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IAWG Newsletter

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GPC Information & Analysis Pillar Updates

Protection Analysis

A **Protection Analysis Updates tracking tool** has been developed in order to better coordinate the progress of PAU development. As of January the GPC is currently in contact with 6 countries with plans to publish PAUs in Q1. A PowerBI dashboard of the tracker is finalized and can be found [at this link](#).

The Information and Analysis Pillar of the GPC started supporting the Task Team on Law and Policy (TTLP) in the development of a **Legal Aid Analytical Framework**, part of a project on Legal Aid in Humanitarian Setting. The I&A team is currently guiding the consultant in the understanding of the Protection Analytical Framework to share lessons learned and ensure alignment with its core logic and accompanying tools.

Capacity Building

Session 6 of the **Sanremo Programme on Protection Coordination (SPCC)** took place on 24 January 2022 in French. The session covered protection analysis and tools, including determining severity levels, identifying most affected populations, and utilizing protection risk analysis.

The Information and Analysis Pillar of the GPC is finalizing a set of **regional protection analysis and information management trainings** that will begin in March this year. The training will help build knowledge and skills in protection analysis for national and subnational coordinators and IMOs through practical exercises and experience sharing.

Conflict Sensitivity Analysis

PAF indicators: The PAF indicators were reviewed to enable analysis of the context which aligns with conflict sensitivity. Sources for global conflict data, with specifics for Myanmar, oPT, Afghanistan, were published on the GPC website for key information sources. You can find the CS indicators aligned with PAF and JIAF indicators [here](#).

Review of the PAU template: Recommendations were made on adjusting the Context section of the PAU template to allow for an analytical structure that includes specific information related to conflict analysis, such as types of conflicts, the actors and their objectives, and conflict drivers.

Conflict Data sources: In order to support the inclusion of conflict sensitivity analysis within the GPC and to support the national clusters, we are providing conflict data sources both quantitative and qualitative at global and country/regional level which provide essential information on various issues related to the different conflict contexts and their impact on the protection environment. The GPC is in contact with these sources, and we will incorporate their link in the GPC website

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The Policy document: The Policy Brief is a document which is currently being drafted to frame the Global Protection Cluster's position on Conflict Sensitivity. The IAWG will be briefed about this policy at the next meeting. It is authored by the GPC and titled: Conflict Sensitivity and the Centrality of Protection. You can find an outline of the policy document [at this link](#).

Workstream Updates

If you would like to be involved in any workstreams please contact the co-leads of the workstream. The contact details of the co-leads can be found to the left.

C2A for Human Rights

The GPC's Task Team on Human Rights Engagement (TT HRE) organized a second cohort of the "Online training series on human rights engagement for protection clusters", which took place from 11th to 14th January 2022. This cohort brought together 30 colleagues from 14 operations. The second module of the training was focusing on human rights aspects of protection analysis and was co-developed with the IMWG. You can find the relevant materials below:

- [Facilitators Guide](#)
- [Slides](#)

[A peer exchange webinar](#) for field protection clusters and other colleagues involved in inter-sectoral response analysis and planning processes was organized on 27th January jointly between IMWG and HRE TT. It focused on the Call to Action for Human Rights and the Humanitarian Programme Cycle.

GBV Risk Reduction

The concept note for the C2A GBV risk mitigation tricluster approach workstream has been finalized. You can find the CN online [at this link](#).

Protection Monitoring

The concept note for the Protection Monitoring workstream is currently

being finalized. The workstream will be co-led by iMMAP and the GPC.

Protection and Food Security Analysis

The concept note for the Protection and Food Security Analysis workstream has been finalized. It has been attached to the email sent out with the newsletter and can also be found [online here](#). The workstream will be co-led by WFP and the GPC. WFP's Protection and Accountability handbook can be found [online here](#).

Disability and Aging Inclusion

Workstream members from Humanity & Inclusion and HelpAge have also developed a desk review on inclusion, with specific focus on data management, assessment, planning and monitoring, have been analyzed through an intersectional lens in order to shape pragmatic recommendations which can be utilized to steer capacity building and learning. You can find the guidance [at this link](#).

MHPSS

The concept note for the MHPSS workstream has been finalized. It has been attached to the email sent out with the newsletter and can also be found [online here](#).

MHPSS in Protection Analysis will take place on four levels: (1) Affected populations causes of distress, (2) the community-based protection mechanisms, (3) Access to formal MHPSS services (3) special groups of concern.

