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1. Executive Summary

Country of intervention	Kenya					
Type of Emergency	x	Natural disaster	<input type="checkbox"/>	Conflict		
Type of Crisis	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sudden onset	<input type="checkbox"/>	Slow onset	x	Protracted
Mandating Body/ Agency	The Government of Kenya and the County Government of Garissa					
Project Code	24FFN					
Overall Research Timeframe (from research design to final outputs / M&E)	23 September 2022 – 22 May 2023 (8 months)					
Research Timeframe	1. Research Design Finalize – 18 November 2022			2. Planned Data Collection Baseline data collection: 18 –21 st November 2022 (1 week before the first round of money transfer)		
				N/B There will be no Midline Data Collection Data-cleaning logs will be reviewed each day and the data cleaning process will start on the 22 nd of November 2022		
	3. Data Analysis Completion Schedule Two weeks after the last data collection day in all rounds. Deadline 5 th of December 2022			4. Data Sent for Validation - Two weeks after the last data collection day in all rounds. Deadline 5 th of December 2022		
	5. Output Sent for Validation - Four weeks after data collection (factsheet). Deadline 12 th of December 2022			6. Outputs published: Six weeks after completing data collection (factsheet). Deadline 23 rd of December 2022		
	7. Final presentation: Upon request by the consortium					

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Research Timeframe <i>Planned deadlines and timelines for the Endline</i>	1. Research Design Finalize – 22 nd to 26 th May 2023		2. Planned Data Collection Baseline data collection: 22 nd to 26 th May 2023 (1 week after the first round of money transfer) N/B There will be no Midline Data Collection Data-cleaning logs will be reviewed each day and the data-cleaning process will start on the 29 th of May 2023
	3. Data Analysis Completion Schedule Two weeks after the last data collection day in all rounds. Deadline 10 th of June 2023		4. Data Sent for Validation - Two weeks after the last data collection day in all rounds. Deadline 10 th of June 2023
	5. Output Sent for Validation - Four weeks after data collection (factsheet) Deadline 23 rd of June 2023		6. Outputs published: Six weeks after completing data collection (factsheet). Deadline 23 rd of June 2023
	7. Final presentation: Upon request by the consortium		
Number of assessments	<input type="checkbox"/>	Single assessment (one cycle)	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Multi-assessment (more than one cycle) <i>Two cycles are planned: Baseline & Endline</i> The baseline assessment will be conducted after the registration of the target beneficiaries and before the first cash transfer while the endline will be conducted after the last cash transfer. Endline assessment will be conducted two weeks after the final cash transfer.	
Humanitarian milestones	Milestone		Deadline
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Donor plan/strategy	Collected data will inform future projects of the donor.- - Deadline 30 th June 2023
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Inter-cluster plan/strategy	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Cluster plan/strategy	Collected data will feed into upcoming programs by actors planning cash-based interventions.
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NGO platform plan/strategy	Collected data will feed into upcoming programs by actors planning cash-based interventions - Deadline 30 th June 2023
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify):	--/_/_/----
Audience Type & Dissemination	Audience type		Dissemination
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Strategic <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Programmatic <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Operational <input type="checkbox"/> [Other, Specify]		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mailing list of the Kenya cash consortium members and partners operating in Garissa County. <input type="checkbox"/> Cluster Mailing (Education, Shelter and WASH) and present the findings at the next cluster meeting

