

Podkarpackie Coordination Group (PCG)

Witamy Wszystkich - Welcome Everyone



Welcome and Introductions

Bryant Castro - UNHCR Inter-Agency Coordination Officer, Rzeszow

- *Please feel free to ask questions and engage in either English or Polish*
- *Deposit the translation audio equipment at the corner of table when the meeting ends*



Opening Remarks and Updates from the Governor's Office

Representative of Podkarpackie Voivodeship



Review Last Meeting's Action Points

Bryant Castro - UNHCR Inter-Agency Coordination Officer, Rzeszow

Action Points Status

#	Action Point	Status	Outcome
1	Updated child protection referral pathway	Complete	Shared with PCG members
2	Operational meeting on improving assistance to Romani community	Scheduled	UNHCR, Sr. Protection Officer to facilitate workshop Thursday, 2 Feb at Protection Hub, 10am. Invites to be sent.
3	Next Lubaczów Cross-Border meeting facilitated by Folkowisko Foundation	TBD	Pending final date as ongoing discussions.
4	PCPM providing cash for work support for volunteer mobilization	Complete	Link was shared; but verify if feedback was provided?
5	Revised criteria for AirBnB by IOM	Complete	IOM contact information shared for referrals
6	Establish sub-regional protection forum	Pending	Agreed for ad-hoc, task specific meeting. See Romani workshop & UNHCR CBP Officer to facilitate workshop on Harmonization of Information Provision at Reception Points, Shelters, Community Centers, etc. Date TBD
7	Request to discuss education in PCG	Complete	Discussion to be led by PSAR today

UNHCR Protection Overview

Richard Sollom – UNHCR Sr. Protection Officer

Protection Presentation Content

Under Review – to be uploaded shortly

Przemyśl Situation Update

Tesco Center Update – Maciej Maruszak / Alicja Bobola - PCK Podkarpackie
Przemyśl Meeting Outcomes – Bryant Castro, UNHCR IA Coordination Officer



Humanitarian Aid Center in Przemyśl (CPH)

Situation on 1 MARCH 2022



Humanitarian Aid Center in Przemyśl



Every day, 25-35 employees/volunteers work at CPH

Assistance in CPH includes:

- accommodation for 48h
- hot meals
- medical assistance
- psychological assistance
- hygiene products
- Clothes
- Kindergarten
- information about further travel



