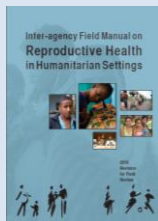




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2010



Inter-agency Field Manual on Reproductive Health in Humanitarian Settings: 2010 Revision for Field Review

The *Inter-agency Field Manual on Reproductive Health in Humanitarian Settings* is the revised version of the 1999 *Reproductive Health in Refugee Situations: An Inter-agency Field Manual*. The updated information is based on normative technical guidance of the World Health Organization and also reflects the good practices documented in crisis settings around the world since the initial field-test version of the Field Manual was released in 1996, followed by the 1999 version. This latest edition reflects the wide application of the Field Manual's principles and technical content beyond refugee situations, extending its use into diverse crises, including conflict zones and natural disasters.

(Inter-Agency Working Group on Reproductive Health in Crises, 2010)

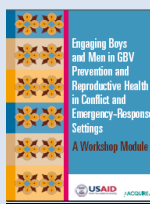
2009



A guide to Monitoring and Evaluation of NGO Capacity Building Interventions in Conflict Affected Settings

The guide provides a conceptual framework which highlights the role and importance of high quality M&E of capacity building interventions for NGOs operating in conflict affected settings. Drawing on case studies, past research in the area of capacity measurement and field testing, the guide offers principles for planning and implementing of M&E capacity building; provide a selection of tools by which to measure progress against capacity building objectives; and offer a set of indicators which NGOs can draw upon and adapt in this process. Participatory approaches to capacity building M&E are emphasized. The guide is based on past capacity building experience which has demonstrated that meaningful participation of organizational staff and volunteers is critical to the success of capacity building interventions.

(JSI Research & Training Institute/Astarte Project, 2009)



Engaging Boys and Men in GBV Prevention and Reproductive Health in Conflict and Emergency-Response Settings: A Workshop Module

This module is designed to build the skills of participants working to engage boys and men in gender-based violence (GBV) prevention and reproductive health (RH) in conflict and other emergency-response settings. It includes a facilitator's guide, handouts, slides for presentations, and participant resources for additional reading. This module is appropriate for staff that have had some training in gender, GBV prevention, and reproductive health.

(CARE/Engenderhealth, March 2009)



The Minimum Initial Service Package (MISP) Fact Sheet

Provides an overview of the objectives and components of the MISP, useful as a quick reference introduction for program managers and policy makers.

**Available in Arabic, French and Spanish
(International Planned Parenthood Federation, Women’s Refugee Commission, updated 2009)**

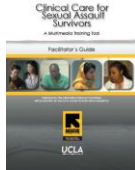


MISP Advocacy Sheet for Policy Makers

This document summarizes the importance of implementing the MISP at the onset of every emergency for a policy audience.

(IPPF/Women’s Refugee Commission on behalf of IAWG on RH in Crisis, December 2009)

2008



Clinical Care for Sexual Assault Survivors: A Multimedia Training Tool

The goal of the tool is to improve the clinical care of sexual assault survivors in low resource settings by encouraging compassionate, competent, and confidential care in keeping with international standards. It is intended for all clinic workers who interact with sexual assault survivors, with a separate section specifically for non-medical staff. It is intended as a group training with a facilitator. It is not intended as a self-teaching tool.

**Also available in French
(The International Rescue Committee, 2008)**

2006



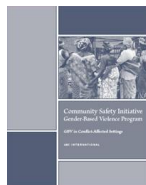
The Minimum Initial Service Package (MISP) for Reproductive Health in Crisis Situations: Distance Learning Module

The MISP for Reproductive Health is a coordinated set of priority activities designed to: prevent and manage the consequences of sexual violence; reduce HIV transmission; prevent excess maternal and neonatal mortality and morbidity; and plan for comprehensive RH services in the early days and weeks of an emergency. The MISP distance learning module is intended for use by humanitarian practitioners and policy makers to enhance knowledge on the minimum initial reproductive health response in emergency settings; can also be used post-crisis to ensure minimum. Certification in the Module in select languages is available on-line at <http://misp/rhrc.org>

**Available in Arabic, Bahasa Indonesian, French, Korean, Russian and Spanish
(Women’s Refugee Commission¹, September 2006)**

¹ Formerly the Women’s Commission for Refugee Women and Children

2005



Community Safety Initiative: Gender-Based Violence Program

This was designed specifically to help communities and humanitarian workers to determine the needs and next steps to implementing comprehensive and multi-sectoral programs to address GBV. Within this series of publications ARC's program in Guinea, West Africa, has been highlighted as an example of programmatic possibilities.