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		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Presentation of findings (e.g. at dissemination forums) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Website Dissemination (Relief Web & REACH Resource Centre) <input type="checkbox"/> [Other, Specify]
Detailed dissemination plan required	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
General Objective	To understand to what extent the expenditure patterns and food security status of beneficiary HHs of the Kenya Cash Consortium (KCC) multi-purpose cash transfer (MPCTs) 2022/2023 programme have changed in order to inform the multi-purpose cash-based humanitarian response in Garissa County.	
Specific Objective(s)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> To determine the demographics of the target beneficiaries, heads of households and household size Understand beneficiary HH expenditure patterns at the beginning of the MPCTs programme and how it changes over time as HHs receive the MPCTs. Understand beneficiary HH food and livelihood security status at the beginning of the MPCTs program and how it changes over time as HHs receive the MPCTs. Understand the impact of receiving cash on the beneficiary HHs' well-being Understand awareness of complaint response mechanisms. Understand the degree to which ECHO protection-related key performance indicators (KPI) are adhered to. The specific indicators include: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Awareness of the program details in the beneficiary population before it begins, satisfaction with the payment process, amount, and timeframe, frequency of payment delays ability to receive and access MPCTs, knowledge of complaint mechanisms ability to engage with a said mechanism to directly provide feedback, comments, or complaints, presence of community consultations by the partner NGO about the needs of the community, safety perceptions of the beneficiary HHs during the selection and registration process, perceived fairness of the selection process, respectful treatment by the NGO staff and IF suggestions on project improvement, are met at all stages of the project cycle. 	
Research Questions	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> What are the demographic profiles of the target beneficiaries, heads of households and household size? What are the beneficiary HH's baseline expenditure patterns prior to receiving a MPCT from the KCC, and how does this change after receiving multiple rounds of the MPCTs? <ol style="list-style-type: none"> What is the beneficiary HH monthly income? What are the beneficiary HHs' main expenditures? 	

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¹ [Baseline, first PDM, second PDM and endline reports from Kenya Cash Consortium in 2020 and 2021](#)

² https://fscluster.org/sites/default/files/documents/dg_echo_protection_mainstreaming_indicator_-_technical_guidance.pdf

³ [REACH KEN MSNA SO Dadaab December-2021-.pdf \(impact-repository.org\)](#)

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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Host communities	<input type="checkbox"/>	Unregistered refugees in Dadaab camps					
Stratification	<input type="checkbox"/>	Geographical #: _ _ _ Population size per strata is known? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Group #: _ _ _ Population size per strata is known? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/>	[Other Specify] #: _ _ Population size per strata is known? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
Data collection tool(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Structured (Quantitative)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Semi-structured (Qualitative)					
	Sampling method			Data collection method					
Structured data collection tool # 1 <i>HH interview tool for baseline</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Purposive <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Probability / Simple random <input type="checkbox"/> Probability / Stratified simple random <input type="checkbox"/> Probability / Cluster sampling <input type="checkbox"/> Probability / Stratified cluster sampling <input type="checkbox"/> [Other, Specify]			<input type="checkbox"/> Key informant interview (Target #): _ _ _ _ <input type="checkbox"/> Group discussion (Target #): _ _ _ _ _ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Household interview (Target #): 355 inclusive of 10% buffer <input type="checkbox"/> Individual interview (Target #): _ _ _ _ _ <input type="checkbox"/> Direct observations (Target #): _ _ _ _ _ <input type="checkbox"/> [Other, Specify] (Target #): _ _ _ _ _					
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Target level of precision if probability sampling	95% level of confidence			5+/- % margin of error					
Data management platform(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	IMPACT ODK Server Kenya	<input type="checkbox"/>						
	<input type="checkbox"/>	[Other, Specify]							
Expected output type(s)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Situation overview #: _ _	<input type="checkbox"/>	Report #: _ _	<input type="checkbox"/>	Profile #: _ _			
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Presentation #: _ _	<input type="checkbox"/>	Presentation (Final) #: _ _	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Factsheet #: 2 (1 for baseline and 1 for endline)			
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Interactive dashboard #: _	<input type="checkbox"/>	Webmap #: _ _	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Map #: _1 _ (embedded/printed on the factsheet)			
Access	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Public (available on REACH resource center and other humanitarian platforms)							
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Restricted (bilateral dissemination only upon agreed dissemination list, no publication on REACH or other platforms)							
	IMPACT								
	Donor: Norwegian Refugee Council (NRC)								

Visibility Specify which logos should be on outputs	Coordination Framework: ASAL Humanitarian Network (AHN) Partners: AHN, ACTED, Relief, Reconstruction, and Development Organization (RRDO), Pastoralist Girls Initiative (PGI)
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2. Rationale

