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## UPDATE

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An overdue update. We are very pleased to be joined by two colleagues from the Global Cluster to support at this time: Joseph Ashmore, from IOM Geneva (0922123198, [jashmore@iom.int](mailto:jashmore@iom.int)) and Elizabeth Palmer, from UNHCR Nairobi (0928067499, [palmere@unhcr.org](mailto:palmere@unhcr.org)) will be with us for a short time. Both have brought solid shelter and site planning skills to the cluster. We are looking to secure an IMO and longer-term technical support to the cluster team. Our cluster co-coordinator, Erisa Yzeiraj, has also returned.

We also warmly welcome to the country our new cluster focal point for Jonglei State, Mario Bruno Tassan Viol, of Intersos (0913403289, [nfis.jonglei.south.sudan@intersos.org](mailto:nfis.jonglei.south.sudan@intersos.org) / [bviol@libero.it](mailto:bviol@libero.it)).

Our next cluster meeting will be held next **Wednesday, 8 January, at 10:30am at UNOCHA.**

A reminder that those of you **revising CHF projects need to submit to us by CoB Sunday, 5 January.**

Find attached some documents of interest: a draft strategy (for our discussion), pipeline planning as it stands, and the most recent stock report for the country (which requires updating for the Juba and Bentiu warehouses, and confirmation in those locations that have experienced looting) as well as the IRNA for Minakaman, Awerial, Lakes State.

A quick update by location below.

<b>Juba UNMISS Tongping</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No ongoing activities. Partners: Intersos, Nile Hope, Acted, SCI, Mercy Corps, UNMAS, IOM</li><li>• 6,523 HH (17,464 individuals) registered and received the following NFI kit: HH size 1 -6: 1 blanket, 1 mosquito net, 1 kanga, 5 75gm bars of soap, 1 10l jerry can, 1 kitchen set, 1 sleeping mat. HH size 7 and up – 2 kits. Registration/distribution closed on Friday 3 January.</li><li>• 26 6x12m tents erected (by UNMAS and IOM) in Rwandbat and Banbat areas, completed 1 January.</li><li>• Second distribution to include 2 buckets and additional soap to be planned to begin within a week.</li><li>• 100 blankets and 100 sleeping mats donated by IOM to Level 2 Hospital on 4 January.</li><li>• 10 plastic sheets provided on 4 January to NVPF to provide to mothers with new-borns, to be replenished as necessary.</li></ul>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In response to a request from the community for a shelter for worship, initial discussions held with pastors on-site together with Acted. Decision depends on 1) space availability, and 2) assurances that all faiths on-site (11 Christian denominations + Islam) have been consulted and agree on use of space provided.</li> <li>Points to note: NFI has been observed being sold in markets. PDM to be planned. Razor wire at distribution site has caused problems during crowd surge.</li> </ul> <p><b>NEEDED: partners to commit to second round of distribution (team of 15 required).</b></p>
<b>Juba 3 UNMISS UN House</b>	<p><b>Focal Point: Joseph Adiamo, IOM, 0956759363, <a href="mailto:jadiomo@iom.int">jadiomo@iom.int</a></b></p> <p>Partners: SCI, Mercy Corps, DRC (team of 15)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NFI distribution (coordinated with registration/food) began on 2 January. As of end 4 January, 2,158 HH (4,839 individuals) had received NFI kit including: 1 blanket, 1 mosquito net, 1 kanga, 5 75gm bars of soap, 1 10l jerry can, 1 kitchen set, 1 sleeping mat, 2 buckets, 1 plastic sheet. HH size 7 and up – 2 kits (photos attached).</li> <li>Points to note: insecure location for stock provided by UNMISS. Family splitting observed during registration.</li> </ul> <p><b>NEEDED: secure location for stock.</b></p>
<b>UNMISS New site/s</b>	<p><b>Focal Point: Elizabeth Palmer, UNHCR, 0928067499, <a href="mailto:palmere@unhcr.org">palmere@unhcr.org</a></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Initial site visit conducted with Acted (CCCM) on 3 January at UN House. While development of the site will continue beginning with the secure perimeter by UNMISS, the size of the new site will not accommodate the population proposed and additional space is required. The cluster is engaging in discussions on this issue.</li> </ul>
<b>Juba Kator Catholic Church</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Church received 19 families fleeing Bor yesterday evening and Caritas provided them sleeping mats, blankets and soap. They remain in the church today.</li> <li>Caritas also conducted NFI distribution in Mangala in late December, exact figures TBC.</li> </ul>
<b>Mundri, Western Equatoria</b>	<p><b>Focal Point: Driuni Jakani, LCED, 0926862356, <a href="mailto:driuni05@yahoo.com">driuni05@yahoo.com</a></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On 30 December LCED had registered 3,772 individuals, 712 families displaced in Mundri East and West. Plans to conduct NFI distribution with prepositioned stocks to support the most vulnerable among these have been delayed by current unrest in Mundri, which may generate further displacement.</li> </ul>
<b>Bor (UNMISS), Jonglei</b>	<p><b>Focal Point: Mario Bruno Tassan Viol, Intersos, 0913403289, <a href="mailto:nfis.jonglei.south.sudan@intersos.org">nfis.jonglei.south.sudan@intersos.org</a> / <a href="mailto:bviol@libero.it">bviol@libero.it</a></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>OCHA on the ground have reached the WFP rubhalls and confirm that NFI stock is still available (numbers TBC). Arrangements for storage inside the UNMISS base and transport of stock from the WFP rubhalls to the base underway.</li> </ul> <p><b>NEEDED: flight for state focal point and staff to facilitate distribution.</b></p>
<b>Waat, Jonglei</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reports that IDPs are reaching Waat, Lankein, Walgak area from Malakal, Bor and Juba, 984 individuals reported. SCI field staff conducting assessment and can use prepositioned stock in Waat to support needs.</li> </ul>
<b>Awerial,</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>IRNA conducted 31 December, attached. RRC figure 75,976.</li> </ul>

