

GLOBAL PROTECTION FORUM 2023



Coming Up...

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31 OCT 2023

10:00 to 11:30 CET

Acting Before the Hour of Need: Prevention of Harm to Children in Humanitarian Settings



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INTERPRETATION

This room will have translation enabled for Spanish, French and Arabic speakers

Esta sala tendrá habilitada la traducción para los hablantes de Español, Francés y Árabe

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What could have been done to prevent Sarah and other children from experiencing child labour?

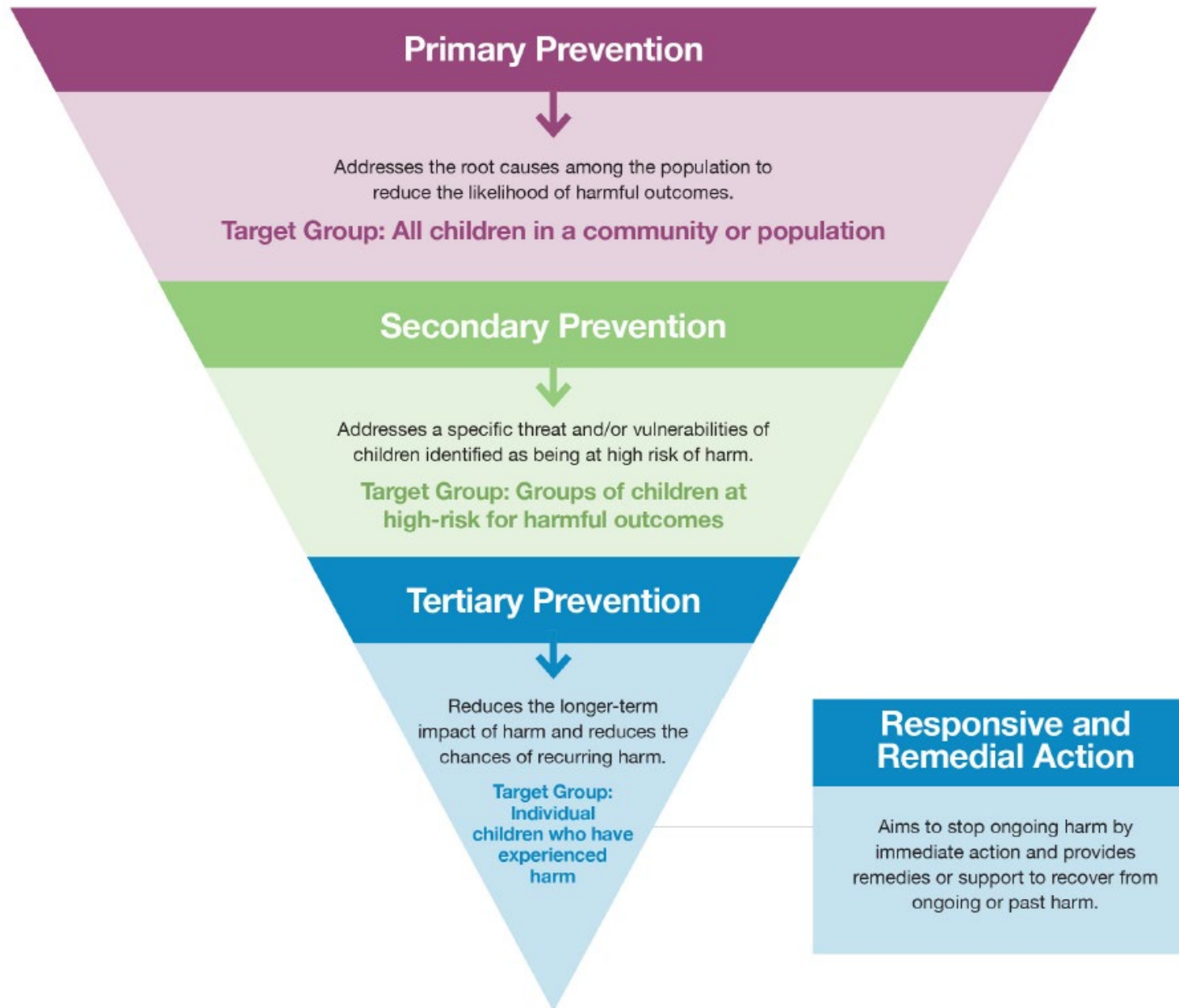
- Cash and vouchers distribution to all families in the camp
- Information campaign on risks faced by children when working in the farms
- Improve quality of education (teacher training, adequate salaries for teachers)