2.1. Background

Garissa County is an administrative county (about 44,753 km²) in Kenya. Its capital and largest urban area is Garissa. The population as of 2019 was 841,353 with a total of 141,394 households with an average size of 5.9 persons per household. It has a population density of 19 persons/Km². Garissa county has 7 sub-counties with 30 county assembly wards. There are 22 divisions sub-divided into 96 locations and 142 sub-locations.⁴

The biophysical indicators from NDMA, reported that no rainfall was received in the county in September 2022. The 3-month Vegetation Condition Index (VCI) was 27.14 showing a moderate vegetation deficit. Lagdera and Balambala sub-counties are in the severe vegetation deficit category. Poor to depleted pasture condition was seen in most parts of the county, apart from the southern parts of the county of Ijara, Hulugho and Bodhai sub-counties where pasture condition was fair to poor. Both household and livestock trekking distances from water sources have increased and were above the long-term averages.⁵

According to the most recent analysis, from July to September 2022 (lean season), about 3.5 million people (24% of the Arid and Semi-Arid Land ASAL population) are facing high levels of acute food insecurity – Integrated Phase Classification (IPC) Phase 3 or above, with about 2.7 million people in IPC Phase 3 (Crisis) and 785,000 people in IPC Phase 4 (Emergency). This is a 10% increase from the same period in 2021 where 2.1 million people were categorized in IPC Phase 3 and IPC Phase 4. The food insecurity is primarily driven by a combination of shocks, including a fourth successive below-average rainy season which was poorly distributed in space and short-lived which resulted in below-average crop production to near crop failure and poor livestock production; localised resource-based conflict; and high food prices as a result of the war in Ukraine and low in-country production. The most affected counties, representing 40% of the total country population in IPC Phase 3 or above are: Isiolo (50%), Turkana (50%), **Garissa (45%)**, Mandera (45%), Marsabit (45%), Samburu (45%), Wajir (45%) and Baringo (40%). These are predominantly pastoral livelihoods.⁶

In response to the ongoing drought following four consecutive failed rain seasons, Arid and Semi-Arid Land Humanitarian Network (ASAL-AHN), a consortium of both international and local organisations will implement four cycles of cash transfers to 2,036 households (12,216 individuals) in Garissa County in response to the drought situation. AHN will count on the support of two of its members - Relief, Reconstruction and Development Organization (RRDO) and Pastoralist Girls Initiative (PGI) for the provision of multi-purpose cash assistance to improve the nutrition and food consumption practices of vulnerable households in Garissa County. In support of this response, the AHN Network will provide technical backstopping to the partners by guiding them through the activities and challenges that may be encountered during the implementation.

In support of this response, the AHN Secretariat will undertake a harmonized Monitoring, Evaluation, Accountability, and Learning (MEAL) functions for the project, and use its existent independent Complaints, Feedback, and Response Mechanism (CFRM) to provide safe and confidential channels for reporting of coercion, corruption and/or abuse. To do so, AHN will have the support of ACTED's Appraisal, Monitoring and Evaluation Unit (AMEU) for the management of the CFRM. The latter will provide accountability monitors that form part of an independent platform for beneficiaries to provide feedback on the project and raise complaints on implementation at any stage throughout the project cycle. In addition, IMPACT will

⁴ Kenya National Bureau of Statistics. (2019). Kenya Population and Housing Census Results

⁵ <https://reliefweb.int/report/kenya/garissa-county-drought-early-warning-bulletin-september-2022>

⁶ <https://www.ipcinfo.org/ipc-country-analysis/details/en/c/1155938/>

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conduct the monitoring and evaluation of the cash distribution activities – baseline (planned for the week of 18th November 2022) and endline (a week after the last cash transfer) – for a coherent methodology and analysis framework currently being applied by the AHN partners across the ASAL counties. The overall aim is to assess the impact of the distribution of multi-purpose cash assistance (MPCA) for the 2,036 households in Garissa County.

