

Minutes of Myanmar Language Information Management Network Meeting 28th May 2025, 2PM MMT, online via Zoom

The meeting was conducted in Myanmar language, and this is a translation of the original minutes.

Agenda

- 1. Presentation MIMU HDP Nexus 5W (MIMU)
- 2. Updates on Sector/Cluster/Agency Initiatives
- 3. AOB and other discussions

Attendance

Chair: Ei Ei Thein (MIMU)

Participants: A AHRN, BS, Burnet, Carelink, CESVI, CPM, CP AoR, DRC, ICRC, JOICFP, MDM, MEET, MIMU, MSU, NRC, Space for Youth Network, SWISSAID, UNICEF, UNODC, WVM (23 participants from 29 organisations)

1. MIMU HDP Nexus 5W (MIMU)

The latest round of the MIMU HDP Nexus 5W was collected in February 2025, with 198 organizations voluntarily contributing data on their activities.

Enhanced data protection measures were presented, including not sharing raw or identifiable data on the website and allowing contributors to classify their data as "open" or "restricted." 5W data is only shared internally with contributing organizations, coordination groups, and donors, and even then, only data marked as "Open" is shared. "Restricted" data rows are encrypted using an organizational code system and are never shared.

In this round, approximately 29% of the data is restricted: mostly in the agriculture sector, followed by health, protection, and nutrition. This means those looking for activity data in these sectors may find it less comprehensive.

As in previous rounds, products include sector/cluster maps and dashboards. Starting from this round, public 5W products will only go down to the township level. Those requiring village tract-level info should contact MIMU directly.

MIMU welcomes 5W contributions at any time. Please consult the 5W Data Entry Form and 5W Guidelines (both in document and video format) available on the MIMU website.

To request access to 5W data (available only to contributing organizations, coordination groups, or donors), visit the "Map & Data Request" page on the MIMU website and use your organization's official email address. If you are using a general email (such as Gmail), please contact Sayarma Ei Ei Thein directly at eie.eie.thein@undp.org.

Discussions concluded with encouragement to provide feedback or suggestions for improving the 5W products and to report any discrepancies or errors.

MIMU HDP NEXUS 5W - https://themimu.info/5w-maps-and-reports

2. Updates on Sector/Cluster/Agency Initiatives

UNICEF (WASH Cluster): Cluster 4W data collection for Q1 2025 has been completed, and relevant inputs have been shared with OCHA to support the Humanitarian Response Plan. Cluster partners also participated in OCHA-led Rapid Needs Assessments (RNA) and Damage Assessments, as well as the Multi-Sector Initial Rapid Assessment (MIRA), with a particular focus on WASH-related information across 58 priority townships. In addition, earthquake-related 4W data is currently being collected every two weeks.

World Vision: Regular projects are ongoing in 21 townships, with a focus on mine awareness and flood preparedness activities during the rainy season. Human trafficking awareness sessions are also being conducted. Child protection and mental health support are being provided in seven earthquake-affected townships in Mandalay, while microfinance activities are underway in three other townships in Mandalay in collaboration with partners.

CESVI: In addition to regular projects, a Rapid Needs Assessment (RNA) was conducted in earthquake-affected areas in Mandalay and Sagaing Regions, and a Multi-Sector Initial Rapid Assessment (MIRA) was carried out in southern Shan. Preparations are now underway for the Post-Disaster Assessment, including the development of the questionnaire.

MIMU: Information on assessments and publications is currently being collected from partners. A product updates session will be held in June. As for trainings, invitations have been sent out for the GIS Intermediate course and the Information Management Workshop, which will take place in June and July respectively.

5. AOB and other discussions

The next meeting will be tentatively in the last week of August, 27th Aug 2025. Please contact ei.ei.thein@undp.org if you have anything to present or discuss.