

Sector Gender Focal Points Network Meeting Minutes

Date/time/venue Thursday 7 February, 2019, 11:30 - 13:30, UNHCR EMOPS Conference Room

Attendees Chair of the Network, Sector Gender Focal Points from Education, Health, Protection and WASH. Senior Gender Expert, Gender Focal Point from OCHA

1. Implementation of Gender with Age Markers (GAM)

The Chair briefed the SGFPN members on the plan, including timeline, of the GAM implementation. The SGFPs should become comfortable with the GAM tool by April when its implementation should officially begin, and it was suggested that they can begin training their own colleagues in their organization. It is noted that understanding the rationale behind the gender mainstreaming is particularly important when SGFPs are providing the GAM trainings to sector members. The discussion largely focused on the process of the GAM implementation at the operational and strategic level.

Action Points:

Responsible

Deadline

SGFPs to start preparing the GAM implementation in their respective sectors.

SGFPs

By April

2. 2019 Work Plan

The SGFPN discussed its 2019 work plan by looking at the draft with suggested changes such as the reinforcement of the monitoring and analysis and the inclusion of GAM. Inputs from SGFPs included a suggestion to ensure relevant trainings on gender in terms of their duration and content, and the incorporation of the Jordan Response Plan (JRP) and the Jordan Humanitarian Funds (JHF). Regarding the SGFPN structure, the issue on low attendance, the possibility of increasing SGFPs and the role of SGFPs were discussed. In the end, the contribution of each SGFP to the meeting agenda was suggested to enhance the network meetings and its collaboration.

Action Points:

Responsible

Deadline

SGFPs to provide comments on the draft of SGFPN Work Plan 2019

SGFPs

By March meeting

SGFPs to contribute to the meeting agenda

SGFPs

Regularly

The Chair to share the JHF information with SGFPs

Chair

ASAP

AoB

- **Next SGFPN meeting will be at 11:30-13:30, 7 March 2019/EMOPS Conference Room**