

National Inter-Sector WG

Date:	17 June 2016
Participants:	UNHCR, CRS, Solidarity Now, Norwegian Refugee Council (NRC), International Rescue Committee (IRC)
Chair:	Alexandra Krause (krause@unhcr.org), UNHCR
Agenda	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Endorsement of meeting minutes and review of pending action points 2. Gaps/challenges of sectors 3. Update and statistics on pre-registration exercise 4. Response capacity assessment 5. AoB
Agenda item	Action points
Review of pending action points	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UNHCR protection Unit to share analysis on gaps in legal aid services. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Done. • UNHCR Protection Unit will share the contacts of ILO with the Cash coordinator. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Done. • Child Protection Sub-WG to suggest a template for compiling HR support models for the Government across sectors to collect best practices. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Pending. The CP Sub-WG is in the process of creating the template. • Deadline for final comments from sectors for the MEB: Wednesday, 15 June. If no comments received by then, the MEB will be endorsed. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ No comments were received, so the MEB is endorsed. (The MEB could be revised between a period of six months for food and Shelter & NFI). • UNHCR to check with their Field Security Advisor the availability of reports regarding security incidents inside the sites. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Done. UNHCR Field Security Advisor (FSA) is not collecting such incidents systematically and there is no trend analysis or a systematic collection based on police reports. UNDSS, which is normally responsible has no presence in the country. The SMT only reunites twice a year. The UNHCR FSA is doing a narrative once a week, which is an internal UNHCR document. UNHCR will check if it would be possible to have a weekly public security report. • UNHCR will recirculate the assessment questionnaire that was developed by ACAPS and any comments from the sectors are welcome along with possible support on enumerators to conduct the assessment. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Done. ACAPS questionnaire was shared. The Protection WG is also looking into doing a participatory assessment for all sites and they are currently doing the preparation and the plan is to start it early in July. The assessment should ideally include other sectors and use a multi-functional team with all partners in all locations to identify thematic areas and in the end prepare a big report that would serve all partners and sectors. ○ UNHCR to prepare an overview of needs assessment processes, available data and how this fits together; presentation to be made at next ISWG

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Agenda item	Discussions	Action points
Endorsement of meeting minutes	Minutes from the previous ISWG meeting were endorsed.	
Gaps & Updates per Sector	<p><u>Child Protection</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Gap: the transfers of people from islands to mainland in particular for vulnerable cases, including families, need to be improved; currently, authorities have no system in place <p><u>Shelter & NFI</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Urban shelter strategy: a first meeting on urban shelter programming from an inter-sector perspective will be held on Thursday; the outcome of the meeting will provide the basis for a more in-depth analysis on a possible urban strategy <p><u>CwC</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Information from partners regarding the 4Ws is still a gap; more inputs are needed to identify existing gaps ▪ Concern amongst actors that during the pre-registration, the SMS text is not the best way to reach out to people. The idea of focal points or other alternatives was discussed, e.g. whatsapp messages or online documents or billboards. Ideas were sent to UNHCR for consideration and already taken into account for the roll-out. <p><u>Site Management Support (SMS)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Introduction of new UNHCR Capacity Building Specialist; ▪ On Thursday, 23 June 2016, the first Attika Sub-National SMS WG will be held and will be chaired by DRC. The National SMS WG will therefore meet on a bi-weekly basis. <p><u>Food</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ A meeting chaired by SG Voudouris took place including the Ministry of Defense to discuss the transition from food to cash-based assistance ▪ An assessment will be carried out including a market feasibility study. Based on the assessments findings an action plan will be developed where the transition strategy is outlined including food transition, cash based programming and communal kitchen strategies. ▪ In the meantime, the Food WG should send the menu suggestions to the Ministry of Defense to ensure that the food assistance is improved <p><u>WASH</u></p>	<p>UNHCR to contact JIPS to discuss what is feasible for an urban profiling exercise to inform an urban strategy.</p> <p>Food WG to send the meals suggestions to MoD</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ North: there is a gap in WASH; only 27% have WASH leads and out of 22 sites only 50% have a WASH actor present; a detailed analysis was shared with the WASH WG for further advocacy to address gaps with MoMP ▪ WASH coordinator met with RIS and other people from the Ministry of Migration Policy; RIS will be participating and chairing future meetings <p><u>Protection</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The WG has increased its capacity for community-based activities in the sites, although there are focal points in almost each location for such activities, but implementation remains a challenge <p><u>Cash WG:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ During the next Cash WG the group will focus on the RRM RP indicators for ActivityInfo, the completion of the risk matrix and conditional cash. The food transition strategy will be one of the main focus in the next weeks 	
Update on pre-registration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8,035 people have been wrist banded and 5,217 have been pre-registered; • 203 unaccompanied minors and 55 separated children have been identified ; • There are some problems with interpretation in Elliniko – 95% of the people are Afghans and there are not a lot of Farsi interpreters; • UNHCR will provide a weekly factsheet from the Protection Desk as of next week. UNHCR will also discuss with the Asylum Service for a registration factsheet with a population profiling • The assistance and protection data will be compiled in data base which will be accessible to all partners • In the North the exercise has been completed in more than 3 camps, including the port of Thessaloniki, Oreokastro and Camping Nireas. 	UNHCR to share again the URL on the info materials for the pre-registration campaign
Response capacity assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Several sector leads asked for further guidance on the response capacity assessment and how to start working with their WG members. 	UNHCR to organize teleconference with islands and mainland to answer questions on response capacity assessment
AoB	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monday, 20 June 2016: World Refugee Day; initiatives to be shared widely. • Attika area covers 16 Sites. There are some major gaps in some sites, where there are no actors, like in Lavrio, Ritsona, Oinofyta, Andravida, Agios Andreas • On the 7th of July, UNHCR Attika will organize a meeting with partners on coordination • Situation in the islands seems to deteriorate with 52 arrivals reported in Chios alone 	<p>Document and video on WRD to be shared by UNHCR.</p> <p>UNHCR to invite the focal point for the islands at the</p>

		next ISWG to provide an update.
	Next meeting: Friday, 24 June, 9.00 hrs, UNHCR office, 91 Michalakopoulou Street	