Humanitarian Aid Center in Przemyśl

5 July 2022 - Polish Red Cross became the main volunteer coordinator

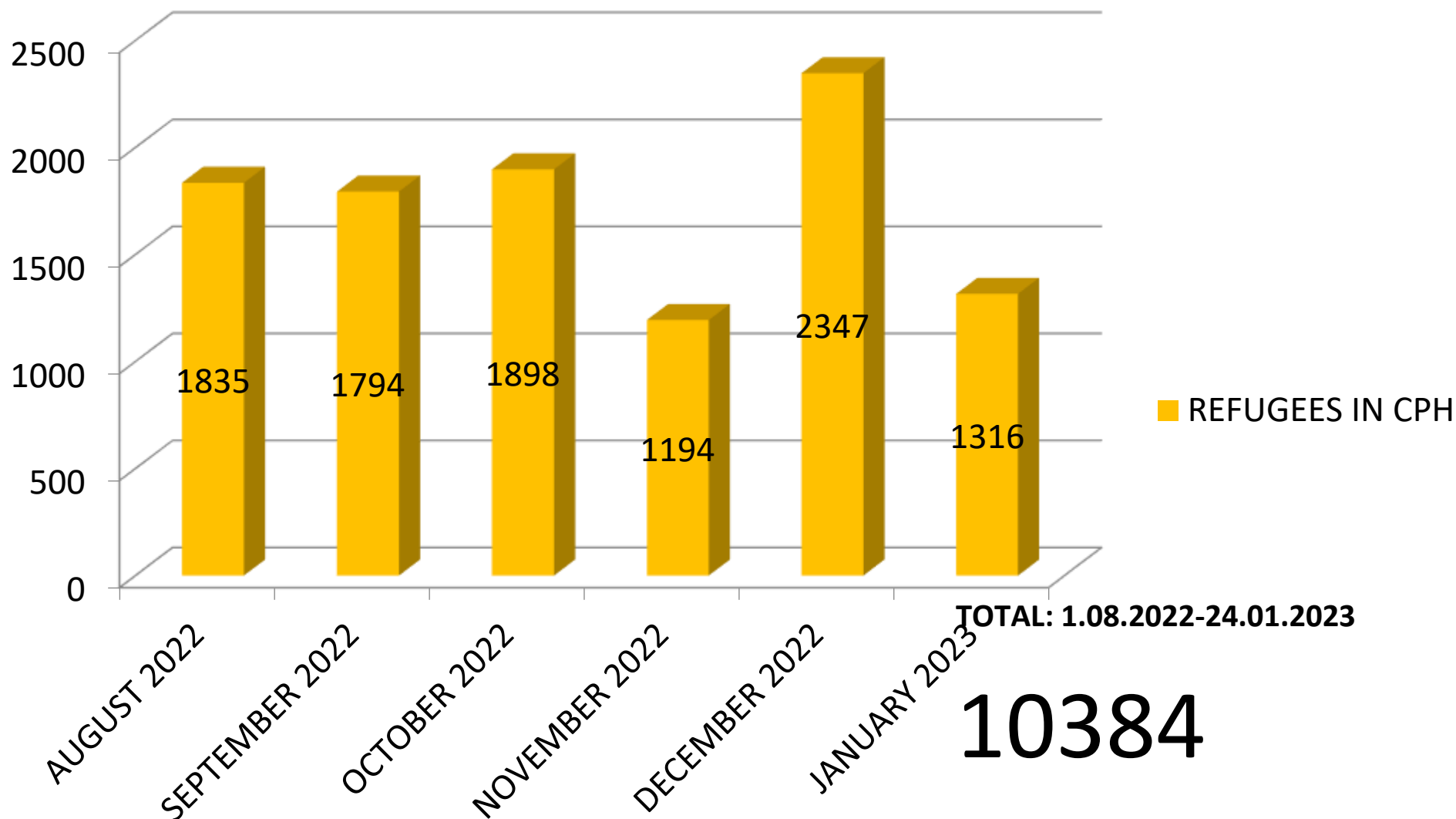


Organizations working at CPH:

- PCK
- Unicef
- UNHCR
- MEDAIR
- OXFAM
- Fundacja Ocalenie
- IOM
- Alight
- Soleterre



Humanitarian Aid Center in Przemyśl



Humanitarian Aid Center in Przemyśl



Thank You



Przemyśl Reception Point Meeting with Municipal Authorities

Purpose:

- Update on situation and coordination at the Train Station Reception Point
- Discuss closing and transition plan for Tesco (CPH), opening of Bilana 2
- Share the jointly drafted Train Station contingency response plan

Attendees: Municipality of Przemyśl representatives, Polish Red Cross, IOM, Medair, CORE, Hope Foundation, All Hands & Hearts and UNHCR

Meeting Outcomes

- Bi-weekly Przemyśl humanitarian coordination meeting
 - Co-facilitated by Municipality of Przemyśl and UNHCR
 - Train Station & shelters include - Tesco, Bilana, Hope Foundation & Ukrainian House
 - Proposed date Feb 8 or 9 (TBD)
- Draft Tesco transition plan and share on above meeting for feedback
 - Prepared by the Municipality of Przemyśl and PCK
- Attendees provide list of available support for Bilana
 - Provide inputs to Bryant by 30 January for consolidation
- Municipal inputs to Train Station contingency plan and finalization

All Hands and Hearts

Aleksandra Białkowska – Community Coordinator

Ana Pardo – Project Manager





All Hands and Hearts



2022-2023



All Hands and Hearts Organizational Overview

Who We Are



Mission

All Hands and Hearts efficiently and effectively addresses the immediate and long-term needs of communities impacted by disasters.

Vision

Through volunteer and community engagement we aim to help families recover faster after disasters using our “smart response” strategy - the 4Rs.



