

Draft Minutes of Health Cluster Meeting #20

25th May, 2012, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

DGHS KPK Office Conference Room

(10:00 – 12:00, Duration: 2 hours)

Participants:

UNFPA, SAVE THE CHILDREN, MERLIN, FLOWERS, JOHANNITER INTERNATIONAL, EPI CELL, WHO, MSF, HEALTH DEPARTMENT KPK, MDM-F, CAMP, EHSAR, Islamic Relief, MIHO, GIZ, IRC, UNICEF, Custom Care, CERD, HHRD, NATPOW, ROAD NGO, HDO DI Khan,

Agenda:

1. Introduction
2. Action Points
3. **Khyber IDP Crisis** (in and off camp situation) and **IDP camps** (Togh Saray, New Durrani)
 - Update by WHO, DG Health, Health cluster partners
4. **Health Response Plan (Humanitarian Operational Plan)**
 - Update by WHO
5. **Monsoon Contingency Planning**
 - Update by DG Health and WHO (Dr Jasim)
6. **Communicable Disease Control Update**
 - Epidemiological/DEWS update by WHO (Dr Sardar)
7. **MCH / RH**
 - Update by UNICEF, UNFPA
8. **Updates (last two weeks performance) by health partners**
9. **A.O.B**

Introduction

Meeting started the recitation and introduction. DDPH welcomed all the participants to meeting.

Action Points from Last Health Cluster Meeting

- Participation of LHW program, PPHI, FATA Secretariat and WHO focal person to Provincial EPI cell in health cluster meeting.
- Follow up: WHO contacted the FATA directorate focal person to attend health cluster meeting but he informed that he will be busy in other meeting. So the action point remained intact.
- Provision of Ultrasound Machine with sonologist to CERD by UNICEF.

- Follow up: UNICEF informed that they are still in process of procuring the ultrasound machine. UNICEF will be providing solar refrigerator to their IP CERD in Jalozai IDP camp.

Khyber IDP Crisis (in and off camp situation) and IDP camps (Togh Sarai, New Durrani)

- WHO updated health cluster on latest situation in Jalozai IDP Camp
- **Total Khyber and Bajaur IDPs Population till 21-05-2012:** (Families: 60655, Individuals: 280659).
- **Jalozai in camp IDPs Population:** (Families: 10656, Individuals: 51918).
- **Off camp families:** (49,999, individuals: 228741).
- All Mohmand Agency IDPs Returned on 18-04-12. 131 Bajaur IDP families comprising of 837 Individuals have been shifted from Benazir to Jalozai Camp. 530 Bajaur IDP families comprising of 2731 Individuals have returned from Jalozai Camp on 24-04-12. 341 Bajaur IDP families comprising of 1790 Individuals have returned from Jalozai Camp on 27-04-12.
- **Visits Conducted:** Director General Health KP, Deputy Director Public Health KP and WHO visited DTC in Pabbi Satellite. Hospital runs by local NGO "EHSAR Foundation" with WHO financial Support. Few recommendations were made including proper registration and filing of all patients and records, focus on education and health awareness for patients and their relatives on diarrhea prevention measures.
- NBC News team and Swiss Development Corporation along Swiss ambassador visited Jalozai camp. WHO team accompanied and facilitated both teams.
- Organizations providing support to IDP population: PPHI, District Nowshera: Islamic Relief in BHU Jalozai (PHC) Johannitter (PHC awareness and Family planning), IRC (Reproductive Health, 2 Family Planning, Medicines and Capacity building). Merlin and MDM are interested to support PPHI in District Nowshera. CAMP organization is supporting district Nowshera in terms of early recovery activities in the flood affected districts of Nowshera & Charsadda.
- In Jalozai IDP camp Merlin runs four PHC and one MCH centre). CAMP - two PHC. CERD - two MCH centres.
- Issues: tents numbering in new phases of 7 & 8 . Partners visited the new phases, IRC ensured that tents' numbering will be completed within 2 to 3 days but still not completed. Currently phase 7 included 520 tents and phase 8 included 1780 tents, It was decided with consensus of all the team members that let these 2300 tents in total be divided equally and 1150 tents will be included in each phase (i.e. 7 & 8) with clear demarcation.
- Selling of unhygienic food, drinks and filling/ closing of stagnant water ponds in the camp are still the issues that urgently need to be addressed to avoid the hazardous consequences in shape of spread of different diseases like diarrhea, malaria etc. cluster was informed that food inspector took samples but results are not shared yet.
- Shortage of permanent and daily register, family cards for EPI. Partners informed that no such issue is present in the camp.
- Need for better coordination and exchange of information from FATA mobile health staff present in the camp.

