

## Costed evaluation plan – Mauritania – 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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Evaluation of the social inclusion component	Central and local institutions ensure more effective and transparent public policy steering and coordination.	5. Every child has an equitable chance in life.	The social inclusion component has been part of the country programme since 2009. The component could not be evaluated during the 2012–2017 cycle. Evidence is needed to define the organization, strategies and approaches that the country office must follow in order to position itself in a strategic area focused on economic and social governance.	Programme adjustment. The expected findings should contribute to organizational learning about the positioning of UNICEF on strategic issues related to economic and social governance. They will help to define the functional relationships between this and other components of the country programme.	May 2018	70 000 (RR)
Evaluation of the child protection system	Institutions, civil society and communities ensure the better protection of people against various forms of discrimination, including the vestiges of slavery, exploitation and physical, psychological and sexual violence, including in emergencies.	3. Every child is protected from violence and exploitation.	The revision of the Government's National Strategy for the Protection of Children requires strong evidence on the relevance, effectiveness and efficiency of the protection systems introduced by the strategy since 2011.	Demonstrate key achievements, best practices and lessons learned from the implementation of a systemic approach for the prevention, care and protection of at-risk children or those who are victims of violence and abuse. The evaluation will also advocate for the scaling up and sustainability of these approaches.	September 2019	150 000 (RR)

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Evaluation of the education component	Children and young people have access to quality education in formal and non-formal systems, including in emergencies.	2. Every child learns.	<p>The scale-up of community engagement promoted by the School Project (<i>Projet d'école</i>), which is based on the child-friendly school approach and supported by UNICEF Mauritania, requires an evaluation to gather evidence on relevance and effectiveness.</p> <p>The evaluation is justified by the volume of resources invested in the programme, exceeding \$10 million from all sources.</p>	<p>Programme adjustment, advocacy and policy dialogue.</p> <p>The evaluation is aimed at producing solid evidence on the results of the implementation of the child-friendly school approach in order to encourage policy dialogue and advocacy for social mobilization.</p>	October 2020	90 000 (RR/OR)
Evaluation of the community component of the infant and young children feeding strategy	Vulnerable populations have access to adequate and sustainable health and nutrition, drinking water, hygiene and basic sanitation services, including in emergencies.	1. Every child survives and thrives.	The nutrition component supports the Government in implementing the 10-year Infant and Young Child Feeding (IYCF ) Scaling-Up Plan aimed at contributing to the reduction of stunting from 21% in 2015 to 10% by 2025, according to the common results framework of the National Multisectoral Nutrition Strategy (2016–2025). The IYCF Scaling-Up Plan comprises three phases: (a) testing an integrated package of	<p>Demonstrate the main achievements in the implementation of the new strategic options guiding the community approach and advocate for the scaling-up of these approaches.</p> <p>Fine tune and reorient nutrition strategies and interventions on the basis of evidence and lessons learned from the evaluation.</p>	April 2021	130 000 (OR)

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			<p>services based upon the life-cycle approach; (b) progressively extending services in three different pools of regions, prioritized according to poverty rate and stunting prevalence; (c) consolidation and documentation.</p> <p>The evaluation will produce evidence on the results achieved by the approach in first phase of the plan.</p>			
<b>Total</b>						<b>440 000</b>