2.2. Intended Impact

Based on the rationale summarized above, the Kenya Cash Consortium, led by ACTED and the Arid and Semi-arid lands (ASAL) Humanitarian Network (AHN), RRDO and PGI, will provide MPCTs to the target beneficiary HHs in Garissa County. IMPACT initiatives will provide monitoring of the project by conducting a baseline and endline assessment, whose methodology is presented in the next section. The assessment will collect data on the HHs' demographics, overall food security situation, income and expenditure, their subjective and overall wellbeing, as well as their perceptions of whether the humanitarian assistance offered is delivered in a safe, accessible, accountable, and participatory manner. The findings will provide insight into MPCT programming and assist partners to align their tasks to meet their objectives.

The Pastoralist Girls Initiative (PGI), and Relief, Reconstruction and Development Organization (RRDO) will provide four months of cash assistance to a total of 2,036 households in targeted communities in Garissa. This will provide much-needed purchasing power in targeted households; enabling them to respond to their basic needs while offering flexibility and diversity of procurement at household level. The transfer value is based on the latest MEB amount released by the Kenya Cash Working Group, following market monitoring data released by REACH on a quarterly basis. The support will be delivered through mobile money transfer using Safaricom's M-pesa so that the approach is suitable in the locations. Partners will distribute SIM cards to all beneficiaries who do not have one and will set up an M-pesa account for each. The households that lack the prerequisite documents needed to register for M-pesa will benefit from the option of being supported to register and obtain these documents.

To monitor the ongoing impact of the MPCTs at the HH level, IMPACT Initiatives will conduct a baseline and an endline assessment. First, an initial baseline survey will be conducted for the new beneficiaries' HHs before they receive any MPCT.

Two weeks after the last round of disbursements of the MPCTs to HHs, IMPACT Initiatives will conduct an endline survey with samples drawn from beneficiary HHs. These surveys will be conducted remotely through phone interviews.

3. Methodology

3.1. Methodology Overview

The baseline and endline surveys will be conducted using mobile phones through HH surveys with a representative of the HH being a beneficiary of the Kenya Cash Consortium MPCT programme. The assessment will use a random sampling method to fulfil a 95% confidence level and a 5% margin of error. In addition, a 10% buffer will be included in the sample to account for non-response or data quality issues. A total of 355 surveys will be conducted in each of the two assessment rounds in Garissa County. The baseline assessment will be conducted between 18th November to 21st November 2022, and the endline between 22nd to 26th May 2023.

3.2. Population of interest

- Geographical area assessed: Garissa County
- Population assessed: The population of interest is the community HHs affected by the drought in the county of Garissa. The community HHs supported will remain the assessment's beneficiary households. These are the host community.
- Unit of measurement: The unit of measurement will be the HHs.

3.2 Secondary data review

- [Baseline, first PDM, second PDM and endline reports from Kenya Cash Consortium in 2020 and 2021](#)⁷
- [ECHO Protection Key Performance Indicators list](#)⁸
- [NDMA resources, NDMA 2022, will be used to assess the drought situation in Garissa County](#)
- Open Street Map and Google Maps – This will guide REACH in developing the maps.
- [REACH MSNA conducted in Dadaab in 2021](#)⁹