- SIAs to cover the population of Jalozai IDP camp along with 12 IDPs hosting UCs of Nowshera and 48 IDPs hosting UCs of Peshawar.
- GIZ plans to establish TB diagnostic and treatment center in the FATA health facility. Requested partners for referrals of suspected cases to the center. A three day refresher will be arranged by them for all the health care providers of the Jalozai IDPs camp.
- **Togh Sarai:** Total registered families 1159 with 5821 individuals. CERD is providing PHC along with nutrition services to the IDPs in the camp.
- There is a need of fumigation activities in the camp to reduce vector related health problems. Logistic support is required to conduct fumigation activities in the camp and host communities. All partners are requested for support in fumigation.
- District Health Authorities has requested WHO/Partners assistance for establishment of DTC in district Hangu.
- WHO provided Healthcare waste equipments under SFD to District Hangu and requested to EDO-H and MS THQ Hangu for facilitation, proper custody and establishment of healthcare waste management system.
- DGHS emphasized upon WASH improvement components and said that special focus should be given to health care waste management. He stressed upon proper installment of health care waste management tools and equipments in districts. DGHS requested WHO to provide its technical assistance in improvement of health care waste management systems in health facilities of different districts of KPK. WHO informed that they will discuss this issue and will provide their technical assistance in this regard.

Key Points Discussed

- CAMP organization pointed out that in phase 7 and some areas of Phase three, there is no registration and allocation of tents numbers etc, so that the health cards could be issued. This is causing an irrational use of medicines. WHO informed that after tagging of tents this problem will be solved.
- DGHS pointed out that our major concern is the identification of IDPs living in host communities and provision of services to them. Joint collaborative efforts are required to reach these IDPs in the host community and to provide better health coverage to them.
- To devise the strategy for the identification and service provision to the new IDPs living in host communities a joint meeting of partners interested in providing services to them will be held on Monday at 11am in the conference room of DGHS KP office. All interested partners were requested to attend the meeting.
- UNICEF requested to call a meeting of partners providing services in Jalozai IDP camp to discuss the duplication of services issue. That why the issue arises and what was the reason behind it. Meeting will be called in next week.

Health HOP:

- **WHO shared health HOP with health cluster and informed that the Specific Objectives of HOP are:**
 - To ensure the provision of essential life saving Primary Health Care (PHC) services (including Maternal New-born and Child Health /Reproductive health, mental health and psycho-social support) at community level and in facilities for all crisis affected population especially for women and children, elderly, and people with disabilities;
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- To address the emerging public health threats in a timely and appropriate manner by implementing and expanding the Communicable Disease Control and Surveillance System for all the affected areas of displacements and camp.
 - To ensure the delivery of the health response in a coordinated manner and according to SPHERE, Global Health Cluster and National Health Standards.
 - Funds requested: 2012 Gross Requirements: US\$20,558,513
 - 2012 Current Shortfall: **US\$17,375,913**
 - **HOP document attached.**
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Monsoon Contingency Planning:

- WHO shared presentation on the monsoon Contingency planning with health cluster partners. WHO will be sharing draft version of monsoon contingency planning with health cluster partners for their inputs and after their inputs and endorsement and final version will be drafted and shared with all.

