

MoM-South MHPSS TF

Date	7 th of August 2018	Venue	Imam Sadr Foundation - Tyr
Time	10:00 to 11:30	Minutes prepared by	Alain Gebrayel (MOPH-National Mental Health Programme)
Organizations attending	Beit Atfal Assoumoud, Blue Mission Organization, Imam Sadr Foundation, Islamic Health Society, International Medical Corps, Himaya, Lebanese Welfare Association for the Handicapped, Ministry of Public Health, UNICEF		

Agenda

1. Updates and discussions of challenges and issues related to MHPSS service provision in the South
2. Presentation of the new online mapping platform for the 4Ws in MHPSS in Lebanon

Discussion

Action / Decision / Suggestion

1. Updates and discussions of challenges and issues related to MHPSS service provision in the South

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Suicide risk and cases are noted by some actors to be occurring amongst teenagers because of the two application games Mariam and Blue Whale. ➤ ctors in the South are finding difficulty referring persons who are in need of hospitalization because all the hospitals are located in Beirut and Mount Lebanon. ➤ It was acknowledged that this is a major challenge and that to address it an objective in the MHPSS TF action plan was already added to open psychiatric units in general hospitals in the South and other under-served governorates but this is currently pending funding. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Question: how is the ministry dealing with these application games? ➤ Answer: Currently exploring the situation around these apps to inform possible actions. ➤ Question: what will be done on the occasion of World Mental Health Day 2018? <p>Answer: the Ministry of Public Health is launching its third national campaign. An invitation for collaboration will be sent soon to all actors willing to participate in it.</p> |
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2. Presentation of the new online mapping platform for the 4Ws in MHPSS in Lebanon

- The online mapping platform for the 4Ws (Who is doing What, Where and until When) in MHPSS was presented ahead of its launching in the beginning of September.
- Focal persons who will be responsible of entering data for their respective organisations participated in the meeting where a simulation of data entry was presented.
- Feedback that was provided for consideration included:
 1. To provide further clarifications on the platform to the section related to “beneficiaries”, clarifying when it is the target and when it is the actual number of persons receiving service.

- The online mapping platform will be launched beginning of September.
- In preparation, all organizations will be asked as of now to create their user accounts on the platform. A link will be shared by email to proceed with this. Once the user account is created by the organization, it will be reviewed and approved centrally on the system at the MOPH level and then activated.
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Next meeting: Tuesday 4th of September, 2018; Blue Mission Organization.