

ProjectTitle	Project Code	ProjectGroup	ProjectType	ProjectLocation	ProjCustTextValue 1	ProjectActStartDate	ProjectActIssueDate	IssueTitle	IssueFinding	IssueCategory	IssueUserCategory3	RecommendationTitle	RecommendationText	EstimatedImpDate
Eswatini Country Programme Evaluation (2021-2025)	2025	Eswatini CO	Country Programme Evaluation (CPE)	ESA	2021-2025	1/1/21	5/30/24	1. Enhancement of inclusion of marginalized populations (e.g., youth, women with disabilities) in the design of the 8th Country Programme (CP) through participatory consultations and strategic partnerships.	1. Enhance Inclusion through Participatory Design: Prioritize the inclusion of marginalized populations (e.g., youth, women with disabilities) in the design of the 8th Country Programme (CP) through participatory consultations and strategic partnerships.	Accepted	High	Prioritization of the inclusion of left behind populations in the implementation of the 8th Country Programme	Identify left behind populations and prioritize them in the implementation of the 8th Country Programme by 2026 through their involvement in quarterly review, annual planning and targeted disability inclusion activities to be implemented with organizations representing marginalized populations.	12/31/2026
Eswatini Country Programme Evaluation (2021-2025)	2025	Eswatini CO	Country Programme Evaluation (CPE)	ESA	2021-2025	1/1/21	5/30/24	2. Strengthening of Strategic Partnerships with Private sector, community, political and religious leaders for implementing integrated SRHR, youth empowerment, GBV prevention.	2. Strengthen Strategic Partnerships: Expand partnerships with Private sector, community, and religious leaders, and implement targeted and evidence-based interventions for integrated SRHR, youth empowerment, GBV prevention. The CO should also form strategic partnerships with political leadership at central and community levels to promote and strengthen youth empowerment, gender empowerment and rights for all.	Accepted	High	Strategic Partnerships established with Parliament, Private Sector, Media, Academia and expanded in the delivery of the 8th CP by 2027	Establish Strategic Partnerships with Parliament, Private Sector, Media, Academia and expanded in the delivery of the 8th CP by 2027 by convening strategic engagement meetings and formalize the partnerships.	12/31/2027
Eswatini Country Programme Evaluation (2021-2025)	2025	Eswatini CO	Country Programme Evaluation (CPE)	ESA	2021-2025	1/1/21	5/30/24	3. Adaptation to Evolving Development Contexts to align programming with emerging opportunities and threats.	3. Adapt to Evolving Development Contexts: UNFPA should position itself strategically and leverage on Delivery as One with other UN agencies and the private sector, strengthen to address inequalities and funding gaps. Conduct regular environmental scans to align programming with emerging opportunities and threats.	Accepted	High	UNFPA is well positioned and continues to engage with other UN agencies as part of Delivering as One in joint resource mobilization initiatives.	UNFPA will identify and position itself in delivering on the UNSDCF 2026-2030 in thematic areas related to the UNFPA mandate.	12/31/2026
Eswatini Country Programme Evaluation (2021-2025)	2025	Eswatini CO	Country Programme Evaluation (CPE)	ESA	2021-2025	1/1/21	5/30/24	4. Prioritization of Evidence-Informed and High-Impact Interventions for integrating population issues in development plans and programmes and strengthen documentation of best practices.	4. Prioritize Evidence-Informed and High-Impact Interventions: Focus on high-impact, evidence-based strategies targeting hard-to-reach communities. Continue advocacy for integrating population issues in development plans and programmes and strengthen documentation of best practices.	Accepted	High	Prioritise evidence-based and high impact interventions for the CPD target populations	Generate evidence to tailor actions that address inequalities and monitor the impact of megatrends on family planning, maternal health, HIV and GBV by 2027.	12/31/2027
Eswatini Country Programme Evaluation (2021-2025)	2025	Eswatini CO	Country Programme Evaluation (CPE)	ESA	2021-2025	1/1/21	5/30/24	5. Improving Monitoring and Evaluation Systems through the development and implementation a robust M&E system to provide disaggregated, real-time data to inform programming.	5. Improve Monitoring and Evaluation Systems: Develop and implement a robust M&E system to provide disaggregated, real-time data to inform programming. The CO should leverage its support to the CSO and UNCT and influence the scheduling and financing of national surveys.	Accepted	High	Improve Monitoring and Evaluation Systems.	Develop and implement a robust M&E system including an M&E framework and tools to inform programming and to track progress on SDGs by 2027.	12/31/2027