Communicable Disease Control Update:

- Epidemiological/DEWS update by WHO: WHO shared the Epidemiological updates with health cluster. **Presentation attached.**
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Updates (last two weeks performance) by health partners

- Save the children providing services to the host IDPs through mobile teams in district Peshawar. On April 01, 2012 SC conducted initial assessment of IDPs to identify the concentration of IDPs in the targeted UCs and villages for further program implementation. 20 UCs have been covered till date through mobile health camps and among 4 BHUs and 1 RHC have been allocated by EDO-Health and PPHI to Save the Children for further program implementation and the

endorsement letters have been issued by both the departments. Save the Children shared the data with health cluster.

- IRC running project on Family planning in district Nowshera. IRC have also trained three health care service providers (IRC LHV &) on PAC from Agha Khan University Karachi. The IRC LHV – who got training on PAC dealt three patients for MVA on return from training. Family Planning services for the month of May are IUDs – 32, Tubal ligation – 2, PAC – 6 , general (3), MVA (3) The details of Sessions taken are Health Sessions in facilities – 370, Community Mobilization Sessions – 47.
- CERD providing services in IDP camps Togh Sarai and Jalozai. In Togh Sarai they are providing services of PHC and in Jalozai IDP camp they are providing MCH services. CERD has two MCH centers in Jalozai IDP camp one in old phase 2 and one in new phase 8. They have also 2 referral points in Jalozai IDP camp. CERD is supporting Polio campaigns. They are giving ORS sachet to families in Jalozai IDP camp. Regarding duplication of services in the Jalozai IDP camp CERD informed that there is no issue of duplication.
- FLOWERS providing services in district Charsadda. They are orienting population on health education and awareness. They have trained 600 LHWs. They are in consultation with EDO-H and sharing information and data with EDO-H.
- Mobile Immunization and Healthcare Organization providing outreach services in district Swat, Chitral, Dir Upper and Lower. EDO health Nowshera mentioned the need for ten umbrella canapés for Jalozai IDP camp and MIHO provided these Canapés within a week. These Canapés will be used for transit vaccination points in Jalozai Camp. MIHO has so far benefitted more than 2300000 individuals through its services. In a month of April 2012 MIHO benefitted 27683 individuals through its outreach immunization services in district Swat, Chitral, Dir Lower and Dir Upper. MIHO is regularly sharing their inputs for health cluster epidemiological bulletin on weekly basis. MIHO participated in polio NID campaign during 23rd to 26th April, 2012. MIHO is launching an outreach immunization services project in 9UCs of district Torghar very soon. Meetings were held with district authorities. NOC was acquired from DG health office KPK. MIHO recently get approval for a new project funded by UNOCHA for immunization and health education services in IDP hosting districts of Peshawar, Nowshera and Kohat. Project activities will start after signing of MoU and transfer of funds.
- Resource organization for Advancement & Development has been working in the rural communities of Peshawar, Swat, Bunir and FATA specially in south Waziristan. Being a promoter in education, the organization has successfully completed a number of seminars on education in Peshawar, Swat, Buner and Lower Dir. Since last four years the organization is actively involved in community empowerment of Swat, Dir, Buner and South Waziristan conducted a number of activities on advocacy in environmental program, livestock seminars, health hygiene water and sanitation, and educational both environmental and social.