Demolition and Deconstruction



Chainsawing



Mucking and Gutting

Building Resilient Communities

We work closely with our partners to respond effectively to the disaster before transitioning to long-term rebuild projects identified as being most critical. We support the building of inclusive, safe, resilient infrastructures in all of the communities we work in to help people recover and mitigate the risks of future disasters.

The work activities vary depending on the type of disaster and location. [See our current programs and work >](#)



Renewal Projects



Roof Repair



School Rebuild

22

COUNTRIES SERVED

315

SCHOOLS COMPLETED

62K+

VOLUNTEERS

131

DISASTER PROGRAMS

1.2M Lives Impacted

21

We operate immediate response and long-term recovery programs all over the world to support communities affected by hurricanes, earthquakes, typhoons, tornadoes and other natural disasters.

Now, for the first time we are running a program that responds to a military conflict and is situated in a European country.

116K+

CHILDREN BACK TO SCHOOL

21

144

VOLUNTEER NATIONALITIES

95¢

OF EACH DOLLAR DONATED
SPENT ON PROGRAMS

21

21

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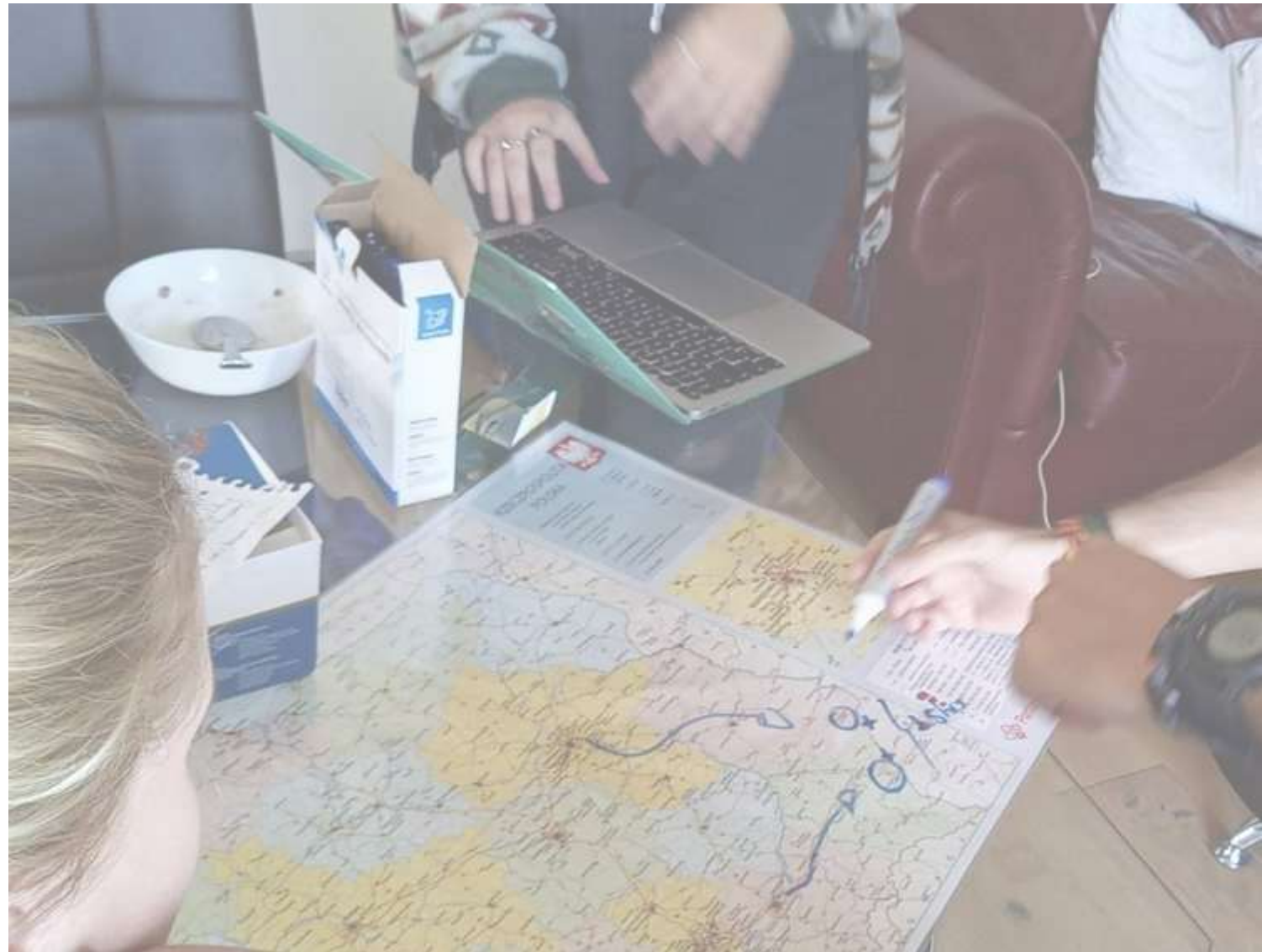


