Food Security Working Group Meeting

October 18, 2022

Chisinau, Moldova

Meeting Details			
Date	18.10.2022- Next meeting on 01.11.2022		
Time	16:00 (04 PM)		
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Agenda			
• Operatio	nal updates by members		
• 5W dash	• 5W dashboard for mapping of services in RACs		
 Updates on 3RP sector consultations and next steps 			
• AOB (Wil	• AOB (Winterization plan)		
Participants			
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Information collection and relevant links

Hot Meals Coverage 30.09.2022

- Total meals covered by FSWG 1 852 317
- Total meals covered by WFP Cooperating Partners 1 126 965

Agenda	Discussion	Agreements/ Actions
Agenda Point 1 Operational updates by members	 <u>ACTED</u> – continues to support refugees, providing 17 RACs with hot meals daily and 4 RACs with vouchers. From 13th of October ACTED have started to assist one new RAC ID44. <u>HelpAge</u> – continues to support refugees, providing 3 hot meals daily in 27 accredited RACs (23 RACs - catering and 4 RACs - vouchers). Two new RACs, one from Chisinau and one from Balti have been taken over. The catering from Cahul was changed due to some issues in these two RACs with food distribution. <u>Solidarites</u> - continues to provide food assistance (3 meals/day/person) in 6 RACs (1 of them is an accredited one). The number of beneficiaries is around 150 per day. <u>Peace Winds Japan</u> – provides food assistance to the NCUM Center, which is a National Congress of Ukrainian people in Moldova, but this is a private RAC which is not in the number of 69 operating RACs. Peace Winds provides food assistance with about 2000 food packages (not hot meal) per week at the Patria Lukoil Center, it is aiming for those living outside of RACs. <u>AAH</u> - provides food assistance - hot meals outside of the RACs and currently continue their assistance in Palanca. They are exploring the possibility to do it as well (with snaks) in Otachi. They plan to start food distribution, probably happen next month, this will be in Balti. <u>Hope4love</u> – is operating in the country for the last 20 months, and since the beginning of the conflict for the last nine months they've been bringing food on an ongoing basis. Theregistration of the NGO has been formalized now opened a brand new facility in Chisinau that can house over 1000 pallets. They are initiating a sustained program of bringing truckloads of food. The initial plan is to distribute seven days ration packs for displaced population as well as RACs. By joining the FSWG, H4L would like to identify the gaps and see how they can work together with other members to support the needs across the refugee population. 	 WFP to follow-up on updating of the hot-meals dashboard. WFP will make sure to circulate requests for food assistance among FSWG members FSWG coordinator to reach out to IA team to see the possibility of integration of food assistance mapping to one of the existing data collection tools or to initiate the mapping as a stand-alone exercise.
Agenda Point 2	<u>ATWG provided information about two tools:</u> The 5W, intends to cover broad range of activities carried out by members of ATWG, FASG and WASH in the country. The second	FSWG members are requested to provide their

5W dashboard for mapping of services in RACs	tool, which is service mapping, focuses specifically on mapping the existing and planned services provided by actors in RACs aiming to avoid duplication of assistance in RACs.	inputs for both 5W and RAC service mapping tools, that can be accessed through the link to be shared by A&T WG chair.
Agenda Point 3 Updates on 3RP sector consultations and next steps	 The exercise is going on and the sectors were asked to convene and organize consultation to identify targets indicators and objectives of each sector and indicate also the needs for within the scope of this response plan. On the 10th of October ATWG has arrange this consultation including FS and WASH WGs. The form for project submission for 3RP will be circulated by IA coordination team with the deadline of 22 October 2022. 	FSWG coordinator to circulate 3RP project template among FSWG members.
Agenda Point 4 AOB	• The winterization plan, which has been recently published by the IA coordination team. The targeted refugee population is 130,000, which includes refugees 90,000 currently already in Moldova and expected 40,000 refugees to come during the winter. It also includes 92,000 host communities among vulnerable Moldovans living in the areas hosting refugees, to ensure the social cohesion. The total budget of this appeal is around USD 44M, of which USD 35M is already secured by different organizations.	