation of the sectors' work and activities
2. **Equal** representation of **all population groups**:
   - Lebanese
   - Displaced Syrians
   - Palestinian Refugees from Syria (PRS)
   - Palestine Refugees in Lebanon (PRL)
   - Migrants

Inter-Agency Photo Repository

How is the tool helpful?

Facilitates the collection, organization, and utilization of photos

Builds a readily available repository of images to be used in Inter-Agency products (dashboards, strategies, and reports)

Helps showcase achievements & activities through a visually compelling narrative

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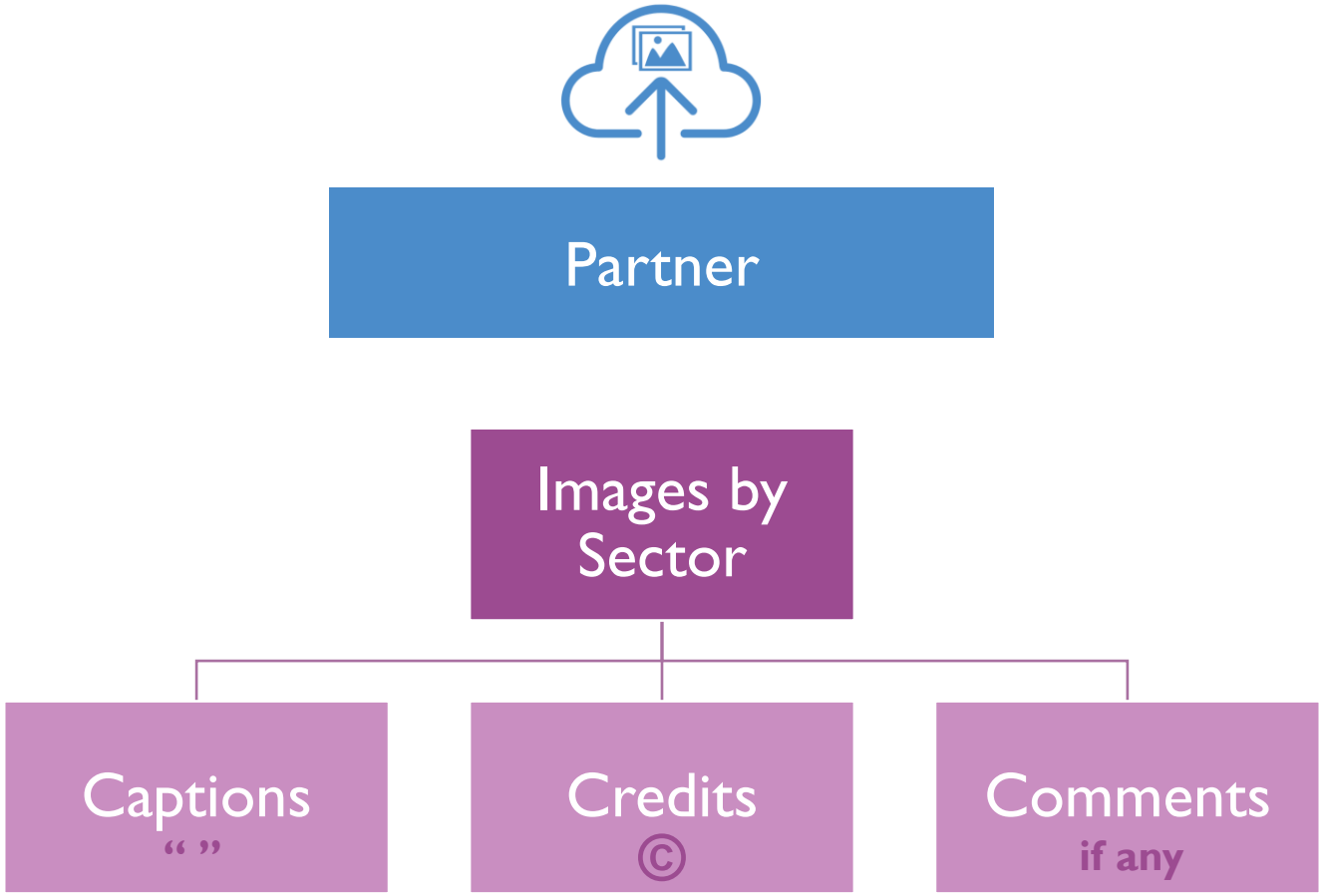
What are the key features?



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How to use the Repository?

1. Access the Collection Link

2. Refer to the Guidance Note HERE

Remember to number photos when uploading in bulk and to add captions and credits!

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