

FOOD SECURITY AND LIVELIHOOD CLUSTER MEETING (Minutes of the Meeting)

Date: 6/07/2022

Chair: Isaac

FSLC Virtual Room on TEAMS

Meeting attended by Cluster members: 74

AGENDA

1. WEATHER UPDATES -FAO

General weather update projection run from the month of March to May. Month of March and April were characterized with dry spell in most of the country however from May, rainfall showers started being recorded across the country with exception of Unity State and Upper Nile registering no rainfall. It's predicted however, there will be more rains from June till September across the country. Key to note, are risks associated to the varying weather conditions to FSL especially, areas likely to experience either flooding or drought and put early mitigation. [Link](#)

2. SOUTH SUDAN CROP & FOOD SECURITY ASSESSMENT MISSION –FAO

The Crop and food security assessment mission (CFSAM) provides data/statistics on current crop/cereal production levels in the country. Recent trends from 2017 per region shows gradual increase in production within Equatoria and Bahr-el-ghazal due to relative improved security. However, regions of Upper Nile have low production levels attributed to climatic disasters and conflict. The assessment further highlights current cereal gap in 2022. 1,380,220 is required nationwide but only 839,000 is produced leaving a gap of 541,000 tons. This gap is largely attributed to climatic changes such as drought, floods among others. [Link](#)

3. CLIMATE CHANGE IMPACT ON HUMAN HEALTH-RUCAPD

Presentation offers an understanding on climate change, factors causing it and its greater impact to human health but also to food insecurity. [Link](#)

4. CLUSTER UPDATES

Key cluster updates included 1. Child protection-FSL (19-21st July) and Cash voucher assistance (28th) trainings.

2. Need for submission of news stories for FSL monthly bulletin.

3. Cluster voting for NNGO SAG will be between CRSF and AHC whereas for NNGO co-coordinator will be between SAADO and Titi Foundation.