**Advancing the Strategy - Working Group discussions - 9th October**

**CASH and Markets Working Group**

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| **Topic/Title:** | **Increasing Capacity Around Rental Market Interventions** |
| **Background:** (include relevance of topic to GSC stakeholders’ needs, interests, expectations) | Rental market programming (inc. cash-for-rent, and other market-based interventions such as support to landlords to upgrade rental housing stock, improving tenant tenure security) is increasingly common in humanitarian contexts. Because of increased interest, a CashCap expert is currently deployed to the GSC to provide further support to country-level and the Global Cluster to improve rental market programming.  This session an opportunity to further discussions and debate around key issues related to rental market programmes, and will build on the work that has already been started by the CashCap expert. |
| **Link to 2019 theme:** How are you linking to the Pillar 4 theme (Capacity, including localisation) | Links to Pillar 4.3: 4.3 ***Utilising Cash and Markets -***  ***Shelter responders apply cash and markets modalities***  Cluster partners have increased knowledge of the challenges and complexities of rental housing markets and how to best address them. |
| **Your objectives (what you want to achieve)** | * Sharing Knowledge and experience between country level Clusters, * Collecting lessons learnt and best practices * Contribute to ongoing development of Rental guidance |
| **Anticipated Outcomes for participants** | As above |
| **Outputs (if any)** |  |
| **Time required:** | 1h30 |

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| Your session plan  With approx. timings, activities and roles | 14:30 – Welcome, objectives and introduction  14:45 – Challenges and issues – ranking exercise – identify top 3 priority issues to discuss in relation to rental market interventions  15:00 – Group discussion – rotation 1 – *identify the key challenges faced by group members in relation to 1 key issue*  15:15 – Group discussion – rotation 2 – *identify possible solutions to the challenges identified by previous group.*  15:30 - Group discussion – rotation 3 – *critically analyse challenges and solutions presented by other groups – what are the barriers/opportunities etc?*  15:45 – Feedback, final thoughts and next steps. |
| Materials and equipment needed\* | Flipcharts and stand, markers, post-it notes, tables, chairs |
| What resources will you provide (papers etc)? | To be confirmed |
| How will you capture information/actions)? | On flipcharts/post-it notes |
| Would you like to discuss your session with Lesley or with GSC representatives? | No thanks |