

Agency Reviews

- “All project proposals should be peer reviewed through cluster”
- “if participation leads to donor support funding will follow if not will not”
- “does acceptance of cluster lead imply accountability of non UN actors to UN”
- “role of national government”
- “involvement of National NGO’s”
- “cross cluster coordination is weak with cross cluster issues (gender, HIV/AIDS)”

UN OCHA Desk Review

- “Many of the perceived problems of the cluster approach are in fact long standing challenges to coordination.”
- “Humanitarian organisations have different mandates and priorities.
- “the reality is that competition exists between them all driven mainly by the humanitarian financing system”

IASC summary

- There is not yet sufficient information and comparative analysis to conclude the extent to which the cluster approach has contributed to more effective humanitarian response.
- However the cluster approach appears to have made a predictable response more likely.

Global Cluster Scene

Agriculture FAO

- ACF,CARE,GTZ,ICRC,ICVA,IFRC,
IOM,IRC,ILO,OCHA,OHCHR,OXFAM,
- SCF,UNDP,UNHCR,UNICEF,WFP,WVI

Camp Mngt UNHCR IOM

- **Global Cluster Partners:** CARE International, Danish Refugee Council (DRC), International Rescue Committee (IRC), Lutheran World Federation (LWF), Norwegian Refugee Council (NRC), OCHA, Shelter Centre, and UNEP

Early Recovery UNDP

EDUCATION UNICEF SCF

- The Global Cluster leads for the Education cluster are UNICEF and the Save the Children Alliance. The cluster's partners at the global level are UNESCO, WFP, UNHCR, IRC, CCF, and INEE (Inter-Agency Network for Education in Emergencies). At the field level, INEE and the Ministries of Education in national government authorities are the main partners.

Emergency Shelter UNHCR IFRC

- The main partners are: IOM, UN-HABITAT, OCHA, UNICEF, UNDP, WFP, NRC, DRC, OXFAM, Care International, Shelter Centre and RedR, Local and National Governments, and any NGO involved in Emergency Shelter.

Emergency Telecomms OCHA

- **SERVICE PROVIDERS**
 - UNICEF: Common data telecommunication services
 - WFP: Common security telecommunications services
- **UN PARTNERS:** DPKO, UNHCR, UNITAR/UNOSAT, WHO, UNDSS, UNDP, ICRC, IFRC
- **NON-UN PARTNERS:** SRSA (Swedish Rescue Services Agency), NRC (Norwegian Refugee Council), DRC (Danish Rescue Council), Télécoms Sans Frontières, Ericsson Response, RedR Australia, NetHope - consortium of 18 international NGOs , as well as stand-by and private sector partners.

Health WHO

- **UN Partners:** [FAO](#), [OCHA](#), [RSGIDP](#), [UNAIDS](#), [UNDP](#), [UNFPA](#), [UNHCHR](#), [UNHCR](#), [UNICEF](#), [WFP](#)

Non-UN Partners: [African Humanitarian Action](#), [Center for Disease Control](#), [Columbia University](#), [Concern Worldwide](#), [ECHO](#), [Harvard Humanitarian Initiative](#), [International Centre for Migration and Health](#), [International Council of Nurses](#), [Intl. Federation of the Red Cross and the Red Crescent societies](#), [International Medical Corps](#), [International Organization on Migration](#), [International Rescue Committee](#), [Johns Hopkins University Center for Refugee & Disaster Response](#), [Medecins du Monde](#), [Merlin](#), [Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance \(USAID\)](#), [Save the Children \(UK\)](#), [Save the Children \(USA\)](#), [Terre des Hommes](#), [World Vision International](#)

Logistics WFP

- There is a global logistics cluster support cell in Rome comprising of logistics officers from WFP, Action Contre La Faim, UNICEF, World Vision International and Care International.

Nutrition UNICEF

- **Cluster Members**

- The Nutrition Cluster has 35 members with UNICEF as the lead agency. Action Against Hunger Alliance, Center for Disease Control (CDC), Concern Worldwide, ECHO, Emergency Nutrition Network (ENN), FAO, Food and Nutrition Technical Assistance Project (FANTA)/USAID, the Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition (GAIN), Helen Keller International, International Medical Corps, International Relief and Development (IRD), Institute of Child Health/UK, International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC), Interaction, International Rescue Committee (IRC), Merlin, Micronutrient Initiative, NutritionWorks, Oxfam UK, Save the Children Alliance, Standing Committee on Nutrition (SCN), Tufts University Feinsein International Center, UNHCR, UNICEF, UNU, Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance (OFDA)/USAID, Valid International, WFP, WHO, and World Vision. (Médecins Sans Frontières (MSF) - France is an observer.)

Protection

- Protection: IDPs (from conflict)
- UNHCR
- Disasters/civilians affected by conflict (other than IDPs)**UNHCR
UNHCR/OHCHR/UNICEF

Protection Focal Points

- Child Protection (UNICEF)
- Gender-Based Violence (UNFPA)
- Housing, Land and Property Issues (UN-Habitat)
- Mine Action (UNMAS)
- Rule of Law and Justice (UNDP/OHCHR)

WASH UNICEF

- **Active Global Cluster Working Group Participants:**
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