Minutes of IM Working Group

Date of Meeting: 13 July 2022, 2pm to 3 pm CET

Location: Online via Teams

Chair: UNHCR

Agenda

1. Introductions, new people to the group, welcome new full time IM for UNHCR
2. Update on MSNA, training to starting this week with data collection getting under way next week.
3. Update on efforts for data on accommodation, Site monitoring, new version to share.
4. Update on meeting with the National Statical office of Slovakia
5. Update on 5Ws, (thank you to all who replied)
6. Any other business.

Introductions and welcome new people

Several new colleagues joined who gave their introductions. The chair also welcomed Carmen Garcia who is the new full time IMO for UHNCR.

MSNA Update

Reach is starting the training on Wednesday 13th July and Thursday 14th July in Prešov. They will run a pilot for MSNA on Friday (15/07) in the following locations. They aim to have 11 enumerators in total.

- 1 enumerator in Banska Bystrytia
- 1 enumerator in Zilina
- 2 enumerators in Bratislava (including one senior enumerator)
- 2 enumerators in Presov
- 5 enumerators in Kosice (including one senior enumerator)

IOM and UNHCR will also have enumerators, with UNHCR having a meeting with IOM on Friday to discuss locations that each agency should cover.

The aim is to do data collection for 3 weeks July 18 – August 5, but this may be extended a week. The aim is to have initial finding by first week in September.

Accommodation Data

UNHCR outlined how currently they do not have a full list of accommodation sites but are working with government to put this together. UNHCR also asked if partners could add to the list of accommodation sites of more than 10 people to try and put together the most complete list possible.

Site Monitoring

New version of site monitoring tool is now developed, with the aim of Site collection to start week of the 25th of July. UNHCR, IOM and Reach will be collecting the data, and will be working together to ensure there is no duplicate side on collection.
5Ws

UNHCR thanked all who had submitted for June, and the updated dashboard will be published by Saturday 16th July. It was also suggested for a workshop towards the end of July to help train up partners on how to best fill in the 5Ws.

Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic (SoSR).

UNHCR gave an update on the meeting, where both agencies gave an overview of the work both are doing. As part of the SoSR briefing they highlighted the support and work IOM was helping with them. They were invited to take part in the IM WG and look at options to work together on access to the data to help with population data to aid sampling. Very positive meeting overall.

Additional Items

UNHCR asked at next meeting if anyone would like to present items they are working on, recent reports or dashboards developed to let Carmen and John know so they can add it to the agenda for next meeting.

IOM was asking if they could get the different 5Ws for the region and UNHCR Slovakia said they will send on the current template used.