CHECKLIST

PARTICIPATION

- In your planning, have you applied Principle 3 and Standard 27, Minimum Standards for Child Protection in Humanitarian Action?
- Is there the opportunity to discuss decisions with children?
- Have you provided opportunities for children to participate at any stage of the process?
- Have you developed a plan for communicating decisions with children for a range of ages?
- Have you assessed the layout and implementation of other IDP camps from a child protection perspective?
- Are there opportunities to use social media to provide information or engage with children safely?





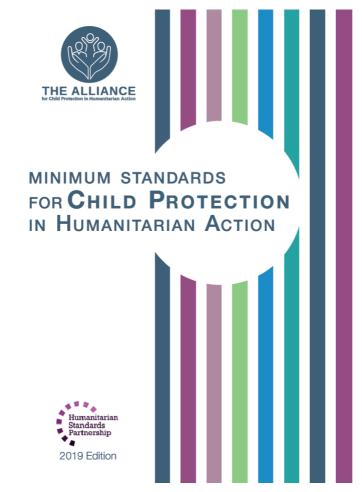




Standard 27:

SHELTER AND SETTLEMENT AND CHILD PROTECTION





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SITE PLANNING WITH CHILDREN

Guidelines for camp planning with children aged 0-18 years

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PLANNING + DESIGN

SITE PLAN

- Is the layout confusing and intimidating for children of all ages?
- Does the plan include child-focused infrastructure?
- Does the site plan create spaces where children can gather and play?
- Are child-focused areas they located in safe areas?
- Does the site plan create safe child-focused spaces near women-friendly spaces or areas where children may be idle such as while parents attend to other children's needs at WASH facilities?
- Is it easy to find the way home or to child-focused locations if children get disoriented?





SENSORY

- Are there ways for children to personalise and beautify their housing, streets and child-friendly spaces?
- Is the ground rocky?
- Are there areas that can be swept smooth for ease of traversing?
- Can children with disabilities easily navigate or connect with their environment in a positive way?
- Are there plants? Is it possible to create 'green' areas with some nature?
- Are children able to grow plants?

INFRASTRUCTURE

- Is WASH infrastructure child-friendly and easy for children of all ages to use? Eg. toilets can be scary and unsafe for children and can lead to open defecation or GBV
- Do WASH Facilities cater for adolescent girls?
- Do WASH Facilities have disposable systems & do they feel safe?
- Is there a community monitoring system to ensure safety of children when using WASH infrastructure?
- Are there designated safe spaces near WASH areas where children can wait for parents?
- Are there child specific WASH facilities children can use independently?
- Do drainage systems keep children's spaces and access dry?
- Will water gather in areas where children play?
- Are there opportunities to install wifi in childfriendly areas?











MOBILITY

- Are streets easy and safe to navigate?
- Is it easy for children to find their way home or to a safe place?
- Is there child-friendly wayfinding signage?
- Are there designated safe routes for children to attend WASH facilities, school and other childfocused infrastructure?

MANAGEMENT + USE

MONITORING + MAINTENANCE

- How easy is site maintenance?
- Are spaces and maintenance facilities such as waste disposal easily accessible and easy to maintain?
- How is the space maintained?
- Do children want more control over?
- Do they need regular assistance from adults?
- Who manages waste and clean-up of spaces?
- What is the process for organising repairs?
- How can children provide feedback on the function and safety of a place? Roads? WASH?
- How are children involved in the upgrade or removal of infrastructure or change of use of a place?
- Has children's safety increased or unintentionally decreased as a result of interventions?







USE

- Are spaces able to be safely used for a range of purposes? E.g. can a space be used for different types of sports at particular times or other activities?
- Are spaces located in such a way as to be safely usable at different times of the day or week?
- Will children of all ages, genders and beliefs feel