1. Ensure that protection mainstreaming is regularly placed on the agenda of the Inter Cluster Coordination (ICC) and Humanitarian Country Team meetings (as appropriate)

Suggested action:

- Advocate with the Humanitarian Coordinator and/or the UN Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA) to include protection mainstreaming on the agenda of meetings.
- Advocate with the HC for him/her to hold other clusters accountable for mainstreaming protection.
- For HCT meeting, ask the HC to lead the update with technical input from the Protection Cluster.
- For ICC meetings, the Protection Cluster Coordinator should lead the update.

2. Ensure that protection mainstreaming is included in trainings of other clusters

Suggested action:

- Map protection mainstreaming initiatives that other clusters may already be undertaking.
- Offer to facilitate sessions on protection mainstreaming in trainings organised by other clusters.
- Offer to review training materials of other clusters to ensure that protection is mainstreamed.

3. Provide briefings on the outcomes of protection assessments at ICC/ HCT meetings (as appropriate)

Suggested action:

- Highlight the areas that are particularly relevant for the different sectors/clusters.
- Suggest protection mainstreaming activities for the other clusters based on the outcomes of protection assessment.

4. Work bilaterally with clusters that are considered to be of priority from a protection perspective to strengthen protection mainstreaming in their response

Suggested action:

- Advocate with prioritized clusters to highlight the importance of mainstreaming protection in their response.
- Develop protection mainstreaming action plans with prioritized clusters, including the designation of a focal point on protection mainstreaming among participants in their clusters.
- Undertake joint missions to assess the protection mainstreaming components in the activities of prioritized clusters.