DART - Why Poland

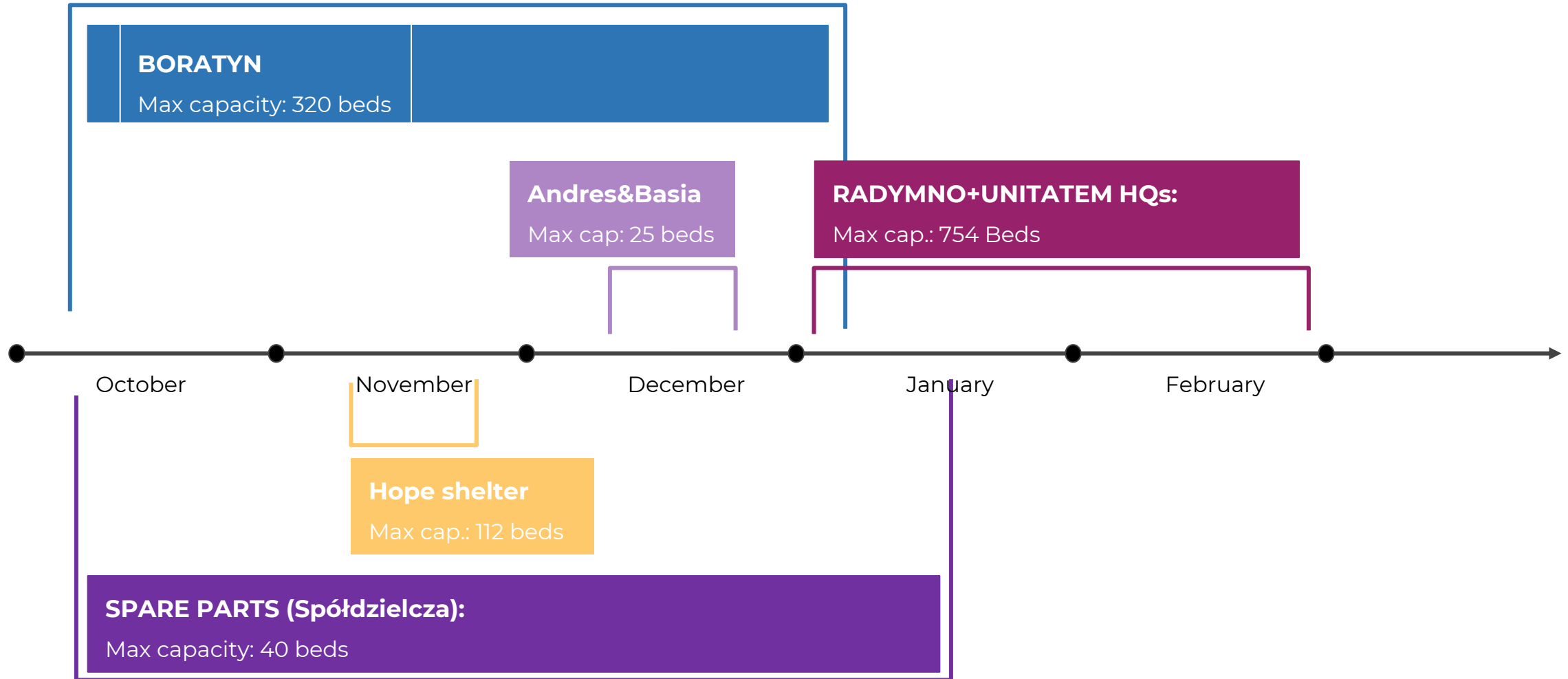
In August/September **Disaster Assessment Response Team** recognized needs in different locations in southern Poland, such as:

- repairing and refitting shelters
- expanding capacity
- improving quality of operating shelters
- community engagement

The team identified partners to collaborate with in Podkarpackie area and proceeded to set the program up in this area of Poland.



