

Ensuring risk sharing and equitable security risk management for all aid actors

Aid work is increasingly delivered in collaboration between international and local actors. This requires adaptation of security risk management approaches and tools for such collaboration to ensure a safe working environment for all. At present there is a lack of discussion about security risk management between international and local NGOs, and lack of guidance around how to approach risk-sharing. These workshops aim to challenge conceptions, demystify key aspects of equitable partnerships, and enable improvements in collaboration on security risk management. Workshops Organised by: GISF and Insecurity Insight, with the support of AIDEX. [Register here](#)

Day 1: 16th November 2022

GISF Workshop | 10:00 - 13:30 CEST | Working towards risk sharing and equitable security risk management in partnerships.

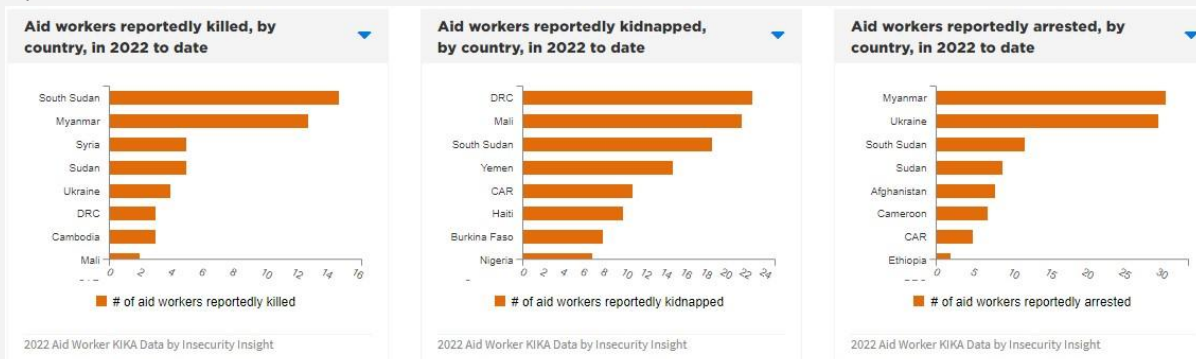
Day 2: 17th November 2022

Insecurity Insight Workshop | 10:00 - 13:30 CEST | Collaborating on security incidents – reporting and analysis between international and local NGOs with a specific focus on the health sector.



Latest Aid Worker KIKA Data

Data on incidents where aid workers were killed, injured, kidnapped or arrested (KIKA) is now available for download on [HDX](#) and our [website](#) covering the period 01 January to 20 October 2022. The dataset includes a brief incident description, the reported perpetrator, the weapons used, the type of organisation and programme affected as well as anonymised available details about the affected staff. The dataset does not include incidents in this News Brief.



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Safety, security and access incidents

Incidents of threats and violence affecting aid workers and aid delivery.

Africa

Cameroon

06-09 October 2022: In Solenzo commune, Boucle du Mouhoun region, two ambulances, a 4x4 vehicle, medicine and supplies were stolen during a series of attacks on health centres and NGO offices by non-state armed groups. Vandalism and theft of materials was also reported from NGO offices. **Source:** [OCHA](#)

Central African Republic

As reported on 19 October 2022: In the Nord-Ouest region, the resurgence of armed activity in the area and the deployment of improvised explosive devices in the region is hindering humanitarian assistance. **Source:** [Journal de Bangui](#)

Democratic Republic of the Congo

18 October 2022: In Lukongo area, Fizi territory, South Kivu province, an INGO vehicle was ambushed and a driver and a doctor kidnapped by unidentified armed men. **Source:** [Kivu Times](#)

As reported on 23 October 2022: In Rutshuru territory, North Kivu province, insecurity resulting from intensive fighting between the Congolese national armed forces and March 23 rebels has blocked humanitarian organisations from accessing the area to evacuate civilians and the injured. **Source:** [Actualité](#) and [Radio Okapi](#)

