PART 1: Overview of centralized and decentralized evaluations
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Country strategic plan evaluations

WFP presence

Country Strategic Plan Evaluations ongoing in 2019

Country Strategic Plan Evaluations planned for 2020
## Evaluations of emergency responses

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## Evaluation syntheses

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Impact evaluation windows

Cash-based transfer modality and gender equitable and women’s empowerment outcomes (new start in 2019)

Climate change and resilience (new start in 2019)

School-based programming window (new start in 2020)
## Joint evaluations and activities

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Numbers of country offices with completed or ongoing decentralized evaluations by region (2016-2019)

- Total Number of Countries
- Countries which have completed at least one DE since 2016
- Countries which have not yet completed a DE, but have at least one DE ongoing/under preparation
PART 2: Progress report on WFP’s evaluation function in 2019
Major developments

- Change management process
- CSP evaluation approach
- Resourcing the evaluation function
- Research and Analytics
- Evaluation capacity development
- Impact Evaluation
- Staffing of the evaluation function
Key Performance Indicators (i)

**EVALUATION COVERAGE**

- **active policies**
  - 2019: 56%
  - 2018: N/A
  - 2017: N/A
  - 2016: N/A

- **active policies**
  - within 4 to 6 years of implementation start
  - 2019: 34%
  - 2018: N/A
  - 2017: N/A
  - 2016: N/A

- **country strategic plans due for evaluation**
  - 2019: 0%
  - 2018: N/A
  - 2017: N/A
  - 2016: N/A

- **WFP 10 largest country portfolios covered by a CPE in previous 5 years**
  - 2019: N/A
  - 2018: N/A
  - 2017: N/A
  - 2016: N/A

- **WFP country portfolios (10 largest excluded) covered by a CPE in previous 10 years**
  - 2019: N/A
  - 2018: N/A
  - 2017: N/A
  - 2016: N/A

- **ongoing emergency responses evaluated within the previous 4 years**
  - 2019: 39%
  - 2018: N/A
  - 2017: N/A
  - 2016: N/A

- **country offices that have completed at least 1 decentralized evaluation in the previous 3 years**
  - 2019: 46%
  - 2018: N/A
  - 2017: N/A
  - 2016: N/A

- **country offices that have completed at least 1 decentralized evaluation in their current ICSP/CSP cycle**
  - 2019: 30%
  - 2018: N/A
  - 2017: N/A
  - 2016: N/A
Key Performance Indicators (ii)

**Evaluation Quality**

- Evaluation reports rated in PHQA as “meeting requirements” or higher
  - 67% in 2016
  - 80% in 2017
  - 78% in 2019
  - 90% in 2018

**Evaluation Use**

- Implementation status of due actions in evaluation recommendations
  - 66% in 2016
  - 80% in 2017
  - 80% in 2018
  - 64% in 2019

**Evaluation Partnerships**

- Joint and inter-agency humanitarian evaluations in which WFP participated
  - 1 in 2016
  - 3 in 2017
  - 5 in 2018
  - 4 in 2019
Strengthening evaluation partnerships
Strengthening national evaluation capacity
Expenditure on evaluation as a percentage of WFP total contribution income
PART 3: Outlook for WFP’s evaluation function
Key priorities (i)

1) Independent, credible and useful centralized and decentralized evaluations

- Ensure cutting-edge evaluation quality assurance system
- Continue to enhance approaches to support the use of evaluations

2) Appropriate centralized and decentralized evaluation coverage

- Continue expansion of the programme of work for centralized evaluations with coordinated planning
- Continue the development of a sustainable funding mechanisms throughout WFP
Key priorities (ii)

3) Adequate evaluation management capacity across WFP

- Implement the corporate evaluation capacity development strategy
- Continue the development of cadre of evaluation professionals
- Increase the number of evaluation service providers

4) Active evaluation partnerships in international arena

- Continue to share evaluation experience and engage actively in the development of system-wide evaluations, including UNSDCF evaluations
- Contribute to global and regional initiatives to enhance evaluation capabilities and promote evaluation use