3.3 Primary Data Collection

The baseline and endline surveys will be conducted through HH surveys using mobile phones with a representative of the HH being a beneficiary of the Kenya Cash Consortium MPCT programme. The assessment will comprise a household survey designed in partnership with the Kenya Cash Consortium partners. The tool will be designed and coded using kobo and all data will be collected via smartphone using Open Data Kit (ODK collect). Through this survey, households will be asked about their overall food security situation, as well as their perceptions of whether humanitarian assistance is delivered in a safe, accessible, accountable and participatory manner. For the baseline and endline survey, a simple random sampling approach will be used to have data that is representative of the beneficiary population (households), with a 95% confidence level and a 5% margin of error. A 10% buffer will be included in the sample to account for non-response or data quality issues. From the 2,036 beneficiaries of the MPCTs in Garissa County, a total of 355 surveys will be conducted in each of the two surveys (baseline and endline). The data will be collected through phone interviews and the respondents will be randomly selected from the list of registered beneficiaries. The interviews will only be conducted with people aged 18 years or above. Using MS-Excel, random numbers will be generated next to the beneficiary names and then arranged from the smallest random number to the largest. The first 355 names will be picked for the interview. If the respondent is not willing to respond or is not available, the next respondent from the beneficiary list will be contacted. The random numbers will be generated during the two assessments so we may have different respondents during the assessments which may cause the rounds of the assessments not to be completely comparable. The baseline assessment will be conducted starting 18th of November 2022, and endline between the 22nd to 26th of May 2023.

Data Processing & Analysis

Collected data will be subjected to daily checks to identify any issues with data quality and divergence from the sample frame, in line with IMPACT's Data Cleaning Minimum Standards Checklist.¹⁰ In addition to the daily data checks, the final datasets will undergo a thorough cleaning, with any outstanding issues reported to the field staff for feedback. Following data cleaning, the data will be analyzed using R. For the food consumption score and coping strategy index, the guidelines provided by World Food Programme (WFP) from pages 63 to 80 will be used.¹¹ IMPACT will compile factsheets from the analyzed data and thereafter publish the factsheets on the REACH website and share the outputs with the Kenya Cash Consortium.

⁷ [Baseline, first PDM, second PDM and endline reports from Kenya Cash Consortium in 2020 and 2021](#)

⁸ https://fscluster.org/sites/default/files/documents/dg_echo_protection_mainstreaming_indicator_-_technical_guidance.pdf

⁹ [REACH KEN MSNA SO Dadaab December-2021-.pdf \(impact-repository.org\)](#)

¹⁰ https://www.reachresourcecentre.info/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/IMPACT_Memo_Data-Cleaning-Min-Standards-Checklist_28012020-1.pdf

¹¹ https://documents.wfp.org/stellent/groups/public/documents/manual_guide_proced/wfp203246.pdf

4. Roles and responsibilities

Table 2: Description of roles and responsibilities

Task Description	Responsible	Accountable	Consulted	Informed
<i>Research design</i>	Senior Assessment Officer	Research Manager	IMPACT HQ Research Design and Data Unit (RDDU), consortium members, Research Manager	HQ, Consortium Members, county coordinator
<i>Supervising data collection</i>	Senior field officer	Database Officer	IMPACT HQ RDDU, Consortium members, Research Manager, Assessment officer	HQ, Consortium Members, county coordinator
<i>Data processing (checking, cleaning)</i>	Database Officer	Database Officer	IMPACT HQ RDDU, consortium members, Research Manager, Senior Assessment officer	HQ, Consortium Members, county coordinator
<i>Data analysis</i>	Database Officer	Database Officer	IMPACT HQ RDDU, Senior Assessment officer, consortium members, Research Manager,	HQ, Consortium Members, county coordinator
<i>Output production</i>	Senior Assessment Officer, GIS officer	Senior Assessment Officer	IMPACT HQ Research Reporting Unit (RRU), consortium members, Research Manager	HQ, Consortium Members, county coordinator
<i>Dissemination</i>	Senior Assessment Officer	Senior Assessment Officer	Consortium members, Research Manager,	HQ, Consortium Members, county coordinator,

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			IMPACT HQ Communications Officer	HQ Communications Officer
Monitoring & Evaluation	Senior Assessment Officer	Senior Assessment Officer	IMPACT HQ Research Department, consortium members, Research Manager	HQ, Consortium Members, county coordinator
Lessons learned	Senior Assessment Officer	Senior Assessment Officer	IMPACT HQ Research Department, consortium members, Research Manager	HQ, Consortium Members, county coordinator

Responsible: the person(s) who executes the task

Accountable: the person who validates the completion of the task and is accountable of the final output or milestone

