

National Health Coordination Meeting



Date: Thursday 25th Oct

Venue: UNHCR

Time: 10:00 – 12:00

Agenda:

1. Introduction
2. Review of last meeting action point
3. Situation Update
4. JRP/3RP Update
5. Knowledge Transfer PPP / UMR
6. Health Agencies Update
7. Subsector working groups- Reproductive Health (UNFPA), Mental Health (IMC/WHO), Nutrition (Save the Children Jordan/UNICEF), Community Health Platform (MEDAIR)
8. Proposed Assessment/Research
9. AOB (Next round for KT presenters)

2. Review of action points of previous meeting

Reviewing the agenda of the previous meeting:

- **CDE: To share their factsheet for their upcoming missions: Done and shared on UNHCR data portal**
- **SAMS: To share their factsheet for their upcoming missions: Done and shared on UNHCR data portal**
- **UMR: To share their factsheet for their upcoming missions: Done and shared on UNHCR data portal**

Action Points

✓ N/A

3. Situation update-UNHCR

Statistical Update as of 15th Oct,

Iraqis Refugees

- Total registered: **67,084**
- **2,434** registered in 2018, new arrival **1681**

Yemeni Refugees

- Total registered **12,729**. Total registered in 2018 is **3366 (significant increase)**

Sudanese Refugees

- **5,307** Sudanese registered, **851** registered in 2018

Somali Refugees

- **810** Somalis, **28** Registered in 2018.

Others

- **1,754** registered.

Syrian Refugees

- Total Registered: **672,438** Syrians
- **22,251** newly registered in 2018 of which **1,562** arrived in 2018.
- Approximately; **78,410** in Zaatari, **40,712** (rectification exercise) in Azraq and **6,857** in EJC.
- The rectification exercise was extended till end of **Mar 2019**.

OCHA September Call

- OCHA call for proposal was launched in Sep.
- 5 proposals received from MEDAIR, JPS, HI, UPP and TDH.
- Sector advisory group reviewed the appeals and shared recommendation with OCHA on 15th October.
- Now at OCHA advisory board to review the proposals

	<p>Berm Updates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The UN-run clinic inside Jordan providing assistance to the estimated 45,000 people stranded at the North East border remains operational and providing assistance to medical cases. Ongoing UN advocacy with the Government of Jordan vis-a-vis admission of critical medical cases to Jordanian hospitals for treatment proved positive, and the UN secured approval for admission of all pending critical medical cases on the list to Jordan. However, despite the positive developments, not all patients identified for critical treatment have approached the clinic for admission and there continue to be delays in getting admissions for emergency cases who appear at the clinic on a daily basis ▪ Total of visits of patients since Dec 2016 for consultation , management and treatment until the reporting date: 61,123 ▪ Total of cases admitted to Jordan since 15 Dec 2016 until the reporting date: 1324 ▪ Total number of cases currently in Jordan for treatment: 23 <p>Jaber – Nasib border crossing between Syria and Jordan reopens:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ On Monday 15th October, the Jaber – Nasib border crossing between Jordan and Syria was officially opened for movement of goods and passengers <p>Movements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ As of end-August 2018, 3,685 refugee resettlement submissions have been made. ▪ On 16 October the Ministry of Interior announced the extension of the campaign aiming to formalize the status of Syrian refugees living informally in urban areas in Jordan. This campaign, which was launched on 4 March 2018, is now extended until 31 March 2019. The campaign is directed at Syrian nationals registered in camps who left without an official authorization before 1 July 2017 and did not return. Syrians who arrived to Jordan and have never registered with UNHCR and the Government of Jordan can also benefit. By 16 October, over 20,000 individuals had successfully rectified their legal status.
Action points	✓ N/A

4. Jordan Response Plan (2019)

The partners:

- Host Government: (MOH/MOPIC)
- UN Agencies 5
- International NGOs 15
- National NGOs 5

2019 Process

- Light Version: Only JRP 2019
- Building on JRP 2018-2020 plan
- Reprioritization criteria/ sector
- Excluding funded projects
- Revising the cost/ project
- Detailed PSS
- Revision of CVA.
- Ready by Mid Oct 2018.

