

**PSEA Network meeting - Romania**  
**12 May 2022, 10 – 1100 (held online)**

**Participants:** Action Aid, AIDRom, AMURTEL, SERA Romania /Care France, Caritas, CNNR, Clear, Hope and Homes Romania, IOM, Mercy Corps, Oxfam, Plan International, TDH, WHO, WVI, UNHCR

#### Introductions

#### Updates from participants

- On 5 May, UNHCR and WVI presented the results of the rapid risk assessment and initial action plan of the PSEA Network to the informal donors coordination group. At the end of the presentation UNHCR and WVI highlighted the need for support to build up capacity on PSEA particularly as this is a new area of work for many organisations, most of which have had to scale up operations in a very short timeframe to respond to the urgent needs on the ground.

#### Feedback on Interagency Minimum Operating Standards

- Co-lead WVI presented the feedback received from Network members:
  - Revision of a particular standard, needs re-wording
  - Allocation of budget for investigations
  - Overall need for further elaboration on the minimum standards

#### Presentations

- **Oxfam** presented on safeguarding across the programme cycle, highlighting the safeguarding responsibilities of all staff members, including partners and the need to mainstream safeguarding and go beyond training.
  - Contact details: [Brooke.Feldman@oxfam.org](mailto:Brooke.Feldman@oxfam.org)
  - Link to case studies for training: [Safeguarding report-handling mechanism: case studies | Bond](#)
- **The Core Humanitarian Alliance** presented on the Misconduct Disclosure Scheme which aims to bring PSEA and HR together by complementing candidate vetting procedures by looking at checks related to internal investigations.
  - Links:
    - <https://misconduct-disclosure-scheme.org/s/Statement-of-Conduct.docx>
    - <https://misconduct-disclosure-scheme.org/registry>
  - Contact details:
    - Email: [iksiazek@chsalliance.org](mailto:iksiazek@chsalliance.org)
    - Web: <https://misconduct-disclosure-scheme.org>

#### Next steps / action points

- Information about existing reporting channels to be shared by participants in template. Results to be shared at a later meeting.
- Network members to contact Snr PSEA Coordinator if SharePoint access issues persist.

**The next meeting of the Network will be on 26 May from 10:00 to 11:00 am.**