

Management Response to Joint Inspection Unit Reports

For the year ended 31 December 2020



Overview

UN Women is pleased to present a status report on the implementation of recommendations issued for action through Joint Inspection Unit (JIU) reports for the year ended 31 December 2020 as well as prior years' recommendations

Complete responses can be accessed through the JIU Follow Up System at <https://fus.unjiu.org>

JIU Reports (2020)

Document Reference	Report Title
<u>JIU/REP/2019/9</u>	Review of contemporary practices in the external outsourcing of services to commercial service providers by United Nations system organizations
<u>JIU/REP/2020/1</u>	Review of the state of the investigation function: progress made in the United Nations system organizations in strengthening the investigation function
<u>JIU/REP/2020/2</u>	Policies and platforms in support of learning: towards more coherence, coordination and convergence
<u>JIU/REP/2020/3</u>	Common premises in the United Nations system: current practices and future prospects
<u>JIU/REP/2020/5</u>	Enterprise risk management: approaches and uses in United Nations system organizations
<u>JIU/REP/2020/6</u>	Multilingualism in the United Nations system

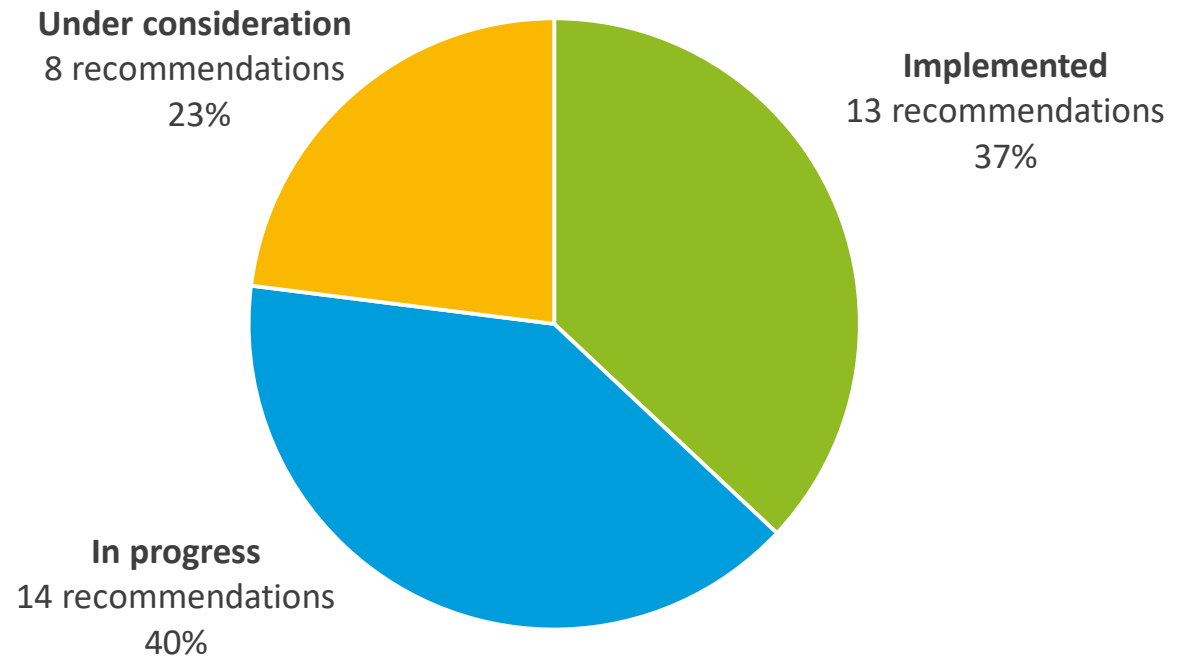
37 recommendations assigned to UN Women for action
of which UN Women accepted 35 recommendations as relevant

23 recommendations (66%)
 assigned to **Executive Head**

12 recommendations (34%)
 assigned to **Governing Body**

Summary of Recommendations (2020)

Status of accepted recommendations



Summary of Recommendations (2012-2019)

Update on prior years' acceptance and implementation

Acceptance

- **80% accepted**
- 9% not relevant
- 7% under consideration
- 4% not accepted

*Compared to **69% accepted** across
all Participating Organizations*

Implementation

- **89% implemented**
- 11% in progress

*Compared to **79% implemented** across
all Participating Organizations*

Summary of system-wide ongoing and forthcoming reports

Cybersecurity in the United Nations system organizations: a review of policies and practices

Comprehensive review of United Nations system support for the landlocked developing countries

Current state of the ethics functions in the United Nations system

Review of policies, measures, mechanisms and practices to prevent and address racism and racial discrimination in the United Nations system

Review of business continuity policies and practices in United Nations system organizations

Review of the management of implementing partners in organizations of the United Nations system

Review of the internal pre-tribunal stage appeal mechanisms available to staff members in the United Nations system organizations

Review of accountability frameworks in the United Nations system organizations
