

## Costed evaluation plan – Gabon – UNICEF country programme of cooperation, 2018–2022

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 are outlined in the revised Evaluation Policy ([E/ICEF/2013/14](#)).

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Joint evaluation of the national HIV/AIDS prevention and response strategy for adolescents	Outcome 2: All people, including the most vulnerable groups, use basic social services to improve their living conditions	Every child survives and thrives	<p>Programme replication, scale-up (innovation, pilots)</p> <p>Over the last two programme cycles (10 years) no evaluation was conducted of the UNICEF strategy to support the prevention of HIV/ AIDS among adolescents.</p> <p>United Nations agencies are supporting a variety of interventions to address HIV/AIDS among adolescents as part of the contribution to the national strategy. However, there is a limited knowledge about the effectiveness of individual's agency work and the joint United Nations response</p>	The evaluation will help to assess whether the UNICEF strategy and approach to supporting HIV/AIDS prevention and response for adolescents are relevant, efficient and effective and how it could be improved.	June 2019	50 000 (RR)
Formative evaluation of child protection system	Outcome 1: National and local institutions are more democratic and respect human rights, the economy is governed transparently, effectively and accountably, and public policy is guided by a robust statistical system	Every child is protected from violence and exploitation	<p>Long periods of unevaluated programme</p> <p>Programme replication or scale up</p> <p>There has not been any comprehensive evaluation of the UNICEF child protection programme in Gabon. This evaluation has been prioritized because child protection is currently the largest programme component, and its interventions cover the largest number of ministries and stakeholders. In addition, the programme uses a comprehensive approach ranging from community-based intervention/social change, to</p>	<p>Findings will be used to modify or consolidate the child protection programme if necessary at the start of the new cycle. There is a need to investigate and learn to what extend the comprehensive approach to child protection programming remains relevant and effective. The findings will be used to narrow the focus of UNICEF support and to trigger policy dialogue among stakeholders.</p> <p>Inform decision-making on policies, development and</p>	October 2018	80 000 (OR+RR)

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			service provision and the normative framework.	organizational effectiveness and for programme design		
Evaluation of the health sector capacity-building strategy	Outcome 2: All people, including the most vulnerable groups, use basic social services to improve their living conditions	Every child survives and thrives	<p>Long periods of unevaluated programme strategy</p> <p>Capacity development was a priority in the previous country programme and will increase in relevance during the next programme period</p> <p>System-strengthening and capacity-building is at the heart of UNICEF support to the health sector including: (a) support to social mobilization and communication activities for immunization (campaign and routine), and (b) training of health professionals on PTMCT. However, there has never been an evaluation of this work even though the total expenditure is the most important area of investment for UNICEF</p>	<p>Contribute to learning and knowledge-sharing on capacity-building approaches for health in the context of an upper-middle income country.</p> <p>Inform decision-making on organizational effectiveness and programme design.</p>	March 2021	30 000 (RR+OR)
Evaluation of social protection system performance in Gabon	Outcome 2 : All people, including the most vulnerable groups, use basic social services to improve their living conditions	Every child has an equitable chance in life	<p>Programme replication or scale-up</p> <p>This evaluation has been prioritized because UNICEF has demonstrated a comparative advantage in supporting the social protection system in Gabon. The Government is also engaged in extending the social protection floor. The evaluation will assess whether the strategy of UNICEF support is relevant, efficient and effective, and how it can be continuously improved.</p>	<p>Measure programme effectiveness and the contribution to learning and knowledge-sharing on social protection interventions. The findings will be used to position UNICEF even more strategically in support to social protection</p>	June 2020	50 000 (RR)