Training course on Social Protection in Post-Conflict Recovery

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Social Protection	**Duration**	5 Days
Base Fee	$1,500 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Programme Curriculum

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Course Objectives

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

1. Analyze the fundamental concepts of **post-conflict recovery dynamics** and key challenges.
2. Comprehend the strategic role of **social protection in supporting peacebuilding and recovery**.
3. Master the design of **cash transfer programs** for immediate relief and early recovery in post-conflict settings.
4. Develop expertise in leveraging **public works programs** for reconstruction and livelihood generation.
5. Formulate strategies for linking social protection with **disarmament, demobilization, and reintegration (DDR)**.
6. Understand the critical role of social protection in facilitating **return and reintegration of displaced populations**.
7. Implement robust approaches to providing **social services and psychosocial support** in post-conflict contexts.
8. Explore key strategies for ensuring **conflict sensitivity and "do no harm"** in social protection programming.
9. Apply methodologies for conducting **needs assessments** in fragile and post-conflict environments.
10. Understand and address **gender, youth, and disability considerations** in post-conflict social protection.
11. Develop preliminary skills in **monitoring and evaluating social protection outcomes** in post-conflict settings.
12. Design a comprehensive **social protection intervention** tailored for post-conflict recovery.
13. Examine **global best practices and lessons learned** in social protection for post-conflict recovery.

Target Audience

This course is essential for professionals working in post-conflict settings, humanitarian aid, and development:

1. **Social Protection Policymakers & Program Managers:** Designing and overseeing social safety nets.
2. **Humanitarian & Early Recovery Actors:** Working in crisis and post-crisis environments.
3. **Development Practitioners:** Focused on long-term recovery and resilience.
4. **Peacebuilders & Conflict Resolution Specialists:** Integrating social and economic dimensions into peace processes.
5. **Government Officials:** From ministries responsible for social welfare, reconstruction, and reintegration.
6. **UN Agency Staff:** (e.g., UNDP, UNHCR, UNICEF, WFP) involved in post-conflict programming.
7. **NGO Staff:** Implementing programs in fragile and post-conflict contexts.
8. **Donors & Funding Partners:** Supporting recovery efforts.

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Course Modules

Module 1: Foundations of Post-Conflict Recovery

- Define post-conflict recovery and its distinct phases.
- Understand the socio-economic, political, and security challenges in post-conflict settings.
- Discuss the impact of conflict on poverty, livelihoods, and social cohesion.
- Explore the concept of fragility and its implications for social protection.
- Identify key actors and frameworks in post-conflict recovery.

Module 2: Strategic Role of Social Protection in Peacebuilding and Recovery

- Comprehend the strategic role of social protection in supporting peacebuilding and recovery.
- Discuss how social protection addresses immediate needs and contributes to long-term stability.
- Understand the pathways from social protection to reduced grievances and improved livelihoods.
- Explore the "peace dividend" of investing in social protection.
- Identify different social protection instruments relevant to recovery.

Module 3: Cash Transfers for Relief and Early Recovery

- Master the design of cash transfer programs for immediate relief and early recovery.
- Learn about rapid assessment and targeting mechanisms in fluid post-conflict environments.
- Discuss the use of cash transfers to meet basic needs and stimulate local markets.
- Explore digital payment solutions and their feasibility in fragile contexts.
- Analyze case studies of cash transfers in post-conflict settings.

Module 4: Public Works Programs for Reconstruction and Livelihoods

- Develop expertise in leveraging public works programs for reconstruction and livelihood generation.
- Understand how public works provide temporary employment and rebuild infrastructure.
- Discuss the integration of skills training and vocational components.
- Explore the role of public works in demobilization and reintegration efforts.
- Analyze case studies of public works programs in post-conflict recovery.

Module 5: Social Protection and Disarmament, Demobilization, Reintegration (DDR)

- Formulate strategies for linking social protection with DDR processes.
- Learn about providing transitional support to ex-combatants and associated persons.

- Discuss how social protection facilitates their economic and social reintegration.
- Explore the role of cash transfers, skills training, and psychosocial support in DDR.
- Analyze examples of SP-DDR linkages.

Module 6: Facilitating Return and Reintegration of Displaced Populations

- Understand the critical role of social protection in facilitating the return and reintegration of displaced populations (refugees, IDPs).
- Discuss targeted social assistance for returnees and host communities.
- Learn about linking returnees to existing social protection systems.
- Explore interventions for housing, land, and property rights protection.
- Analyze case studies of social protection supporting reintegration.

Module 7: Social Services and Psychosocial Support

- Implement robust approaches to providing social services and psychosocial support in post-conflict contexts.
- Learn about access to health, education, and child protection services.
- Discuss the role of social protection in addressing trauma and mental health needs.
- Explore community-based psychosocial support initiatives.
- Analyze examples of integrated social protection and social service delivery.

Module 8: Conflict Sensitivity and "Do No Harm"

- Explore key strategies for ensuring conflict sensitivity and "do no harm" in social protection programming.
- Discuss how social protection can inadvertently exacerbate tensions or promote peace.
- Learn about conducting conflict analysis and adapting program design to context.
- Understand the importance of equitable distribution of benefits and transparent processes.
- Analyze case studies demonstrating conflict-sensitive approaches.

Training Methodology

- **Interactive Workshops:** Facilitated discussions, group exercises, and problem-solving activities.
- **Case Studies:** Real-world examples to illustrate successful community-based surveillance practices.
- **Role-Playing and Simulations:** Practice engaging communities in surveillance activities.
- **Expert Presentations:** Insights from experienced public health professionals and community leaders.
- **Group Projects:** Collaborative development of community surveillance plans.
- **Action Planning:** Development of personalized action plans for implementing community-based surveillance.
- **Digital Tools and Resources:** Utilization of online platforms for collaboration and learning.
- **Peer-to-Peer Learning:** Sharing experiences and insights on community engagement.
- **Post-Training Support:** Access to online forums, mentorship, and continued learning resources.

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Certification

Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally recognized certificate.

Tailor-Made Course

We also offer tailor-made courses based on your needs.

Key Notes

- Participants must be conversant in English.
- Upon completion of training, participants will receive an Authorized Training Certificate.
- The course duration is flexible and can be modified to fit any number of days.
- Course fee includes facilitation, training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch, and a Certificate upon successful completion.
- One-year post-training support, consultation, and coaching provided after the course.
- Payment should be made at least a week before the training commencement to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice, to enable better preparation.

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Online	$1,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$1,500
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$4,500
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000

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