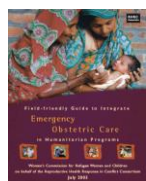
(American Refugee Committee International, 2005)



Gender-Based Violence Legal Aid: A Participatory Toolkit

This was designed specifically to help communities and humanitarian workers to assess the situation in their particular setting and to determine the needs and next steps to implementing comprehensive and multi-sectoral programs to address GBV. A special emphasis has been given to the provision of legal aid, as that is a sector often neglected.

(American Refugee Committee International, 2005)



Field-friendly Guide to Integrate Emergency Obstetric Care in Humanitarian Programs

This field-friendly guide is intended for organizations, program managers and field staff who provide reproductive health care in humanitarian crises. It focuses on the practical aspects essential for a successful implementation of emergency obstetric care in the field, including the UN process indicators for monitoring and evaluating services. A list of key resources is included in each of the steps.

Available in Arabic, French and Spanish

(Women's Refugee Commission for RHRC Consortium, July 2005)



The RHRC Consortium Monitoring and Evaluation Toolkit

The RHRC Monitoring and Evaluation ToolKit (M&E ToolKit) presents a decision-oriented model for program monitoring and evaluation. The M&E ToolKit is tailored specifically to the information and decision-making needs of managers of reproductive health programs serving refugees and other war-affected persons. Materials in the M&E ToolKit might also be used by field staff in other sectors, country directors or headquarters personnel - anyone who uses data to make decisions for improving programs.

(Columbia University for RHRC Consortium, 2005)

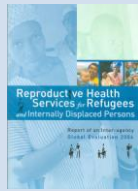
2004



Communications Skills in Working with Survivors of Gender-based Violence: A Five-Day Training Curriculum

The training is designed to be completed in 5 days, beginning with an overview of GBV and then covering areas focusing on engagement strategies for working with GBV survivors, methods to support the service provider, and service provider responsibilities and community referrals.

(Jeanne Ward for RHRC Consortium, December 2004)

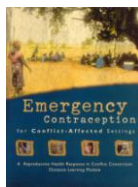


Reproductive Health Services for Refugees and Internally Displaced Persons: Report of an Inter-agency Global Evaluation

This full evaluation report of the IAWG assesses progress in the ten years since ICPD and reviews remaining challenges in providing reproductive health services to refugees and IDPs. Included in the link to the evaluation report is access to the field manual and related PowerPoint and video presentations.

(Inter-agency Working Group on Reproductive Health in Crises, November 2004)

Emergency Contraception for Conflict-Affected Settings: A Distance Learning Module



The module is ideal for providers who wish to learn about emergency contraception (EC), need to refresh their current level of knowledge and/or would like to incorporate EC services into their reproductive health care programs. Appropriate users of this module include family planning staff, community health workers, health educators, counselors, trainers, program managers, nurses, doctors, midwives and other health care personnel working in conflict-affected settings. The module is also useful for providing information and training to a multisectoral response team, which may include protection officers, nongovernmental and government authorities, and other humanitarian partners in the education and community service sectors.

Available in Burmese, French, Pashto, Portuguese and Spanish
(Women's Refugee Commission for RHRC Consortium, 2004; English and French versions updated 2008)

Emergency Obstetric Care: Critical Need among Populations Affected by Conflict



This report documents the availability of emergency obstetric care services in selected sites in nine countries. The determination of service availability was made through needs assessments conducted as part of the RHRC Consortium's Emergency Obstetric Care (EmOC) Project in 2001. The purpose of this report is to provide organizations, donors and governments with summary information on the status of EmOC in the geographic locations covered by the assessments. In addition, this information may be used to guide assessments used to design and implement future EmOC programs. It may also be used as a tool to advocate for better quality life-saving EmOC for conflict-affected women and girls.

Women's Refugee Commission for RHRC Consortium, March 2004)

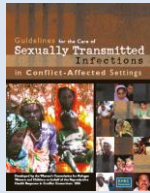
Gender-based Violence Tools Manual: For Assessment, Program Design, Monitoring and Evaluation in Conflict-Affected Settings



This manual is one of several outcomes of a three-year global GBV Initiative spearheaded by the RHRC Consortium and aimed at improving international and local capacity to address GBV in refugee, internally displaced, and post-conflict settings. These tools have been formulated according to a multi-sectoral model of GBV programming that promotes action within and coordination between the constituent community, health and social services, and the legal and security sectors. The manual is meant to be used by humanitarian professionals who have experience with and are committed to GBV prevention and response.

