



Roles and Responsibilities of CRSV Focal Points in Mission Components

1. **Overview.** The roles and responsibilities of Focal Points for CRSV starts with supporting the implementation of the Security Council Resolutions on Women, Peace and Security (specifically resolutions 1820 [2008], 1888 [2009], 1960 [2010] and 2106 [2013]); and the mission-specific mandates provided by the Security Council on a periodic basis. Beyond this broad support, CRSV focal points are expected to ensure specific responsibilities which are highlighted below. Furthermore, uniformed CRSV focal points have additional responsibilities specific to their role which are highlighted thereafter.

2. **Roles and Responsibilities of all CRSV Focal Points.**
 - a. Advise their component head on all issues related to prevention and response to CRSV;
 - b. Mainstream CRSV concerns throughout mandated operational and programmatic activities of respective components/units;
 - c. Advise/guide subordinate units/subunits/detachments on prevention and response to CRSV;
 - d. Guide programme managers, monitor implementation, report progress and evaluate impact in respective components/units in implementing CRSV related operational and programmatic activities;
 - e. Ensure liaison, consultation, coordination and integration with all other components for harmonized implementation of operational and programmatic activities;
 - f. Assist/support SWPA/WPAs in implementing prevention and response measures as per CRSV strategy/action plan;
 - g. Feed into MARA as per the roles and responsibilities of the component; and,
 - h. Act as a liaison and coordinate with uniformed and civilian focal points (e.g. human rights, PoC, Child Protection, Gender, Justice and corrections, Security Sector Reform, Disarmament, Demobilisation and Reintegration, Political Affairs, Civil Affairs, Public Information, etc.).

3. **Additional Role and Responsibilities of Uniformed CRSV Focal Points.**
 - a. Ensure priority support to survivors as per mission-specific referral arrangements;
 - b. Work with WPAs and CRSV FPs to identify early-warning indicators for CRSV and ensure integration of early-warning indicators are addressed through broader PoC arrangements;
 - c. Monitor and report on threats, vulnerabilities and violations/incidents to relevant entities at HQ level in order to support hotspot mapping and prevention activities in relation to MARA;
 - d. Maintain a databank on profile of perpetrators, hot spots, past incidents, etc.;
 - e. Analyse women and girls protection mechanisms and recommend additional measures;
 - f. Liaise with key leaders and vulnerable women and girls in the local community to understand their security concerns, perspectives and requirements to design integrated responses to address them;
 - g. Assist/coordinate capacity building of host state military/security forces (training, mentoring, conduct and discipline, military justice, accountability, responsiveness, etc.);
 - h. Advise other staff branches and mainstream prevention and response to CRSV (operational, intelligence, planning, training, CIMIC, etc.);
 - i. Assist training branch and IMTC in delivering CRSV specific training in Mission; and,
 - j. Support Mission's advocacy and public information initiatives/campaigns to prevent and respond to CRSV.