



Unified Hospital WMD Incident Management Protocol Stakeholder Meeting

Date: 10-11 June 2023

Time: 10:00-16:00

AGENDA

The purpose of this meeting, jointly hosted by the University of Kurdistan Hewler (UKH) and Health Security Partners (HSP), is to bring together relevant stakeholders from public and private hospitals and representatives from the Directorates of Health in Duhok, Erbil, Sulaymaniyah, Halabja, and Zakho to begin the development of a unified protocol for WMD incident management protocols for hospitals across the Kurdistan Region. This stakeholder meeting is supported by the U.S. Department of State ISN/CTR.

During this meeting representatives from each city will review existing WMD incident management protocols, identify synergies across the five cities and best practices, and establish an action plan for developing and finalizing the unified protocols. Our collective aim is to harmonize standard operating procedures and best practices and enhance interoperability between Kurdish hospitals to respond to any CBRNE incident.

Saturday, June 10		
Time	Topic	Speaker
OPENING SESSION		
9:30-10:00	Registration	
10:00-10:10	Opening and Welcome Remarks	Representatives from UKH, and HSP
10:10-10:15	Opening Remarks – U.S. Department of State	Lisa Kotyk, U.S. Department of State, ISN/CTR
WORKSHOP SESSION		
10:15-10:40	Overview and General Principles of Disaster Management	Dr. Othman Sami, Dr Souzan Eassa UKH-SoM
10:40-11:10	Hospital Management of WMD Incidents	Dr. Othman Sami
11:10-11:20	Coffee Break	
11:20-11:50	Hospital Experiences: MCI and MCP	Dr Sadeek Salih Head of Accident and Emergency Department/ Shar Hospital-Sulaymaniyah
11:50-12:20	Disaster Medical Assessment Team (DMAT)	Dr. Abdullah Ahmed Head of the Emergency department Azadi Hospital- Duhok
12:50-13:20	Mass Casualty Management Systems/WHO	Dr Jihad Hama Halabja General Hospital
13:20-14:20	Lunch	
14:20-14:50	Emergency Department Design in Hospitals	Dr. Ali Hussain Emergency Hospital Zakho
14:50-15:20	Disaster Preparedness and Response	Dr. Soran Ahmed Khdr Emergency medicine specialist/HMU, College of Medicine
15:20-16:00	Brainstorming and Review of Existing WMD Incident Management Protocols in Kurdistan.	Dr. Souzan Eassa and Dr. Othman Sami UKH-SoM



Sunday, June 11 th		
10:00-10:25	Recap From Day 1	Dr. Souzan Eassa
10:25-11:25	Hospital Experiences: WMD in Kurdistan; Patient and Hospital Protocols <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Scenario Response Discussion• Q&A• Debrief	Dr. Karwan Mohammed- Director of West Emergency Hospital- Erbil
11:25-11:35	Coffee Break	
11:35-12:55	Roundtable Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Gaps Analysis• Identification of Protocol Synergies	Dr. Souzan Eassa Dr. Othman Smai UKH-SoM
13:00-14:15	Lunch	
14:20-15:50	Roundtable Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Developing a CBRN Hospital Response Protocol	Group
15:50-16:00	Closing Remarks: Next Steps	Representatives from HSP and UKH

**All times are in local time for Erbil, Kurdistan, Iraq (UTC+3)
Participants should sign in at least 15 minutes prior to the start time.*