Available in French, selected chapters available in Arabic
(Women's Refugee Commission/International Rescue Committee for RHRC Consortium, February 2004)

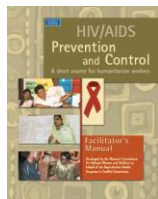
Guidelines for the Care of Sexually Transmitted Infections in Conflict-Affected Settings



The Guidelines will help health coordinators, program managers and technical advisors to take action to combat STIs. While technical components for clinical health workers are included, the Guidelines also provide non-clinical staff with insight into an important public health issue. The Guidelines were developed to show that effective STI care requires investment in technical capacity to design and implement appropriate, technically sound programs.

Available in French and Spanish
(Women's Refugee Commission for RHRC Consortium, December 2004)

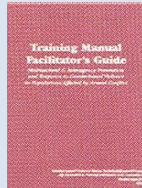
HIV/AIDS Prevention and Control: A Short Course for Humanitarian Workers



This 5-day course on HIV/AIDS prevention and control aims to assist humanitarian workers to deepen their individual understanding of the complexities of HIV/AIDS and to equip participants with the knowledge and skills needed to improve HIV/AIDS program design and implementation in their communities.

Available in Arabic, French and Spanish
(Women's Refugee Commission for RHRC Consortium, November 2004)

Training Manual Facilitator's Guide: Multisectoral and Interagency Prevention and Response to Gender-based Violence

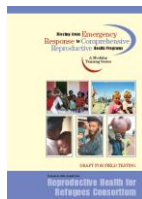


The interactive and flexible curriculum in this training manual covers basic information about gender, GBV, and the recommended standards for prevention and response to GBV in populations affected by armed conflict. Individual training modules provide step-by-step guidance and instructions for facilitators/trainers. The goal of this manual is to support efforts around the globe to protect women and children in populations affected by armed conflict, and strengthen action to address GBV in field settings.

(JSI Research and Training Institute/RHRC Consortium, 2004)

Moving from Emergency Response to Comprehensive Reproductive Health Programs: A Modular Training Series

2003



The overall purpose of *Moving From Emergency Response To Comprehensive Reproductive Health Programs: A Modular Training Series* is to provide the members of the health management team with information, resources, and problem-solving techniques to analyze its specific situation and plan future activities for revising, expanding, or starting quality RH services and programs.

(CARE for RHRC Consortium, February 2003)

Renewing International Commitment to Reproductive Health for Conflict-Affected Populations



This document summarizes the efforts to provide reproductive health services in crises before 2003. The report notes that in the early 1990s, the majority of health care settings serving refugees and displaced populations offered only skeletal maternal and child health services, focusing on prenatal care and safe home delivery through traditional birth attendants. Little or no attention was paid to family planning. STI/HIV/AIDS prevention and treatment were also found to be seriously lacking, as were programs specifically attuned to the needs of adolescents. Efforts to address GBV were limited. Trained staff and access to referral facilities for the management of emergency obstetric care were often unavailable.

(Women's Refugee Commission for RHRC Consortium, October 2003)

RHRC Consortium Conference Proceedings 2003: Reproductive Health from Disaster to Development



This second international research conference was co-hosted by the RHRC Consortium (formerly the Reproductive Health for Refugees Consortium), UNFPA, UNHCR, and their conference collaborating partner, International Centre for Reproductive Health at Ghent University.

(Women's Refugee Commission for RHRC Consortium, October 7-8, 2003)

Global Decade Report: Refugees and Reproductive Healthcare

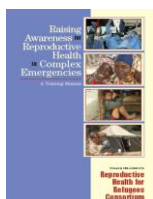


This report charts almost 10 years of worldwide conflict and its impact on the reproductive health (RH) of those forced to flee. The country chapters - Angola, Colombia, DRC, East Timor, Pakistan and Afghanistan, Sri Lanka, Zambia - provide an overview of the RH status of millions of displaced people. The report also includes a chapter highlighting the global initiatives undertaken by the RHRC Consortium in the areas of advocacy, emergency obstetrics, GBV, monitoring and evaluation, small grants and training.

(Marie Stopes International for RHRC Consortium, August 2003)

Raising Awareness for Reproductive Health in Complex Emergencies: A Training Manual

2002



The overall purpose of this training manual is to raise awareness of and build support for RH programming in refugee situations. The priority audience for this training manual is "anyone with a stake in reproductive health" – including people who are already working in complex emergencies and people who are not, but need an awareness of RH issues in situations of forced migration. This manual, together with the required resource materials, is intended to offer a complete guide for conducting a workshop.

