

Global Cluster Leads	
Sector or Area of Activity	Global Cluster Lead
Agriculture	FAO
Camp Coordination/Management: IDPs (from conflict) Disaster situations	UNHCR IOM
Early Recovery	UNDP
Education	UNICEF Save The Children - United Kingdom
Emergency Shelter: IDPs (from conflict) Disaster situations	UNHCR IFRC (Convener)*
Emergency Telecommunications	OCHA/UNICEF/WFP
Health	WHO
Logistics	WFP
Nutrition	UNICEF
Protection: IDPs (from conflict) Disasters/civilians affected by conflict (other than IDPs)**	UNHCR UNHCR/OHCHR/UNICEF
Water, Sanitation and Hygiene	UNICEF

\* IFRC has made a commitment to provide leadership to the broader humanitarian community in Emergency Shelter in disaster situations, to consolidate best practice, map capacity and gaps, and lead coordinated response. IFRC has committed to being a 'convener' rather than a 'cluster lead'. In an MOU between IFRC and OCHA it was agreed that IFRC would not accept accountability obligations beyond those defined in its Constitutions and own policies and that its responsibilities would leave no room for open-ended or unlimited obligations. It has therefore not committed to being 'provider of last resort' nor is it accountable to any part of the UN system.

\*\* UNHCR is the lead of the global Protection Cluster. However, at the country level in disaster situations or in complex emergencies without significant displacement, the three core protection-mandated agencies (UNHCR, UNICEF and OHCHR) will consult closely and, under the overall leadership of the HC/RC, agree which of the three will assume the role of Lead for protection.