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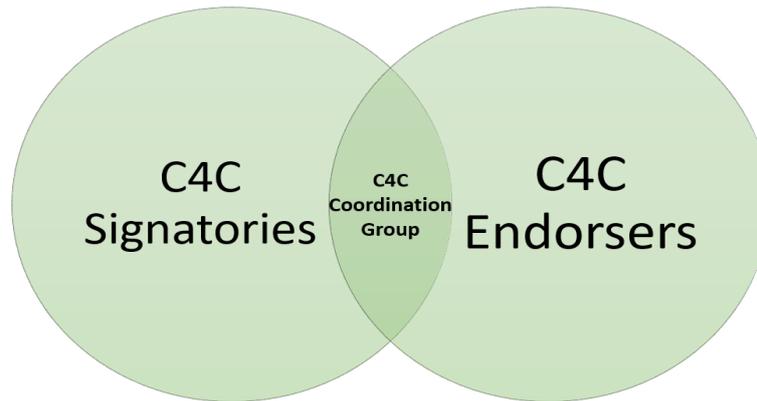
The Charter for Change (C4C) is an initiative led by both local and national NGOs (C4C endorsers) and international NGOs (C4C Signatories) to practically implement changes to the way the Humanitarian System operates to enable more locally led response.

C4C Signatories

C4C Coordination Group

C4C Endorsers

[C4C Signatories Group](#)[1]

At present, there are 37 international NGOs that have signed the C4C.

The **C4C Signatories group** facilitates communications between signatories, allows for easy information sharing and provides a central repository of discussions and related documents. Membership of the group is restricted to current C4C signatory organisations.

[C4C Endorsers Group](#)[2]

At present, there are more than 390 local and national NGOs that have endorsed the C4C.

The **C4C Endorsers group** facilitates dialogue among endorsers of the Charter for Change to share information and discuss progress and challenges related to implementation of the Charter for Change. Membership of the group is restricted to local and national NGOs/CSOs that have endorsed the Charter for Change.

C4C Secretariat: The C4C Secretariat is the administrative organ of the C4C responsible for supporting, coordinating, and servicing the administrative and secretarial needs of the C4C signatories, endorsers and working groups. You can view the terms of reference of the Secretariat [here](#)[3].

C4C Working Groups: Several sub-groups and thematic groups operate within the initiative which are open to both signatories and endorsers to join:

C4C Working Groups

C4C Advocacy Group	C4C Capacity Group	C4C Coordination Group	C4C Endorsers' Task Group	C4C Reporting Group

[1] https://dgroups.io/g/c4c-signatories
[2] https://dgroups.io/g/c4c-endorsers
[3] https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Y5Nb7NAlQopchI1JO2hKfv_C2ThlFYMp/view?usp=sharing

- [C4C Advocacy Group](#)[4] - The **C4C Advocacy group** is a discussion group organizing to push localization and C4C values to the top of the humanitarian reform agenda. Members meet regularly to share information and collaborate on advancing advocacy on behalf of the Charter for Change network, strategize on how we will collectively influence key humanitarian decision makers or around key moments, develop joint agency influencing products, and support progress on the localisation of aid agenda. You can view the terms of reference for the group [here](#)[5] and apply for membership [here](#).[6]

- [C4C Capacity Strengthening Group](#)[7] - The **C4C Capacity group** is a discussion group that seeks to capture local actor's capacity strengthening experiences, identify what CS driven by the demands of local actors could look like, identify what support local actors need to take the initiative to drive their organisation's growth and share resources and learning among Charter for Change network members in order to support progress on the localisation of aid agenda. You can view the terms of reference for the group [here](#)[8] and apply for membership [here](#).[9]

- [C4C Coordination Group](#)[10] - The **C4C Coordination group** is a closed group for members of the Charter for Change steering group (consisting of representatives from signatory and endorser organisations) used to streamline collaboration, communication, and coordination efforts on behalf of the larger Charter for Change signatories and endorsers network. You can view the terms of reference for the group [here](#)[11] and apply for membership [here](#).[12]

- [C4C Endorsers Task Group](#)[13] - The **C4C Endorsers task group** consists primarily of active endorsers and a few signatory representatives. The task group meets monthly to define and drive forward an enhanced role for local and national NGO endorsers in the Charter4Change process by developing dissemination strategies, strategies for holding Signatories and Endorsers to account to C4C commitments and sharing good practices. You can view the terms of reference for the group [here](#)[14] and apply for membership by adding your details [here](#).[15]

- [C4C Reporting Group](#)[16] - The **C4C reporting group** is linked to C4C's effort to meaningfully measure and report on progress achieved by C4C signatories and perspectives on progress by endorsers. Representatives of C4C signatory and endorser organisations collaborate on designing the annual reporting logic and survey, analysis and authoring of the C4C Annual Report and associated knowledge products to improve the quality of reporting and thereby contribute to influencing change at local, national, and global levels. You can apply for membership [here.](#)[17]

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[4] https://dgroups.io/g/c4c-advocacy
[5] https://drive.google.com/file/d/1VQmxj5mAQTNADrZld4THWs-GRFC8dNLA/view?usp=sharing
[6] https://dgroups.io/g/c4c-advocacy/join
[7] https://dgroups.io/g/c4c-capacity
[8] https://drive.google.com/file/d/1O0Ibql-Z0rpcrz1Zz4IAA-SVDA10WY7l/view?usp=sharing
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