

Costed Evaluation Plan: Costa Rica						
Programme cycle	VI Programme Cycle, 2023-2027					
Evidence utilized in the design of the costed plan	UNFPA of SRH Thematic evaluation (2018-2022), UNDAF Evaluation (2018-2022), UNCT self-assessment to socio economy response plan amidst the pandemic (2021), Evaluation Handbook: How to Design and Conduct a Country Programme Evaluation at UNFPA (2019).					
CP areas	UNFPA SP outcomes 1, 2 and 3; UNSDCF outcomes 1.1, 1.2, 2.1, 2.2, 3.1, 4.1; UNFPA outputs 1, 2, 3 y 4.					
Evaluations						
Exercise title and type	Purpose of the Exercise	Start and end date (Month, Year)	Estimated Cost \$	Source of Funding	Key partners when conducting the exercise	Is it a joint exercise?
Country Programme Evaluation (CPE) 2023-2027	Provide an independent assessment of the relevance, effectiveness, efficiency and sustainability of UNFPA support and progress towards the expected outputs and outcomes set forth in the results framework of the VI Country Programme, including in humanitarian settings. Identify best achievements against objectives, best practices, challenges, and lessons learned in the course of the implementation, and recommend measures to improve the next Country Programme.	February – October 2026	40,000	Regular resources	Government, NGOs, professional associations, academic institutions, other United Nations Agencies.	No
UNSDCF 2023-2027 Final Evaluation	Provide an independent assessment of relevance, effectiveness, efficiency, sustainability, coherence and coordination of UNCT support and progress towards the expected outcomes set forth in the UN results framework. Identify best achievements against objectives, best practices, challenges, and lessons learned in the course of the implementation of UNSDCF and recommend measures to improve the next UNSDCF.	February - October 2026	5,000 (UNFPA)	Regular resources	Government, NGOs, academic institutions, other United Nations Agencies.	Yes, with the UN System
Evaluation activities						

Strengthening internal evaluation capacities	Capacity building of the CO in RBM with emphasis in monitoring and evaluation and in preparation for the CPE process. Staff attendance to meetings / workshops organized by UNCT M&E task forces, regional evaluation groups or UNEG	Continuous (yearly activities)	2,000	Regular resources and regional learning funds	UNCT/LACRO	No
Strengthening external evaluation capacities	Capacity building of national partners to monitor, evaluate and report progress towards SDG (VNR), Nairobi commitments ICPD25, ICPD Programme of Action and Montevideo Consensus.	2023-2026	3,000	Regular resources	Government, NGOs, academia	No