IASC Task Team on Accountability to Affected Populations and Protection from Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (AAP/PSEA)

CONFUSED ABOUT AAP AND PSEA?

What is AAP?

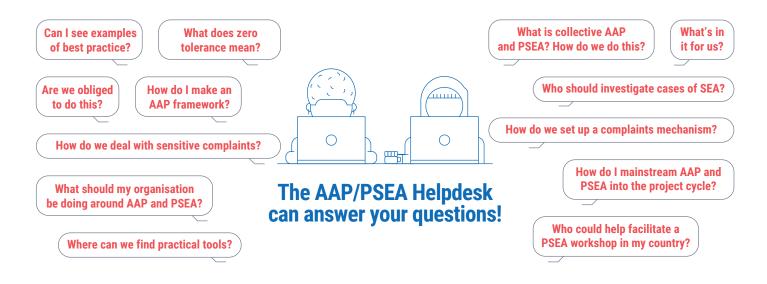
Accountability to Affected Populations

Accountability to Affected Populations (AAP) is an active commitment to use power responsibly by 'taking account of, giving account to, and being held to account' by the people humanitarian organisations seek to assist.

What is PSEA?

Protection from Sexual Exploitation and Abuse

PSEA refers to measures taken to prevent and respond to Sexual Exploitation and/or Abuse by those associated with the provision of aid; SEA is one of the most serious breaches of accountability.



Why are AAP and PSEA important?

An 'accountable response' is informed by and adapts to the views, perceptions and needs of affected populations.

An 'accountable aid worker' uses their power responsibly and upholds the principles set by codes of conduct.

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https://interagencystandingcommittee.org/accountability-affected-populations-including-protection-sexual-exploitation-and-abuse

The Inter-Agency Standing Committee (IASC) aims to foster a culture of accountability and protection from sexual exploitation and abuse at all levels of the humanitarian system by encouraging the institutionalisation of AAP and PSEA within humanitarian organisations, including local and national NGOs, International NGOs, The International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement and UN agencies, and by supporting the operationalisation of AAP and PSEA at a collective level (i.e. response-wide).