

# BILATERAL DIALOGUE

- Working for faithful application of IHL
- Raise concerns directly with those responsible
- Confidential



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INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE RED CROSS

REGIONAL DELEGATION FOR  
UNITED STATES AND CANADA

Washington, 14 February 2007  
WAS 07/76

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed a report on the findings and recommendations of the International Committee of the Red Cross following its visits to fourteen "high value detainees" transferred to Guantanamo in September 2006. The report covers the period during which these persons were held in the detention program run by the Central Intelligence Agency.

We hope that you will find the report useful and thank you in advance for the action you will take on the matters raised.

Yours sincerely,

Geoff Loane

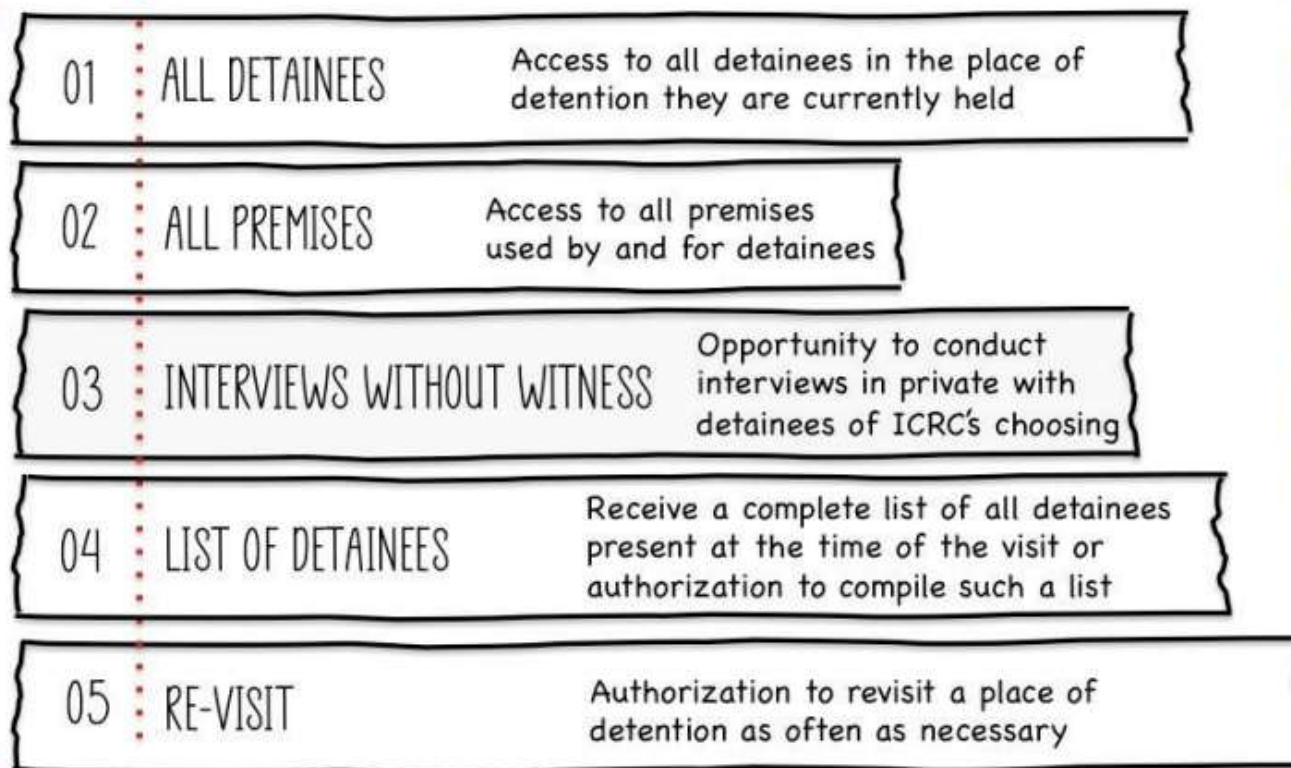
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Absolute minimum  
required\*

When all 5 are fully respected, our access is protective

\* Must be  
agreed in  
principle  
before  
starting the  
detention  
action



Degree of respect by the authorities



# ACTION AS A NEUTRAL INTERMEDIARY



Prevention

Encourage and support States to implement IHL instruments and the

Threat / Abuse

Responsive Action

Remedial Action

Environment Building

Support authorities to implement related policies e.g. recognition of absence, use of dog-tags

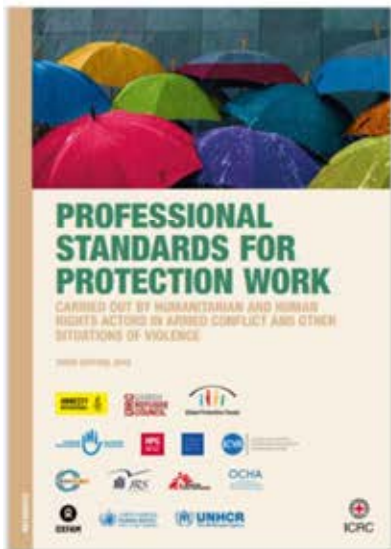
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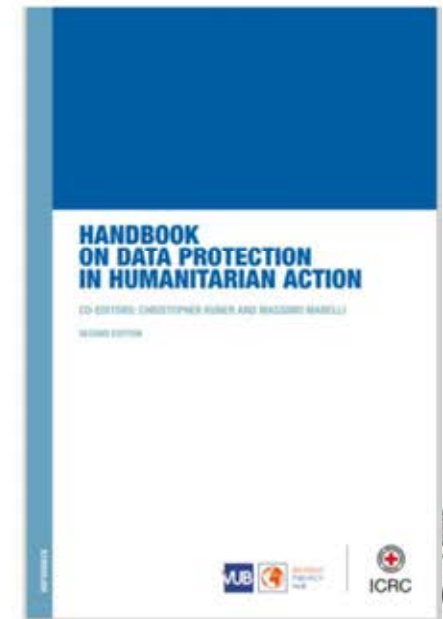


