

Costed evaluation plan – Mongolia – UNICEF country programme of cooperation, 2023–2027

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 Development Assistance Framework (or equivalent) outcome</i>	<i>UNICEF Strategic Plan, 2022–2025 Goal Area</i>	<i>Criteria used for selection</i>	<i>Intended use of evaluation findings</i>	<i>Expected start date</i>	<i>Anticipated cost and provisional source of funding (regular resources (RR) or other resources (OR)), in United States dollars</i>
Evaluability Assessment of the Country Programme 2023 to 2027	United Nations Sustainable Development Cooperation Framework (UNSDCF) outcomes 1–3	Goals Areas 1–5	Initiation of country programme	<p>To determine whether the results formulated in the country programme document (CPD) are verifiable and whether the systems established are adequate to measure progress and demonstrate the set CPD targets and results. The evaluability assessment will inform the Country Programme Evaluation.</p> <p>The evaluability assessment will provide recommendations on changes and amendments to the monitoring and reporting of the country programme progress with a view to measure results for children.</p>	2023	70 000 (RR/OR)
Country Programme Evaluation	UNSDCF outcomes 1–3	Goal Areas 1–5	Requirement of the revised evaluation policy of UNICEF	The findings will be used to assess country programme performance, inform the next country programme and the UNSDCF, and to determine strategic shifts and or/emerging issues that need to be addressed in the new country programme.	2025	150 000 (RR/OR)
Evaluation of the Mongolia Country Office’s response to	UNSDCF outcome 3	Goal Areas 1–5	Cross-cutting	To evaluate the performance of the comprehensive response by UNICEF to COVID-19, with a	2023	100 000 (OR)

the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic				focus on value for money. To offer recommendations to UNICEF and its key counterparts on better preparedness and response to future public health emergencies to ensure inclusion and equity and the resilience of UNICEF programmes.		
Formative evaluation of the water, sanitation and hygiene (WASH) programme	UNSDCF outcomes 1 and 2	Goal Area 4	Thematic evaluation	To review the performance of the WASH component of the country programme since its last thematic evaluation in 2016, including examining the utility and implementation of the recommendations. The findings and recommendations will be used to define the orientation for future WASH programming.	2024	100 000 (OR)
Formative evaluation of the social protection programme for children by UNICEF and its counterparts	UNSDCF outcome 1	Goal Area 5	Strategic positioning	The country programme for 2023–2027 will take a more proactive stance on social protection for children, namely, the universal approach to benefit all children. The evaluation will generate evidence on current UNICEF endeavours to cover the needs of different groups of children to ensure the basics for a decent life. It will also examine the implications on resources, partnerships and capacity needs of this strategic positioning shift.	2023	100 000 (OR)