Ethiopia

28 October 2022: Between Adwa and Adi Remets, Dedebeit, Asgede woreda, Tigray region, a Red Cross ambulance driver was shot and killed after the ambulance they were travelling in and transporting injured suspected ENDF soldiers, was stopped by TPLF soldiers. The injured soldiers were also killed. **Sources:** [ACLED](#)¹, [AWS](#)² and [ICRC](#)

Mali

22 October 2022: Between Echell and Goundam, Tombouctou region, four NGO aid workers were kidnapped by suspected JNIM militants. All were released after being detained and interrogated for several hours. **Source:** [ACLED](#)¹

19 October 2022, Between Parou and Songobia, Bandiagara, Mopti region, an NGO vehicle was seized by suspected JNIM militants. **Source:** [ACLED](#)¹

South Sudan

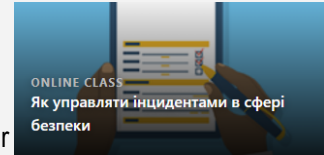
As reported on 11 October 2022: In Kodok town, Fashoda county, Upper Nile state, aid workers in the area were evacuated to a United Nations Mission in South Sudan compound following fighting between armed groups in the area. The fighting also resulted in the displacement of at least 8,000 civilians from the area. **Source:** [Eye Radio](#)

21 October 2022: At Mayendit County, a South Sudanese aid worker was seriously assaulted and wounded after being taken from the organisation's compound by armed youths. **Source:** [AWS](#)²

Europe

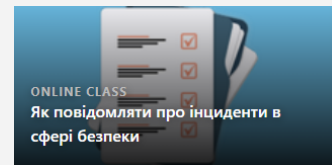
Managing Security Incidents: mobile guide in Polish, Russian and Ukrainian

- Explains why incident management is an important part of any aid agency's internal security risk management strategy and how to do it.
- In [Polish](#), [Russian](#) and [Ukrainian](#) and designed for local partner organisations who want to improve their security risk practices as part of their due diligence capacity building.
- Is also available in [Arabic](#), [English](#) and [French](#) for partner agencies in other countries.
- Is a short introduction to more material available on our [English](#), [French](#), [Spanish](#) and [Arabic](#) roadmap.
- Read the content of the mobile guide [here](#).



Reporting Security Incidents: mobile guide in Polish, Russian and Ukrainian

- Explains to employees and consultants why it is important to report security incidents to security risk managers and how such reporting is best done.
- Is designed for local and field staff and is now also available in [Polish](#), [Russian](#) and [Ukrainian](#) - in addition to [Arabic](#), [English](#) and [French](#).
- Can be used as a tool in staff training to support a constructive and trusted security risk management atmosphere between security risk managers and staff.
- Comes with a documentation confirming completion of the 10 minutes course.
- Read the content of the mobile guide [here](#).



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Syrian Arab Republic

10 October 2022: In Qamishli city, Hasaka governorate, offices of the WHO and the UN were broken into by Syrian Democratic Forces, causing damage. **Source:** [SNHR](#)

¹ Armed Conflict Location & Event Data Project (ACLED) [database attribution policy](#). Accessed 03 November 2022.

² The [Aid Worker Security Database](#) (AWSDB) does not include the names of individual victims or the agencies affected by an incident. This is done in consideration of the victims and their families who may not wish to have the names published in this format and to afford equal respect to the many victims for whom this information is not available. Accessed 03 November 2022.

This Bi-Monthly News Brief comprises threats and incidents of violence affecting the delivery of humanitarian assistance. It is part of the Aid in Danger project, by Insecurity Insight. It is prepared from information available in local, national and international news outlets and online databases. The incidents reported are not a complete nor a representative list of all events that affected the provision of aid delivery and have not been independently verified. All decisions made, on the basis of, or with consideration to, such information remains the responsibility of their respective organisations. Insecurity Insight continues to update data on aid workers killed, injured, kidnapped or arrested (KIKAs) and figures may change. Updated data includes new and historic reports identified in open-sources and verified security incidents submitted by Aid in Danger partner agencies.

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