Projects in the Podkarpackie area



Boratyn

Max cap 320pp

INSULATING the 600 m2 of ceiling surface

PAINTING the whole attic space 400m2

FLOORING installation

SHELVES building

In partnership with



Collaborated to do:

- Electrical installation
- Heating of the attic
- Window installation



Spółdzielcza

Max cap 40pp

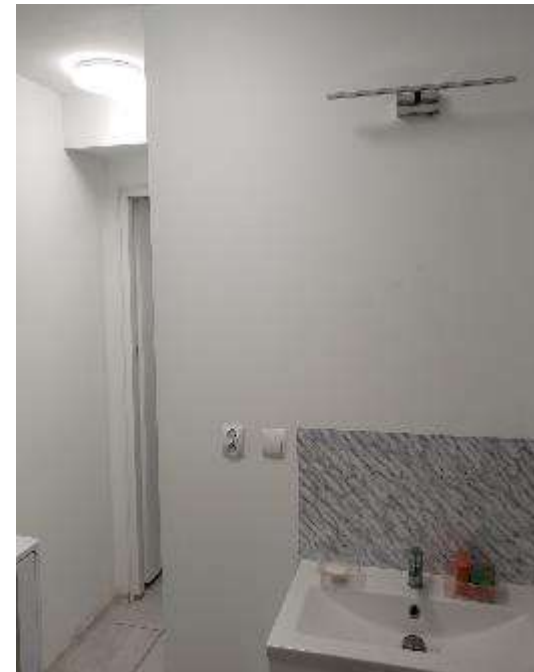
BUILDING OF:

- 3 New bathrooms (Men's, women's and Accessible)
- New kitchen

PAINTING communal areas

Collaborated to do:

- Plumbing installation
- Response



Radymno + Unitatem HQs

Max cap 750pp

RENOVATION of 4 kitchens in total:

- Tiling
- Painting
- kitchen cabinets installation

PAINTING the communal areas at Radymno

In partnership with



RADYMNO



UNITATEM HQs

Hope shelter

Max cap 120pp

Finished

INSTALLING kitchen cabinets

BUILDING shelves for storage

Collaborated to

-Assembling bunk beds



Przemyśl

Max cap 20pp

Finished

PAINTING rooms and communal
areas

BUILDING bunk beds and
shelving and partition walls for
bathrooms



Medyka

In progress

Supporting IOM
Preparing winter kits



Thank you
Dziękujemy
Дякую



All Hands and Hearts

PSAR Update and Discussion on Education

Jan Marković - Podkarpackie Stowarzyszenie dla Aktywnych Rodzin
(PSAR)



School That Connects project and the challenges in education

Podkarpackie Stowarzyszenie dla Aktywnych Rodzin (PSAR)



Project Goals:

- Improving teachers' competences in the field of work in a multicultural environment
- Developing children's emotional competences, conflict resolution skills
- Improving communication between parents, teachers and children



Characters



Taras: 12-years-old, arrived in May 2022, 2 younger siblings, causes problems in Polish school (aggression)