Objectives

- Increased equitable access, uptake and quality of primary health care for Jordanian and Syrian WGBM in impacted areas
- Increased equitable access, uptake and quality of secondary and tertiary healthcare for Jordanian and Syrian WGBM in impacted areas
- Strengthened access, uptake and quality of integrated community interventions for Jordanian and Syrian WGBM in impacted areas
- Strengthened adaptive capacity of the national health system to address current and future stresses

	<p><u>Appeal Levels</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ JRP 2018= 96.3 Million▪ JRP 2019= 111.8 Million▪ Total Increase by 16.1%▪ Refugee increase 28.1% <p><u>Next Step</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ GoJ Approval for JRP▪ Adapt 2019 JRP to 3RP▪ Developing 3RP 2020 (under processing)▪ Develop Activity info database (Plan and monitor 2019) <p><u>Jordan Response Plan (2019) Summary and Next Step</u></p>
Action points	✓ UNHCR to share the presentation with all partners

5. Knowledge transfer / UMR

UMR Mission:

- UMR integrates our global partners' services to provide comprehensive relief and development aid to underserved communities around the world. UMR accomplishes this humanitarian mission by blending advocacy, youth mobilization, disaster response, aid delivery and empowerment through education.

UMR Vision:

- To be a leader in uniting partner organization's relief and development services to assist underserved communities in achieving of self-sustenance
- United Muslim Relief (UMR) registered since 2015 as non-profit organization and considered one of the fastest growing NGO's in the United States, with a focus on building humanitarian coalitions to tackle developmental needs.
- UMR-Jordan office is a representative office for UMR-USA
- The office was set up after Syria war 2011.
- Over the years, UMR-Jordan Office built up strong relationships with partners, donors and stakeholders such as local communities, Jordan government focal points. Also, we are ready to work and implement projects inside Syria when the time comes for such action.
- UMR participates in cluster coordination meetings.
- Number of staff in Jordan office is 14 in addition to list of database of 40 volunteer.

UMR-Jordan Running Projects

Number of targeted groups per month:

- 100 Children
- 20 Teenagers
- 50 Women

Save-Syria Medical Mission:

- Number of beneficiaries per mission is 1,000 approximately

Save-Syria Cataract Free Medical Surgeries Mission :

- UMR Runs cataract mission twice a year, number of benefited sick persons reached (200 to 300) annually based on the fund

<p>Main Challenges</p> <p>Lessons learnt</p>	<p>Hearing Aids” Provision of hearing aids to the most needy refugees & host communities in Jordan”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Number of hearing aid =150 ▪ Distributed sites: Ghaza camp-Jerash & Mafraq ▪ Delay issues to implement in-kind donations (nonfood items distributions) due to long procedures with Jordan government in regard to official permissions. ▪ Due to lack fund, UMR not able to serve all vulnerable persons in Jordan ▪ Improve quality of presented services rather than just focussing on number of beneficiaries. ▪ improve quality and reliability of health care services more generally <p>Link to UMR presentation</p>
<p>Action points:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ UNHCR to share the presentation with all partners ✓ IMC will be doing the next knowledge transfer presentation followed by SCJ for December, ACF for January and HI for February

6. Health agencies update

JPS:

- JPS has ongoing project activities in support of secondary and tertiary referrals from Syrian refugee camps (Zaatari, Azraq) and the borders for provision of EOC with access to NNC and child care, lifesaving and medical care for the critically ill. JPS received 69 cases in October, incl. 20 CS/NVD, 18 NNC, 4 EOC, 13 LSE (Cardiovascular), and 11 cases (Neurosurgical, Orthopedic) from the berm with medical care for the companions (UTI, URTI).

IRC

- Extension of services in Mafraq and Ramtha fixed clinic and the capacity was increased from 175 patients per day to 300 patients in each clinic.
- New health clinic to be opened in Nov in Irbid after completing the necessary procedure with MoH
- Operation in Zaatari camp will be continued (fund received)
- Cross boarder health program with partnership with UNHCR, and almost done for medicine delivery cross border
- Resume the support of complicated and obstetric cases for Syrian Refugees (continue collaboration with UNHCR to identity cases)

ACF:

- Will soon launch their activities and working in Irbid in collaboration with MoH till end of 2019
- Training the staff from the PHCs on the integration of mental health at primary level
- Official launching was during the mental health day in Irbid

SRD

Syria relief and development:

- Working in south of Syria and trying now to shift to Jordan
- Now one health clinic in Amman (university area) provide primary health care and basic dentist services
- SRAD was invited to join the Reproductive Health Sub Sector Working Group.

