

Task Force on Protection from Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (PSEA)

Action Plan August/December 2022

(English version)

Area	Activities	Timeline	Responsible actors
Setting the foundations	Each member organization to appoint a PSEA Focal Point who will participate in the Task Force activities	Immediate	All members
	Development and endorsement of PSEA Task Force Terms of Reference and Action Plan	August 2022	All members
	Development and endorsement of common PSEA Focal Points Terms of Reference	September 2022	All members
Management, Coordination and Capacity Building	Make relevant resources available in the PSEA Task Force Sharepoint, ¹ including for example Codes of Conduct, policy documents, training materials, assessments, etc.	Ongoing	All members
	Provide support on PSEA to Task Force member organizations who need capacity building (e.g. in-person/online trainings, presentations, awareness sessions, peer exchange) and support in establishing or strengthening internal policies	Ongoing	All members, on request at PSEA Task Force meetings
	Participation in the activities of, and ensuring coordination with, other relevant working groups and actors, including but not limited to the Protection and Inclusion Working Group, the Child Protection Sub-Working Group, and the Task Force on Trafficking in Persons	Ongoing	PSEA Task Force Coordinator, and members of the PSEA Task Force as per own organizational expertise and priorities
	In coordination with relevant actors and experts, facilitate thematic discussions on agreed-upon topics that are relevant to PSEA	Ongoing	PSEA Task Force Coordinator, on topics agreed upon with members

¹ For access to the SharePoint of the PSEA Task Force please contact the PSEA Task Force Coordinator (Anna Turus, turusa@unhcr.org)



Engagement with communities	In coordination with Protection and Community Based Protection actors, conduct risk communication and community engagement activities, sensitization and awareness-raising on PSEA, especially in high-risk areas (for example, accommodation and transit shelters)	Ongoing	All members to share information on activities, results and challenges at PSEA Task Force meetings
	In coordination with Protection and Community Based Protection actors, consult affected populations on effective and preferred information-sharing strategies and reporting mechanisms	Ongoing	All members to share information on activities, results and challenges at PSEA Task Force meetings
Response	Joint mapping of complaint and feedback mechanisms in Slovakia (for SEA and beyond), to identify and cover gaps	Immediate	All members to share information on available and planned complaint and feedback mechanisms
	Support relevant actors and Working Groups in the mapping of referral pathways for assistance and support accessible to SEA victims	Ongoing	PSEA Task Force Coordinator, PSEA Task Force members according to area of expertise and priorities
	Establish an inter-agency Community-Based Complaint Mechanism (CBCM) by linking the PSEA Task Force members' complaints and feedback mechanisms in a shared directory	Once mapping is completed	All members
	Incorporate existing referral pathways into the inter-agency CBCM to provide immediate assistance and support for complainants and survivors of SEA	Once mapping is complete	All members
Monitoring and Reporting	Inclusion in the Refugee Response Plan (RRP) of agreed-upon PSEA-specific indicator(s) at country level for Slovakia	October 2022	All members (including non-RRP members)
	Track implementation of PSEA Task Force Action Plan, revise as required	December 2022	All members