Consulted: the person(s) who must be consulted when the task is implemented

Informed: the person(s) who need to be informed when the task is completed

5. Key ethical considerations and related risks

The proposed research design meets/does not meet the following criteria:

The proposed research design...	Yes/ No	Details if no (including mitigation)
... Has been coordinated with relevant stakeholders to avoid unnecessary duplication of data collection efforts?	Yes	
... Respects respondents, their rights and dignity (specifically by: seeking informed consent, designing length of survey/ discussion while being considerate of participants' time, ensuring accurate reporting of information provided)?	Yes	
... Does not expose data collectors to any risks as a direct result of participation in data collection?	Yes	
... Does not expose respondents / their communities to any risks as a direct result of participation in data collection?	Yes	

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... Does not involve collecting information on specific topics which may be stressful and/ or re-traumatising for research participants (both respondents and data collectors)?	Yes	
... Does not involve data collection with minors i.e., anyone less than 18 years old?	Yes	
... Does not involve data collection with other vulnerable groups e.g., persons with disabilities, victims/ survivors of protection incidents, etc.?	Yes/No	Given that we do not know the profile of participants beforehand; we will not be able to ascertain whether they belong to vulnerable groups. That being said, enumerators will receive training on ensuring questions are asked in a non-intrusive, sensitive manner in order to mitigate any unintended harm. Additionally, respondents always have the option to not answer any question (prefer not to answer) or withdraw consent for the interview at any stage.
... Follows IMPACT SOPs for management of personally identifiable information ?	Yes	

6. Data Analysis Plan

Attached Separately

7. Monitoring & Evaluation Plan

IMPACT Objective	External M&E Indicator	Internal M&E Indicator	Focal point	Tool	Will indicator be tracked?
Humanitarian stakeholders are accessing IMPACT products	Number of humanitarian organisations accessing IMPACT services/products	# of downloads of x product from Resource Center	Country request to HQ	User_log	x Yes
		# of downloads of x product from Relief Web	Country request to HQ		x Yes
		# of downloads of x product from Country-level platforms	Country team		x Yes
	Number of individuals accessing IMPACT services/products	# of page clicks on x product from REACH global newsletter	Country request to HQ		x Yes
		# of page clicks on x product from the country newslettSendinblueBlue, bit.ly	Country team		x Yes

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		# of visits to x webmap/x dashboard	Country request to HQ		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
IMPACT activities contribute to better program implementation and coordination of the humanitarian response	Number of humanitarian organizations utilizing IMPACT services/products	# references in HPC documents (HNO, SRP, Flash appeals, Cluster/sector strategies)	Country team	Reference_log	Partners asked whether this assessment was used in their programming through survey monkey, if one is conducted in the future.
		# references in single agency documents			
Humanitarian stakeholders are using IMPACT products	Humanitarian actors use IMPACT evidence/products as a basis for decision making, aid planning and delivery Number of humanitarian documents (HNO, HRP, cluster/agency strategic plans, etc.) directly informed by IMPACT products	Perceived relevance of IMPACT country-programs	Country team	Usage_Feedback and Usage_Survey template	Decisions made and implemented based on of the assessment – to be checked with operational and donor partners to ask what actions they took on the basis of the findings and recommendations. This assessment may also be included in a usage survey of partners if one is conducted in the future.
		Perceived usefulness and influence of IMPACT outputs			
		Recommendations to strengthen IMPACT programs			
		The perceived capacity of IMPACT staff			
		Perceived quality of outputs/programs			
		Recommendations to strengthen IMPACT programs			
Humanitarian stakeholders are engaged in IMPACT programs throughout the research cycle	Number and/or percentage of humanitarian organizations directly contributing to IMPACT programs (providing resources, participating to presentations, etc.)	# organisations providing resources (i.e. Staff, vehicles, meeting space, budget, etc.) for activity implementation	Country team	Engagement_log	x Yes
		# of organisations/clusters inputting in research design and joint analysis			x Yes
		# of organisations/clusters attending briefings on findings;			x Yes

