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**Minutes of the 14<sup>th</sup> Mhpss Sub-Working Group at Babel Day Centre**

Chaired by Nikos Gkionakis, Scientific Associate of Babel Day Centre

**Participants:** UNICEF, Solidarity Now, MSF-Fr, Praksis, Save the Children, Hellenic Red Cross, IRC, Society of Social Psychiatry and Mental Health, MmM Echo, KEELPNO, Babel Day Centre,

**Agenda:**

- 4Ws updating
- MHPSS services mapping
- Discussion on the creation of a specific referral pathway for MHPSS service
- Gaps and needs in the sites
- AOB

<b>Updates</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>KEELPNO:</b> The team of KEELPNO, which operates in Skaramaga site, is consisted of 1 paediatrician, 2 nurses, 2 psychologists, 1 social scientist, 1 social worker and 1 midwife. The psychologists conduct one-to-one sessions. KEELPNO team work in close cooperation with Red Cross in the site but still doesn't refer beneficiaries to other organizations. Interpreters are to be hired until then interpreters of Red Cross facilitate KEELPNO's team.</li><li>• <b>PRAKSIS:</b> Two mobile units operate in the center of Athens and two mobile units operating in Thessaloniki, consisted of 2 psychologists, 2 social workers, 1 lawyer and Farsi/Arabic interpreters in a daily base. The mobile unit provide psychosocial and legal support on the spot. Also another Medical Mobile Unit started operating in the center of Athens in a daily bases, consisted of 1 general doctor, 1 nurse, 1 social worker and 1 Arabic interpreter. The schedule of the locations for both teams is not fixed so it is changing every week. There is a child psychiatric section that operates in Exarheia, consists of two child psychiatrists and three</li></ul>
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	<p>psychologists and at present is only for internal use for the unaccompanied minors hosted in Praxis' accommodation centers.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MdM: MdM's staff has already prepared the reports for its beneficiaries in order to conduct a proper handover in case of a rapid and unannounced move of the population of Elliniko.</li> <li>• Babel Day Centre: Babel continues to conduct trainings on different issues.</li> <li>• Thiva site: No news for the population that will be moved to Thiva's site. IOM is responsible for the SMS.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MHPSS services mapping</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The list with the sites and the organizations that are responsible for assessing the MHPSS resources follows:  Skaramagas: IRC  Marathon Resort: Unicef through SN  Schisto: Save the Children  Malakasa: MSF- France  Elefsina: Unicef through SN  Elaionas: Praxis  Urban Setting: Solidarity Now  Public Services: Babel Day Centre  Ritsona: MSF-France  Lavrio: Red Cross</li> <li>• None of the organizations is responsible to gather information for <b>Elliniko</b> and <b>Rafina</b>.</li> <li>• Information are to be send to <a href="mailto:babel@syn-eirmos.gr">babel@syn-eirmos.gr</a> until 7<sup>th</sup> of April.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Referral pathway</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It is important to be conducted a discussion about the referral pathway among all the actors.</li> <li>• The questions on the information about the referral pathway are to be shared for comments. Comments are to be send until 30<sup>th</sup> of April.</li> </ul>

<b>AOB</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mdm underlined the need of psychiatric prescriptions to be very detailed in order to be clear for the nurses and the doctors that will follow the patients.</li> <li>• Also it is very important the beneficiaries to be very well informed about the side effects of the medications.</li> <li>• An informative letter will be send by Mdm to all the members of the MHPSS Sub-WG describing the above issues.</li> </ul>
<b>Update of the Assessment Sub-Working Group</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In the last meetings, it was discussed the tool that will be used for the assessment.</li> <li>• The need of involvement of more actors was underlined.</li> <li>• The next Assessment Sub-WG will take place on 5<sup>th</sup> April at 13:00 at Babel Day Centre.</li> </ul>
<b>Update of the Staff Care Sub-Working Group</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Difficulties on the definition of what staffcare includes were discussed.</li> <li>• The workplan of the WG was also discussed.</li> <li>• The next Staff Care Sub-WG will take place on 21<sup>st</sup> April at 11:00 at Babel Day Centre.</li> </ul>
<b>Agenda for next WG</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No agenda points were decided</li> <li>• AOB</li> </ul>

The next MHPSS WG meeting is going to take place on 7<sup>th</sup> of April at **09:30 -11:00** at **Babel Day Centre** (72 I.Drosopoulou St.).