Costed Evaluation Plan : Equatorial Guinea							
Programme Title:	Equatorial Guinea Country Programme						
Programme Cycle:	8 <sup>th</sup> Programme Cycle 2024 - 2028						
Evidence utilized in the design of the costed evaluation plan	The costed evaluation plan for the Country Program will build on a number of reviews and evaluations conducted during the 7th Country Program period, including:						
evaluation plan	• The evaluation of the 7 <sup>th</sup> Country Program conducted in 2022 to assess the relevance, effectiveness, efficiency, and sustainability of the program. The evaluation provided several strategic and programmatic recommendations that will inform the development of the 8 <sup>th</sup> Country Programme Document, as well as the costed evaluation plan. This plan incorporates an evaluability assessment to address the recommendations to strengthen outcome measurement of UNFPA interventions.						
	<ul> <li>Preliminary findings and recommendations from the final evaluation of the UNSDCF (2019 - 2023) in which UNFPA actively participated as Evaluation Manager and supported and coordinated the contribution of the Reference Group members. The outcome and findings of the CPE informed the development of the 8<sup>th</sup> Country Programme Document as well as the UNSDCF (2024-2028).</li> </ul>						
	• The 8 <sup>th</sup> Country Programme Document and its costed evaluation plan took into account the findings and recommendations of global evaluations, such as the Evaluation of UNFPA Support to Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment (2012 – 2020), Developmental Evaluation of Results-Based Management in UNFPA (2019) and the Formative evaluation of the UNFPA engagement in the reform of the United Nations development system (2022).						
	• As part of RBM within the organization, including RBM seal, Equatorial Guinea Country Office will actively participate in the implementation of organization-wide initiatives to improve evaluation culture and practices.						
	• The Equatorial Guinea costed evaluation plan also takes into account the guidance provided in UNFPA 2022-2025 budgeted four-year evaluation plan.						
CP areas	The 8 <sup>th</sup> Country Program will cover the 3 interconnected Results and Data and will contribute to UNFPA Strategic Plan Outputs (2022-2025).						

Evaluation Title	Purpose of the Evaluation	Timeline (Month, Year)	Estimated Cost	Source of Funding	Key Evaluation Partners	Is this a joint exercis e		
Final evaluation of the UNSDCF (2024- 2028)	Assess the relevance, effectiveness, efficiency, sustainability and added value of the UNSDCF at country level to inform the next UNSDCF 9 <sup>th</sup> (2029-2033).	April-July 2027	\$ 5,000	Regular Resource (FPA90)	Government, UN Agencies, Civil Society Organizations, Partners, Academia	Yes		
Evaluative Activities (not Evaluation)								
Capacity building of staff and Implementing partners in RBM, project management and evaluation	Foster enabling environment for the use of evaluation & monitoring tools and build the culture of accountability among the implementing partners and staff	2024-2028 (continuous)	\$ 5,000	Regular Resource s (FPA90)	WCARO	No		
TOTAL			\$ 10,000					