

# MSF Field Simulation Transition phase

Area/Type: OIT/ Incubator

Sponsor/Support: OCBA

Length/Project Status: 12 months; **To be started**



TRANSFORMATIONAL  
INVESTMENT  
CAPACITY

## Project Summary

### Problem

The project aims to explore opportunities jointly with other Operational Centers (OCs) including OCB, OCA, OCB, WaCA, OCP, Ubuntu to expand the benefits humanitarian simulations brings across MSF and to support key transversal areas such as emergency, quality and safety, security, safeguarding and complex emergency response. While the multi-year, multi-phase TIC MSF Field Simulation has made substantial progress within OCBA and to lesser extent in OCP and MSF Academy, its adoption and maturity remains uneven across the movement..

### Proposed Solution

This transition phase will focus on building a shared understanding of simulation's added value, prompting leadership alignment across Med-Ops, identifying priority operational areas, developing a source mutualization plan and a cost saving approach to ensure humanitarian simulation can be sustained. This phase intends to secure commitment from interested OCs, preserve existing expertise, and establish foundations for coordinated movement wide integration.



### Potential Impact

- Strengthen MSF capacity to support safe and effective care.
- Support field teams to reflect on challenges and adapt practices
- Aims to strengthen cross OC collaboration, knowledge and resources mutualization.

### Viability

- Builds on seven years of demonstrated experience from MSF Field simulation TIC.
- Leverages existing OCBA capacities.
- Uses simulation tools, training packages and learning resources (TEMBO, SharePoint).

### Risk Mitigation

- Engages Med-Ops leadership and Inter OC platforms.
- Engages field teams through focuses simulation tests.

### Scalability

- Aims to expand simulation package to all interested OCs.
- Build on existing tools, training materials and focal points.
- Aims for an agreed inter-OC-strategy, governance and cost sharing mode..