

Costed evaluation plan – Palestinian children and women in Jordan, Lebanon, the Syrian Arab Republic and the State of Palestine – UNICEF area programme of cooperation, March 2023–December 2025

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 Cooperation Development Framework (UNSCDF)^a</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 (month and year, or year only)</i>	<i>Anticipated cost and provisional source of funding (regular resources (RR), other resources (OR)) in United States dollars</i>
Evaluation of the action plan to prevent and respond to violence against children in the State of Palestine	UNSCDF outcome 2: Palestinians, including the most vulnerable, have equal access to sustainable, inclusive, gender-responsive and quality social services, social protection and affordable utilities Output 2.4: Improved access to protection services and social protection	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Goal Area 3 – Every child, including adolescents, is protected from violence, exploitation, abuse, neglect and harmful practices 	<p>Programme replication and scale-up</p> <p>Long periods of unevaluated programme implementation</p> <p>Programme component, with high expenditures</p>	The main purpose of the evaluation is to assess the extent to which the results of the non-violence projects in the State of Palestine are being met. The evaluation should indicate whether the non-violence projects are aligned with the national strategy and strategically positioned to enable long-term protection gains for children in the State of Palestine.	2023	100 000 OR 50 000 RR
Evaluation of the access to water supply implemented by UNICEF in West Bank/Yatta Area	UNSCDF outcome 2: Palestinians, including the most vulnerable, have equal access to sustainable, inclusive, gender-responsive and quality social services, social protection and affordable utilities Output 4.12: Strengthened systems, policies and plans for a	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Goal Area 4 – Every child, including adolescents, has access to safe and equitable water, sanitation and hygiene services and supplies, and lives in a safe and sustainable climate and environment 	Programme component, with high expenditures	The main purpose of the evaluation is to assess the relevance, efficiency, effectiveness, sustainability and impact of the water supply project implemented by UNICEF in Yatta/West Bank. The evaluation will look at lessons learned,	2023–2024	100 000 (OR)

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	more sustainable management of conventional and non-conventional water resources			best practices, areas of improvement and future strategies for the broader water sector.		
Evaluation of humanitarian action in UNICEF State of Palestine	UNSCDF outcome 2: Palestinians, including the most vulnerable, have equal access to sustainable, inclusive gender-responsive and quality social services, social protection and affordable utilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Goal Area 1 – Every child, including adolescents, survives and thrives, with access to nutritious diets, quality primary health care, nurturing practices and essential supplies • Goal Area 2 – Every child, including adolescents, learns and acquires skills for the future • Goal Area 3 – Every child, including adolescents, is protected from violence, exploitation, abuse, neglect and harmful practices • Goal Area 5 – Every child, including adolescents, has access to inclusive social protection and lives free from poverty 	<p>Programme replication and scale-up</p> <p>Long periods of unevaluated programme implementation</p> <p>Programme component, with high expenditures</p>	The main purpose of the evaluation is to assess the relevance, efficiency, effectiveness, sustainability and impact of the humanitarian response by UNICEF in the State of Palestine. The assessment will also examine the UNICEF Humanitarian Action for Children emergency response, in terms of lessons learned, best practices and areas of improvement, which will be used to inform future humanitarian programming in all UNICEF sectors and improve the connection between the development and humanitarian work of UNICEF.	2023	150 000 (OR)

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Final summative evaluation of strengthening maternal, neonatal and young child health in the Gaza Strip	UNSCDF outcome 2: Palestinians, including the most vulnerable, have equal access to sustainable, inclusive, gender-responsive and quality social services, social protection and affordable utilities Output 2.2: Improved universal access to quality health and nutrition services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Goal Area 1 – Every child, including adolescents, survives and thrives with access to nutritious diets, quality primary health care, nurturing practices and essential supplies 	<p>Programme replication and scale-up</p> <p>Long periods of unevaluated programme implementation</p> <p>Programme component, with high expenditures</p>	<p>The main purpose of the evaluation is to assess the relevance, efficiency, effectiveness, sustainability and impact of the project.</p> <p>Substantive evidence will be generated by identifying good practices and lessons learned to improve programming and to inform strategic policy and planning. The evaluation will look at lessons learned, best practices, areas of improvement and future strategies for strengthening maternal, neonatal and young child health.</p> <p>It will serve as an accountability and learning exercise and will be used for taking corrective action.</p>	2024	150 000 (OR)
Evaluation of the education programme in State of Palestine	UNSCDF outcome 2: Palestinians, including the most vulnerable, have equal access to sustainable, inclusive,	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Goal Area 2 – Every child, including adolescents, learns and acquires skills for the future 	Programme replication or scale-up	The main purpose of the evaluation is to inform decision-making on policies, development and	2025	100 000 OR 50 000 RR

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	gender-responsive and quality social services, social protection and affordable utilities Output 2.3: Improved access to inclusive, quality education and opportunities for technical and vocational training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Goal Area 3 – Every child, including adolescents, is protected from violence, exploitation, abuse, neglect and harmful practices 	<p>Long periods of unevaluated programme implementation</p> <p>Programme component, with high expenditures</p>	<p>organizational effectiveness and for programme design.</p> <p>Enhance UNICEF accountability to key stakeholders and contribute to learning and knowledge-sharing regarding the education sector and cross-cutting issues related to life skills, violence, disability and gender.</p>		
Evaluation of the cash transfer programme in the State of Palestine	UNSCDF outcome 2: Palestinians, including the most vulnerable, have equal access to sustainable, inclusive gender-responsive and quality social services, social protection and affordable utilities. Output 2.1: Institutional arrangements, legislations and basic systems are strengthened for inclusive, equitable and gender-responsive social services and social protection	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Goal Area 1 – Every child, including adolescents, survives and thrives with access to nutritious diets, quality primary health care, nurturing practices and essential supplies • Goal Area 5 – Every child, including adolescents, has access to inclusive social protection and lives free from poverty 	<p>Programme replication or scale-up</p> <p>Programme component, with high expenditures</p>	<p>The main purpose of the evaluation is to inform decision-making on policies, development and organizational effectiveness and for programme design.</p> <p>Enhance UNICEF accountability to key stakeholders and contribute to learning and knowledge-sharing cash transfer programme.</p>	2025	100 000 OR 50 000 RR
Total resources						850 000

^a The outcomes will be updated once the UNSCDF is finalized.