

Costed evaluation plan – Mali – UNICEF country programme of cooperation, March 2020 – December 2024

The table draws from the Integrated Monitoring and Evaluation Plan to cover present evaluations planned for the duration of the programme cycle. Additional guidance on financial resources for evaluation is outlined in the revised Evaluation Policy of UNICEF ([E/ICEF/2018/14](#)).

<i>Evaluation title</i>	<i>United Nations Sustainable Development Cooperation Framework (or equivalent) outcome</i>	<i>UNICEF Strategic Plan, 2018–2021 Goal Area</i>	<i>Criteria used for selection</i>	<i>Intended use of evaluation findings</i>	<i>Expected start date (month and year, or year only)</i>	<i>Anticipated cost and provisional source of funding (regular resources (RR) or other resources (OR)), in United States dollars</i>
Multi-country formative evaluation of child immunization strategies (key result for children (KRC) 1)	Axis 3, Outcome 1	Goal Area 1	Programme evaluation, in line with the revised evaluation policy of UNICEF. This is a multi-country evaluation focused on one of the four KRCs chosen for the country.	<p>Integrate effective equity approaches towards the improvement of immunization coverage in Mali, especially among the hardest-to-reach children.</p> <p>Share the identified good practices in boosting immunization coverage with other countries in the region.</p> <p>Integrate modified strategies to boost immunization in the country’s urban areas.</p>	2020	<p>200 000</p> <p>OR: 50 000</p> <p>RR: 150 000</p>
Multi-country summative evaluation of stunting prevention strategies (KRC 2)	Axis 3, Outcome 1	Goal Area 1	Programme evaluation, in line with the revised evaluation policy of UNICEF. This is a multi-country evaluation focused on one of the four KRCs chosen for the country.	<p>Integrate effective equity approaches towards stunting reduction in Mali.</p> <p>Share the identified good practices in boosting immunization coverage with the other countries in the region.</p> <p>Integrate and scale up innovative exclusive breastfeeding and complementary feeding strategies in the country programme implementation.</p>	2021	<p>200 000</p> <p>OR: 30 000</p> <p>RR: 170 000</p>

Country programme midterm (formative) evaluation	Axes 1–3 (all outcomes)	Goal Areas 1–5	Programme evaluation, in line with the revised evaluation policy of UNICEF. The evaluation is aimed at learning from the implementation of UNICEF and partners' strategies for integrated programming with a life-cycle approach and adjusting them accordingly.	Make all necessary adjustments (both strategic and operational) towards a more-effective and gender-responsive implementation of the country programme, rather than sectoral areas. Scale up the most-innovative practices within the scope of the country programme implementation. Share lessons learned and good practices, both within the UNICEF Mali country office and with its partners as well as with the rest of the region.	2022	RR: 250 000
Evaluation of humanitarian action in Mali	Axes 1–3 (all outcomes)	Goal Areas 1–5	Evaluation of emergency response, in line with the revised evaluation policy of UNICEF, as the country is in security/risk level 1-2.	Mainstream the humanitarian-development nexus approach more effectively into country programme planning. Establish, reinforce and expand programming that links humanitarian and development activities more systematically and effectively.	2022	250 000 OR: 100 000 RR: 150 000
Country programme final (summative) evaluation	Axes 1–3 (all outcomes)	Goal Areas 1–5	Country programme evaluation, in line with the requirement spelled out in the revised evaluation	Inform the development of the next country programme. Scale up the most effective and innovative practices identified	2023	RR: 250 000

			policy of UNICEF. The evaluation is aimed at providing a full-fledged CPD evaluation conducted in the country.	under the five components. Disseminate the good practices as well as challenges identified during country programme implementation with UNICEF regional staff.		
Formative evaluation of the programme gender strategies	Axes 1–3 (all outcomes)	Goal Areas 1– 5	Programme evaluation, in line with the revised evaluation policy of UNICEF. The evaluation is aimed at learning from and adjusting the programme’s gender strategies and approaches.	Strengthen the integration of gender into country programme implementation. Inform the development of the gender component of the next country programme. Disseminate good practices as well as challenges identified during country programme implementation with UNICEF staff.	2023	100 000 OR: 20 000 RR: 80 000
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