(CARE for RHRC Consortium, 2002)

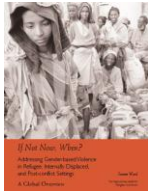
Gender-based Violence: Emerging Issues in Programs Serving Displaced Populations



This book is a compendium of key lessons learned during five years of working with GBV programs in 12 countries, and is designed to be used by those who work with displaced populations. It looks at the evolution of GBV programs serving populations affected by armed conflict, and analyzes the most common problem areas for GBV programs. Finally, it looks at the need for technical assistance in current GBV programs in Angola, Eritrea, Guinea, Serbia, Sierra Leone, Thailand, and Zambia.

Available in French and Portuguese(JSI for RHRC Consortium, September 2002)

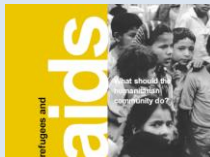
If Not Now, When? Addressing Gender-based Violence in Refugee, Internally Displaced, and Post-conflict Settings



The report is one of several outcomes of a two-year global Gender-based Violence Initiative spearheaded by RHRC and aimed at improving international and local capacity to address such violence in refugee, internally displaced, and post-conflict settings. Other outcomes, including an extensive web-based bibliography of GBV resources and an RHRC field manual for GBV assessment, program design and evaluation, are meant to supplement the findings of the report with practical and field-friendly tools, as well as educational and training materials

(Women's Refugee Commission/International Rescue Committee for RHRC Consortium, April 2002)

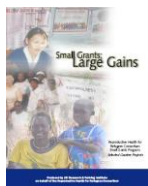
Refugee and AIDS: What should the Humanitarian Community do?



Aiming to stimulate policy makers, managers and implementers to strengthen their response to HIV/AIDS, this document provides user-friendly guidance and mobilizes humanitarian actors working in refugee settings to address HIV/AIDS. Rather than providing a comprehensive guide to HIV/AIDS programming in refugee settings, readers are encouraged to utilize the key resource materials referenced at the end of the document.

(Women's Refugee Commission, January 2002)

Small Grants; Large Gains: Reproductive Health for Refugees Consortium Small Grants Program



The document describes the Small Grants Program, managed by JSI. The program's purpose is to build the capacity of national NGOs to provide reproductive health services in conflict-affected settings through funding, training, technical assistance, and fostering of collaboration with other partners and resources. The program enables and encourages international and national NGOs to develop innovative partnerships to address unmet reproductive health needs of displaced persons in areas of HIV/AIDS, GBV, adolescent reproductive health, safe motherhood and family planning. The document highlights some of the successes from the RHRC Consortium's Small Grants Program and the diversity of the projects and key lessons learned through the Small Grants Program from implementing reproductive health services in conflict-affected settings.

(JSI Research and Training Institute for RHRC Consortium, 2002)

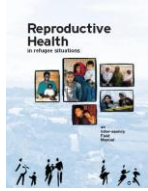


Work with Young Refugees to Ensure Their Reproductive Health and Well-Being: It's Their Right and Our Duty

A field resource for programming with and for refugee adolescents and youth.

(Women's Refugee Commission /UNHCR, 2002)

1999



Reproductive Health in Refugee Situations: An Inter-Agency Field Manual & Corrigendum

Reproductive Health in Refugee Situations: An Inter-agency Field Manual is the standard-setting guideline on reproductive health in humanitarian situations. The manual was printed in its current version in 1999, after extensive field-testing. A Corrigendum of technical updates was developed in 2008 and the manual itself is currently undergoing revision.

Available in French, Portuguese, Russian and Spanish
(Inter-Agency Working Group on Reproductive Health in Crises, revised 1999;
Corrigendum printed 2008)

1994

Refugee Women and Reproductive Health Care: Reassessing Priorities

Published in 1994, this report is the first comprehensive report to document the reproductive health needs of refugee and IDP women. The report reassesses the priorities of reproductive health programs for refugee women in Africa, Pakistan, Cambodia, Thailand, and Belize. Results of the assessment revealed that in many refugee settings, many women were at risk of pregnancy-related complications. Because of limited reproductive health care available in many settings, the reproductive health needs of refugee and displaced women are not being met. The report recommended that Immediate action should be taken to address these problems in order to improve the ability of refugee women throughout the world to plan their childbearing and to safeguard their reproductive health.

(Women's Refugee Commission, June 1994)

All documents are available on the RHRC Consortium website at www.rhrc.org or email info@rhrc.org