

# CASH & VOUCHER ASSISTANCE AND GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE ONLINE TRAINING

The Cash and Voucher Assistance (CVA) and Gender-Based Violence (GBV) online training is a 6-weeks facilitated online training targeting protection, gender and GBV specialists who are planning to or are encouraged to use CVA in their program to deliver their responses.

The course is structured around the GBV case management approach and includes 5 topics mirroring the project cycle. The course covers the key skills required to prepare, design, implement, and monitor projects designed to achieve GBV outcomes using CVA. The course builds on the existing [CVA and GBV Compendium face to face training](#), developed alongside the [CVA & GBV compendium](#).

The course will be delivered in English starting on November 1<sup>st</sup> 2021 through the week of December 13<sup>th</sup> 2021, with the Arabic module taking place in January 2022.

To express interest in participating in the English course, please fill out the [registration form](#) by October 18<sup>th</sup>. The registration link for the Arabic module is forthcoming and we will announce it in the next few weeks.

We are grateful for the valuable contributions and content review of the project's advisory group, of which included the following organizations:



## Course Objectives

The course is targeted towards protection, gender and GBV staff working in crisis settings. By the end of this course, participants will be able to:

- Explain how CVA can contribute to GBV response objectives;
- Decide if and how CVA is an appropriate modality to support the delivery of a comprehensive GBV response;
- Identify the roles of different teams to effectively integrate CVA into GBV response throughout the project cycle;
- Determine the transfer value and delivery mechanisms to use for CVA in GBV response;
- Identify the information needed for monitoring and evaluation of CVA integrated into GBV response.

## Course Pre-requisites

Prior to starting this course, participants should have completed all of these 3 pre-requisite e-learning courses:

- UNFPA - Managing Gender based violence program in emergencies ([English, French, Arabic and Spanish](#))
- CaLP - Cash and Voucher Assistance - The Fundamentals ([English, French, Arabic, Spanish](#))
- CaLP & IRC - Introduction to Market Analysis ([English, Français, Arabic](#)); for Spanish please take the [IFRC Introduction to Market Assessments course](#).

Send your completion certificates to the course facilitator at least one week before the start of the course.

## Technology Required

The course is hosted on Eduflow, with live sessions taking place on Zoom.

You will need access to an internet connection, and a computer or mobile phone in order to complete the activities online and to join the online workshops, which will be held via Zoom. Your facilitator will alert you if you need access to any other online platforms during this course.

## Learner journey

The course takes 7 weeks to complete. Each topic is a week except Topic 3: Response design, which is spread over 2 weeks. There is one check-in week built into the course to allow you to catch up if you have fallen behind on the self-directed learning and reading.

The course entails an expected level of effort of 3 hours of learning per week. Each topic includes a mandatory 2-hour live webinar, autonomous group work, as well as self-directed learning through videos, recordings, or podcasts. Approximately 60% of this course is self-directed learning, and 40% of the course is facilitated.

Please note that this time commitment is an average and some weeks may require slightly more or less time to complete all of the elements. Attendance at the 5 facilitated workshops and submission of all assignments is mandatory to complete the course.

The course agenda is as follows:

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5 - Catch up	Week 6	Week 7
Topic 1 Introduction							
Topic 2 Situation analysis							
Topic 3 Response design							
Topic 4 Implementation							
Topic 5 Monitoring and Evaluation							

Once you have been selected for the training, we will share a detailed checklist and schedule of what is happening each week, and what you need to be doing to stay on track during the course.