EES Monthly Meeting

25 January 2023

IOM Office, Ankara

2-4pm

Participants: 14 in-person and 45 online from UN agencies, I/NGOs and TRC, and IFRC.

Agenda point	Main points discussed/Questions raised	Next steps
1. Update on FSA and LH sector merger	● 3RP sector chapter reviewed by the GoT. ● Merged Sector TOR developed. ● Merged Sector M&E Framework in progress ● Sector meeting will start at National and Regional level.	● 3RP launch will be 21 Feb. ● TOR will be shared to partners and Heads of agencies (UNHCR, UNDP and FAO) then to UNCT. ● M&E framework will be merged and aiming at reporting jointly during 2023.
2. Priority areas for 2023	The current context was provided to the partners. 1. Supply Side a. Supporting Transition Task team to operationalize pathways for transition to sustainable job opportunities. b. Mapping mapping of incentives provided by partners to increase access to decent jobs for Syrians (Q1/Q2) then organize the knowledge exchange (Q3/Q4). 2. Demand Side a. Private sector engagement – Partners are involved with PS through business supports and partnerships.	1. Supply Side: ● Strengthening the job training to job placement through the use of Services Advisor. (See details on agenda 3) ● Mapping will be shared to partners for their inputs to better understand type of services partners provide to increase access to decent jobs. 2. Demand Side: ● Request partners to share their involvements with Private sector (policy and project level).

	Mapping of PS engagement by EES partners and share it with other sectors. b. Cooperatives- the sector partners have been working with cooperatives (new and existing) in order to promote women's participation in businesses. Best practice/knowledge exchange in working cooperatives can be shared with sector partners. (Q1/Q2) c. Mapping of private sector support: creation of businesses (cooperatives, social enterprises, SMEs), regulatory framework, value chain assessments, market analysis. (Q2) 3. Building Evidence – ensure reporting from partners, repository of needs analysis/assessments and joint sector reporting mechanism.	● Consult with partners who are working with cooperatives to decide on topics for the knowledge exchange. 3. Building Evidence ● Create share folders where partners can share assessments / analysis and reports. (Q1)
4. Mapping of EES activities – strengthening linkage from training to job placement	● Use of Services Advisor was suggested so that partners and beneficiaries (refugees) can access to EES partner information (such of type of activities offered). ● Ozgur (UNHCR) presented the overview of the site and taxonomy followed by proposed improvement by the EES. Discussions/Comments: ● Platform is more applicable for partners to get information as digital literacy among refugees are very low.	● Updated Taxonomy will be shared with UNHCR for their comments/edits then uploaded? To the website.

	● The site is also used as 4W so not much updates are made by partners that is one reason refugees are not using the site. ● Co-chair requested partners commitment to use/update the site otherwise it might not work for strengthening job training to placement purposes.	
5. Partner updates	● Spark is organizing conference on 'Inclusive and Sustainable Growth in Türkiye' in Ankara, on 7 Feb. Final agenda will be shared when it is ready.	

Attachment: PPT from the Monthly meeting.

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