‘Discussion with GBV and CP AoR on Service Adaptation and Collaboration with Camp Management during COVID-19 Response’

CCCM TUESDAY’S WEBINAR SERIES: #7

Tuesday, 2nd of June 2020, 2.00PM – 3.30PM (CET)
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‘CCCM IN COVID-19’ WEBINARS:

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1. Operationalizing Standards: Sphere and the COVID 19 Response in Camp Settings
2. Community Engagement and Participation during the response to COVID-19 in camp and camp-like settings
3. Training remotely: Sharing of tips and best practices for capacity building in remote management
4. Adaptation of CCCM Activities in Urban Neighbourhoods and Informal Sites for COVID19 Response
5. Digital communication with communities remote programming
6. Remote management challenges in engaging with state and non-state actors

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COVID-19 awareness raising session with women groups in Wau PoCAA observing social distancing
• Re-designing the layout of community centers and CFM desks
• Ensure demarcation of social distancing requirements
• Alter community engagement and interaction activities
• Decongestion of the crowded shelters
• Enforce remote management modality by enhancing capacity of front line CCCM staffs and working closely with community structures
• COVID-19 risk communication that include GBV messaging in addition to rumor and perception tracking and debunking
• Mapping of protection desks and updating of referral pathways
• Dead Body Management amidst COVID-19
Maintaining ach demarks for social distancing in a WASH and NFI distribution

Conducting small and distance safe FGDs with women group as part of COVID-19 risk communication

Redesigning the CFM desks to accommodate one plaintiff observing social distancing requirement

CM burial team being trained on undertaking burials amid COVID-19
Risks faced by women and children due COVID and Restrictions

- Key prevention recommendation - staying at home/socially distance
  - exposed families to increased risks of GBV
- Rumors that drinking alcohol is preventative creates more risk to women and children
- IDPs usually leave camps to diversify their livelihoods and food sources,
  - responsibility is mainly borne by women, who go to collect firewood and elephant grass.
  - While this carries its own protection risk, not having access to conduct these activities due to movement restrictions may increase instances of sexual exploitation, early/child marriage within camps

**Mitigation measures:**
- Intensifying risk comms: GBV messaging, includes FGDs with women to determine their perception and understanding of COVID
- Identify concerns and risks amidst COVID which inform the GBV and CP actors’ response
- Monitoring of protection desks and
- Updating of referral pathways Work closely with women groups and strengthen existing committees and community mobilizers network to follow up on cases
Challenges

• Risk to increased cases of IPV especially with the challenges imposing social distancing and decongesting the sites
• Limited COVID-19 risk comm. among children
• Anticipated increase of cases in children if women (mothers) contracted COVID-19 or if they are taking care of an infected person
• Lack of movement also means less opportunity to access services;
• Reduction in footprint of protection partners due to the COVID pandemic and risk to staff
• Limited security due to UNPOL withdrawal
Joyce Mutiso
Child Protection Sub-Cluster Coordinator
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Adaptation of remote management of services to ensure timely referral of cases in camps to appropriate services

• Use of trained community-based child protection mechanisms (CBCPM) for identification and referral of cases. Where telecommunication is available, provide remote supervision and mentoring support to community volunteers and CBCPMs for appropriate referral and assistance.

• Exploring enhanced engagement with CCCM site facilitators and camp management committees to identify and refer cases of vulnerable children. This also calls for strengthening of referral mechanisms at camp/site levels for timely, confidential and appropriate referrals and response.

• In addition, training community-based child protection mechanisms and camp management committees together is an opportunity and fosters closer collaboration.
How protection isolation and quarantine guidelines can be applied in camp settings especially in planning and preparedness

• The Protection Sector in north-east Nigeria has issued guidelines to ensure the safety, dignity and upholding of rights for affected persons.

• Building on already established consultative processes between CCCM Sector and CP Sub-Sector in planning of sites and camps to incorporate the guidelines for isolation and quarantine centers (in collaboration with the Health Sector). However, congestion/space constraints remain a challenge for proper planning in the context of COVID-19.

• CCCM/CP/GBV Sectors to revisit the COVID-19 sectoral guidelines to identify practical actions to enhance access to CP and GBV services in camp settings.
Existing feedback mechanisms and how they can be adapted for safe information sharing, reporting and referral for children

• Existing shortcomings of the feedback mechanisms in camp settings include
  i. mostly tailored for use by adults and children have very little access to them and
  ii. mostly used to raise issues relating to water, sanitation, food, NFIs, etc.

• CCCM & CP are exploring at organizing focus group discussions with children at site level facilitated by child protection actors and site facilitators to provide the space for conversations with children on issues affecting them including protection issues.

• These will be guided by ethical considerations and child protection actors will address any issues arising in a confidential manner.
Maisori Chacha

Gender Based Violence Sub Sector Coordinator
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Ensuring the continuation of GBV services

- Case Management, PSS, integrated SRH/CMR, in women and girls' friendly spaces in 34 Rohingya camps and 11 Bangladesh host community locations and Mask making following consultations with RRRC/GOB.

- MHPSS in WFS and health facilities mostly in the Rohingya communities who are facing challenges accessing phones, internet and network coverage. Hotlines are mostly in host communities and front-line providers.
Ensuring the GBV survivors in camps are properly referred to life saving services.

- Referral pathways revised in line with COVID 19 challenges.
- Case Management guidance note, recommendations for safe and ethical data protection, and review of DKs in line with COVID 19.
- Intersectoral initiatives to support, quarantine, isolation and shielding facilities of the elderly.
- Activation of Protection emergency response Units, within which GBV Focal Persons are embedded alongside Community Health Workers for protection monitoring and dissemination of COVID 19 messaging including awareness on GBV PSEA etc.
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<td><strong>2</strong> Under the converging areas for CCCM, GBV and CP, how can national and sub national level coordination mechanisms be supported and what is the current practice for the engagement of CCCM, GBV and CP experts in the preparedness and response to the COVID19 in camp or camp-like settings?</td>
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NEXT WEBINAR:
CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT - TRAINING FOR TRUST

Tue, 9th June 2020 - 14:00 (CET)

Building trust through capacity development activities can mean targeting different groups for training. This webinar will focus on training at risk communication and community engagement in public health emergencies.

Speakers: Experience-sharing from CCCM partners in the field - IN FRENCH
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Event Page: https://cccmcluster.org/events/webinar-capacity-development-training-trust


4. GBV Community of Practice Dropbox (documents/guidance developed in relation to COVID) https://www.dropbox.com/sh/05ojvujpqw7qefk/AACyj_Jp_WsZQ0wbbJN4ZZIsa/COVID-19?dl=0&subfolder_nav_tracking=1


6. How to support survivors of gender-based violence when a GBV actor is not available in your area https://gbvguidelines.org/en/pocketguide/
Status of Camp Management Standards

- The Global CCCM Cluster is applying to be a (HSP) humanitarian standard partner this year.

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