

Uganda – Child Protection Sub-Working Group Meeting Minutes



Psychosocial needs and reopening of CFSs plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - CFS TF has drafted a first guidance note for a potential reopening of Child Friendly Spaces which was presented by the co-chair; - Comments to be included: - Note should include clear guidance on # of children allowed for group activities; - Review document in line with education WG and guidance on school openings - Include clear information in separate section to outline needs required including temperature gun, recording of cases and use of PPE - Outline list of activities that will be maintained and those that are on halt despite reopening; - PPE limited to masks for children at CFS. This measure alone may not be sufficient to prevent COVID-19 transmission; - Guidance note should be a living document that should be updated with any other key guidelines that Ministry of Education and Sports; - Reflect also on on-going home learning practices - Need to reflect on other PSS activities and amendments of staffing and resources allocated to CFSs (what is staff doing and can and how do they support with additional PSS activities, as well as sensitization/ awareness); - Suggestion to add check lists for CFS agencies prior to reopening - 	<p>Actors are encouraged to review the guidance note and to provide feedback and look into resources/ reopening prior to reopening;</p> <p>Particularly CFS actors should review note and provide feedback to Charles (SCI) and Lydia (WVI)</p>	
Quarantine centers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - More information should be obtained from partners on situation of children in quarantine centers - Overall guidance follows family unity principles; for cases where the entire family is admitted and identified with COVID19 all family members should be admitted jointly, however for families where children/ parents are not confirmed positive with COVID19, further guidance needs to be provided; - Draft guidance note was requested (in line with CPWG’s guidance on alternative care/ children placed under institutional care); this will need to outline how children are cared for if they are quarantined themselves or if parents have been quarantined; this should be in line with age and gender related aspects and guiding principles; - Need to bring together MGLSD staff to participate and validate the guidance note; 	<p>Members to share interest to join a small task team to draft this note</p> <p>Need to meet with Health colleagues to ensure alignment with MoH standards and to ensure CP is mainstreamed</p>	
Review and presentation of Case Management Guidance or COVID19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - First draft was circulated - Aim of the note is to guide all sector members who provide case management services on general principles and considerations; - Note includes also annexes on case prioritization and guidance when case management procedures will be applicable by agencies; 	<p>Feedback by members by Friday 12 June to UNHCR co-chair Sophie</p>	
Activities Planned for the Day of the African Child	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Date 16 June; - National theme: ‘Access to comprehensive CP services during COVID19’; concept note from MGLSD to be shared soonest by Agnes Wasike (CPWG coordinator for national system) - CPSWG members will follow the national theme; 	<p>Field-based coordinators to meet with relevant actors in the field and to fill</p>	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Several field-based coordination groups have already met and outlined a few possible activities - Main activities link to digital platforms, social media, radio shows, artwork in small scale groups, etc.; - Need for guidance on how to engage with children in social media; 	<p>the attached activity calendar for the DAC</p> <p>Please share feedback on activities by 10 June</p>	
Summary of Action Points	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Impact analysis of COVID19 on Child Protection – 10 June - Day of African Child activities calendar – theme at national level: ‘Access to comprehensive Child Friendly Services during COVID19 Pandemic’ - 10 June 2020 to co-chairs (compilation at field CPSWG level) - Guidance Note on potential reopening of CFSs - CFS TF co-chairs will circulate to members of the CFS TF - COVID19 CP remote case management guidance - 12 June 2020 to Sophie/ UNHCR - Partners to share CP CM and documentation forms currently in use - Pending action – please share asap 	All members	
Next Meeting			
Date	<i>18 June 2020</i>	Location	<i>Teams Meeting</i>
Chair	<i>UNHCR/ UNICEF</i>		