

MHPSS Working Group Minutes of Meeting
December 17th, 2014 – Ministry of Health, Amman
Chaired by Ahmad Bawaneh (IMC) and Zein Ayoub (WHO)

1. Introduction & Member Updates:

New focal point from World Vision Jordan is attending the MHPSS meetings. No new members.

2. Presentation by Operation Mercy:

Julianne from Operation Mercy provided a presentation on their activities as follows:

- The main areas of operation are informal education, physiotherapy services, psychosocial support and life skills including:
 - Providing informal English education
 - Educational sessions on health/hygiene, child care skills, life skills
 - Recreational activities for children and youth
 - Referral to specialized services
 - Women's groups for mothers
 - Distribution of NFIs (health and hygiene kits)
- Operation Mercy is currently working in Zarqa and Amman, targeting women, girls and boys.

3. Presentation on the Gender-Based Violence Information Management System (GBV-IMS):

Belen from UNHCR delivered a presentation on the gender-based violence information management system. The GBV-IMS is a data management system that enables those providing services to SGBV survivors to effectively and safely collect, store, analyze and share data related to reported incidents of SGBV.

The GBV-IMS standard format was developed by the global Steering Committee. In Jordan, the GBV-IMS module in RIAS was created by UNHCR in June 2013 in consolidation with the taskforce and steering committee. Data collection in Jordan started as of 1 May 2014 in Amman, Mafraq, Irbid, and includes the camps (Zaatari, Azraq, EJC, cyber city, KAP).

4. Updates on the changes in access to governmental health services by Syrian refugees:

As of 20 November, following a decision by the Cabinet, registered Syrian refugees are no longer entitled to access free health services at MOH facilities. Syrian refugees are now charged the same fees as non-insured Jordanians, which is around 35-60% of what Jordanians pay.

*** Please see attached UNHCR presentation for further details.*

5. Any Other Business:

- **Updates on the 3RP/JRP meeting:** IMC and WHO provided an update on the JRP/3RP. The JRP was submitted as the Jordan document for the regional 3RP process. The final JRP can be accessed through the following link
<http://www.jo.undp.org/content/dam/jordan/docs/Publications/JRP+Final+Draft+2014.12.17.pdf>

- **Proposed MOI Services Card- revised questionnaire:** IMC provided a briefing on the proposed revised MOI service card questionnaire. Please see attached document
- **TOT Zaatari camp:** WHO and IMC delivered a TOT training on stress management and self-care to humanitarian workers in Zaatari camp. A second TOT training will follow during January. Any agency interested in participating should contact WHO/ Hadeel Al Far or IMC/ Esra'a Amr.

6. Training Calendar:

The MHPSS Working Group maintains a shared Google Calendar to track their training activities. This calendar can be accessed with the following information:

Link: <<https://accounts.google.com/>>

Username: mhpsworking.group.jordan

Password: MHPSSworkinggroup

The next working group meeting will take place on **Wednesday, January 21st at 1:00pm** at the Ministry of Health.