Strategic Plans, 2022-2025
UNDP, UNFPA, UNICEF, UNOPS, UN-Women

Joint Workshop
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Transformation of approach to collaboration with UNDS entities for SDGs achievement

Need for expanded strategic partnerships and increased collaboration among UNDS entities to attain SDGs

Formal mechanisms UNSDCF, partnership frameworks and joint programmes, etc., as well as informal arrangements
Examples of Collaboration with UNDS Entities for SDGs Achievement

**UNDP, UNFPA, UNICEF, UN-Women, OHCHR, OSRSG-SVC, SRSG-VAC, UNHCR, and WHO**

- **Protection from violence and exploitation**

**UNDP, UNICEF, UN-Women, UNFPA, UNEP, UNESCO, UN-Habitat, WFP, and WHO**

- **Disaster risk reduction and environment sustainability**

**UNDP, UNICEF, UN-Women and OHCHR**

- **Various initiatives to Leave No One Behind**

*UNOPS can provide non-programmatic implementation support across SDGs.*

**UNDP, UNICEF, FAO, WB, WFP, and WHO**

- **Nutrition-related joint programmes**

**UNDP, UNFPA, UNICEF, UN-Women, UNAIDS, WB, and WHO**

- **Health-related joint programmes**

**UNICEF, UN-Women, UNFPA, ECW, GPE, ILO, UNESCO, and UNHCR**

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Substantive Area: Gender Equality

Why

• A prerequisite for achieving SDGs
• Requires a whole-of-UN system and society response
• Most prominent area of collaboration
• Disproportionate impact of COVID-19 on women and girls

How

• Integrated approaches
• Coherent action to strengthen gender results with broader range of partners
• Strengthening gender analysis in CCA and ToC for UNSDCF

Further improvement

• Complementary/shared gender results and indicators (UN-SWAP)
• Scale-up joint programmes and initiatives
• Increase financing for gender equality

Other key actors within UN system: FAO, ILO, OHCHR, UN DESA, UN-Habitat, UNHCR, UNODC, WB and WHO, etc.
Substantive Area: Climate Change

Why

- Ever-growing threats to health, jobs and safety of people, especially vulnerable groups
- Recovery must provide a pathway to a greener and more resilient society

How

- Upstream focus to build preparedness and risk-management
- Clearly defined, actionable and measurable resilience agenda
- Address systems strengthening and community resilience

Further improvement

- Advance green recovery pathways
- Integrate climate risks into national and sub-national development planning
- Prioritize leaving no one behind in climate actions

Other key actors within UN system: UNDRR, UNEP, UNESCO, UN-Habitat, WFP, and WHO
Substantive Area: Data for development

Why

• Localization of the SDGs
• Leave no one behind
• Large gap between demand for and supply of timely, reliable data, aggravated in times of COVID-19

How

• Promote the uptake of globally-agreed principles, standards and good practices
• Integrate efforts in national capacity building for data disaggregation, collection and utilization

Further improvement

• Accelerate efforts to apply new data sources
• Scaling up innovations in crises (e.g. COVID-19)
• Community-level engagement to count and support the furthest behind

Other key UN actors within UN system:
Regional Commissions, UN DESA, and WB
Increasing programmatic coherence and coordination
• Strengthening existing partnership frameworks
• Identification of entities critical to accelerate progress towards the SDGs
• Building on the collaborative programmatic momentum of developing SPs at the same time and good practices of the current SPs
• Engaging a wide range of other UNDS actors, with intentional investment at all levels on implementation of UN Reform
• Ensuring QCPR resolution informs respective SP development
• Reflecting the full range of programmatic collaborations across UN system in the respective SP and Results Frameworks
• Developing shared programmatic results and approaches to certain areas (e.g. climate change, data, gender, COVID-19)
SP Development: Opportunity for Synergies within UNDS

- Regular joint programmatic consultations with the Executive Boards
- Use of SparkBlue for engagement
- Joint consultation with Resident Coordinators
- Technical-level coordination

- Harmonized principles for setting SP baselines, milestones and targets
- Methodology for progress rates

- Strategies, programmatic approaches, and partnerships to accelerate SDGs
- Joint programmatic results based on collaborative advantages
- Learning together and from each other

Process Harmonization
Methodological Harmonization
Harmonized Analysis
Joint Global Consultations on the Strategic Plans 2022-2025

- Joint consultation with RCs in partnership with DCO
- Gather inputs on specific programmatic areas of shared interest to feed into the Strategic Plans
- Leverage the comparative strengths, expertise and resources of the four agencies on a joint platform