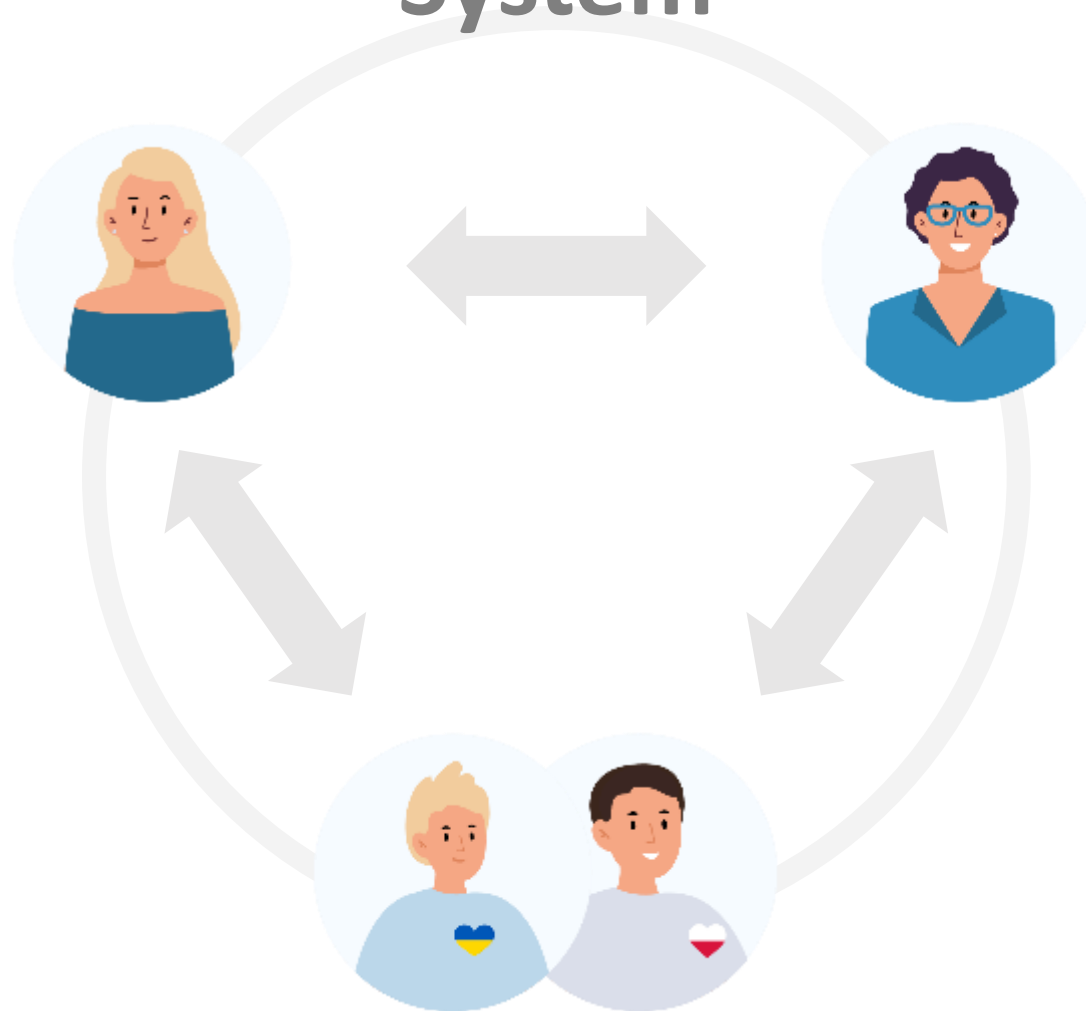


Marina: Taras's mom, was a clerk in Ukraine, works in a shop, on weekends extra job, often away for 11-12 hours a day

