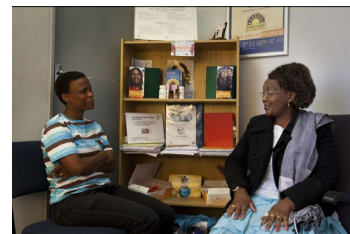




Update from the Global Social Service Workforce Alliance

## Join the New Supervision Interest Group

Are you interested in joining with others to discuss ways to improve supervision of the social service workforce? Do you have good models to share? Join the [new Alliance Supervision Interest Group](#) on our first call on March 6!



The purpose of the Global Social Service Workforce Alliance Interest Groups is to advance knowledge, discussion, tools and information exchange related to a thematic area of concern to Alliance members. Comprised of Alliance members who have expertise in the thematic area, interest groups are task-focused and result-oriented.

This Supervision and the Social Service Workforce Interest Group will:

- A. Provide a platform to exchange the array of existing tools, resources and knowledge pertaining to supervision of the social service workforce
- B. Develop and promote key benchmarks related to the provision of effective supervision
- C. Develop recommendations of how to incorporate tools to support effective case management supervision within [Primerio](#), an inter-agency digital child protection information management system (CPIMS+)
- D. Identify effective models and examples of supervision across different settings and promote case studies of those models, or prepare case studies where they do not already exist

There are a few simple steps required to join the group.

A. If you are already an Alliance member:

1. Go to: <http://www.socialserviceworkforce.org/user/login> and log in using your username and password. You can request a new password from that page if you have forgotten it.
2. Go to: <http://www.socialserviceworkforce.org/get-involved/working-groups> and click on “subscribe” next to the Supervision Interest Group description

B. If you are not yet an Alliance member:

1. Go to: <http://www.socialserviceworkforce.org/user/register> to become an Alliance member. You will receive an email once your membership is approved. Click on the link in that email to set up your username and password.
2. Follow Steps A 1-2 above.

Once you have joined the group, you will receive an email with information about the March 6 call. Please feel free to [contact us](#) with any questions using the contact page of our website.

We are also hiring a consultant to support this work. For more information, click [here](#).

## Upcoming Opportunities

### Invitation to Participate: IASSW World Census of Social Work Education Programs

**IASSW invites you to participate in this very brief, but important survey (available in multiple languages)**

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/IASSW-Census>

Every ten years, the International Association of Schools of Social Work (IASSW) conducts a world census of social work education programs offering at least one degree program in social work. The major outcome of the census is a directory of contact details for all social work education programs in the world. They need your help so that the 2020 Directory can include as many social work training institutions in the world as possible. Please share the above link with your networks.

### Upcoming Webinar

***What's New? The 2019 edition of the Minimum Standards for Child Protection in Humanitarian Action (CPMS)***

The Alliance for Child Protection in Humanitarian Action is hosting a webinar on February 28 to introduce the most recent version of the CPMS, now available on the Alliance for Child Protection in Humanitarian Action [website](#). For



### Welcome New Members

The Alliance network now has more than 2,500 members across 141 countries. [Invite a colleague to join.](#)



### Upcoming Events

June 14 – 17, 2020 - The [National Association of Social Workers US Conference](#) will take place in Washington, DC, USA.

June 22 - 24, 2020 - The [IPSCAN European Regional Conference](#) will be held in Rimini, Italy.

June 24 – 27, 2020- The [Work and Family Researchers Network](#)

more information on joining, click [here](#).

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## Resources

Check out these new resources from across the network:

[Caregiver Stories](#) shares the experiences of caregivers supporting children and young people living with HIV. It provides information and ideas to support conversations with children and young people about HIV and can be used by individuals or in group sessions.

The [Guidelines on Basic Competencies for Social Workforce in Cambodia](#) were prepared to strengthen the capacity of the social service workforce within government, NGOs, and the private sector to be in line with the current socio-economic development plan to promote effective provision of social services.

[Chinese Social Workers Actively Engaged in the Fight against the Coronavirus](#) is an article published by the International Federation of Social Workers and outlines the role of the Chinese Association of Social Workers in engaging social workers to address the epidemic.

[5th Biennial Conference](#) will be held in New York, New York, USA

June 25 – 27, 2020- The [2020 Work and Family Researchers Network Conference](#) will take place in New York, New York, USA.

June 28 – July 1, 2020 - The [Joint World Congress on Social Work Education and Social Development](#) will be hosted by IASSW and ICSW in Rimini, Italy.

July 6 – 8, 2020 - [HIV2020](#) will take place in Mexico City, Mexico.

July 6 – 10, 2020 - The [23rd International AIDS Conference](#) is being planned for San Francisco, California, USA.

July 8 - 10, 2020 - The [European Social Service annual conference](#) will be held in Hamburg, Germany.

July 15 – 18, 2020 - The [IFSW International Social Work Conference](#) will be held in Calgary, Canada.



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