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## **UNOCI Sections' Priorities in the Field**

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## Priorities in the Field

- Monitoring and reporting on grave violations against child rights;
- Fighting impunity for perpetrators committing grave violations on children rights;
- Support to children in contact with the law;
- Sensitization training for FRCI, Gendarmerie/Police, civil society organizations;
- Local capacity building and establishment of community based child protection networks.

## Support from Field Offices

- Support the effective mainstreaming of child protection in all activities;
- Ensuring logistics support is available.

## Priorities in the field

- **Extending and re-establishing effective State authority at the local level:** Strengthening public administration and the delivery of public services; Reunification of treasury, in particular customs services; Support to rehabilitation and equipment of damaged public offices (PBF)
- **Reconciliation and social cohesion:** Community reconciliation, including the establishment and functioning of mechanisms to prevent, mitigate or resolve conflict, in particular at the local level to strengthen the relation State-Citizens.
- **Key partners:** Local Administrative authorities (Prefet, Sous-prefet) and line ministries Comité de sécurité; Comité de sensibilisation et de veille; Civil society; traditional Chiefs

## Support from Field Offices

**Assist in coordination of joint efforts on issues relating to:**

- Protection of civilians
- Social Cohesion and reconciliation
- Land issues
- Cross border activities
- Joint sensitization activities
- QIPs

## Priorities in the Field

- Info collection & liaison with ex-combatants, monitoring of ADDR activities
- Support to DD: expertise, logistics, camps, weapons collection;
- Support to Reinsertion (Community Rehabilitation Project): planning & implementation, coordination of activities (e.g. safety nets for XC and payments of trainers), and M&E
- Support to civilian disarmament: expertise (UNMAS) and security;
- Support to outreach and communication/sensitization (ADDR).

## Support from Field Offices

- Adequate Log and CITS support
- Facilitation towards local authorities where no DDR staff.

**UN Security Council Resolution 2101 (2013)** extends the embargo on supply, sale or transfer of arms and any related material to Côte d'Ivoire **until 30 April 2014**.

## Exemption procedures

- *Advance notification* to Security Council for **non-lethal law enforcement equipment** (para. 3e)
- *Prior approval* by Security Council for supplies of arms and other related **lethal equipment** (para. 4)

## Field Offices:

Help sensitize the local population on the Embargo mandate;

IEMU will organize visits to field offices to inform Office Coordinators & teams, including colleagues from embargo, on relevant issues.

## **Priorities in the field**

- Support, sensitize and mentor stakeholders on the problematic of gender and sexual violence;
- Disseminate the UN Security Council Resolutions on the participation of women in decision-making and the fight against SGBV;
- Strengthen the capacity of UNOCI staff in the regions for a better integration of gender in their political activities, programs and projects of their respective sections in the field;
- Strengthen the capacity of the police, the gendarmerie and the army on mainstreaming gender into their policies, programs and field activities

## **Support from Field Offices**

- Identification of focal points and Gender perspective in the field actions;
- Training and awareness sessions targeting the mission sections.

## Priorities in the field

- Advocate for the ownership of the Res 1983 by national authorities and actors and draw up a national action plan for its implementation;
- Build national capacity for the sustainability of DDR/SSR/HIV/AIDS, HIV/AIDS SGBV initiatives;
- Integrate HIV/AIDS and SGBV prevention in training curricula for uniformed services academies;
- Intensify HIV/AIDS and SV related HIV infection prevention among communities;
- Reinforce health centers capacities for a better management of HIV/AIDS and SGBV cases (training, availability of PEP Kits- refurbishment).

## Support from Field Offices

- Support the above mentioned priorities.

## Priorities in the field

- Human rights capacity development and sensitization activities (FRICI, local authorities, NGOs, traditional leaders, Dozos, human rights clubs, etc. );
- Monitoring human rights violations and fight against impunity (FRICI, Police, Gendarmerie, Dozos, SGBV) + Data base – Call center – Human Rights Due Diligence Policy (HRDDP);
- Work of the DTRC at regional level + promotion of national reconciliation;
- Human rights and elections (adherence to human rights norms and principles, democratic oversight and control, etc. ).

## Support from Field Offices

- Information sharing on HR violations, especially in areas where HRD is not represented
- Ensure accountability of duty bearers to rights holders



## Priorities

- SRSG's good offices role to facilitate and encourage genuine and inclusive dialogue;
- Continued support to state institutions (the National Assembly) and promote institutional development as part of "One UN";
- Limited electoral support;
- Advocate for continued international commitment;

## Support from Field Offices

- Effective vertical and horizontal information sharing;
- Support efforts to encourage political dialogue and reconciliation.

## Priorities in the field

- Monitoring of the project "Improving access to rights and justice in Côte d'Ivoire" (UNOCI, EU, UNDP and UNICEF) implemented in Bondoukou, Bouaké, Guiglo, Korhogo, Man and San Pedro;
- Facilitation of collocation program in prisons encouraging national prison authorities to improve the conditions of detention of all detainees;
- Follow-up of cross-cutting judicial issues with a particular emphasis on rural land and the fight against gender-based violence.

## Support from Field Offices

- Logistical coordination for the collocation program in prisons and the escorting of prisoners, if need be; monitoring of court activities and proceedings in 34 courts and tribunals outside Abidjan;
- Put justice and prison issues on the agenda of meetings at the OCs or RHoOs level in order to involve other components and agencies, and to collect and share relevant information in connection with the justice sector.

## Priorities in the field

- Creating greater coherence and better SSR coordination within the UN system in the field;
- Supporting the implementation of the National SSR Strategy;
  - ✓ Strengthening the democratic oversight of the security sector to foster local ownership – through T.A and capacity development;
  - ✓ Promoting an environment conducive to the SSR reform (SSR platform);
  - ✓ Contributing through cohesive initiatives to building confidence within and between the security forces and the population;

## Support from Field Offices

- Facilitate an intra-UN coordination mechanism to interact with local authorities;
- Ensure a continued support to SSR ongoing activities in the field;
- Maintain a regular liaison with the SSR Division at HQ;
- Participate in planning and implementation of SSR activities (info & sensitization).