

In-Person Health Sector Coordination Meeting

Meeting Notes

Date: 15/03/2023



Agenda	Discussion/Update	Action/ Follow-up
<p>Health Sector Updates</p>	<p>Fire incident in camps on 5th March: Next steps</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> On the campfire 05 March 2023, 3 Facilities were completely burned and destroyed, however among them, 2 facilities were decommissioned as per the last rationalization exercise. For Camp 11, as per Sphere Standards/ Health Sector, SAG Recommendations only one PHC and one HP are required. As the camp has already one unaffected health post with the rationalization recommendation to maintain current operation, only IRC-443 (was the only PHC recommended to maintain current operation) is required to be rebuilt and the suggestion is to reconstruct and integrate with the Nutrition and SRH. Approximately 1.2M USD will be required for this reconstruction and integration, and 16,000 sqft of space will be required also. The PHC's current space was slightly over 4000 sqft, hence relocation may require. The health sector is working to manage the fund for IRC for this purpose, CERF Rapid Response is to be allocated. As currently camp 11 has no functional PHC, for outpatient consultations functional HP can support. For inpatient admission and other PHC services, PHD-096 from camp 12 and Turkish Hospital can support. Other needs could be absorbed by the Sector as part of the preparedness & response activities. HeRAMS generated an analysis of the impact of the Camp 11 fire on the health system. Link: HeRAMS Cox's Bazar: Impact of camp fire on health service availability (who.int) <p>Funding Analysis</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> For JRP 2023, the required funding for health was 97.3M, 25M (26%) was received so far, and another 1.5M (1%) was committed. 44.5M USD is still needed to firewall the services at facilities such as hospitals, health posts, and PHCs (including emergency obstetrics). Critical Priorities: Immunization, Noncommunicable Diseases Clinics, Community Health Education. <p>Health Sector Response Monitoring Analysis- 4W (January and February 2023)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The health sector's information management unit presented the health sector's 4W data analysis for the last two months (Jan-Feb 2023) with some key summary and reporting rates. Reporting rate for January and February 2023 was 88% and 86% respectively which was not satisfactory as the expected reporting rate is 100%. The list of facilities with no report received has been shared with the partners. The health sector reminded partners to report in the 4W and other relevant tools timely so that their contribution to the response can be projected and analyzed. Health Sector will be following partners who are not reporting individually. In total OPD consultations were recorded at 944K with a utilization rate of 3.93/person (last year 3.81), In-Patient admissions were recorded at 16,430, referrals to govt. hospitals were 1666 in Jan-February 2023. <p>HeRAMS Mandatory quarterly update Q1 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HeRAMS was rolled out in late July 2022 following an orientation training, Baseline data was collected in August 2022, Baseline Report was published on 1st October 2022, Link: HeRAMS Cox's Bazar Baseline Report 2022: Operational status of the health system (who.int) Next Quarter update is pending- Partner's responsible person for HeRAMS has been informed of this mandatory update and procedure, this will be followed by the validation procedure and publication of the reports. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Partners to stick with the rationalization exercise and not rebuild and reconstruct or start activities that are not recommended. Partners to report in the 4W and other relevant tools timely as required. Partners to update their facility status in HeRAMS.
<p>Ready initiative</p>	<p>Finalization of Child Protection and Health tools: Following the collaboration between Child Protection and health, three deliverables (Confidentiality guidance note, making your health center child-friendly, Visual referral pathways) were created in March-May 2022, Finalization of the tools was completed</p>	

in November 2022. These three deliverables and their output were briefly discussed.

Epidemiology WG:

Varicella

- Varicella became a concern in the last few weeks, 1,553 suspected cases were reported this week, a 47% drop from 2,939 cases reported last week, cumulative cases stand at 11,875 so far in 2023.

COVID-19

- In FDMN/Rohingya refugees, transmission is under control; no confirmed cases were reported in the last three weeks in a row, a total of six (06) cases, and no fatalities were reported in 2023. For the host population in the 3 months, there are no cases reported.

Dengue Fever

- There was a drop in weekly confirmed cases by 62% from 113 cases reported the previous week compared to 43 cases reported this week
- Totals caseloads are 558 with zero fatalities reported so far in 2023; most cases have so far been reported in camp 3 and surrounding camps

Cholera

- One suspected Cholera case was reported this week
- 19 cases (06 Cultured confirmed and 13 RDT Positive AWD cases/Cholera suspects) reported in 2023
- 05 culture-confirmed Cholera cases were reported from the host population, and one was reported from the FDMN/ Rohingya population.

Diphtheria

- Four (04) suspected cases were reported this Epi week bringing the cumulative total to 68 cases (06 probable and 62 suspects) in 2023

Measles

- A sudden upsurge in measles has been noticed in EWARS, seven (07) confirmed measles cases from 56 samples were sent to the lab by the IVD team out of the 95 suspected cases detected through EWARS.

SRH WG:

Maternal and Perinatal Mortality Surveillance and Response Update

- Maternal and Perinatal Mortality Surveillance and Response Update for 2022 was presented by the MPMSR committee. The total number of confirmed maternal death recorded in 2022 was 83 (24 in the community, 59 in the facility).
- Causes of maternal deaths were analyzed based on the ICD-10MM classification. Obstetric hemorrhage was identified as one of the main causes of direct maternal death (reason for death for 23 cases among 52). On the other hand, the preexisting cardiac problem was the main reason for indirect maternal deaths (reason for death for 10 cases among 31). Delay 1 was found for all 83 cases, whereas delay 2 was found for 3 cases, and delay 3 was found for 60 cases among 83.
- MPMSR also shared their performance update, major recommendations, impact and challenges, and way forward, they are currently drafting the annual report for 2022.

CHWG:

- CHWG shared their regular update that includes weekly reporting compliance, household-level coverage, and pregnancy surveillance. 80% facility delivery was recorded in 2023 so far.
- Scabies surveillance: Rapid mapping results- 169,010 households visited, information of 637,291 individuals was taken during the mapping where 257, 020 individuals were found symptom positive, reports from 3 camps are yet to be received, the overall attack rate is so far estimated 40%.

MHPSS WG:

- MHPSS WG shared their response in camp 11 following the fire incident, 6800

- MPMSR to share and sit with the health sector before the finalization of the annual report 2022.

Working Group Updates

	<p>beneficiaries were supported emotionally through PFA, and 900 individuals were referred to other facilities for further support.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Common Challenges faced by the WG actors: Shortage in psychotropic medicines in the facility has been observed with a lack of supportive supervision for mhGAP-trained doctors. The funding crisis resulted in a reduced volume of MHPSS interventions. Patient referral for inpatient care has been a challenge. 	
A.O.B	<p>Mobile Medical Team FIRE Response</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trend of consultation services of MMT for all four deployed MMTs has been shared. The top 3 morbidities against consultation were AWD, Minor injuries, and ARI. The roadmap and way forward have been shared. 	

Next Meeting: Tentative Date- 29th March 2023, Tentative Time- 10:30 am- 12:30 pm **Location:** TBA