



Individual Self Reflection 2020 on World Humanitarian Summit Commitments and Initiatives - Norwegian Project Office/Rural Rehabilitation Association for Afghanistan (NPO/RRAA)



Stakeholder Information

Organisation Name

Norwegian Project Office/Rural
Rehabilitation Association for
Afghanistan (NPO/RRAA)

Organisational Type

NGO - National

City and Country where Headquartered

Kabul, Afghanistan

Focal Point Name

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Region

Asia

Twitter ID

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4A Reinforce, do not replace, national and local systems

Individual Commitments

Commitment	Commitment Type	Core Responsibility
NPO/RRAA commits to establishing a common approach to providing information to affected people and collecting, aggregating and analysing feedback from communities to influence decision-making processes at strategic and operational levels.	Operational	Change People's Lives: From Delivering Aid to Ending Need

1. Highlight the concrete actions taken between 1 January – 31 December 2017 to implement the commitments which contribute to achieving this transformation. Be as specific as possible and include any relevant data/figures.

People-centered approaches (feedback mechanisms, community engagement, etc)

In 2017, the Rural Rehabilitation Association for Afghanistan (NPO/RRAA) integrated women's security into relief activities. Beside the provision of shelter material and non-food items NPO/RRAA organized extra capacity development sessions and empowered women members of the families to speak out about their rights as internally displaced persons (IDPs) and returnees, their children's right to education, and their right to healthcare etc. Monitoring results indicates that those women who participated in training sessions are more able to go to related departments of local authorities at districts and provincial levels and claim what they are entitled to.

Cash-based programming

Rural Rehabilitation Association for Afghanistan (NPO/RRAA) used multi-purpose cash provision through mobiles to meet the real needs of IDPs and returnees which resulted in: (1) the families making the choice to use the money according to their needs (2) NPO/RRAA was able to open a new gate for cooperation with private sectors and take advantage of available technologies like mobiles; and (3) promoted transparency and accountability to our stakeholders like our donors, governmental authorities and target communities.

Keywords

Cash, Displacement, Gender, Local action, People-centred approach



Initiative Reports

New Way of Working :

What concrete actions have you taken in support of the initiative.

In 2017, the Rural Rehabilitation Association for Afghanistan (NPO/RRAA) practiced two new initiatives: 1) integration of women's security into relief activities and 2) used the resources to meet the real needs of IDPs and returnees. For the integration of women's security into relief activities, beside provision of shelter material and non-food items NPO/RRAA organized extra capacity development sessions and empowered women members of families to speak out about their rights as internally displaced persons (IDPs) and returnees, their children's right to education, and their right to healthcare etc. Monitoring results indicate that those women who participated in training sessions were more able to go to related departments of local authorities at districts and provincial levels and claim what they are entitled to.

With regard to using resources to meet the real needs of IDPs and returnees, NPO/RRAA used multi-purpose cash provision through mobiles which resulted in: (1) the families were weighing the choice to use the money according to their needs; (2) NPO/RRAA was able to open a new gate for cooperation with private sectors and take advantage of available technologies like mobiles; and (3) promoted transparency and accountability to our stakeholders like our donors, governmental authorities and target communities.