

Post-Distribution Monitoring of Cash-Based Intervention 2023

UN Refugee Agency (UNHCR)

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Identification

SURVEY ID NUMBER

KGZ_2023_PDM-CBI_v01_M

TITLE

Post-Distribution Monitoring of Cash-Based Intervention 2023

ABBREVIATION OR ACRONYM

PDM-CBI 2023

COUNTRY/ECONOMY

Name	Country code
Kyrgyz Republic	KGZ

STUDY TYPE

Income/Expenditure/Household Survey [hh/ies]

ABSTRACT

UNHCR uses Post Distribution Monitoring (PDM) as a mechanism to collect refugees' feedback on the quality, sufficiency, utilization and effectiveness of the assistance items they receive. The underlying principle behind the process is linked to accountability, as well as a commitment to improve the quality and relevance of support provided, and related services. UNHCR increasingly uses cash based interventions (CBIs) as a preferred modality for delivering assistance, offering greater dignity and choice to Persons of Concern (PoCs) in line with UNHCR's core protection mandate. In order to ensure that the cash assistance provided meets the intended objectives and that desired outcomes are achieved, UNHCR conducts regular post-distribution and outcome monitoring with a sample of refugee recipients residing across the country.

The dataset consists of 22 records, indicating that it encompasses a relatively small sample size. Before using the dataset, it is essential for data users to be aware that the dataset's small size (22 records) may limit the generalizability of the findings. It is crucial to exercise caution when drawing broad conclusions or making policy recommendations based solely on this limited dataset.

KIND OF DATA

Sample survey data [ssd]

UNIT OF ANALYSIS

Households

Version

VERSION DESCRIPTION

Version 2.1: Edited, cleaned and anonymised data

VERSION DATE

2023-10-20

Scope

NOTES

The Post-Distribution Monitoring covered:

- 1) Timely delivery of assistance
- 2) Spending habits of the household
- 3) Sufficiency of the amount disbursed
- 4) Coping strategies
- 5) Procedural effectiveness

TOPICS

Topic
Livelihood and Social cohesion
Cash Assistance
Domestic Needs/Household Support
Income Generation
Basic Needs

Coverage

GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

National

UNIVERSE

All beneficiaries subject to the Cash-Based Intervention in 2023

Producers and sponsors

PRIMARY INVESTIGATORS

Name	Affiliation
UN Refugee Agency (UNHCR)	UN

Sampling

SAMPLING PROCEDURE

Not applicable

Data collection

DATES OF DATA COLLECTION

Start	End
2023-09-08	2023-10-02

DATA COLLECTION MODE

Face-to-face [f2f]

DATA COLLECTORS

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation
UN Refugee Agency	UNHCR	UN

Access policy

CONTACTS

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CITATION REQUIREMENTS

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Metadata production

DDI DOCUMENT ID

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PRODUCERS

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation	Role
UN Refugee Agency	UNHCR	UN	Metadata producer
Development Data Group	DECDG	The World Bank	Metadata adapted for World Bank Microdata Library

DATE OF METADATA PRODUCTION

2024-01-26

DDI DOCUMENT VERSION

Identical to a metadata (UNHCR_KGZ_2023_CBI_PDM_anon_data_v2.1) published on UNHCR catalog (<https://microdata.unhcr.org/index.php/home>). Some of the metadata fields have been edited.

