



Minutes of Meeting Inter-Agency Working Group (IAWG)

Meeting Location	Remotely Via Zoom	Meeting Date	11 August 2023
Chairperson(s)	Dr. Ola Boutros – Lebanon Crisis Response Plan (LCRP) General Supervisor (Ministry of Social Affairs - MOSA) Michael Schaadt - Senior Inter-Agency Coordinator (UNDP)	Meeting Time	10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.
Minutes Prepared by	Jana Nasr, Senior Inter-Agency Coordination Assistant (UNHCR)	Meeting Duration	2.00 hrs.
Participants	Annex 1		
Agenda	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Opening Remarks 2. Mid-Year Update 3. Solar Energy Across Sectors 4. Integrated Phase Classification (IPC) – Food Security Analysis 5. AOB: Protection Resources and Standards 		

1. Opening Remarks

Dr. Ola Boutros, LCRP General Supervisor (MoSA)

In her opening remarks Dr. Boutros highlighted the following points:

- Unfortunate events related to the Ein El Helwe clashes that took place.
- Internal Security Forces (ISF) published a report on the level of crime in the country for the first half of 2023 nothing a 38 per cent decrease compared to 2022.
- Stability and security in Lebanon remain essential despite everything.

2. Mid-Year Update

Michael Schaadt - Senior Inter-Agency Coordinator (UNDP)

Regarding the mid-year update, Michael mentioned that:

- The Sector Coordination Teams worked on updating their dashboards and logframes which are expected to be published by 15 August 2023.
- The Joint Technical Task Force (JTF) and Steering Committee (SC) are planned to take place in September 2023.
- Key sectoral challenges from the mid-year review:
 - Limited funding is coupled with increased needs.
 - Rising costs of various goods, including food items, transportation, and rent.
 - Disrupted education, both within the sector and across other sectors.
 - Need for an effective response, especially for waterborne disease outbreaks.
- The mid-year dashboard on the LCRP support to Lebanese has been published and shows substantial support provided under various sectors including Basic Assistance, Education, Food Security and Agriculture, Health, Livelihoods, Nutrition, Protection, Shelter, Social Stability, and Water.

Mid-Year Update on LCRP Support to Lebanese Dashboard – 2023 in [Arabic](#) and [English](#).

Faisal Al Fakeeh, Associate Information Management Officer (UNHCR – Inter-Agency)

For the funding update, Faisal highlighted that:

- The current draft version of the funding update indicates that 23 per cent of the requested \$3.6 billion has been received, which is about \$816 million.



- The funding includes 12.6 per cent received funds, 10.10 per cent carry-over from the previous year and multi-year project funds. The gap is 77 per cent.
- Compared to the previous year's available fund, the current quarter's received fund is higher.
- Most sectors are below 50 per cent, with Child Protection at 50 per cent, Water at 39 per cent, and Education at 36 per cent.
- Underfunded sectors include Energy at 2%, Nutrition at 7%, and Shelter at 9%.
- A comparison between Q1 and Q2 showed significant changes in the Water sector's reported fund, with an emphasis on protection-related funding improvements.
- Transparency in reporting funding is essential for effective planning and accountability.

3. Solar Energy Across Sectors

Mohammad Nasser, Information Management Officer (UNDP)

Regarding solar energy across sectors, Mohammad explained that:

- The solar mapping dashboard aims to unify various solar initiatives' data points in a comprehensive visualized format.
- Initiatives are categorized into water-related (WASH) and non-water projects (energy).
- The dashboard is interactive, allowing users to filter by sector, governorate, and more.
- An integrated map displays the locations of initiatives, along with relevant details.
- The dashboard is continuously being improved, and the aim is to incorporate additional sectors like education and health.
- The mapping will be framework-neutral and extend beyond the LCRP, aligning with future strategies/initiatives.
- The guidelines on cross-sectoral reporting, including the solarization component, are being developed and will be shared once finalized.

4. Integrated Phase Classification (IPC) – Food Security Analysis

Parodie Karamanoukian, Food Security and Agriculture Sector Coordinator (WFP)

For the IPC food security analysis, Pardie provided an overview:

- The process involves building evidence-based technical consensus among key stakeholders by answering six key questions related to food security.
- The analysis is time-bound and categorizes food security into different phases, ranging from no food insecurity to famine.
- It was conducted in two rounds and involved representatives from various organizations, including ministries, UN agencies, and NGOs.
- It assessed the severity of food security among different population groups, including Lebanese residents, displaced Syrians, Palestine refugees in Lebanon, Palestinian refugees from Syria.
- The results of the analysis revealed that a significant percentage of the analyzed population, especially displaced Syrians, faced acute levels of food insecurity.
- The analysis also highlighted the causes of food insecurity, including inflation, currency depreciation, livelihood changes, and instability.
- The IPC analysis plays a key role in guiding interventions and programming to address food security issues in Lebanon.

5. AoB: Protection Resources and Standards

Afaf Khalil, Protection Sector Lead (MoSA)

Regarding protection resources and standards, Afaf introduced an upcoming event:

- The Protection Sector is holding a Joint Mainstreaming Online Presentation on Wednesday 23 August 2023 2:00 PM.



- The event is part of the Protection Mainstreaming Community of Practice fostering discussion and collaboration.
- It is an introduction to global and Lebanon specific tools on protection, gender, and disability mainstreaming.
- LCRP partners were encouraged to register for and attend the event.

Action Point:

The [Joint Mainstreaming Online Presentation](#) is take place on Wednesday 23 August at 2:00PM. Colleagues are encouraged to save the date and use this [Link to register](#). Resources can be found under Mainstreaming Resources and Tools <https://ialebanon.unhcr.org>.



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