# ICRC cyber-attack: Sharing our analysis

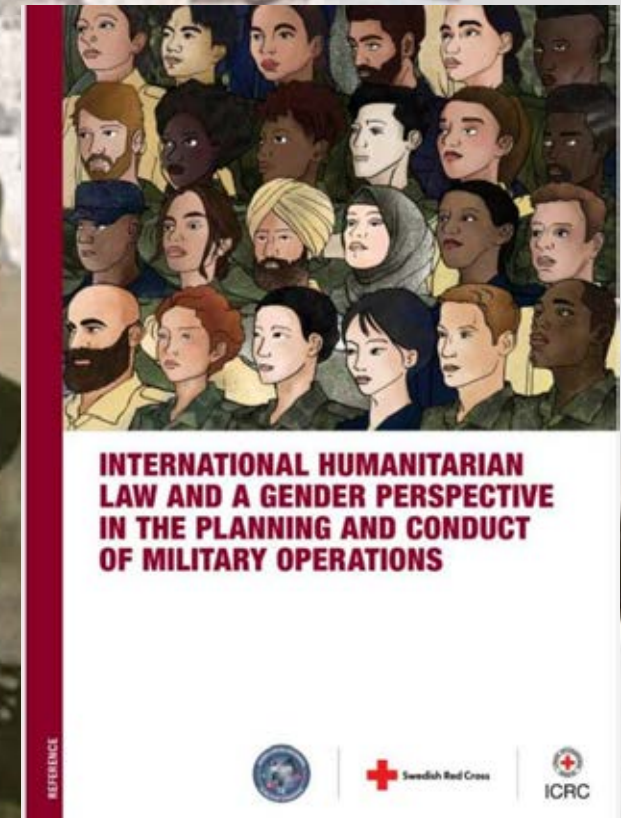
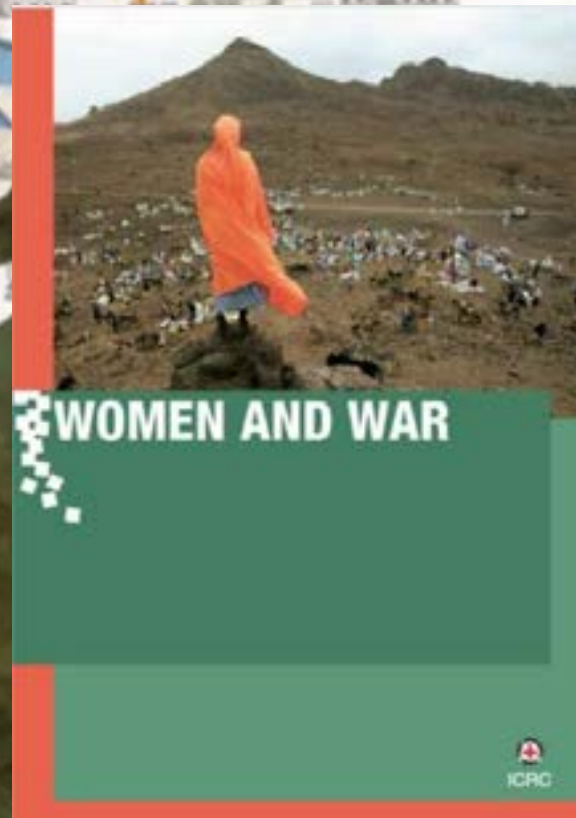


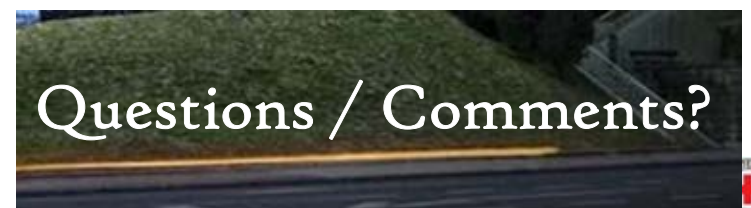
The following is an open letter from Robert Mardini, the director-general of the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC), following the discovery in mid-January of a cyber-attack on ICRC servers containing data related to the Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement's Restoring Family Links services.

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# PROTECTION AND GENDER





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## STRENGTHENING THE ICRC'S RELEVANCE AND IMPACT

Upholding the centrality of protection and the role of a neutral intermediary



Promoting international humanitarian law as a global political priority



Enhancing the response impact in acute and protracted phases of conflicts, as well as other situations of violence



Affirming our identity within the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement



A new humanitarianism for a changing world



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