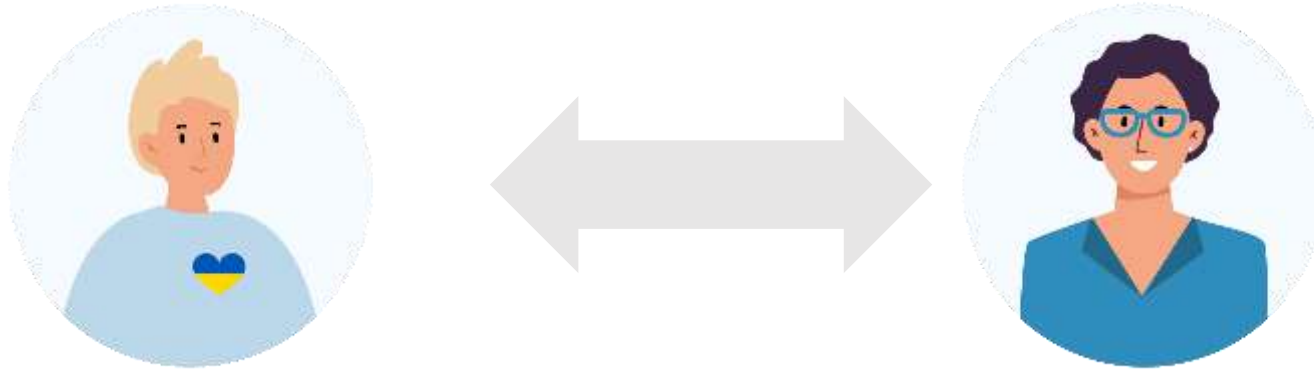


Joanna: Polish teacher, has 3 Ukrainian students in her class, including Taras

System



Students – Teachers



Language barrier

UA students' belief it's temporary

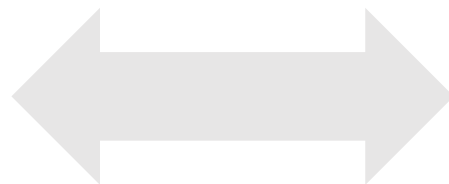
Idealization of Ukrainian schools

Teachers' lack of experience

Problems with student behavior

Problems with teachers' response

Teachers – Parents



Language barrier

Interpretation issues

**Lack of understanding
of Polish education system**

Students – Parents



Lack of contact / feeling of being neglected

Children as substitute parents

**Non-constructive expectations towards children
(high responsibility, no crying, aggressive defense)**

Students – Students



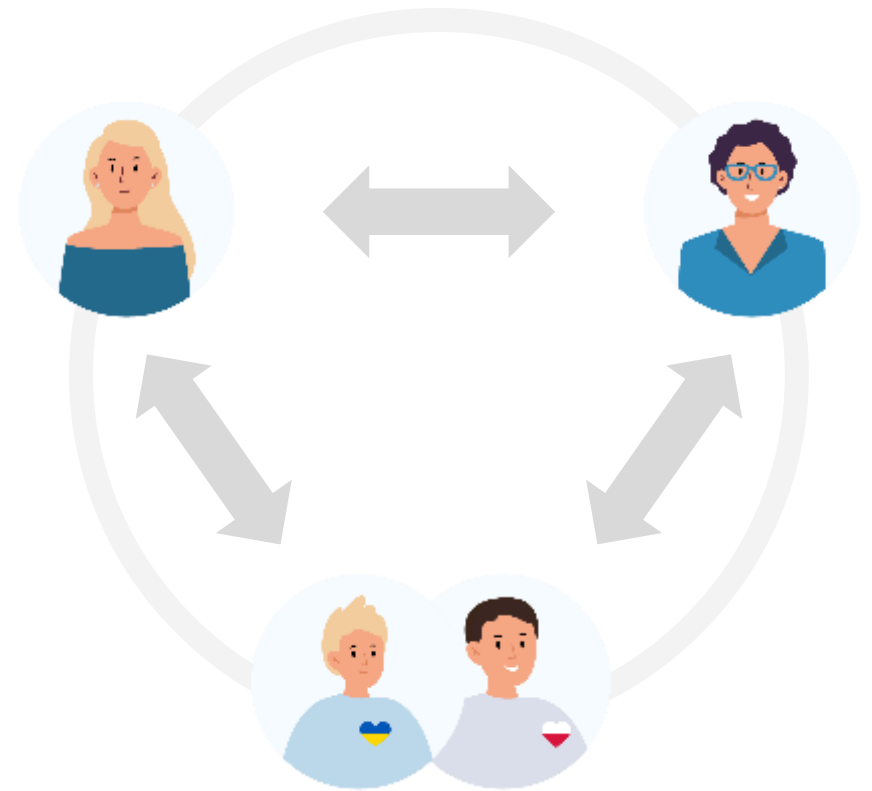
Integration easier with few Ukrainian students in a class

National conflicts most likely in 50/50 classes

Younger students better adapt if in a Polish group, worse when they're in a fully Ukrainian class

