

Meeting Name:	Shelter/NFI Cluster Coordination Meeting (Sub-National)		
Date of Meeting	12 May 2021	Time	10:00 AM
Minutes prepared by:	Cluster	Location	IOM Office, Mekelle

Attendees

RDRMB, BoLSA, ZOA, PIN, SP, ANE, HOP, ACF, UNHCR, DEC, DPO, Alight, LWF, CISP, IOM, CCCM Cluster, CRS, ECC-SDCO/CRS, UNHCR, IOCC, SCI,

Agenda

1. Introduction and review of action points
2. Debriefing on the joint mission to Shire, Shiraro, and Adwa by Global, National and Sub-national cluster focal points and OCHA
3. Partners' update
4. AOB
 - a. CCCM/SMS (postponed to the next meeting)

Agenda and notes. Decisions, issues

1. Review of Action Point	Previous meeting action points <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Most of the action points from the previous meeting were completed. • Pending action points include <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ PIN to finalize the prioritization of woredas for the 1,000 kits coming from Addis ○ CCCM's site feasibility assessment in Adwa is pending due to security reasons ○ IOM to hold repair kits until HLP assessment is conducted ○ Shelter partners to speed-up shelter construction at sebacare-4 and complete as soon as possible 	Further Action <p>Action point to continue</p> <p>Action point to continue</p> <p>Action point to continue</p>
2. Debriefing on the joint mission to Shire, Shiraro, and Adwa by Global, National and Sub-national cluster focal points and OCHA	Findings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shelter cluster partners carried out an assessment mission to Abi Adi, Adwa, Shire, and Sheraro from 08 to 11 May. • The Assessment revealed that the context is varies from one location to the other, i.e. some sites busier by day, others by night. • In some locations (ex. Shire), IDPs gather in collective centers during the day to receive humanitarian assistance and the sites are less crowded in the evening. In contrary, in woredas, where humanitarian assistance is sub optimal (ex. Adwa), IDPs disperse to the town during the day for begging and gather in the evening which makes the sites crowded in the evening. • The number of IDPs requiring emergency shelter continues to increase significantly with an estimate of more than 2 million displaced people across the region according to the interim administration. • Limited land and resources to meet the increasingly growing needs for emergency shelter • While shelter conditions have improved in Shire IDP sites, overall assistance in most sites remains inadequate including food, water, and NFIs • Increased risk of COVID-19 transmission and other diseases due to overcrowded and poor shelter conditions • Enhanced site management is needed to support registration and site activities • A considerable number of displaced people do not have shelter and are sleeping in the open air under the conditions of the belg/spring rainfall season, which started in April. 	

	<p>Recommendations</p> <p>General</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scale up distributions • Promote integrated multisectoral approaches • Promote cash as a response modality where banks & markets functioning well • Collective centres • Promote scale up of camp management and registration • Promote flexible response –organizations tied to budgets and targets <p>Relocation sites</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase density • Consider multiple small sites (e.g. 9 locations identified in Shire) • Advocate for enhanced camp management capacity • Ensure overall site construction management • Advocate to move checkpoints (e.g. Shire) • Avoid collective shelters for long duration • Engage affected people <p>Multiple parallel approaches:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Extend covered area in collective centers – tarp distribution & collective shelters • Reassess use of alternative buildings – eg old prison Shire • Work with authorities on use of unfinished buildings • Increase the size of unit shelters which being built and put two households instead of one • Rental assistance • Adapt kits to HH size <p>Rural / out of town</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Find protection sensitive approach / mobile teams • Actively promote distributions in urban centers / rural areas out of Shire and rural areas. • Return assistance / kits 	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technical Working Group to convene on Saturday, 15 May and work on the recommendations which are relevant to the Cluster objectives and activities • Cluster to share the slides with partners 	<p>TWiG</p> <p>Cluster</p>
<p>3. Partner's update</p>	<p>ZOA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • increase the % of the host community in proposal • Gap and analysis to be shared with the meeting minutes to partners with the meeting minutes <p>Hope local NGOs-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Owns two buildings in Mekele town and that can be used for the IDPs • Requested partners to support with refurbishing the buildings to make it habitable for IDPs <p>AAH-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registered 1000 HHs, assessment in Abidi and Chila- Challenge security and access limiting operation in the South East • AAH requested if the kits could be reallocated for Mekele, • Cluster partners agreed that as it stands, the NFI needs in Mekele have been covered well (>80%) and no in-kind distributions should be conducted in Mekele. • The Remaining caseloads could be addressed with cash assistance as the situation allows more cash distribution in Mekele than elsewhere 	

<p>4. AoB</p>	<p>SCI-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Distributed 500 kits in Edagarbie – access remains a challenge to distribute in Nebelet • SCI to share the PDM report <p>IOM:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sabacare 4 communal shelter construction: 28 are complete (9 are being re-roofed), 16 shelters 75-95% complete remaining to finish doors and windows, 16 shelters 40-75% complete and 27 blocks are between 10-40% • IOM have funding for 700HH for shelter repair kits (CGI, nails etc) seeking priority woredas from Cluster of where to implement it. Funding ends Aug 31st • Cluster advised IOM to hold repair kits until HLP assessment is conducted • 2,775ESNFI kits (2600 shelter box and 175 RRF) been delivered to Shire <p><i>In the interest of time, Cluster requested partners to share their update by text message or email after the meeting.</i></p>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Partners should not be distributing in-kind NFIs in Mekele unless it's cash • IOM to hold repair kits until HLP assessment is conducted • SCI to share PDM report with the Cluster • Partners to share update by text message or e-mail after the meeting 	<p>Partners</p> <p>IOM</p> <p>SCI</p> <p>Partners</p>

NEXT MEETING: 19 May 2021 (Confirmation email/SMS will be sent)