

Cash Working Group (CWG)
Meeting Action Points

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Online Meeting (Microsoft Teams)

Chair: UNHCR

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Action Points:

- **Way forward for the main request for CWG from Chancellor to PM**
 - **Co-ordination and deduplication of cash (in-and-cross country)**
 - UNHCR HQ to revert to the data-sharing agreement, SOP, and RAIS
 - In the meantime, CWG organizations to actively inform refugees about exclusion if they are supported by other members
 - CWG organizations to share the cross-country deduplication mechanism
 - Regional CWG to discuss cross-country deduplication

- **Providing support to host community/Romanian citizens**
 - Red Cross, World Vision, Salvation Army, Save The Children, Oxfam, IOM, LOGS (TBC) are interested and need to further discuss with the chancellor to PM and the Ministry of Labor how to provide support
- **Utilize funding for more than 3 months as inclusion in national social safety nets may take longer**
 - CWG targeting to be used as a base for MPC and share the targeting used for presentation to government
 - Extend the duration of support to 6 months (to be validated by the government)
 - Refer cases beyond target/budget to other CWG organizations bilaterally
- **Reporting**
 - CWG Dashboard to be re-shared for a final comment on the possibility of sharing the data
- **Targetting**
 - Those arriving on or before the 23rd of February to be supported as long as they did not have a long-term residence in Romania
 - As communicated by the president of the National Authority for Child Protection, Disability and Adoption (ANPDCA), unaccompanied (UA) children shall be referred to have a national legal representative and UA should not be provided with cash as their material needs are covered by the government.
 - Unaccompanied children who arrive in Romania alone shall be enrolled in the National Child Protection system. These children are accommodated in children's centers where their basic needs are met. The president of the National Authority for Child Protection, Disability, and Adoption (ANPDCA) advised that these children should not, therefore, be provided with cash assistance.