- Islamic Relief providing services in BHU Jalozai of district Nowshera for Off camp IDPs and host community since start of May 2012. The services are Primary Health Care including ANC/PNC, Health Education, Psychosocial support, Hygiene promotion with soaps distribution in awareness sessions, Ambulance service for referrals, Screening for Malnutrition of children under 5 years & PLWs and referral of malnutrition cases, Repair/maintenance of health facility, rehabilitation of WASH facilities in health facility. Islamic relief is planning for outreach health services in UC Jalozai, acquiring another Health facility in Nowshera for same services, distribution of hygiene kits in community, hand pumps and communal waste collection points installation. Currently the funding is till September 2012 which is going to be extended till December 2012. They on regular basis sharing their data with WHO, District health department Nowshera and PPHI Nowshera. IR was requested to share their one page data information with heprkp@yahoo.com as well.
- Johannitter International providing health, WASH, Nutrition and rehabilitation services in 3 UCs of district Nowshera. From 1st of June they are planning to start emergency health care services to the off camp IDPs living in Akbarpura, tarujabba, khush muqam, wazirghari and Jalozai. They are requested to keep DoH in loop about their activities.
- EHSAR foundation is running DTC in Pabbi Satellite hospital with the support of WHO from 4th May, 2012. They will share their report with DG office.
- CAMP organization besides providing services in Jalozai IDP camp is running project on Early Recovery in district Charsadda and Nowshera. They are providing medical equipments, capacity building of health care providers and rehabilitation and repair of health facilities. So far they have completed Rehabilitation and repair work in 7 health facilities. In 4 in district Charsadda and 3 in Nowshera. 2 health facilities in district Nowshera is in process and hopefully will be completed soon. CAMP trained 492 health care providers. (410 LHWS and 60 Paramedics). Last month they conducted 10 trainings. The project has been extended for another year.
- MDM-F informed that currently they are facing funding problem and their projects will be ending on 2012. If they get funds they will continue their services.
- MSF providing 24/7 services of emergency obst care Women hospital in district Peshawar. In a month of April they consulted 160 patients. MSF is providing OPD services to under 10 children in THQ Alizai. In Kurram Agency they are providing services to under 5 in THQ Sadda. MSF has the capacity to establish DTC if needed in emergency. They are helping UNFPA in referrals in kurram agency. They have shared the data of measles with additional surgeon and requested for mass measles vaccination. WHO informed that soon a mass measles vaccination campaign will be launching in FATA,
- UNICEF is providing services to IDPs through their IP CERD in Togh Sarai and Jalozai. They will be soon starting nutrition services in 4UCs of district Nowshera. UNICEF has providing support to DoH in measles vaccines. UNICEF has funding available in CERF .so their projects will be

continuing till dec 2012. UNICEF requested to called a meeting of partners providing services in Jalozaï IDP camp to discuss the duplication of services issue that why its arise and what was the reason. Meeting will be called in next week.

- UNFPA providing 24/7 Basic EmNoc services in district Swat, Lower dir, Di Khan and Tank. On 28 May, 2012 they will be starting women friendly space corner in Jalozaï IDP camp. Due to funding constraints UNFPA will be phasing out from DI Khan and Tank they are working on exit strategy with EDO-H DI Khan and Tank. They will be soon starting new project in district Peshawar for the new Bara IDPs.
- MERLIN Shared their data with health cluster partners: Merlin shared that they are planning to do IRS in the Jalozaï Camp in the next week. Regarding UNICEF raised issue of duplication of services in Jalozaï IDP camp MERLIN informed that there is no such issue of duplication of services in Jalozaï IDP camp. Regarding the issue of EPI Registers and cards , Registers are available but the cards are less in quantity with Merlin, but Edo-H Nowshera and DoH Peshawar are out of stock and if they didn't provide it in recent future Merlin will also run out of stock.
- Nowshera: Total consultations during current month in Merlin Jalozaï were: 5707 (Males: 2183; females: 3524). Among these less than 05 years of consultations were: 1935 (Male: 975; Female: 960). Total follow-ups during current month were: 1197. Total Antenatal consultations were: 628. In which ANC 1 were: (189); ANC2 were: (112); ANC3 were: (89); ANC4 and above were: (238). And total Postnatal visits were: 165 (PNC1: 46, PNC2: 46 and PNC3: 73). Total EPI: 1467 {BCG: 167; POLIO (411); PENTAVELENT (357); MEASLES (151); T-T Pregnant (200); T-T Non Pregnant (181) and Fully Immunized were: (83). Health education sessions during this month were: 989 (in clinic: 218; outreach: 771) and participants of health education session were: 7427(in clinic: 1633; outreach: 5794). Total deliveries of current month in Merlin supported Labour room of District Nowshera at Jalozaï IDPs camp were: 31 and live births were: 33 (Two sets of twins) and total referrals to other hospitals were: 01. Referrals services continued. Total of 80 Patients were given referral services; 39 Referral for Gynaecological & obstetrics care; 11 surgical patients; 03. Paediatrics; 23 patients were of internal medicine & 04 patients were other. These all referred patients benefitted from the service. Total numbers of Laboratory tests done in Merlin Jalozaï were: 2084 (Positive: 374; Negative: 1710). Total CMAM Screening of Under 5 years Children were = 1549. MAM children were: 222 and SAM children were: 57. Total PLW screening was: 892; MAM were: 109. Total Admissions in Nutrition program were: 384. In SFP program under 5 years were: 221 and PLW were: 107. And in OTP children were: 56
- Merlin conducted refresher training in Jalozaï IDP camp on CMAM and IYCF. It was a two days training and a total of 35 participants were trained. Training was conducted on 11th and 12th of May, 2012. Another 4 days training on MCH was conducted from 14th to 17th May, 2012. A total of 16 participants participated in the training.
- **MERLIN Bunir:** Total consultations during current months in Merlin Buner were: **22515** (Male: **9357**; female: **13158**). Among these less than 05 years of consultations were: **6269**(Male: **3210**; Female: **3059**). Total follow-ups during in two week were: **437**. Total Antenatal consultations were: **2065**. In which ANC1 were (**703**); ANC2 were (**597**); ANC3 (**385**); ANC4 (**275**); and ANC5 and above were: (**105**) .And total Postnatal cases reported were **386** (PNC1: **176**, PNC2: **141** and PNC3: **69**). Total EPI: **3425** {BCG: **282**; POLIO (**1173**); PENTAVELENT (**956**); MEASLES (**363**); T-T Pregnant (**507**); T-T Non Pregnant (**144**) and Fully Immunized were: (**309**). Health education sessions during last three weeks were: **1046** (in clinic: **1046**; outreach: **00**) and participants of health education session were: **10350** (in clinic: **10350**; outreach: **00**). Total deliveries in last

