

## Points from NFIs coordination meeting on Wednesday, February 3, 4.00 pm

Present: UNHCR, SP, NRC, HRC

--- Common pipeline excel sheet is now being updated by UNHCR, SP, NRC, HRC and Caritas. SP will soon update the hygiene kits (backpacks) field: they have in stock around 1,000 but they need to count them by type (men, women, children). The dates updating system on google sheets was better clarified. Again, the link:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1rIGuZr3RRYc89igj73v4EiL-BZ7BAMEOp4zHA6dazmk/edit#gid=1667966474>

---SP will soon start receiving 500 HK (backpacks) per week - they explained they will distribute those only to vulnerable cases and they will keep giving out NRC HK in Souda regularly, as previously agreed with NRC and UNHCR.

---HRC distributes HK at the exit of Tabakika on Tuesdays and Fridays if needed, with the help of volunteers.

---6,000 UNHCR and SP blankets, new and laundered, are still stocked in Souda. SP suggests to distribute half of them, keeping the rest 3,000 in stock, and then proceed with NRC blankets. All blankets are medium thermal - SP's are a bit bigger and heavier. NRC agreed but expressed concerns about storage and future use of the remaining 3,000.

---HRC has also a stock of blankets - 640 of this is medium thermal, while another 1,200 is high thermal / emergency blankets. HRC does not have a distribution plan yet for the blankets - UNHCR suggested that the medium thermal blankets could be split in two and go to Dipethe and the Port, while high thermal / emergency blankets could go to the beaches or be distributed in some of the existing sites when the weather is really cold. Action: HRC to come up of a plan for blankets distribution.

---HRC is also expecting a big quantity of blankets in March and they are now see if they can cancel the shipment. SP also said they may receive more blankets in the future - they will come up with more info soon. NRC pointed out the awkward problem of having/expecting too many blankets on the island. NRC added they cannot cancel their order, as the consignment is already on the way and expected to reach Chios during the next week. (they purchase NFIs directly from Greece and they do not receive them through a centralised system). Action: HRC and SP to check about possibilities of cancelling the expected shipments of blankets.

---NRC reported that Port has enough stock of sleeping bags (by Caritas) and bottles of water, while in Tabakika the RHU is stored mainly with NRC blankets ready to be distributed, as well as with other UNHCR items.

---NRC suggested that coordination in regards to sharing information about local suppliers would be beneficial for all agencies. Other organization stated that their procurement system is centralized and usually from Athens with only small scale procurement in Chios. (regarding requested information from UNHCR regarding suppliers, but UNHCR confirmed that UNHCR system is centralised).

---Solution for custom clearance for the containers from Scotland not found yet.

---Questions were posed about Vial, but no info so far is available regarding NFIs distributions in the hot spot. UNHCR confirmed that, according to the Municipality, Souda will remain open for the following months.

---Thresholds on google docs were not discussed in detail, as there was not enough time. Action: UNHCR to sit with NRC and set final thresholds for Tabakika/Port and with SP for Souda/Dipethe.