

# The Transformative Agenda

**IASC** Inter-Agency  
Standing Committee



UNHCR



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RSG on  
Human  
Rights  
of IDPs



InterAction



ICVA



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UNDP

# Background

- 2005 Humanitarian Response Reform
- Cluster evaluations I and II
- Lessons from 2010 “Mega Emergencies”: Haiti & Pakistan

# Process

- **December 2011:** IASC Principals agree to actions that become the Transformative Agenda
- **2012:** Development of concepts and protocols, field test and fine-tune
- **2013:** Implementation in the field



## Leadership

- Roster of Level 3 Emergency Coordinators
- Empowered Leadership
- Leadership Training & Development

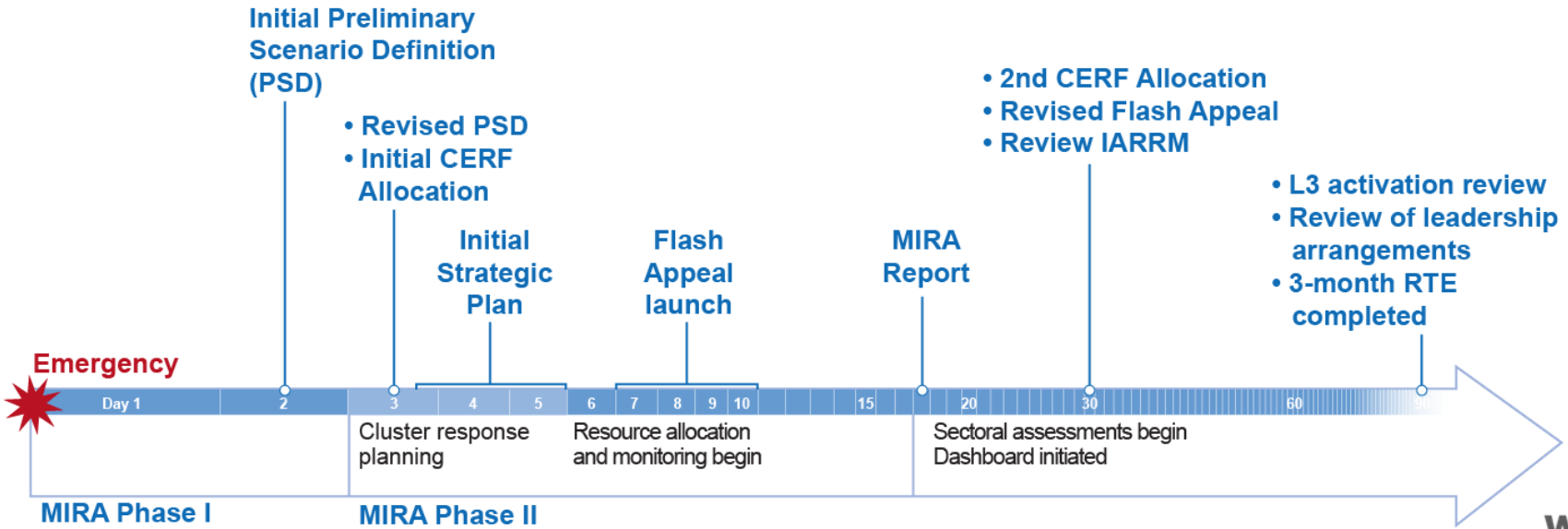
## **Coordination**

- Strategic Use of Clusters
- Simplified Cluster Management
- Minimum Commitments for Participation in Clusters
- Inter-Agency Rapid Response Mechanism

## Enhanced Programme Planning

- Humanitarian Programme Cycle
- Coordinated Assessments
- Strategic Plan
- Flash Appeal
- Performance Monitoring

# Actions in a Level 3 Emergency



## ✓ **Accountability to Affected Populations**

- Commitments by Principals
- Implementation Monitoring Tool
- Operational Framework
- Piloting



## ➡ Preparedness

- Incorporated in to RC/HC Terms of Reference + ERC/HC “Compacts”
- Emergency Response Preparedness (ERP)
- “Disaster Resilience” approach - build national and local preparedness capacity
- Preparedness Financing - more predictable, flexible and timely financing architecture

# Field Testing

- Director level missions to South Sudan and Chad
- Focus: leadership, coordination, strategic systems and accountability to affected populations
- Learn best practices & provide necessary support

# WFP Engagement

- “The Evolving Context for Humanitarian Action” (WFP/ICRC)
- Directors Task Team, Champion, Steering Groups
- Co-chair of Needs Assessment, Accountability to Affected Populations and Preparedness IASC subsidiary bodies
- Support to Inter-Agency Rapid Response Mechanism development and simulation
- Transformative Agenda missions: South Sudan and Chad



# Outstanding Issues

- Streamlining of global coordination
- In-country humanitarian coordination architecture and related role of OCHA
- Coordination that enables delivery
- Sectoral “Coordination Solutions”
- Expanded Partnership

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