

**Inter-Sector Working Group - Meeting Minutes**

<b>Location, Date &amp; Time</b>	Hybrid, Friday, 27 October 2023, from 11:00 to 12:030
<b>Facilitator</b>	Sebastiaan Der Kinderen
<b>Participants</b>	Basic Needs/ Ylenia Franco (UNHCR), Cash/Ahmad Zia Furmolloy, Horatiu Tatar (UNHCR) Razvan Cateriniuc (Red Cross), Crisis Anti-trafficking/ Mark Earl Ebling (IOM), Education/Tetyana Nikitina, Matthias Lansard (UNICEF), GBV/ Shiori Watanabe (UNHCR), Youth and Adolescents/ Ana-Iunona Mavlea (UNICEF), Livelihood/ Christian Renson (UNHCR), Protection/ Wendy Zillich, Pedro Munoz Alonso (UNHCR), Cristian Vlas (CNRR), Child Protection/ Danielle Beasley (UNHCR), Health/ Georgiana Afumateanu (WHO), IA/ Sean Patrick Moore, Ali Sonia Mohamed, Simina Costea, Rozita Roghani (UNHCR)
<b>Agenda</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Welcome and Introduction</li> <li>• Updated Population Figures</li> <li>• RRP 2024 – Process</li> <li>• Sectoral Updates</li> <li>• AoB/Reminder</li> </ul>
<b>Main Topic</b>	<b>Main Discussion and Action Points in Blue</b>
<b>Updated Figures</b>	<p><b>Figures:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Number of refugees from Ukraine in Romania approximately 85,200 which is 200 more compared to 2 weeks ago.</li> <li>• Number of Temporary Protection registered: 145,953 Unaccompanied Children: 1,461</li> </ul>
<b>RRP 2024 - Process</b>	<p><b>Tentative Timeline:</b></p> <p>21-25 September: Expression of Interest (Eoi) for appeals were sent.</p> <p>25 September: Share submission form</p> <p>25 September – 11 October: Final submission</p> <p>2- 20 October: Consultation on narrative and budget</p> <p>20 October: Budget submitted.</p> <p><b>2 November: First draft sector/ Inter-Sector chapters.</b></p> <p>8 November: Government consultation workshop</p> <p>10 November: Final chapter drafts</p> <p>13- 17 November: Final review (Government/ RRP Coordinator)</p> <p>20 November: Narrative submission</p> <p><b>08 November Working Session:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Venue: the Hilton Garden Inn Bucharest Old Town Time: 14:00 to 17:00</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participants: sector leads/co-leads and government counterparts</li> <li>• Line ministries will be invited.</li> </ul> <p><b>Format:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Inter-Agency to present the overall appeal for 30 minutes</li> <li>• Each sector to present the strategic priorities for 10 minutes + 5 minutes Q&amp;A</li> </ul> <p><b>PowerPoint Presentation:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>IA will share the format.</b></li> <li>• <b>Sectors to submit 2 slides by 2 November (One slide highlighting the 2024 priorities and one slide with some core aspects on measurement)</b></li> <li>• <b>IA will compile 3-6 November</b></li> <li>• <b>Fine-tune 7 November</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>Sectoral Updates</b></p>	<p><b><u>Child Protection SWG:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The RRP was presented during the last CPSWG meeting on 26 October 2023.</li> <li>• The last CPSWG meeting in 2023 is scheduled in November.</li> <li>• Suggestion is to combine CPSWG with PWG to get more participation as the same colleagues are attending both meetings. There is always possibility to establish ad hoc TF.</li> <li>• IA will share the idea with the UNHCR Representative as the Inter-Agency Coordinator.</li> <li>• There is always possibility to establish ad hoc TF.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Cash WG:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Last 3 days of registration for cash for protection until 31 October.</li> <li>• 6005 people have been assisted so far.</li> <li>• The transfer value eligibility criteria and the duplication will be discussed during the next CWG on 31 October.</li> <li>• <b>CWG will provide update on winterization during the next ISWG meeting.</b></li> </ul> <p><b><u>Basic Needs WG:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Winterization assessment will be launched next week with Save the Children.</li> <li>• Save the Children has accepted to be the co-lead of BNWG.</li> <li>• Save the Children’s assessment will be presented at the next BNWG.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Youth and Adolescents TF:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Sector Lead is ready to make a presentation on youth engagement tool for interested organizations. There is a need for support material for this purpose. This tool is a simplified needs assessment that can be used to engage with and gather information from adolescents.</li> <li>• Information Management WG can compile the data.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>GBV SWG:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Plans for the 16-days activism events (25 November to 10 December) aim at raising awareness about gender-based violence.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GBV SWG will disseminate messaging and possibly organize an event.</li> <li>• It is important to collaborate with various sectors, including the youth, and specific organizations like UNFPA, UNWOMEN, WHO, IOM and UNICEF.</li> <li>• The ToT is scheduled for local government actors on GBV case management on the first week of November. The eligibility criteria have been set to have at least 3 years of GBV experience. The members of GBV SWG will participate and it will be cascaded to other municipalities later.</li> </ul> <p><b>CRATTF:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• There will be an extraordinary Anti-Trafficking meeting on 31 October 2023. There were a lot of efforts to engage with other countries, particularly Moldova, following their previous invitation in June. The focus is on establishing ongoing collaborations with multiple countries. Representatives from the Moldova Anti-Trafficking Task Force are set to present during the hybrid meeting hosted at the eLiberare’s office in Bucharest on 31 October. There is an Open invitation to other working groups. If interested, contact Rozita at the IA to receive the link.</li> </ul>
<b>AoB/Reminder</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Coordination capacity workshop for sector leads and co-leads to share the best practices will take place on 24 November 2023 (full day). SLs to share their ideas for the workshop with Sean. Head of field offices will attend too.</li> <li>• Deadline to submit the Operational update: noon 31 October.</li> <li>• Deadline for reporting on Activity Info 3<sup>rd</sup> of each month</li> </ul>
<p><b>Next meeting</b>  <b>Date: Friday, 10 November 2023 from 11:00 to 12:30 Place: UNHCR Office in UN House, Teams link available</b></p>	