data_dictionary

Data file	Cases	variables
Household data Anonymized Household data	22	141

Data file: Household data

Anonymized Household data

Cases: 22

variables: 141

variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
HH_Data_V101	items_not_afford_entertainment	G2a. If more than half (but not all), half, a little or not at all: Which of your household's basic needs can you not afford? Entertainment (including alcohol, cigarettes) Entertainment (including alcohol, cigarettes)	
HH_Data_V102	items_not_afford_transp	G2a. If more than half (but not all), half, a little or not at all: Which of your household's basic needs can you not afford? Transport Transport	
HH_Data_V103	items_not_afford_debt_repayment	G2a. If more than half (but not all), half, a little or not at all: Which of your household's basic needs can you not afford? Debt repayment Debt repayment	
HH_Data_V104	items_not_afford_gave_some_to_o	G2a. If more than half (but not all), half, a little or not at all: Which of your household's basic needs can you not afford? Gave some to other family members / relatives / friends Gave some to other family members / relatives / friends	
HH_Data_V105	items_not_afford_legal_assist_1	G2a. If more than half (but not all), half, a little or not at all: Which of your household's basic needs can you not afford? Legal assistance / documents Legal assistance / documents	
HH_Data_V106	items_not_afford_oth	G2a. If more than half (but not all), half, a little or not at all: Which of your household's basic needs can you not afford? Other (please specify) Other (please specify)	
HH_Data_V107	stop_child_attendinschoo	a. Stop a child from attending school?	
HH_Data_V108	sell_livelihood_assets	b. Sell livelihood/productive assets in order to buy food or basic goods? (e.g. sold items such as a car, motorbike, plough, sewing machine, tools, seed stock, livestock, productive land)	
HH_Data_V109	ask_money_from_stranger	c. Ask for money from strangers (begging)?	
HH_Data_V110	move_poorer_shelter	d. Move to a poorer quality shelter?	
HH_Data_V111	send_under16_work	e. Send household members under the age of 16 to work?	
HH_Data_V112	send_work_far_away	f. Send a member of the household to work far away?	
HH_Data_V113	enrisky_activities	g. Engage in activities for money or items that you feel puts you or other members of your household at risk of harm? (E.g. illegal activities, survival sex, drug dealing, early marriage, joining armed groups etc.)	
HH_Data_V114	skip_rent_debt_repayments	h. Skip paying rent / debt repayments to meet other needs?	
HH_Data_V115	take_out_new_loans	i. Take out new loans or borrowed money?	
HH_Data_V116	reduce_expenditure_hh_item	j. Reduce expenditure hygiene items, water, baby items, health, or education in order to meet household food needs?	
HH_Data_V117	rely_food_oth	a. Rely on less preferred and less expensive foods?	
HH_Data_V118	borrow_food	b. Borrow food, or rely on help from a friend or relative?	
HH_Data_V119	limit_portion_size	c. Limit portion size at mealtimes?	
HH_Data_V120	reduce_adult_consumption	d. Restrict consumption by adults in order for small children to eat?	
HH_Data_V121	reduce_number_meals	e. Reduce number of meals eaten in a day?	

ID	Name	Label	Question
HH_Data_V122	have_bank_account	H1a. Have a bank account or mobile money account or other official account?	
HH_Data_V123	have_livelihoods_assets	H1b. Have the items (productive/livelihood assets) you need in order to earn a living?	
HH_Data_V124	have_access_micro_credit	H1c. Have access to loans, micro-credit?	
HH_Data_V125	hear_unhcr_cash_assistance	I1. How did you hear about UNHCR cash assistance?	
HH_Data_V126	info_want_cash_ass_eligibilit_1	I2. Is there any other information you would like to know about the cash assistance? Eligibility for cash assistance	
HH_Data_V127	info_want_cash_ass_distributi_1	I2. Is there any other information you would like to know about the cash assistance? Distribution date, time and location	
HH_Data_V128	info_want_cash_ass_how_to_spe_1	I2. Is there any other information you would like to know about the cash assistance? How to spend the cash assistance	
HH_Data_V129	info_want_cash_ass_how_to_giv_1	I2. Is there any other information you would like to know about the cash assistance? How to give complaints and feedback to agencies	
HH_Data_V130	info_want_cash_ass_what_assis_1	I2. Is there any other information you would like to know about the cash assistance? What assistance is coming next	
HH_Data_V131	info_want_cash_ass_oth	I2. Is there any other information you would like to know about the cash assistance? Other (please specify)	
HH_Data_V132	info_want_cash_ass_none_don_t_wa	I2. Is there any other information you would like to know about the cash assistance? None (Don't want any additional information)	
HH_Data_V133	know_report_complaints	I3. Do you know how you can report complaints and feedback on the cash assistance from UNHCR?	
HH_Data_V134	how_report_complaints_via_loc_1	I3a. How could you report complaints and receive feedback? Via local leaders	
HH_Data_V135	how_report_complaints_via_com_1	I3a. How could you report complaints and receive feedback? Via community mobilisers	
HH_Data_V136	how_report_complaints_hotline	I3a. How could you report complaints and receive feedback? Hotline	
HH_Data_V137	how_report_complaints_complai_1	I3a. How could you report complaints and receive feedback? Complaints desk	
HH_Data_V138	how_report_complaints_complai_2	I3a. How could you report complaints and receive feedback? Complaints and suggestion box	
HH_Data_V139	how_report_complaints_oth	I3a. How could you report complaints and receive feedback? Other (please specify)	
HH_Data_V140	preference_modality	I4. If the assistance could be started again would you prefer:	
HH_Data_V141	weight	Design weight	

