

UN Women GERAAS Executive Review Template

Overall Report Rating	Very Good	Good	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory
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Title of the Evaluation Report	UN Women Kenya Country Office Strategic Note Mid-Term Evaluation				
Report sequence number	0	Date of Review	01 February 2018	Year of the Evaluation Report	2017
Region	Eastern and Southern Africa		Country(ies)	Kenya	
Executive Summary in Final Report	Fully		TORs sent with Report	Yes	
OVERALL RATING			Overall Rating	Good	
Executive Feedback on Overall Rating	This is a robust MTE, which focuses most of the analysis and evidence on examining effectiveness; and it does so using a gender-aware process and set of methods. The resulting recommendations are clearly grounded in the evidence presented.				
PARAMETER 1: OBJECT AND CONTEXT OF THE EVALUATION			PARAMETER 1	Satisfactory	
Executive Feedback on Parameter 2	The opening introduction is primary focused on the background of the evaluation itself, and it provides very little information on the national contextual setting of the object. However, the institutional context and the theory of change are both strongly addressed.				
PARAMETER 2: PURPOSE, OBJECTIVES AND SCOPE			PARAMETER 2	Very Good	
Executive Feedback on Parameter 2	Purpose and scope are all well covered. The criteria are listed as the standard UNEG criteria, and the absence of impact is justified.				
PARAMETER 3: METHODOLOGY			PARAMETER 3	Good	
Executive Feedback on Parameter 3	The design and methods are comprehensive and appropriate to the purpose. The sampling technique is well defined; it could be strengthened even further with the inclusion of the sampling frame in the annexes.				
PARAMETER 4: FINDINGS			PARAMETER 4	Good	
Executive Feedback on Parameter 4	The findings vary in the level of evidence and analysis that is presented. Effectiveness is the most comprehensive criterion to be addressed, with evidence marshalled in tables to support the evaluative judgements being made. Relevance, efficiency and sustainability criteria are less transparent in the source of data; and there seems to be few lines of evidence.				
PARAMETER 5: CONCLUSIONS AND LESSONS LEARNED			PARAMETER 5	Good	
Executive Feedback on Parameter 5	The conclusions are substantive and comprehensively rooted in the findings. On one or two occasions, they stray into reading as a recommendation, but this does not detract from the deeper insight and analysis that is provided by the section. Lessons learned are not presented.				
PARAMETER 6: RECOMMENDATIONS			PARAMETER 6	Good	
Executive Feedback on PARAMETER 6	There are 16 recommendations of varying length and complexity, all of which are included as programming-related recommendations. In most cases, the target of the recommendation is UN Women. While good detail is provided in most cases, the report would benefit from clearer examination of the priorities and implications of the recommendations aimed at UN Women.				
PARAMETER 7: GENDER AND HUMAN RIGHTS			PARAMETER 7	Exceeds Requirements	

<p>Executive Feedback on PARAMETER 7</p>	<p>Gender is included in one of the objectives and broadly in the scope fo the evaluation; with specific reference to women as rights holders in the evaluatio indicators. Gender included in the questions for some of the standard OECD-DAC criteria, especially relevance and effectiveness. There is not explicit reference under efficiency. The evaluation mixes qualitative and quantified approaches to examine gender perspective from multiple viewpoints; the limitations described by the report exhibit a high level of gender awareness. The findings sectoin systematically addresses GEEW; the conclusions and recommendations extend this by addressing the structure and social norms within which the work supported by UN-Women is taking place.</p>		
<p>PARAMETER 8: THE REPORT STRUCTURE</p>		<p>PARAMETER 8</p>	<p>Very Good</p>
<p>Executive Feedback on PARAMETER 8</p>	<p>A comprehensive report that fully meets UNEG requirements.</p>		