System

- ✓ Teachers' general responsibilities
- ✓ Students' general responsibilities
- ✓ Ukrainian problems enhanced



Project - Numbers

October-December 2022



3
Number
of schools



13
Number
of Classes

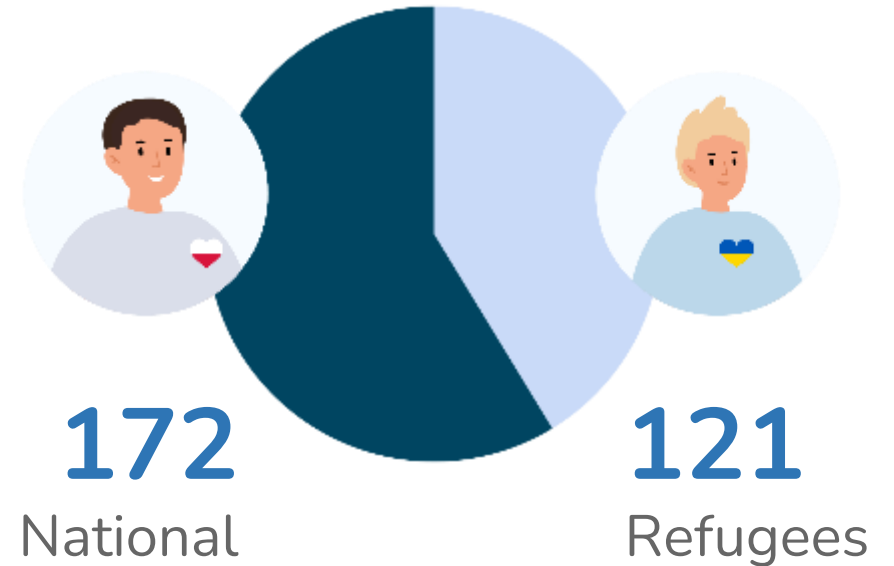


123
Number
of teachers



60
Number
of parents

293 Beneficiary
students in schools



Project Activities:

Schools

- group social skills workshops
- anti-discrimination workshops for teachers
- individual consultations for a child/parent/teacher
- mediation: child/parent/teacher



Project activities:

Protection Hub

- group art, animation, music and educational activities for children
- group art classes for parents/adult guardians
- individual consultations for a child/parent



Project activities:

Referrals

- **Protection Hub**
- **Center TUTU**



Exemplary results:

**“A day with Parents” for Taras and Marina,
more peace for Joanna.**

**“I-statements” to calm a
rebellious class**

New tools for teachers



Challenges

- Intersectional approach
- Educational program vs. Psychosocial support
- Broadening the scope of activities
- Collecting data
- Financing



Program to be continued through 2023



Other Partner Updates




Inter-Agency Coordination Updates

Bryant Castro - UNHCR IA Coordination Officer

Exciting Coordination!! 😊


- **Przemyśl Bi-Weekly Coordination Meeting** (*already discussed*)
- **Proposed shelter managers coordination meeting in Polish**
 - Suggestion from CORE
 - Meeting facilitated by UNHCR & IOM
 - Frequency and date TBD - proposing bi-monthly or quarterly
 - Targeting shelter managers in Podkarpackie
- **Consolidated SharePoint link to access all coordination tools**
 - Update required for Q1 – Contact List, Contingency Activities and 3W

PCG SharePoint – One Access Link


**UNHCR**
The UN Refugee Agency







SharePoint



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		3W - Who, What, Where _ Kto, Co, Gdzie
		Contact Lists by Region _ Regionalne listy kontaktowe
		Contingency Activities _ Działania awaryjne
		Referral Pathways by Region _ Regionalne ścieżki referencyjne
		Service Mapping by Region _ Regionalne mapowania usług
		Shelter Listings _ Listy miejsc zakwaterowania

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	✓ Secured	Lubelskie Contact List_listy kontaktowe.xlsx
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		IOM Podkarpackie Service Mapping_Mapowanie Usług.xlsx
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QUESTIONS ?



Our Next Meeting

Please send me suggestions for agenda points

Next meeting in late February or early March 2023 (TBC)

Dziękuję - Thank You

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