total: 41

ITEMS_NOT_AFFORD_ENTERTAINMENT: G2a. If more than half (but not all), half, a little or not at all: Which of your household's basic needs can you not afford? Entertainment (including alcohol, cigarettes) Entertainment (including alcohol, cigarettes)

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

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ITEMS_NOT_AFFORD_TRANSP: G2a. If more than half (but not all), half, a little or not at all: Which of your household's basic needs can you not afford? Transport Transport

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

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ITEMS_NOT_AFFORD_DEBT_REPAYMENT: G2a. If more than half (but not all), half, a little or not at all: Which of your household's basic needs can you not afford? Debt repayment Debt repayment

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

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2	1
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ITEMS_NOT_AFFORD_GAVE_SOME_TO_O: G2a. If more than half (but not all), half, a little or not at all: Which of your household's basic needs can you not afford? Gave some to other family members / relatives / friends Gave some to other family members / relatives / friends

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

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ITEMS_NOT_AFFORD_LEGAL_ASSIST_1: G2a. If more than half (but not all), half, a little or not at all: Which of your household's basic needs can you not afford? Legal assistance / documents Legal assistance / documents

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

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ITEMS_NOT_AFFORD_OTH: G2a. If more than half (but not all), half, a little or not at all: Which of your household's basic needs can you not afford? Other (please specify) Other (please specify)

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

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STOP_CHILD_ATTENDINSCHOO: a. Stop a child from attending school?

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	no

SELL_LIVELIHOOD_ASSETS: b. Sell livelihood/productive assets in order to buy food or basic goods? (e.g. sold items such as a car, motorbike, plough, sewing machine, tools, seed stock, livestock, productive land)

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	no
2	yes

ASK_MONEY_FROM_STRANGER: c. Ask for money from strangers (begging)?**Data file:** Household data**Overview**Valid: 22 Invalid:
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CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	no

MOVE_POORER_SHELTER: d. Move to a poorer quality shelter?**Data file:** Household data**Overview**Valid: 22 Invalid:
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CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	no

SEND_UNDER16_WORK: e. Send household members under the age of 16 to work?**Data file:** Household data**Overview**Valid: 22 Invalid:
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CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	no

SEND_WORK_FAR_AWAY: f. Send a member of the household to work far away?**Data file:** Household data

Overview

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	no

ENRISKY_ACTIVITIES: g. Engage in activities for money or items that you feel puts you or other members of your household at risk of harm? (E.g. illegal activities, survival sex, drug dealing, early marriage, joining armed groups etc.)

Data file: Household data

Overview

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 Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	no

SKIP_RENT_DEBT_REPAYMENTS: h. Skip paying rent / debt repayments to meet other needs?

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	no
2	yes

TAKE_OUT_NEW_LOANS: i. Take out new loans or borrowed money?**Data file:** Household data**Overview**

Valid: 22 Invalid:

Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	no
2	yes

REDUCE_EXPENDITURE_HH_ITEM: j. Reduce expenditure hygiene items, water, baby items, health, or education in order to meet household food needs?**Data file:** Household data**Overview**

Valid: 22 Invalid:

Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	no
2	yes

RELY_FOOD_OTH: a. Rely on less preferred and less expensive foods?**Data file:** Household data**Overview**

Valid: 22 Invalid:

Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	
2	4

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7

BORROW_FOOD: b. Borrow food, or rely on help from a friend or relative?**Data file:** Household data**Overview**

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
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2	4

LIMIT_PORTION_SIZE: c. Limit portion size at mealtimes?**Data file:** Household data**Overview**

Valid: 22 Invalid:

Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	
2	4
3	7

REDUCE_ADULT_CONSUMPTION: d. Restrict consumption by adults in order for small children to eat?**Data file:** Household data**Overview**

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Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
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2	7

REDUCE_NUMBER_MEALS: e. Reduce number of meals eaten in a day?

