

## Costed evaluation plan – Burundi – UNICEF country programme of cooperation, 2024–2027

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](#)).

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Multi-year impact evaluation of the multisectoral early childhood development (ECD) package during 2024–2027	Outcomes 3 (social protection) and 4 (social services)	All Goal Areas	Programming excellence  Potential programme for replication or scale-up  Thematic area due for evaluation	The evaluation will measure the impact of the UNICEF ECD package on selected outcome variables.  The evaluation findings will be used to advocate for the adoption of ECD holistic programming by the Government as well as increased technical and financial support by partners.	2024	250 000 (RR) 300 000 (OR)
Formative evaluation of the in-school and out-of-school skills development programme	Outcome 4 (social services)	Goal Area 2	Key programme area of the new country programme document (CPD)  Strategic shift in programme approach	The CPD is adopting a new programmatic approach to skills development in order to better address the needs of children in and out of school. This formative evaluation will help in refining programme components and in adjusting programme delivery strategies and modalities.	2024	250 000 (OR)
Joint evaluation of the food system strengthening programme during 2024–2027	Outcome 1 (food systems)	Goal area 1	Key programme area of the new CPD	The CPD is adopting a new approach to combat malnutrition that will focus on strengthening food systems, in	2025	125 000 (RR) 125 000 (OR)

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			Strategic shift in programme approach  Thematic area due for evaluation	in conjunction with the World Food Programme and the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations. The evaluation findings will be critical for learning and adjusting programme delivery strategies and approaches.		
Country programme evaluation of the Government of Burundi and UNICEF Country programme of cooperation 2024–2027	All outcomes	All Goal Areas	Strategic positioning of UNICEF in Burundi  Country programme evaluation due in this programming cycle	The country programme evaluation will assess the relevance, coherence, effectiveness, efficiency and sustainability of the Burundi country programme (2024–2027). The lessons learned, good practices and innovations documented, along with the actionable recommendations, will inform the design of the new country programme and feed into the development of the new UNSDCF.	2026	250 000 (RR)
Country-led evaluation of the National Strategy to Promote Essential Family Practices during 2024 to 2027	Outcome 4 (Social Services)	All Goal Areas	Country-led evaluation  Programme sustainability and scale-up	The purpose of this evaluation is to assess the first years of implementation of the national strategy for the promotion of essential family practices, to measure, in particular, its effectiveness and make recommendations to	2027	125 000 (RR) 125 000 (OR)

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				enhance strategies and approaches.		
<b>Total resources</b>						<b>750 000 (RR) 800 000 (OR)</b>