



Iraq Child Protection Sub-Cluster Work-Plan

Key areas of work		Expected Output	Activities	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan	Feb
Child Protection Sub-cluster	Coordination	Nation-wide coordination structures established and functional	Identify and establish CP Coordinators/focal points and groups in Kirkuk, Center Governorates, Ninewa, Diyala.	X					
			Develop, finalise and endorse National and Governorate Level CPSC group ToRs.			X			
			Mid-year review of nation-wide coordination structure						X
		Governorate level CP Coordination capacity enhanced	Deliver CP coordination workshop with CPSC coordinators and focal points.		X		X		X
		CP partners work in a coordinated manner	Held month/bi-weekly national and governorate level CP coordination mechanisms	X	X	X	X	X	X
		Mixed Refugee/IDP CP coordination strengthened	Establish clear operational mechanisms for CP Refugee/IDP coordination.	X	X				
			Review of CP/Refugee operational coordination						X
	Co-leadership strengthen	Review MoU between UNICEF and SCI.				X			
		Set up clear division of roles and responsibilities between sub-cluster coordinators and co-coordinators.		X	X				
	Ensuring Basic Service delivery	Gaps in CP assistance delivery identified, needs in child protection addressed, and access to CP services strengthened;	Develop, maintain and update secondary a Child Protection secondary review database;	X	X	X	X	X	X
			Map governorate level child protection services;		X	X			
			Develop governorate specific CP/GBV referral pathways		X	X			
			Conduct regular monitoring mission to identify gaps and ensure access to response services to vulnerable children.	X	X	X	X	X	X
			Coordinate to include MRM information in planning to inform programmatic responses and advocacy on grave child rights violations.	X	X	X	X	X	X
		Identify key actions across priority sectors for improved child protection integration (i.e. GBV, PRT, Education, Health, Livelihood/Cash)	X	X	X	X	X	X	
		Minimum child protection standards established:	Consolidate a child protection guideline inclusive of resources and best practices in case management, alternative care and psychosocial support.		X	X			
	Develop an action plan for the contextualization of the child protection minimum standards in Iraq.				X	X	X	X	
	Planning and Strategy	2016 Child Protection strategic plans developed and prioritised in HC/HCT decisions	Develop 2016 CP HRP and 3RP sector plans, inclusive of objectives, indicators, work-plans and funding requirements		X	X			
			Develop the 2016 CP strategy for Iraq			X	X		
	Capacity building	Capacity of child protection actors strengthened	Conduct a technical capacity needs assessment of CP partners to identify areas for further training and support		X	X			
			Conduct regular field based workshops and trainings in the case management, PSS and MRM, and other CP issues as necessary.	X	X	X	X	X	X
			Coordinate with the MRM technical working group to identify partners through the CP sub-cluster who will be trained on the MRM in order to strengthen monitoring and reporting of and response to grave child rights violations.	X	X	X	X	X	X
	Information Management and Information Sharing	Information sharing and information management	Disseminate and update on the drop-box reports, meeting minutes and other relevant information	X	X	X	X	X	
		Analysis of needs, gaps, capacity and case loads	Contribution on the next Humanitarian Needs Overview with data for Child protection, developing info graphics with analysis of Secondary Data Review data, and carrying out gap analysis of funding and CFS mapping	X	X	X	X		
		Data collection systems & capacity development	Carry out data administration of Child Protection Activity Info Database and conduct a series of training to up skill partners on the methodology of reporting	X	X	X	X		
		Development visualisation and other IM products	Produce maps, dashboards, sitreps/fact sheets, CP survey of surveys and other IM products	X	X	X	X		
	Advocacy	Child protection issues are advocated for an prioritised by the Government, donors and other key stakeholders including National Actors	Review CP advocacy strategy and contribute to HC and HCT messaging and actions		X	X			
Advocate with donors, other sectors and key stakeholders (communication) for continuous support to child protection as a priority emergency response.			X	X	X	X	X	X	