

ADFM Virtual 10th Meeting:

6 May 2021 at 11am AEST

Rationale:

Since convening the ADFM's ninth meeting in February 2020 in Dhaka, Bangladesh, the world has changed dramatically. The ADFM Secretariat is deeply concerned about events unfolding in the region: namely ongoing conflict in Myanmar, stalemate of progressing safe, voluntary, dignified and sustainable repatriation of Rohingya refugees from the camps in Cox's Bazar, and the risks of large scale forced displacement both internally and externally. That these events are taking place in the context of a global pandemic and challenging international public health response only exacerbates the risks to those most vulnerable, and amplifies the need for international support.

To assist regional governments to understand how to respond most effectively to forced migration challenges, the ADFM Secretariat is currently working on a strategic analysis of the key priorities for forced migration responses in the Asia Pacific now and over the next five years.

This virtual meeting will be an opportunity to consolidate and refine that analysis, and to identify policy priorities over the coming years. This will include discussion of the immediate and urgent issues facing the region, including recent developments in Myanmar, the ongoing displacement of Rohingya in Cox's Bazar, and the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Provisional Agenda

Time (AEST)	Topic	Additional information
11:00 am	<u>Welcome and recap</u> of ADFM activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome new members • Brief outline of ADFM activities • Purpose of today's session
11:10 am	<u>Session 1: Strategic challenges</u> facing the region	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brief introduction to the paper • Invite responses to the strategic challenges outlined in the paper • Hear perspectives from the global, regional, national and local level
11:45 am	<u>Session 2: Strategic directions</u> and priorities for action	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plenary discussion on strategic directions for more effective responses to forced migration • Confirmation of priorities for action to deliver solutions
12:45 am	<u>Summary and next steps:</u> Opportunities for action	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consolidate opportunities that emerged in the previous session • Confirmation of ADFM next steps • Closing remarks
1:00 pm	Close	

Provisional Participant List (alphabetical)

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