

2015-2017 Approved ELMA Relief Investment Framework

Cluster: Response (RES)

Cluster Vision: Urgent needs of underserved low income communities are met in a timely manner immediately following disaster onset

Objective	Strategies	Metrics
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Preserve life, health and other assets during and after disasters and shocks 2. Ensure continuity of education and protection services for affected children during and after disasters and shocks 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Mobilize action in response to early warning data b. Enable implementing organizations to respond as quickly as possible after the onset of a disaster c. Promote the coordination and appropriateness of responses, particularly for affected children d. Support improvements in the efficiency and predictability of logistics systems e. Ensure provision of basic services for displaced populations, with a particular focus on education and child protection 	<p>Outcomes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Decreased child mortality rates • Decreased malnutrition rates • Decreased negative coping strategies of affected households • Sphere¹ and other minimum standards are met when responding to displaced populations • Increased coverage rates of education and protection services for disaster affected children <p>Outputs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increased number or coverage rates of households and children reached with appropriate response services, including education and child protection. • Decreased response time between onset of disaster and response

¹ Sphere standards are a set of common evidence-based principles and minimum standards, created in order to ensure quality and accountability in humanitarian responses, covering water sanitation and hygiene, food security and nutrition, shelter, settlement and non-food items, and health. These standards were determined by the Sphere Project Organization Board, which is comprised of 17 leading non-governmental organizations, in consultation with the Red Cross and UN agencies.

Cluster: Recovery (REC)

Cluster Vision: Lives and communities rebuilt following a disaster in a sustainable manner

Objective	Strategies	Metrics
1. Return or improve services provided to communities pre-disaster	a. Repair and rehabilitate infrastructure, supplies and materials, and human resources necessary for providing services to low income households and children	Outputs <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Increase number or coverage rates of households and children with restored access to critical health, water and education services

Cluster: Risk Reduction (DRR)

Cluster Vision: Suffering of underserved low income communities affected by predictable disasters is alleviated

Objective	Strategies	Metrics
1. Strengthen community and household preparedness and resilience to disasters and shocks	a. Expand reach of sustainable and cost effective models of disaster risk reduction and mitigation for low income households b. Develop and expand appropriate early warning and surveillance mechanisms	Outcomes <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Decreased negative coping strategies of affected households Outputs <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Increased number and percentage of low income households participating in disaster risk reduction and mitigation practices• Increased reach of early warning systems and surveillance mechanisms (percent of population or number of regions covered)• Increased community participation/satisfaction in early warning systems and surveillance mechanisms