COVID-19 Outbreak Response Coordination Group for the 9 temporary shelters along the Thai-Myanmar border (Provincial Level) Tak 7th Meeting, 16 April 2020 10:00 - 11:00

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- 1. Review of Action Points
- See updated Action Item Tracker
- 2. Situation Overview (UNHCR/IRC)
- Clarified message from GoUM Embassy in Bangkok that migrant workers cannot return before 30 April 2020 inline with the orders of the RTG Emergency Decree.
- Thai Embassy in Yangon issued an announcement on 14 April that Thai nationals will be able to return to from 18 April through 3 border crossings (Sai rivier, Chaing Rai, 2nd Friendship Bridge, Tak, Nam Pu Ron, Kanchanaburi) and need to have a fit to travel health care certificate, certification letter from Thai Embassy in Yangon and need to accept to be quarantined in Thailand for 14 days, complete an online form at least 3 days before departure.
- Confirmed cases in Thailand 2,643 1,103 patients 1,497 recovered and gone home, 43 patients passed away.
- 3. Surveillance, Case investigation and Outbreak Rapid Response (IRC)
- Situation in camps is the same, no suspected or confirmed cases.
- Nupo and Mae La slight decrease in ARI patients, same number in Umpium.
- Starting community surveillance activities soon.
- Will conduct simulation exercise on 21 April in Mae La, Camp Committee will be informed as might be some alarm in the camps when staff are seen in PPE. Camp Commander has been informed and will observe.
- 4. Infection Prevention Control (IRC)
- Discussing with ADRA on distribution of PPE, for IRC only secured funding for medical personnel except soap which is distributed to target population but will coordinate with RCCE pillar on this going forward.
- 5. Risk Communication and Community Engagement (ADRA)
- Training completed in MLA, UMP and Nupo for camp-based staff. Home visits are being organised per the PWG home visits guidelines.
- The home visits will be done after this week as Camp Committee office is closed, very good coordination from all partners.
- Training package for home visits has been compiled and has asked IRC for feedback.
- Messaging, being updated each week no changes this week so far, will be sent out tonight to the camps.
- KAP survey has been circulated through national level, provincial level comments encouraged.
- 6. Food Assistance (TBC)
- Everyone in camps is upgraded to MV. This month top-up will be 28 April and everyone will be upgraded 5%.
- FCWG is working with wholesaler outside the camp, will deliver the food to the camp per orders made by the vendors. Are able to fill orders at the moment.
- TBC will stock three months rations in the camps and delivery will be the end of April. Was planned for this week, but coordinating with supplier and will be the last week of April.

- Store in warehouse will be rice, cooking oil and tinned fish.
- Supplementary feeding supply, already in warehouse and IRC
- Food assistance for those in community quarantine is topped up 3,000THB already to all Tak camps.
- TBC collaborating with IRC on plan for those in medical quarantine.
- Any complaints about the prices of food in the FCS can be sent to TBC.
- 7. Protection & Advocacy (UNHCR)
- Issue of detention and over-crowding in Umpium.
- Next PWG meeting is tomorrow 17 April.

Next meeting: Monday 20 April 2020 @ 10am.