Refugees' participation	
UNHCR Area of Focus:	Protection Capacity, Resilience, Self-reliance, and Solutions
JRS Approach:	Protection advocacy, education, livelihoods and MHPSS
Geographical Scope:	Regional Southeast Asia and Asia Pacific regions
Type of Contribution:	Advocacy, technical and material support
Partners/Stakeholders:	State(s), international organizations, refugee, and host communities
Receiving Entities:	Forcibly displaced populations, host communities; International organizations; State(s); and local organizations.
Timeframe:	4 years
Key Outcome:	Refugees and host communities are supported to meaningfully participate in decisions that affect their lives through: 1. Meaningful refugee participation at the local, national, and international levels, at all stages of policymaking that concern them; 2. Enhanced accountability to affected populations; and 3. Ensured sustainable resourcing.
JRS Commitment:	• As a member of the CHS (Core Humanitarian Standard) Alliance, JRS has undertaken a commitment to join global collective efforts to ensure quality and accountability in our services to refugee and forcible displaced populations. • JRS has completed our CHS Self-Assessment requirements and will take steps to further strengthen our accompaniment mission with the concerns, aspirations and hopes of the people we serve at the core of our programming, and the accountability those we seek to assist, specifically, through the meaningful participation of refugees and host communities in decisions that affect their lives. • JRS will promote the agency of those we seek to assist, and will, wherever possible, create local or global advocacy opportunities allowing their voices to lead in our local and global advocacy efforts. • JRS will, wherever possible, engage in partnerships with refugee-led organizations promoting their ownership over services to their communities.
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