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| **Cluster Template for Mosul Emergency Appeal (max 2 pages)** |
| **Cluster Contact Information:** |
| *Name, Organization, email address of the Cluster Coordinator and Co-Coordinator* |
| **General background to the role of the cluster:** |
| *Please refer to your respective sections in the Mosul Flash Appeal and revise as necessary*  The Shelter and Non-Food Items Cluster helps to ensure that conflict impacted families are able to live in safety and with dignity by: providing newly displaced families with covered emergency shelter and season sensitive household items essential for their day-to-day survival. Extended provision is also provided through support to vulnerable resident groups, including hosted families, host communities, settled families for interventions including upgrade and repair unsafe and substandard shelters, rental support and the provision of asset replacement. |
| **Key achievements thus far within the framework of the Mosul FA:** |
| *Briefly describe the key results (where possible quantified) attained within the framework of the Mosul (Preparedness) Flash Appeal and total number of people reached with assistance (approx.. 5 bullet points)*  To date the Cluster has been and will continue to support  1. Preparations at camp sites with the construction of shelters in the form of tents to support families displaced from Mosul. The Government together with Humanitarian Partners is in the process / has established xxxx camps with xxxx camps in progress.  2. Prepositioning and distribution of stocks including emergency shelter items and materials for minor repairs and upgrades for both in camp situations as well as assistance / shelter in unfinished and abandoned buildings and other non – camp settings. To date xxxxxx emergency shelter interventions have been implemented with a pipeline / prepositioning of xxxxxx kits established.  3. Prepositioning and distribution of basic household supplies including blankets, mattresses, kitchen sets, cooking stoves, heating stoves, solar lanterns. To date xxxxxxx basic household kits have been implemented with a pipeline / prepositioning of xxxxxx kits established. |
| **Most critical, current and imminent humanitarian needs:** |
| *Provide a brief description of the most urgent and critical humanitarian needs among vulnerable groups of concern to your cluster, taking into account section 2 of the concept note on caseload. Quantify where possible*  Previous Shelter/NFI response, as Mosul humanitarian response planning in general focused on displaced as primary beneficiary group and in-camp settings as predominant response orientation. As the Mosul operation unfolds, there is increasing evidence that the campaign is likely to cause less displacement than expected, that however, different and a more diversified range of people and populations are affected. Hence, Shelter/NFI response shifts from the understanding of providing a basic roofs and essential items to displaced into a much broader meaning of shelter assistance as a precondition to ensure safety, dignity and wellbeing of beneficiaries, besides representing one essential lever to enable people to get back into normal living situations. Thus, the possible caseload comprises of displaced, hosts, returnees and “stayeees’ – people who did not leave their homes. In terms of response options, Shelter/NFI response, to a great extent focused on, Shelter/NFI-kit-based modalities, whose basic contents could be flexibly adapted to specific needs and seasonal specificities, in camp environments. This flexibility still allows to serve a range of diversified beneficiary groups in different living situations, camp- or non-camp settings. The scope of possible options needs however to be expanded into more beneficiary-specific targeted programming, focused on and stabilization of peoples’ living environments and strengthening of communities’ resilience. |
| **Key preparedness and response priorities until end March 2017:** |
| *Taking into account sections 1, 2, and 3 of the concept note, describe the key priority (final) preparatory and response actions (until end-March), to address the above described humanitarian needs. Quantify where possible (approx.. 7 bullet points)*  Key priority Shelter/NFI response actions can be summarized as follows:   * Maintain and reinforce solid stocks and strong replenishment pipelines for kit-based flexible emergency response, especially under consideration that stocks are likely to deplete more quickly if a broader range of beneficiaries over expanded geographical areas is served, * Implement quick and flexible emergency shelter support activities, driven to effective first-line response for obvious (displaced) and emerging possible beneficiary groups, * Complement the current range of response options with flexile, impact oriented alternatives, such as (non-exhaustive listing) cash/voucher approaches, employment programs, basic physical repair of private or public structures, small—grant programs to local entrepreneurs for initial shelter rehabilitation, * Community-based programs to rehabilitate essential public infrastructure, e.g. schools, health facilities, access roads in vicinity of aforementioned shelter repair interventions, * Continued advocacy for development and expansion of the scopes and modalities for shelter response towards effectiveness, stability and sustainability, * Stakeholder – inclusive coordination of Shelter0-NFI stakeholders within the Cluster, between clusters, agencies, government counterparts, donors, beneficiary groups, etc. |
| **Briefly describe the target population and provide a total number:** |
| *Total targeted caseload, plus brief narrative description* |
| **How much is needed until end of March 2017 for the above:** |
| *Provide an as accurate as possible overall financial requirement for the above* |
| **Cluster partners (including emergency assistance to all the caseloads identified above):** |
| *Provide the names of all cluster partners which are or may be involved in the Mosul Emergency Appeal (note: this is essential for financial tracking purposes)* |