Data file: Household data

Overview

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 Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	
2	7

HAVE_BANK_ACCOUNT: H1a. Have a bank account or mobile money account or other official account?

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	no
2	yes

HAVE_LIVELIHOODS_ASSETS: H1b. Have the items (productive/livelihood assets) you need in order to earn a living?

Data file: Household data

Overview

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 Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	don_t_know
2	no

HAVE_ACCESS_MICRO_CREDIT: H1c. Have access to loans, micro-credit?

Data file: Household data

Overview

Valid: 22 Invalid:
 Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	no

HEAR_UNHCR_CASH_ASSISTANCE: I1. How did you hear about UNHCR cash assistance?

Data file: Household data

Overview

Valid: 22 Invalid:
 Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	mass_meeting
2	other
3	unhcr_ngos_staff
4	via_relatives__neighbors__frie

INFO_WANT_CASH_ASS_ELIGIBILIT_1: I2. Is there any other information you would like to know about the cash assistance? Eligibility for cash assistance

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	
2	1

INFO_WANT_CASH_ASS_DISTRIBUTI_1: I2. Is there any other information you would like to know about the cash assistance? Distribution date, time and location

Data file: Household data

Overview

Valid: 22 Invalid:
Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	
2	1

INFO_WANT_CASH_ASS_HOW_TO_SPE_1: I2. Is there any other information you would like to know about the cash assistance? How to spend the cash assistance

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
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INFO_WANT_CASH_ASS_HOW_TO_GIV_1: I2. Is there any other information you would like to know about the cash assistance? How to give complaints and feedback to agencies

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	

INFO_WANT_CASH_ASS_WHAT_ASSIS_1: I2. Is there any other information you would like to know about the cash assistance? What assistance is coming next

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	
2	1

INFO_WANT_CASH_ASS_OTH: I2. Is there any other information you would like to know about the cash assistance? Other (please specify)

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	

INFO_WANT_CASH_ASS_NONE_DON_T_WA: I2. Is there any other information you would like to know about the cash assistance? None (Don't want any additional information)

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
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2	1

KNOW_REPORT_COMPLAINTS: I3. Do you know how you can report complaints and feedback on the cash assistance from UNHCR?

Data file: Household data

Overview

Valid: 22 Invalid:

Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	no
2	yes

HOW_REPORT_COMPLAINTS_VIA_LOC_1: I3a. How could you report complaints and receive feedback? Via local leaders

Data file: Household data

Overview

Valid: 14 Invalid: 8

Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	
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HOW_REPORT_COMPLAINTS_VIA_COM_1: I3a. How could you report complaints and receive feedback? Via community mobilisers

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	
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HOW_REPORT_COMPLAINTS_HOTLINE: I3a. How could you report complaints and receive feedback? Hotline

Data file: Household data

Overview

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Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
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HOW_REPORT_COMPLAINTS_COMPLAI_1: I3a. How could you report complaints and receive

feedback? Complaints desk**Data file:** Household data**Overview**

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Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

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HOW_REPORT_COMPLAINTS_COMPLAI_2: I3a. How could you report complaints and receive feedback? Complaints and suggestion box**Data file:** Household data**Overview**

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

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HOW_REPORT_COMPLAINTS_OTH: I3a. How could you report complaints and receive feedback? Other (please specify)**Data file:** Household data**Overview**

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Type: Discrete Range: - Format: Factor

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

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PREFERENCE_MODALITY: I4. If the assistance could be started again would you prefer:**Data file: Household data****Overview**

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category
1	cash

WEIGHT: Design weight**Data file: Household data****Overview**

Range: - Format:

study_resources

technical_documents

Questionnaire and codebook

title Questionnaire and codebook
filename codebook.xlsx
