



Accommodation and Transportation Sector WG Meeting

Meeting Details	
Date	10 July 2022 – next meeting on 25 July 2022 at 15.00 hrs.
Time	15.00 to 16.00 hrs
Chair	Giovanni Zanelli
Reporting	N/A
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Agenda	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Refugee Accommodation Centres update from Irina Banova, ANAS Director 2. Palanca-Otaci quick update 3. WASH SWG update 4. Food Security SWG update 5. AoB 	
Information collection and relevant links	
Link to operational data portal: https://data.unhcr.org/en/situations/ukraine/location/10784	
Participants	
Roman Cebanov (MLSP)	Anna Gherman (Moldova for Peace)
Fadi Al-Attar (UNHCR Palanca)	Dina Litechi
Chloe Mandelbaum (ACTED)	Giovanni Zanelli (UNHCR)
Iidbek Gadoev (UNHCR)	Serge Gruel (Solidarites International)
Bonhote Jan Edouard (IOM)	Ion Foltea (UNHCR)
Rei Doi, Daniela Madam	Natasa Omerovic (IOM)
Megan Ewert (REACH IMPACT)	



Summary of discussions and agreements/ action points

Agenda	Discussion	Agreements/ Actions
<p>RACs update from Ms Irina Banova, ANAS Director</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The trend of people moving from unofficial to accredited RACs observed. 2. ANAS reports 71 active accredited RACs, with the total population inside RACs of 3,023 refugees; out of which there are 1,277 children and 100 PwDs. 3. The Government is planning the so-called consolidation of RACs by regrouping them and meeting an optimum balance between occupancy rate and resources utilized for running of RACs. The Government is closing those with smaller capacities and moving refugees to bigger; whereas those emptied RACs are “conserved” until needed again. These are mostly RACs whose primary purpose is to be used as dormitories. In this sense, the Government is also preparing the Protocol for roles and responsibilities in relation to management of RACs and share it later for comments with international community 4. ANAS received the food complaint in RAC ID 27 in Nisporeni in xxx rayon. The complaint related to the quality of food. To solve this, ANAS did onsite monitoring and proved the grounds for complaint. 5. Contingency RACs: ANAS is awaiting the formal letter from Emergency Aid Cell so the activity can start. The Ministry of Labour and Social Protection plans to meet with ANAS and discuss this matter. 6. UNHCR/ACTED started “RAC of the Week” – setting up several one-per-region RACs that are operational 24/7. ACTED can share the list “RACs with issues”. 7. ACTED will connect better with emergency medical evacuation providers to better plan for service provision in the territory in Moldova. 	<p>Giovanni Zanelli proposed to invite at one table following agencies: UNICEF, IOM, ACTED</p> <p>Chloe to share list “RACs with issues”</p>
<p>Otaci/Palanca updates</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The number of refugees approaching bus stations was 200 daily and in the past week it increased to 300. 2. Invitations to various site-related coordination meetings to be shared on this forum, so other agencies can also plan attendance. 3. Information about tents to Palanca needed. 	<p>Chloe to send an email to Andrea, Giovanni and Cecilia</p>



	<p>4. Next coordination meeting for Otaci BCP will be organized on 19 July 2022 at 11.00 hrs onsite. UNHCR: Tendering process ongoing (construction fence and supporting walls). UNHCR will be present on a permanent basis at Otaci</p>	
WASH SWG updates	<p>1. Solidaritees International will install the WASH container at BCP Palanca 2. Authorization from the Border Authority needed. WASH container for staff installed at Palanca. UNHCR and SI provided technical assessment of WASH facilities at Leuseni, Ungheni, Sciuleni BCPs to install WASH containers.</p> <p>2. UNICEF procured 20,000 hygiene kits within contingency planning.</p>	<p>SI and ACTED to coordinate for WASH travel kits</p>
Food Security SWG	<p>Update from FSSWG is that as of 7 July (new report to be generated tomorrow) FSSWG members are providing food assistance (hotmeals) to an average of 2,963 refugees in RACs, reaching around 1.14 million of meals distributed since 15 March.</p>	
AoB	<p>Giovanni Zanelli is leaving in two weeks and a new person from UNHCR will take over.</p>	