Humanitarian actors have the responsibility to prevent harm to children before it happens whenever possible

Preventing harm to children is possible

Prevention of and response to abuse, neglect, exploitation and violence against children







Prevention Framework

Desk Review Synthesis

Primary Prevention Framework

For Child Protection in Humanitarian Action



Identifying and Ranking Risk and Protective Factors: A Brief Guide



A photograph of a group of women sitting on the ground in a community setting. The image is overlaid with a semi-transparent blue filter. In the center, a young girl in a light blue headscarf looks directly at the camera. To her right, a woman in a colorful patterned headscarf is visible. The background shows other women and children, some holding objects like a pink toy. The overall scene suggests a community gathering or a social activity.

PREVENTION INITIATIVE

Piloting in Niger and South Sudan

IDENTIFYING HARMFUL OUTCOMES

GENERAL OVERVIEW

Orientation and training included meetings with the stakeholders, UN agencies, national organisations

Assessment (FGDs on risk and protective factors)

Analysed FGDs findings and prioritisation of risk and protective factors during interpretation workshop

Interpretation workshop designed primary prevention activities

Developing a logframe, budget and ,M&E plan

HARMFUL OUTCOMES



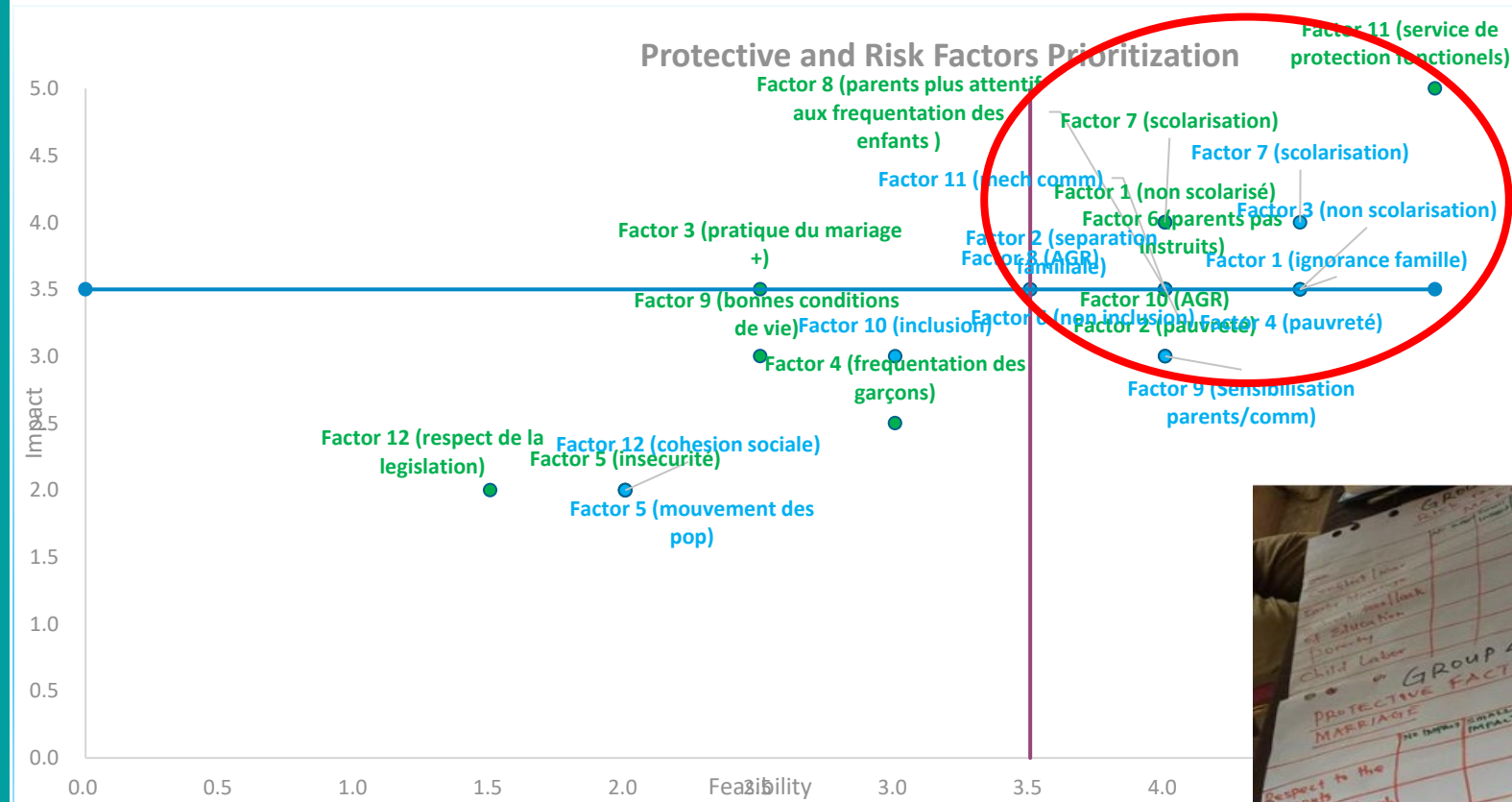
Child Labour

Child
Marriage



IDENTIFYING, RANKING AND ANALYSING RISK AND PROTECTIVE FACTORS

ANALYSIS AND PRIORITISATION



GROUP 4 PROTECTIVE FACTORS FOR CHILD

Factor	NO IMPACT	SMALL IMPACT	SOME IMPACT	HIGH IMPACT	EXTREMELY HIGH IMPACT
Respect to the Parents				X	X
Involved in church activities				X	
Provision of Education				X	X
Positive Peer Influence				X	
Self-reliance/Security in the Community				X	
Provision of Vocational Skills				X	X
Provision of Economic Skills				X	
Provision of Policies				X	

ADDRESSING HARMFUL OUTCOMES

LOGFRAME

SOUTH SUDAN

OVERALL GOAL

To prevent child marriage and child labour in targeted locations through improving access to livelihoods and quality education

OUTCOME 1

Improves access to livelihood opportunities for household in targeted areas

OUTCOME 2

Increased enrollment and retention in quality education opportunities in targeted areas

