In order to strengthen the Epidemiology Surveillance Unit (ESU) at the Ministry of Public Health

(MoPH), WHO initiated a



During the DHIS2 training in the Emergency Operations Centre at Rafic Hariri University Hospitalproject to build an online disease reporting system, using DHIS2 web application. A two weeks workshop from 10 to 21 February 2015 was conducted for 28 participants from ESU unit, in order to optimize the DHIS2 to match the Ministry of Public Health ESU needs.

By customizing the validation rules, indicators and reports. At the end of the workshop a site visit was made to the MOPH Qada health unit office in Saida, The customization should be tested and ready to use by mid of March 2015. The initial set up of DHIS2 was initiated in September 2014, where the ESU staff was trained and the project entered a pilot phase, including three centres, the MoPH office in Beirut, the Emergency Operation Centre at Rafic Hariri University Hospital and the MoPH office in Tripoli Mohafaza.

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