# Minutes of the Gaza Health Cluster Meeting

**Convened by:** HsCC  
**Meeting Notes taken by:** HsCC  
**Date:** 23 June 2022  
**Time:** 10:00 AM-11:30 AM  
**Venue:** Abdel Shafi Community Health Association

## AGENDA
- Humanitarian Update (MoH and WHO)  
- HF 1st Standard Allocation  
- Partners Reporting on their activities using PARP  
- Health Cluster Exhibition  
- Working Groups update. Introducing new Cluster focal persons  
- Partners Update  
- AOB/Wrap up

## 54 Participants from:
- Ahli Arab Hospital, CARE, CCP-Japan, CISP, DP, Elwafa Hospital, EMTCC, GCMHP, Hayfa Hospital, HI, IMC, IRW, Kuwait Hospital, MAP-UK, MoH-F, MoH, MSF-E, MSF-S, NCR, NECC, OCHA, PCRF, PFBS, PFPFA, PNGO, PRCS, PUI, QC, QRC, Save the Children, UHCC, UNDP, UNFPA, UNICEF, UNRWA, WHO, WW-GVC

## Key issues Raised

### Humanitarian Update (MoH and WHO)
- Please refer to MoH Health Status update from [here](#).

### HF 1st Standard Allocation
- The Health part in the 1st standard allocation have been explained, were Health will receive one million USD, distributed between Mobile Clinics at WB (0.7 M) and procurement of trauma and emergency preparedness (0.3 M).  
- The document can be found at the Cluster Website [here](#).

### Partners Reporting on their activities using PARP
- Partners have been encouraged to enter data at the PARP platform to generate information and create a dashboard, for the best interest of all, partners, donors, and researchers.

### Health Cluster Exhibition
- The Health Cluster partners have welcomed the idea of doing a Cluster exhibition to introduce themselves and present their mandate, projects and activities to other partners, donors and interested health agencies.  
- The Health Cluster Team will develop a template that can be used as a poster by each presenting partners’ organization.  
- Date, and venue and invitations will be arranged by the Health Cluster Team

### Working Groups update. Introducing new Cluster focal persons
- The Health Cluster acknowledged the join of Ms. Abeer Abu Seif from HI as the new coordinator of the Rehabilitation Task Force replacing Reham Shaheen. Abeer can be reached at [a.abu-seif@hi.org](mailto:a.abu-seif@hi.org).  
- The Health Cluster also welcomed the GBV Cluster focal person Ms. Hind Al-Alami, from WHO. Hind can be reached at [alamih@who.int](mailto:alamih@who.int)
- The Nutrition working group have provided the following update:

  - Finalization of the final draft of the national nutrition protocol for MoH endorsement.
  - Nutrition technical working group meeting was conducted to discuss the implementation of nutrition protocol and the main challenges to implement and how to overcome those challenges.
  - On-hand training conducted to partners working on treatment of malnutrition (AEI and NECC). Review of current processes was conducted, and recommendations will be provided to the partners.
  - Work on collecting and analysing the data of children with malnutrition (severe and moderate) to identify the required quantities of therapeutic food on annual basis is under development.
  - Implementation of the Complimentary Feeding Bowl (CFBs) initiative is ongoing by AEI and NECC.

**Partners Update**

- Kuwait Hospital, and other partners presented a challenging case of not renewing their licence by the Palestinian Authorities without known reason, and consequently their accounts at the bank have been closed. The partners are requesting assistance to renew their licences at the political level. Affected partners are encouraged to write request letters to the National Health Cluster Coordinator, to raise the situation to the political level.

**AOB/Wrap up**

- The meeting has been adjourned at 11:15 am

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