<b>Lakes</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ICRC is responding with NFI for an initial 30,000 individuals. Any excess NFI requirements will be supplied from the common pipeline to MSF Switzerland for distribution.</li> <li>• IOM 6by12m tent provided to MSF Switzerland for storage.</li> </ul>
<b>Malakal (UNMISS), Upper Nile</b>	<p><b>Focal Point: Salvatore Sortino, IOM, 0922406621, <a href="mailto:ssortino@iom.int">ssortino@iom.int</a></b></p> <p>Partners: IOM, DRC, WV</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Stock still available in the warehouses, though exposed to further looting every night. Some space secured in UNMISS (containers). Logistics possibilities for 6by12m tent, 3,000 plastic sheets, and 6,000 kangas are being explored, to supplement what is available in Malakal and facilitate a distribution in the base.</li> <li>• DRC shelter/site planning staff have been engaging in site planning for the proposed new POC site.</li> <li>• Points to note: partners present in Malakal have expressed preference to wait until the completion of the proposed new site before conducting NFI distribution, in order to draw people to move to the new site. Concerns have been raised about withholding humanitarian support on this basis when needs are immediate. The security of holding a distribution in the current situation needs to be assessed. Discussion on this point continues.</li> </ul> <p><b>NEEDED: Airlift for additional supplies.</b></p>
<b>Bentiu (UNMISS), Unity</b>	<p>Partners: WV (3), Intersos (1)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Initial round of distribution conducted by WV and Intersos, on group basis on 27 December: 655 kitchen sets; 600 plastic sheets, 600 mosquito nets, 350 sleeping mats, 1000 jerry cans, 25,360 75gm bars of soap.</li> </ul> <p><b>RNA planned for 5/6 January.</b></p>
<b>Twic, Warrap</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assessment planned for Monday 6 January in Twic on reported displacement from Unity State, focal point <b>Mareng Akol, WVI, 0926792676.</b></li> </ul>

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