

Minutes: Moldova PSEA Network

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11.00 am, Virtual meeting
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Agenda

PSEA Network Agenda

- Mission Update and Dialogue
- Complaints Feedback Mechanism (CFM) Update and Plan for Community Consultations
- Translation Support Request
- Call for Applications from PSEA Outreach and Communications Fund
- Capacity Building and Training Update
- Self Assessment and Risk Assessment Plan
- Announcements and AOB



Summary of discussions and agreements/ action items

Agenda	Discussion	Agreements/ Actions
Complaints Feedback	During the past 2 weeks, the network established multiple SEA CFMs, including a	Established Complaints Feedback
Mechanism (CFM)	dedicated hotline, email, and online SEA self-report form. Through partner	Channels Include:
Update and Plan for	engagement and community consultations, these CFMs will be tested and	
Community	adapted.	Email: moldova.help@unhcr.org
Consultations		
	UNHCR carried out a training for green line operators on handling PSEA	Green line: 0 800 800 11
	disclosures, SEA reporting, protection referral mechanisms, and the use of an	
	online data protected SEA complaints form. Guidance and scripts have been	UNHCR Help Page:
	developed and will be continually updated and additional refresher trainings to	https://help.unhcr.org/moldova/report
	Green Line and other service providers and others who may receive disclosures	ingsea/
	will be provided.	
	PSEA posters with PSEA awareness messages and linking to SEA CFM	
	mechanisms were developed and printed. Posters are available in Russian,	
	Romanian, and Ukrainian and are being distributed across the country, including	
	cash sites. Connection was made with the WASH SWG for distribution, and it will	
	be mainstreamed to all the other working groups.	
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	PSEA coordinator highlights there is a need to test this CFMs mechanisms	
	through community consultations as PSEA awareness remains limited. Plan	
	International as co-chair of the network encourages all the members to do joint	
	advocacy efforts, to share the message on PSEA with every partner and also	
	promote more participation of local partners within the network.	
UN Special Coordinator	UNHCR together with the PSEA Network facilitated a high-level mission from	
on PSEA	June 14th-15th in Moldova. The visitors were Jane Holl Lute: Special Coordinator	
	on Improving UN Response to Sexual Exploitation and Abuse, Diane Goodman:	
	UNHCR's Senior Coordinator on PSEA and Sexual Harassment, Wendy Cue:	
	Senior Coordinator on Protection from SEA from OCHA, Eric Cottenoir: Senior	
	Political Affairs Officer from OSCSEA, and Sofian Mossallam: Special	
	Assistant/Political Affairs Officer from OSCSEA. Mission activities included a	



delegation and UN rep visit to Moldexpo cash, protection desk, blue dot, airlift, orange space, and other service sites; a joint PSEA Network and GBV and CP SWG presentation and dialogue comprised of UN agencies, INGOs, and 9 local organizations; and a meeting and dialogue with UNCT and UN agency reps.

During this last meeting, several questions were raised by the delegation with issues including family separation, situation of UASC, single headed households, amongst others. Plan International proposes to have a follow up conversation with the Delegation, because there was not enough time to deepen these discussions.

It also proposed to have a separate space with local partners to provide feedback on the mission and extend some of the discussions posed during the meeting. In lieu of a follow-up with the delegation, the PSEA Network will seek to arrange an ongoing joint space with GBV and CP SWG INGO and national partners where these issues can continually be discussed.

ICVA, Interagency PSEA community outreach communication fund.

Alon Plato from ICVA presented the PSEA fund. The fund was established in 2020, as an UNHCR and ICVA initiative, after it was identified there was a gap identified globally on PSEA outreach. Communities are generally not aware where to report SEA cases.

The fund consists of \$20,000 small rapid grants for local and national NGOs to create their own outreach communication on PSEA. The activities usually include a mix between PSEA, AAP and localization. In 4 to 5 months organizations can implement their projects in consultation with communities. The deliverables have to be open sourced online for the benefit of all working groups.

The call for application is opened <u>until June 30th</u> In august they are disposing the grants for the organization. Around 15 grants will be available.

Important points to be considered is that the application is only available in 3 languages (ENG, FR, SPA). This can limit the application of some local

The application form is:

https://forms.office.com/pages/respon sepage.aspx?id=Ln70_cqdYEm33kihFhH GnXGdJBckZS9JmR7oqe03eaRURjRWM koyV1FWVFhZQ0FOUTJSVDI0RkxYRS4u

Deadline of the applications on June 30th.

If you are interested or have any question please contact, Alon Plato, contact: Alon.Plato@icvanetwork.org or PSEAfund@icvanetwork.org or Kristin Schmitz, contact: schmitzk@unhcr.org



	organizations. If possible, it is important to support local organizations in this regard. The deliverables of the projects can be in any language . The fund is intended for local organizations and not intended for international NGOs.	Examples of past projects can be found here: Interagency PSEA Outreach Fund Project Summaries - ICVA (icvanetwork.org) & PSEA Community Outreach and Communication Fund Deliverables Database - ICVA
		(icvanetwork.org)
Capacity Building and	Last week, UNHCR, IOM and Plan International held a meeting to discuss details	
Training Update	on future trainings. There is a number of trainings in the pipeline, mainly on	If you have any question please
	PSEA awareness and training staff from partners organizations and service	contact, Kristin Schmitz, contact:
	providers. Discussions are ongoing regarding future planned training in Palanca	schmitzk@unhcr.org
	and Otaci.	
	If any organization would like to take part of the trainings, additional support is	
	welcome.	
Self-Assessment and	PSEA network coordinator is preparing a Self-Assessment survey for	
Risk Assessment Plan	organizations trying to understand their capacity and needs, in terms of SEA	
	response. This, as a previous step to the risk assessments.	
	Also, a desk review will be carried out analysing previous assessments, including	
	the safety audit carried out by the GBV SWG and other relevant reports.	
	Depending on	
AOB		