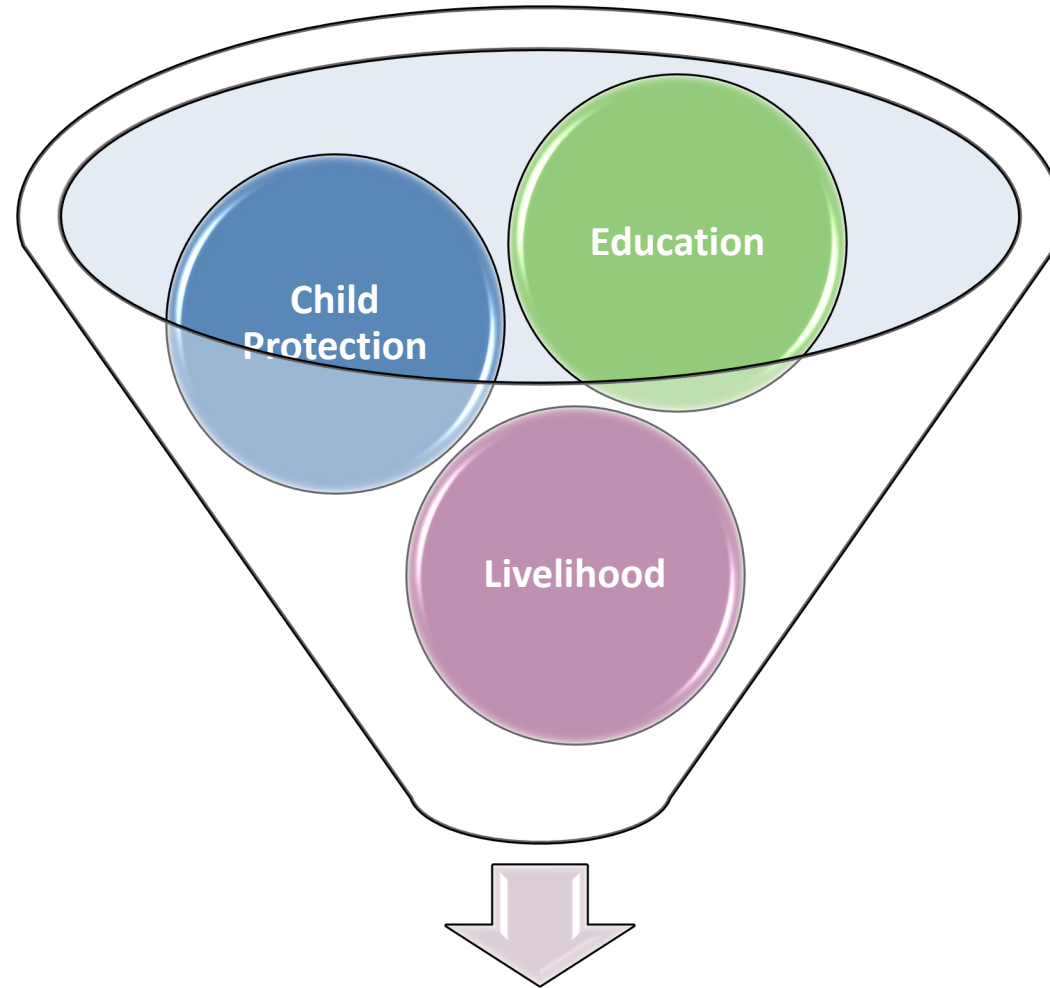
ADDRESSING HARMFUL OUTCOMES

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OVERALL GOAL	
To prevent <u>child marriage</u> in the Diffa region through strengthening the protective environment	
OUTCOME 1	Reduce the risks associated with lack of civil registration and resulting consequences for legal documentation
OUTCOME 2	Improve retention of children aged 9-15 in inclusive quality education in one school in Djoro Kolo
OUTCOME 3	Improved access to livelihood opportunities

MULTISECTORAL APPROACH



**Preventing Child Labour and
Child Marriage**

KEY LEARNINGS

Community
engagement

Be strategic in
the selection of
activities

Think outside of
the box

Selection of
indicators to
measure impact

Plan ahead!

UPDATES & NEXT STEPS

PROJECT EVALUATION

Evaluating the Pilot Projects:

- Effectiveness of the project design in achieving the desired results
- Mixed-methods
- Intervention designed based on local stakeholder engagement --- each project evaluated as a separate intervention

Evaluating the Primary Prevention Framework:

- Effectiveness of the Primary Prevention Framework
- Implementation of the framework in both countries
- Qualitative approach
- Feedback from CPHA stakeholders



Thank you!

