

Child Protection sub-working Group Meeting Minutes

- **Date and time:** 14 May 2019 // 9:00-11:00
- **Location:** UNHCR Jordan Office EMOPS Meeting Room – Ground Floor
- **Participants:** Co-Chairs: UNICEF/ UNHCR; UNFPA, JRF, IOCC, MECI, TDHL, World Vision, ILO, IMC, Save the Children, War Child UK, IRC, Reclaim Childhood, UNHCR Mafrag Field Coordinator, Azraq CP co-chair; Seven Hills, NHF, UPP, Caritas, TdHI, DRC; Vento Di Terra; World Vision Germany;

Agenda:

- Update on OCHA JHF
- Update on Launch of national SOPs
- Referral Pathways update
- Feedback from field-based CP SWG coordination structures
- Updates from agencies
- YOUTH - Focus (2nd round): roll out of **Guidelines for working with and for Youth**
- Presentation by youth volunteer of JRF's Youth Project

Agenda Item	Discussion	Action Point	Responsible Agency
Update on OCHA JHF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CP SWG co-chairs have invited selected panel members to review the CP proposals (seven) under the OCHA Call for Proposal under the Jordan Humanitarian Fund • Co-chairs expressed great gratitude for active and professional participation of panel agencies and OCHA for their guidance; • 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OCHA will be replying back to agencies following an internal review of panel results and recommendations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OCHA/ co-chairs
Launch of national SOPs on family violence	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Under the leadership of NCFA, the national SOPs on Family Violence (including CP and SGBV) as well as the protocol for clinical management of rape were launched on 29 April 2019; • SOPs present a milestone in deriving to a country-wide system to respond to family violence and to ensure case share properly followed up and documented; • Request from members to present a short outline of the national SOPs • The translated Referral Pathways will be added as an annex to the SOPs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Co-chairs to liaise with NCFA to present at the CPSWG; • SOPs to be presented either in June or July 2019 • SOPs will be uploaded on the CP portal page: Child Protection SWG in Jordan: https://data2.unhcr.org/en/working-group/71?sv=4&geo=36 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Co-chairs

<p>Referral Pathways update</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Field coordinators to kindly review current referral pathways and to update until 09 June 2019 Current version to be accessed and modified by field coordinators (separate email will be shared and updated version will be placed online end of each quarter (next updated version 30/06/2019) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Co-chairs to share editable link with field coordinators and ensure updates are received; 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Co-chairs
<p>Feedback from field-based CP SWG coordination structures</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Current field-based contact list will be circulated asap with all members; Amman/ South CPSWG structures have been under discussion with relevant chairs of coordination groups; in absence of a dedicated CPSWG coordination structure, ad interim, UNHCR Amman/ South staff will represent CPSWG related concerns and follow up on Information Management and CM structures; further discussion on the Amman/South coordination to be held; Mafraq Coordination: plan to establish a CP SWG which shall be merged with the recently established SGBV SWG; current review of Referral Pathways is ongoing and to be finalized soon; Irbid: was not present at national CPSWG meeting; Increase of CP actors in Irbid governorates triggered recently a coordination structure was established for case coordination and referrals of CP and SGBV cases (chaired by UNHCR); updates to be received regularly; Azraq SWG; completing gap analysis drafting as well as other IM tools (5Ws, Referral Pathways); child labour will be addressed in some of the upcoming CPSWG meetings in Azraq and knowledge of IMC and UNICEF who worked extensively on an improved system of knowledge generation will be presented; another topic of concern is the current alternative care project in Azraq camp that was suggested to be presented at one of the SWG meeting at national level; Zaatari Camp: IMC is no longer chairing the CPSWG in Zaatari that was jointly held with the SGBV actors under the leadership of NHF; current role as co-chair was taken over by UNHCR until selection of a co-chair is finalized in June; current work relates mostly to the finalization of the gap analysis; reviewing inter-setoral linkages and prevention activities on child labour; next SWG will be done jointly with the Youth TF in ZC and will address child labour as well as sexual harassment; 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Co-chairs finalized the list of current focal points in the different locations, see attached Field-based SWG chairs/ co-chairs are encouraged to attend regularly the national SWG meeting and to brief on changes, activities and challenges on coordination; 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> UNHCR
<p>Updates from agencies</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> TdHL has shared that their internal Child Labour Situation analysis has been finalized with clear recommendation on programmatic needs and interventions WAR CHILD UK: through VOICE MORE project, adolescent girls groups also identified child labour as a core child protection concern and have requested follow up meetings with Camp Management (meeting was moved to June 2019) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Co-chairs to prepare for child labour focused SWG ILO to share invitation (shared by UNHCR co-chair on 23/05/2019) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Co-chairs to follow up

