

## Doha Briefing - AGENDA

### The Impact of Housing Instability on Families

#### Investing in social protection systems and parenting programs

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12 February 2020 / Conference Room 12 / 11:30am – 12:45pm

<p><b>Session 1</b> 11:30am - 11:40am</p>	<p><b>Opening Speakers</b> <b>Her Excellency Ms. Alya Al-Thani</b> Permanent Representative of the State of Qatar to the United Nations</p> <p><b>Dr. Sharifa Noaman Al Emadi</b> Executive Director, Doha International Family Institute</p>
<p>11:40am - 12:05pm</p>	<p><b>Session I: Social Protection Policies Towards Cohesive Families</b> <b>Moderator: Ms. Renata Kaczmarek</b> Focal Point on the Family Division for Inclusive Social Development Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UNDESA)</p> <p><b>His Excellency Mr. Ghanem Mubarak Al Kuwari</b> Assistant Undersecretary for Social Affairs, Ministry of Administrative Development, Labour and Social Affairs, Qatar <b>The Role of the State in Protecting the Family through the Provision of Housing Policies: Systems, Policies, Priorities</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Ahmed Aref</b> Researcher, Doha International Family Institute (DIFI) <b>The Case for Family-Sensitive Social Protection</b></p> <p><b>Dr. Susan Roylance</b> Director of International Policy, United Families <b>Families and housing instability within the framework of the SDGs</b></p>
<p><b>Session 2</b> 12:05pm - 12:30pm</p>	<p><b>Session II: Promoting Lasting Impact: Investing in Parenting Programs</b> <b>Moderator: Mr. Ignacio Socias</b> Director of Communications, International Federation for Family Development (IFFD)</p> <p><b>Dr. Froma Walsh</b> Co-Director and Co-Founder of the Chicago Center for Family Health <b>Family Resilience and Housing Instability</b></p> <p><b>Dr. Chemba Raghavan</b> Early Childhood Development (ECD) Specialist, UNICEF <b>The Impact of Poverty on Children – The Case for Family-Friendly Policies</b></p> <p><b>Ms. Dana Al Kahlout</b> Senior Program Specialist, Doha International Family Institute <b>Making the Case for Investing in Parenting Programs</b></p>
<p>12:30pm - 12:45pm</p>	<p>Discussion and Closing Remarks</p>