Themes identified from the interviews
Thai Government position on URAS
Unclear direction of government
Unofficial status of URAS in Thailand
Aliens entering the Kingdom of Thailand and incapable of returning their home
Tension of international relations
Politically sensitive
Ambiguity of the overarching policy direction
Incoherence of practices towards the care for URAS among frontline officers
No clear agency accountable to the care for URAS
Policy Concern
National security concern
Attracting URAS to come to Thailand
Opinions on becoming a party of the 1951 Refugee Convention
Not being of signatory the 1951 Refugee Convention
Commitment of the country to work for URAS in the views of UNHCR
No effective migrant screening program by UNHCR
Good performance of the Government towards URAS despite not being a signatory
New domestic regulation on URAS
Benefit of being a signatory of the 1951 Refugee Convention
Gaining a tool to drive health policy for URAS
Gaining support in the lens of international politics
Non-government organisations and health promotion for URAS
Health Protection
Bangkok Refugee Center (BRC)
Buddhist Tzu Chi Foundation
Provision of health consultancy services for URAS
Vaccination for children under five years and children with health complications
Subsidizing basic medical expenses, especially for children and pregnant women
Legal aide by non-government organizations
Asylum Access Thailand (AAT)
Center for Asylum Protection (CAP)
Jesuit Refugee Service (JRS)
Provided legal advice for asylum seekers to seek refugee status
Education service
Good Shepherd Bangkok
Language school for URAS children
Social Service
Home visit
Provision of cash-based intervention
Options on health insurance management for URAS
Purchase of MOPH's insurance for migrant workers
Eligibility of buying insurance in the past
Most of the insurance applicants being the elders and the children
Not specify the eligible nationalities to the insurance buyer
UHC policy
More effective if all schemes are combined
Inclusive policy
UNHCR support
Being in a suitable position to take care URAS than local hospitals
Organization responsibility
Purchase private organisations
Rights to work leading to financial earning to buy the insurance
Working potential of URAS
Rights to work
Economic benefit
Reduction of stress
Reduction of public expense
Jobs in Thailand
Construction
Online job
Day labour
Translator
Background
Graduated in the different professional fields
Multi-lingual
Work experience
Uncertainty of future life plans of URAS
No clear longterm plan in life
Long resettlement process
Visa expirty
No rights to work
No rights to access to health insurance
Not rights to education