

Topic A: Generating a global protocol for humanitarian corridors in conflict regions

Humanitarian corridors are legal-demilitarized zones open on specific periods of time for people to evacuate places in conflict and arrive safely in another country. They are also used to transport food or essential supplies to people who remain in the area.

Access to these corridors is determined by the parties of the conflict, and these zones are meant to be neutral for associations such as UNICEF and the Red Cross to intervene with humanitarian aid. The problem is that these routes and zones are not always respected and many times are subject to politics and geostrategy of the parties in conflict. Many times, they do not allow the safe passage of humanitarian goods and people from one point to another in an area of active fighting. This committee calls for collaboration in the planning, establishment, and maintenance of a protocol regarding humanitarian corridors to ensure effective assistance delivery.