three weeks in Labour room of Merlin Buner were: 343, Outpatient department visits to LR were: 01 and total referrals to other hospitals were: 00 and total family planning cases reported were 278. Referrals services continued Total of 48 Patients were given referral services; 07 referral for Gynaecological & obstetrics care; 04 surgical patients; 04 paediatrics; 13 patients were of internal medicine; 03 Blood Transfusion & 17 patients were other.

- **MERLIN Swat:** Total consultations during last two weeks in Merlin Swat were: 39355 (Males: 16864; females: 22491). Among these less than 05 years of consultations were: 10710 (Male: 5257; Female: 5453). Total follow-ups during last two weeks were: 148. Total Antenatal consultations were: 2285. In which ANC 1 were (887); ANC2 were (536); ANC3 (433); ANC4 and above were: (429). Total EPI: 6359 {BCG: 913; POLIO (1150); PENTAVELENT (1150); MEASLES (1113); T-T Pregnant (1695); T-T Non Pregnant (338) and Fully Immunized were: (1150). Total deliveries in last two weeks in Merlin supported Labour rooms of District Swat were: 694 and total referrals to other hospitals were: 06. Referrals services continued. Total of 96 Patients were given referral services; 04 referral for Gynaecological & obstetrics care; 43 surgical patients; 13 paediatrics; 34 patients were of internal medicine & 02 patients were other. These all referred patients benefitted from the service.

Action Points:

- To devise the strategy for the identification and service provision to the new IDPs living in host communities a joint meeting of partners interested in providing services to them will be held on Monday at 11am in the conference room of DGHS KP office. All interested partners were requested to attend the meeting.
- WHO will be sharing draft version of monsoon contingency planning with health cluster partners for their inputs and after their inputs and endorsement and final version will be drafted and shared with all.
- WHO informed that they are ready to support CERD in any assistance they needs in Togh Sarai IDP camp or any IDPs burden health facility.
- UNICEF requested to call a meeting of partners providing services in Jalozai IDP camp to discuss the duplication of services issue. That why the issue arises and what was the reason behind it. Meeting will be called in next week.

Conclusion Remarks

- DDPH thanked all the participants for coming to health cluster meeting and said that they have submitted annual work plan from DoH Side to WHO for support to HEPR cell and waiting for its approval. He directed WHO to look into it and approved the plan as soon as possible.