



Shelter and NFI Sector –Libya
Minutes of Monthly Meeting
Date: 13 October 2021

Agenda points

1. Introduction
2. Updates from Partners
3. Rental Market Interventions
4. Accommodation qualitative assessment -REACH
5. Update from Sector, incl. HRP, outstanding needs requests
6. AOB

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Attendees

Richard Evans – UNHCR, Zaid Al Jabari –NRC, Mohammad Abu Saif –NRC, Awat Salih – UNHCR, Ali Zoubi – UNHCR, Ahmad Abdrawaf – UNHCR, Ahmed Zeglam – OCHA, Bujar Reshtani – UNHCR, Chiara Lozza – REACH, Lodovica Tranchini – CESVI, Muna Sarsak – OCHA, Omar Hassan – ICRC, Asfand Waqar – IOM, IMaddidin Elzen- OCHA, Alaaddin Saud – INTERSOS, Mauro Clerici – UNHCR, Omar Kenani – WWGVC, Anna Maria Geller – DRC, Behigu Habte – IOM, Irmak Bohlinger –IRC Silvia Tesser – DRC, Tarek Ghwela – OCHA, Noor Elhuda Gleasa, Omar Al Ghazali – UNHCR, Omar Beheih , Angrlo De Santis –CEFA, Sara Rizk – IOM,

Agenda points	Actions	Status
<p><u>Updates from Partners</u></p> <p>NRC</p> <p><u>Projects in Partnership with UNHCR</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Infrastructure works (3 rain water pumping stations) in Abu Salim-Tripoli, is ongoing • Rehabilitation of 30 shelter units in Al Hilis IDP settlement in Benghazi completed • Infrastructure works in Sidi Faraj and Garyounis IDP settlements in benghazi completed • Rehabilitation of 65 houses in Al Sabri, Benghazi is ongoing. Works expected be completed by mid-November <p><u>Other projects</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rehabilitation of 65 houses in Abu Salim will start next week. With plans to rehabilitate additional 100-150 house by the end of the year 		



	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Rehabilitation works ongoing in two health centres in Mashor Al Hadaba and Al Mashro AL Zeraei in Tripoli. Works expected to be completed by November• Rehabilitation works of 100 houses in Benghazi (Benina, Geminis, Al Sabri) expected to start next week <p>DRC</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• New IDP site identified for shelter intervention in Tarhouna (Souq AL Ahad Site). Technical assessments will start once security assessment/clearance is completed• Interventions in Sidi Al Saieh and Souq Al Juma will start in 2 weeks• Works in 2 migrant sites, Gergaresh and Souq Al Jumaa, are on hold in light of the recent events in Tripoli and pending further assessment. <p>CEFA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Distribution activities in Al Zawiya will start next week to provide 363 beneficiaries (migrants, refugees and asylum seekers) with core relief items• Outreach and assessments ongoing in Tripoli. Outreach activities are limited due to the recent events/raids. <p>IOM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Access restraints in Detention centres hindering delivery of assistance.• Assessment in Murzuq for Sudanese migrants is ongoing.• Provision of core relief items in Benghazi city and Gamfouda DC is ongoing.• Decision made by DCIM and LIBAID regarding access to/operating in DC's might affect ability to operate in DC's, more guidance on the coordination mechanism is needed• Tender process for procurement of winterization kits targeting IDP's and Migrants is ongoing. –distributions plans will be communicated to the sector once confirmed.		
	<p><u>Cash for rent (CfR)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The different modalities for providing cash for rent/accommodation presented by the sector• standards/preconditions required for CfR interventions presented. Refer to slides (11&12) for details• Main discussion points;<ul style="list-style-type: none">➢ Minimum standards (information, housing standards, security of tenure) shall be met for cash support to qualify as CfR➢ Exist strategy shall be considered	Follow up with Libaid to better understand the mechanism for coordinating works in DC's	The sector will call for a follow up meeting with partners to discuss CfR interventions and possible shelter solutions



	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Given the context and operational space in Libya MPCA are the most valid➤ In light of the recent events and raids in Tripoli, risk of CfR activities has increased to recipients, partners and landlords➤ More political coverage/support needed for partners to engage more in providing shelter solutions for migrants. Refugees and asylum seekers		
	<p><u>Presentation from REACH</u></p> <p>Two future assessment exercises presented;</p> <p>1- Refugee and migrants MSNA qualitative assessment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The assessment will look at shelter conditions, housing market, predatory practices, housing solutions affordable for migrants what are the pathways to access the housing market, access to services, spatial dynamics, implications of living in overcrowded accommodation, impact of not having adequate housing and what is the impact of eviction• The assessment structure will look at contextual level, neighbourhood level and individual level• Data collection for qualitative assessment launched yesterday with preliminary results expected to be available mid-November• Research structure will look at contextual level, neighbourhood level and then individual level <p>2- Reconstruction Assessment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The assessment will aim at identifying reconstruction practices and pathways for vulnerable Libyan populations, looking mainly at;<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Processes and practices for reconstruction➤ Impact of reconstruction and adequate housing➤ Enabling and hindering factors• The assessment will aim highlighting possible areas of support shelter actors can address to meet the needs• The assessment will target at IDP's, Returnees and host communities in Abu Salim in Tripoli and Al Sabri in Benghazi• Data collection is expected to start in November, and the analysis to be completed in February• Objective is to identify reconstruction pathways and practices for	<p>Partners with capacity to support the assessments in data collection or in identifying key informants, please reach out to the sector</p>	



	<p>Sector updates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Please refer to the presentation and the shelter sector dashboard for updates and progress (https://www.sheltercluster.org/response/libya)• Outstanding requests;<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ West – Zowara Refugees and Migrants➤ South – AL Sharqiyah➤ South – Tragan Municipality• Next meeting- Wednesday 10th November @11:00 Libya time	<p>If you have any capacity to cover any of the outstanding requests, please reach out to the sector</p>	
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