

## UN REFUGEE RESPONSE COORDINATION IN ROMANIA

### Youth & Adolescents Sub-Working Group meeting

30 January 2023, 10:00 – 11.30 am

Venue- Online (Zoom)

#### Agenda

1. Welcome and introductions
2. Main takeaways from last ISWGs
3. Sector updates
4. Spotlight intervention- Mapping
5. AOB

#### 1. Welcome and introductions

- Focal point: Elena Tudor, State Secretary (Child Protection & YAD)
- Discussions on ToR and Workplan for 2023: Changes from last year (Activity Info, etc.), Inputs/Resources (assessments list, etc.)

#### 2. Main takeaways from last ISWGs

- Stabilizing number of refugees at 106 k+
- Annual report -> presentations by sectors
- Current and future assessments-> to be uploaded on the SharePoint, so it can be accessed on the UNHCR portal; IFWG contacts ([lorints@unhcr.org](mailto:lorints@unhcr.org); [palermo@unhcr.org](mailto:palermo@unhcr.org) )
- YAD TF Workshop Tbc (date TBC)
- Next ISWG: Friday 10<sup>th</sup> of February

#### 3. Sector updates

FNT updated that the Ukrainian students who were registered to the universities, that went back home for Christmas, they are not let to enter back in Romania from the border (we don't know if they are under temporary protection-need to be follow up).

Starting from 26<sup>th</sup> February until 4<sup>th</sup> of March they will organize together with the Council of Europe two human rights education training in Bucharest, one in Ukrainian and one in English. They are trying to bring several youth workers from youth centers from Ukraine. They are trying to create a mirror event (a living library) with youth to share with the community the difficulties they had. Youth Foundation is providing the methodology.

#### 4. Spotlight intervention- mapping

What is the type of your organization?

- Public authority- 3%
- United Nations- 13%
- Local NGO- 34%
- National NGO- 3%
- International NGO- 47%

Do you have activities targeting adolescent girls only? (GBV, girls' access to education etc.)

- Respondents with No: 50%
- Respondents with Yes: 50%

Where are your activities for adolescent and youth located?

- Bucharest and Iasi are the main cities where activities were implemented for adolescents.

Which areas for adolescent and youth are you focusing on?

- Focus on education (non-formal) and other learning and skills building

#### Youth and adolescents Task Force- Workshop

- 1 day workshop in Bucharest to be confirmed
- Review of regional/emergency indicators and response
- Identification of main issues and bottlenecks (recent assessments)
- Alignment of key interventions; partners current indicators; nexus approach for YAD sector in Romania
- Cross-sectoral complementarity (education; MHPSS, SRHR, livelihoods, etc.)
- Strengthening our action/response (capacity building; advocacy with authorities, fundraising etc)

#### 5. AOB

- To finalize the ToR and workplan
- Small mapping exercise with all the partners to be done in the workshop
- Action point to have the meetings once in a month

**Next meeting: 13 February 2023, 10:00-11:30 am, online (Zoom)**

