GBV SWG MoM – 30th of Aug 2022

Agencies present: ABA Rule, AIDOS, AWO, DRC, ICMC, IFH, IMC, INTERSOS, IOM, IRC, JNCW, JRF, Medair, MPDL, MSF, Oxfam, SOS

UN Women, UNFPA, UNHCR, UNRWA

Agenda

- Coordination update (ToR endorsement, capacity building plan, AI update)
- Azraq update
- GBV IMS annual report presentation
- Workplan revision group work
- AOB

Agenda items		
Welcoming	- Welcoming participants and provide a brief on the agenda and housekeeping rules.	MoM will be uploaded on UNHCR's <u>Data Portal</u>
Coordination update (ToR endorsement, capacity building plan, AI update)	 New GBV co-chairs: Yara <u>deir@unfpa.org</u> from UNFPA, and Diana <u>suleiman@unhcr.org</u> from UNHCR. Capacity building plan: a survey was conducted in April to see gaps and needs, and a calender of possible options is available <u>here</u>. Members were asked to share capacity building courses or options planned by the organizations and that could be extended to other members . Suggestion to have included among the capacity building options also some focused on empowerment activities for survivors. ActivityInfo update: 13 agencies appealed under JRP/3RP for 2022. Reported activities will be implemented in 10 different locations and some activities are countrywide. There are GBV activities under refugee, resilience and COVID pillar (same activities as in Refugee pillar). For refugee pillar, 42% of total target achieved for the first four indicators, and for the fifth indicator 91% of clients demonstrated satisfaction towards GBV case management they received. 84% of beneficiaries are women. There is no reporting under the resilience pillar, and members who should report were asked to follow up on this. One of the reporting mistakes under MONITOR database is leaving data empty instead of reporting (0). As for fields with data type= %, valid data should be entered under this field using a percentage. MONITOR database for August will be open from 1-10 September. ToRs: some changes have been made, objective, definition and guiding principles remained the same. 	ToRs will be shared with members to be reviewed before the endorsement.



	 Changes: membership and responsibility can be reviewed, and members can express their interest in co-chairing the sub-working group. Responsibility of members was reviewed, and each organization should have a focal point and an alternative member. Members are encouraged to send useful resources to be shared. Members voted to assess possibility to have the next meetings of the SWG in Arabic (with EN interpretation facilitated at least until December) to facilitate attendance of government entities, national stakeholders and NCFA as they are the chairs on the national level. 	
Azraq update	 Azraq Joint PWG and CP/GBV meeting took place on the 17th of August 2022. UNHCR Protection unit conducted three PSEA Trainings in July. The EJC monthly camp coordination Meeting took place on the 15th of August. Azraq Sharia court reconciling unit had the second round of awareness sessions about the risks and consequences of child marriage and how to prepare adults before conduct marriages. Sexual harassment on the way to school task force meeting was conducted on the 29th of August. Round of PSEA sessions for partners and IBVs were completed. UNHCR Protection unit had conducted two PSEA Trainings at EJC on the 2nd of August. GBV cash assistance in Azraq/EJC camps: 8 cases have received cash assistance. ARDD- legal partner will conduct sessions about legal services in EJC on the 1st of September 2022. Questions and comments: Q: is there an official data for child marriage cases in Azraq? A: yes, and numbers are decreasing. Q: who is acting against child marriage? A: IMC, SRAD, committees , and police. Comment: sexual harassment on the way to school is an interesting topic. Will have an update after the consultation is done. 	
GBV IMS annual report presentation	 Report provides information on incidents of GBV reported by survivors in refugee communities and host communities in 2021. The GBVIMS is considered as the highest quality GBV incident data currently available to humanitarian actors. Main trends: GBV reported incidents increased in 2021. This can be explained by the resumption of face-to-face service provision in all sites during 2021. 	

- Home remains unsafe for women and girls, 86.2% of perpetrators are intimate partners.
- This year, we saw an increased percentage of cases seeking help who were self-referred, meaning the
survivor approached the case management agency directly.
- There is a slight increase in reported incidents by widows, divorced, and separated survivors.
- Men and boys report mainly conflict related sexual violence and other risks of GBV because of their
sexual orientation and gender identity.
- Main recommendations:
- Disseminate paper on the impact of mandatory reporting.
- Advocacy to restrict mandatory reporting requirements only to child survivors remains needed.
- Study obstacles to seek help and delay in seeking help.
- Work with the education sector and Ministry of Education.
- Tailor programs based on marital status.
- Strengthen monitoring mechanisms especially on protection impact of cash assistance to GBV
survivors
- Strengthen livelihood opportunities targeting GBV survivors.
- Develop innovative approaches to reach adolescent girls and married young women.
- Work with Disability Inclusion organization.
- Questions and comments:
- Q: the number of men and boys reporting have increased, what is the reason behind this trend?
- A: there is a partner who focuses on this and work with LGBTIQ community so their specific reporting
on that explains the higher numbers.
- Gap analysis: recommendation to work more on IBVs.
- Comment: honor killing in urban areas is more than in the camps, the reason could be that it is
more controlled, or it might be under reporting.
- JNCW drafted a paper on the impact of mandatory reporting. The paper will be released soon.

Workplan revision group work	 Members were divided into two groups to review and update the workplan. Some of the outputs were to work with elderly and will discuss this with HelpAge and DATF. Also, cross sectoral collaboration with livelihoods, and there is a project led by DRC on global level implemented in Jordan, Lebanon, Niger, and Uganda to support humanitarian community for economic empowerment for GBV survivors. Shifting a few items to Q4, ensure participation for refugees more. 	Workplan will be updated and shared with members.
АОВ	 MEB: The Jordan's Minimum Expenditure Basket (MEB) 2022 is published and available on <u>data</u> portal. 	