Violence Prevention

Good Practices in the Rohingya Refugee Camp, Cox's Bazar

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Violence Prevention Good Practices Research



- Partner: Friends in Village Development (FIVDB)
- Timeline: July 2021
- Locations: Rohingya refugee camp, Cox's Bazar
- Rationale: Evidence-based violence prevention best practices research to strengthen prevention interventions
- Donors: Child Protection AoR (Global Protection Cluster), Global Education Cluster

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Violence Prevention Good Practices Research



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Research Methodology

- Qualitative Method (KII, in depth interviews, semi-structured questionnaire)
- Literature review and secondary data
- Purposive sampling method for data collection
- Data triangulation: FGD with community members



Root causes of Violence against Children (VAC)

Rohingya Refugee Camps:

1. No long-term livelihood opportunity for parents
2. Polygamy
3. Rigid social norms
4. Parents face high psychological distress
5. Lack of awareness about child safety at individual, family and community levels
6. Reduced services and child development activities
7. Drug smuggling (and child trafficking)
8. Gender inequality

Host Community

1. Economic hardship
2. Child marriage and intimate partner violence
3. No cultural activities in the community
4. Lack of awareness of laws on VAC as well as law enforcement
5. Lack of social cohesion
6. Dowry
7. Drugs/smuggling
8. Child labour

Existing Prevention Interventions

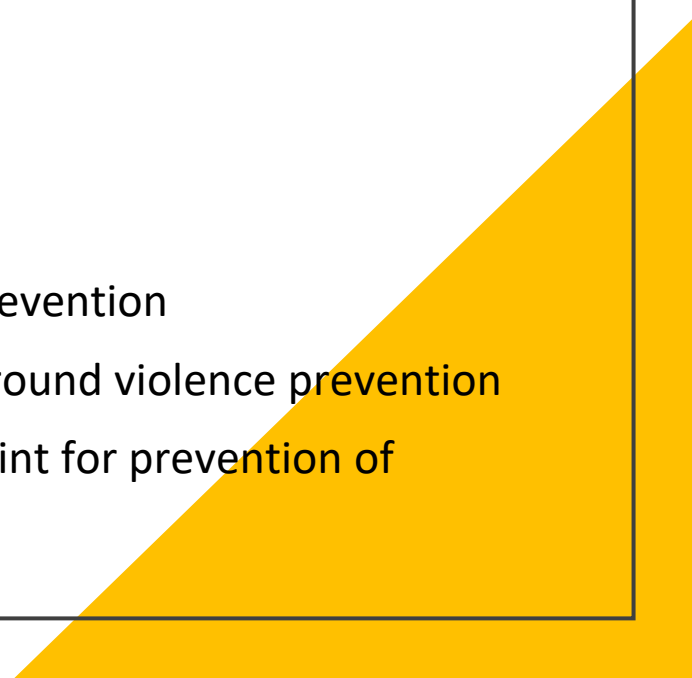
1. Upholding Child Protection Minimum Standard (CPMS) by the CP sub-cluster
2. Positive parenting training for parents/caregivers
3. Community-based child protection committee (CBCPC)
4. Conditional Cash Transfer
5. Adolescent Clubs
6. Life Skill Training for Adolescent
7. ECD programs
8. Child-Friendly Space/Safe space
9. Psychosocial (PSS) support/session
10. Awareness programs for duty bearers
11. Community Led approach in program design



What happened next?

1. The research results were shared with CP sub-sector, other sectors, local, national and international agencies, and in-country CP networks in Bangladesh
2. Encouraged the partners to incorporate the primary prevention strategies in programme design and implementation
3. Used the research results for further fundraising

Challenges:

1. Lack of funding or short-time fund allocations, with no and little focus on prevention
 2. Difficulties in collaboration and coordination among actors across sectors around violence prevention
 3. Lack of capacity and resources to have a dedicated child protection focal point for prevention of violence in local organisations
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Recommendations from research incorporated in Prevention programming

- Children's representation in camps
- CP Camp Focal Point
- System strengthening on prevention
- Community-based Child Protection Committee
- Govt's active engagement
- Social behavioral change programme to address harmful social norms
- Awareness raising and information sharing on corporal punishment
- Implementation of legal frameworks
- Activation of Child Affairs Desk in local Police stations



Many thanks!

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