Thematic Consultative Forum Webinar
The Impact of Covid-19 on Asylum in the EU
Thursday 23rd July (14:00-16:00 CET), Facilitated by: WEBEX Events

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| 14:05 – 14:25 | Presentation by EASO on the impact of covid-19 on EASO’s activities  
Mark Camilleri, Head of Executive Office, EASO  
Presentation by EASO on the impact of covid-19 on Member States’ asylum and reception systems  
Maria Papaioannou, Information and Analysis Officer, EASO |
| **Session 2** | The impact of covid-19 on CSOs working in the field of asylum in the EU |
| 14:25 – 14:55 | Presentation by ECRE on the challenges faced by CSOs working in the field of asylum in the EU  
Catherine Woollard, Director, ECRE  
Presentations by operational NGOs illustrating challenges and highlighting potential good practices in responding to the outbreak  
- Portuguese Refugee Council  
- Vluchtelingenwerk Vlaanderen  
- Swedish Red Cross |
| **Session 3** | What is next?  
How will asylum trends develop in the short and medium term? How should the EU prepare/respond to the anticipated and emerging trends presented by Covid-19? |
| 14:55 – 15:30 | Presentation by EASO on anticipated and emerging asylum trends  
Teddy Wilkin, Head of Data Analysis and Research Sector, EASO  
Presentation by the European Commission on the future of the CEAS in the wake of covid-19  
Ioana Pelin-Raducu, Policy Officer DG HOME, European Commission  
Presentation by UNHCR on what is next? Recommendations for asylum policy in the wake of covid-19  
Nina Schrepfer Senior Legal Officer, UNHCR Brussels |
| **Session 4** | Q&A |
| 15:30 – 16:00 | Q&A moderated by Sheila Maas, Civil Society Officer, EASO |