SAMS:

- Upcoming medical mission in Jordan in 27th Oct for one week
- Primary and secondary health care and surgical interventions (already defined cases)
- The factsheet was already shared and available on UNHCR data portal (accessible to all partners)
- Next mission in January (to share the next factsheet)

UMR:

- New upcoming medical mission (to be shared)

<p>UPP:</p> <p>AMR:</p> <p>WHO:</p> <p>UNHCR:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - UPP launched this month program on mental health awareness for refugees and host community in support with WHO and partnership with UNHCR, JOHUD and working in Amman, Zarqa, Karak and Irbid - Targeted almost 500 people this month - Running a radio program on mental health literacy and it will be ended this year. - In January will be doing a TOT for educators on mental health - AMR is providing medical services Amman, Azraq, Mafraq and Irbid - In Azraq camp they provide primary health care in Village 2 and 6 - Essential lab will start in Nov in village 6 in Azraq Camp. - The national survey will be launched by end of 2018 in collaboration with Jordan University - The UN celebration day in Sport City on Saturday at 11:00 am (Seminar on tobacco control) - Comprehensive action plan in 8 surveillances sites to monitor the issues with pharmacies - Will continue supporting same activities in 2019 to mitigate the impact of MoH new policy - Will expand the number of people for secondary and tertiary health care, primary health care and cash for health - The referral program the implementing program will be JPS in urban settings, JHAS in Zaatari camp and IMC in Azraq camp) and will start in January 2019. - Action plan will be developed during the next month to make proper handover between implementing partners.
<p>Action points:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ SAMS to share their factsheet of the upcoming mission ✓ UMR to share their factsheet of the upcoming mission ✓ Partners were advised to update the Services Advisor system whenever they have changes on the services provided or place of services provided.

7. Subsector working groups – Reproductive Health (UNFPA), Mental Health (IMC/ WHO), Nutrition (Save the Children Jordan/UNICEF), Community Health Platform (Medair/IRD)

<p>RH (UNFPA)</p> <p>Mental Health (IMC/WHO)</p> <p>Nutrition (Save the Children Jordan/UNICEF)</p> <p>Community Health Platform:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The RH meeting was held last Thursday and discussed the KPIs for the main indicators related to Reproductive Health ▪ The key indicators were discussed and clarified and who are the agencies they should report on ▪ Partners were asked to fix the data on Activity Info ▪ Circulated the mapping tool and by end of the year it should be completed, to map every partner providing RH services (What and Where) ▪ Two coordination meetings in Azraq and Zaatari Camps were conducted, focusing on technical issues and referral mechanism between partners. ▪ WHO donated PEP Kits, any partner can approach to have the kits. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The MHPSS is hosting the first psychosocial support forum on next Wednesday at Kempinski Hotel (31st Oct at 9 am) ▪ Reached out for many agencies to have mixture of NGOs from different sectors for wider audience to inform them about the ongoing activities of MHPSS and to discuss the challenges to have comprehensive picture from different sectors. (For mental health focused or non-mental health partners) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Oct meeting will be postponed till the beginning of Nov ▪ The updates will be shared by email <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ For the community health platform the partners are reviewing the 4W sheet and the TORs for the CHVs and not finalized yet ▪ IMC is co-chairing the platform with MEDAIR.
<p>Action Points</p>	<p>✓ N/A</p>

8. Proposed Assessments/Research	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - IRC in process of NCD in community health research for 2 and half years and has been submitted to MoH. - The sector ethical committee has already approved the project. Waiting for approval from MOH - ACF is planning for rapid assessment of mental health in Azraq Camp and town. - WHO: Burden of tobacco in Jordan Assessment (one year project)
Action Points	✓ N/A

9. AOB	
	N/A
Action Points	✓ Next HSWG meeting will be on 29 th Nov (venue to be confirmed later)