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ILO: informed about the WORLD DAY AGAINST CHILD LABOUR (12 June); members are invited to attend celebration; 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussion on upcoming World Day against Child Labour on 12 June with invitation disseminated by ILO); • Next SWG meeting will again look at child labour with a presentation by TDHL on their situation analysis; agreement on sectoral indicators, etc. invitation to be sent ahead of time; 	
<p>Roll-out of the Youth Guidelines on Working with and for Youth in humanitarian settings</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation by UNFPA and short wrap-up of last CPSWG meeting presentation on the Global Compact on Youth led by UNFPA and IFRC at global level; see attached presentation by UNFPA; • Attached draft Guidelines for Working with and for Young People in Humanitarian Settings • Compact recommended guidelines to be established on how to work with and for youth in humanitarian settings to exist as guiding guidelines (IASC guidelines); will form first of its kind; • Roll-out in Jordan is led by UNFPA (Leana Islam - lislam@unfpa.org) and NRC (Emma Bonar - emma.bonar@nrc.no); for more information or presentation needs to interested agencies, kindly contact Leana and Emma directly; • Secretary General’s Envoy on Youth will be in Jordan for four days to discuss youth interventions where the roll-out will be part of the discussion; for further information see: https://www.un.org/peacebuilding/policy-issues-and-partnerships/policy/youth • Timeline for agencies piloting the roll-out of the guidelines: end of 2019; • CPSWG indicators to be reviewed relating to youth; 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interested agencies will read the document, discuss internally and get back to CPSWG co-chairs with their interest; • Workshop to introduce the Compact as a whole to actors working in Jordan will be held on the 11th June (tentative date) where UNFPA/ NRC will reflect on the localization process as well as relevant information for the sectors; • Following the workshop a separate meeting will be held organized by the CPSWG co-chairs with interested agencies; • Additional Youth related documents are attached • Stronger inter-sectoral linkages to be established between CP, SGBV, livelihood and education; 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Co-chairs and UNFPA

<p>JRF presentation on the Youth Camp</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • JRF Youth volunteer from Sudan presented their youth-focused project: youth empowerment project (thorough selection process – this year 700 youth applied for the youth camp) • Component consist of three main activities: Youth Peer Educators Training: total number of 20 youth (10 in Amman, 4 in Karak, and 6 in Aqaba), ages between 18 – 25, attended a 5-day training camp that focuses on a number of topics, not limited to: youth-friendly communication and engagement skills; child protection concepts; needs assessment techniques and approach; facilitation skills; team building, and child development. • Following, the youth will conduct a basic assessment targeting a total of 120 adolescents (40 Amman, 40 Karak, 40 Aqaba), and 60 parents (20 Amman, 20 Karak, 20 Aqaba) to identify and discuss the main Child Protection concerns based on which the youth groups are provided with support to establish tools to address those concerns/ risks; before developing the tools, selected youth undergo a specialized workshop for the period of 3 days, on different topics, including: Training on youth-friendly tools, project development; quality of tools, planning for quality- testing; evaluating and modifying the tools. • The tools will vary between mobile applications, interactive protection games, and others. • A final workshop in which the youth will present their tools will be facilitated. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation attached 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • JRF/ UNHCR
<p>Vacancy announcement</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See attached to the email – Vacancy for a UNHCR CP/ SGBV position based in Mafrag; 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Co-chair to disseminate the advertisement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UNHCR

Next Meeting: Tuesday, 11 June EMOPS Room, 9-11 am @ UNHCR Jordan Office, Khalda, Amman

As of July, CPSWG meetings will be held at UNICEF until the end of 2019 (usual schedule every 2nd Tuesday a month)