Eswatini Country Programme Evaluation (2021-2025)	2025	Eswatini CO	Country Programme Evaluation (CPE)	ESA	2021-2025	1/1/21	5/30/24	6. Investment in systems building to support capacity of MoH to deliver key SRH interventions to ensure inclusion of marginalised populations	6. The 8th CP's SRHR component should invest in systems building to support capacity MoH to deliver key SRH interventions. The 8th CP should also prioritise integrated programming to ensure inclusion of marginalised populations such as women with disability and teenage mothers: CO should build the capacity of ministries and IPs to strengthen key systems that are embedded in UNFPA programming.	Accepted	High	Prioritization of the inclusion of left behind populations in the implementation of the 8th Country Programme	Inclusion of left behind populations will be prioritized in the implementation of the 8th Country Programme by 2026 through their involvement in quarterly review, annual planning and targeted disability inclusion activities to be implemented with organizations representing marginalized populations.	12/31/2026
Eswatini Country Programme Evaluation (2021-2025)	2025	Eswatini CO	Country Programme Evaluation (CPE)	ESA	2021-2025	1/1/21	5/30/24	7. Prioritization of interventions to address the risk drivers of early sexual debut, sexual risk and teenage pregnancy and unmet need for FP among young people.	7. The 8th CP should prioritize interventions to address the risk drivers of early sexual debut, sexual risk and teenage pregnancy. The next CP should also address the unmet need for FP by advocating for contraception models that are more acceptable to young people, including community-based distribution using peers. The next CP should prioritize advocacy and interventions for SRH self-care among young people.	Accepted	High	Leverage on innovative digital solutions to expand access to integrated SRHR information and high-quality services to address the drivers of early sexual debut and unmet need for family planning among young people.	Expand access to integrated SRHR information and high-quality services through leveraging on innovative digital solutions to ensure that young people are equipped with knowledge to make informed decisions that seek to address risks of early sexual debut and unmet need for family planning among young people by 2027.	12/31/2027

Eswatini Country Programme Evaluation (2021-2025)	2025	Eswatini CO	Country Programme Evaluation (CPE)	ESA	2021-2025	1/1/21	5/30/24	8. Rolling out of transformative approaches in GBV for gender equality and ending GBV.	8. The 8th CP should roll out transformative approaches in GBV; UNFPA should advocate for gender transformative approaches for gender equality and ending GBV.	Accepted	High	Map out GBV drivers in targeted communities	Conduct an assessment on the prevailing drivers and social norms that drive GBV and hinder women and girls' SRHR/HIV/GBV service uptake for targeted interventions and community engagement working with traditional leaders, influencers and community groups to promote gender equality by 2027.	12/31/2027
Eswatini Country Programme Evaluation (2021-2025)	2025	Eswatini CO	Country Programme Evaluation (CPE)	ESA	2021-2025	1/1/21	5/30/24	9. Support for the roll out interventions in the National Strategy to End Violence.	9. The 8th CP should advocate that the government roll out all interventions in the National Strategy to End Violence, with a strong focus on prevention, empowering duty bearers to respond, and rehabilitative support for offenders; CO should provide technical support to conduct research through collaboration with Universities, NGOs, FBOs, and CBOs.	Accepted	High	The programme will support the government in the implementation of priority interventions in the National Strategy to End Violence by 2027	Support the government in the implementation of priority interventions in the National Strategy to End Violence by 2027	12/31/2027
Eswatini Country Programme Evaluation (2021-2025)	2025	Eswatini CO	Country Programme Evaluation (CPE)	ESA	2021-2025	1/1/21	5/30/24	10. Systematically incorporate activities aimed at disability inclusion in all areas of operation SRH, AY and GBV.	10. The 8th CP needs to systematically incorporate specific and target activities aimed at disability inclusion in all areas of operation SRH, AY and GBV. UNFPA should consider enhancing partnership with organizations of persons with disabilities; Technical implication - the CO to continue providing guidance on enhancing partnership with organizations of persons with disabilities and specialized stakeholders to ensure issues of disability are comprehensively dealt within the programme.	Accepted	High	Prioritization of the inclusion of left behind populations in the implementation of the 8th Country Programme	Inclusion of left behind populations will be prioritized in the implementation of the 8th Country Programme by 2026 through their involvement in quarterly review, annual planning and targeted disability inclusion activities to be implemented with organizations representing marginalized populations.	12/31/2026
Eswatini Country Programme Evaluation (2021-2025)	2025	Eswatini CO	Country Programme Evaluation (CPE)	ESA	2021-2025	1/1/21	5/30/24	11. UNFPA should lead in areas of comparative advantage within the UN Cooperation Framework	11. UNFPA should continue to lead in areas of comparative advantage within the UN Cooperation Framework and advocate for continuous capacity building to improve evidence-based policies and interventions' development for both GoE and UNCT; Given the capacity within UNFPA on Data collection and analysis and development of policy briefs, UNFPA should continue to liaise with other UN agencies to provide technical advice on data utilization for decision making, management requirements, data coordination and utilization issues.	Accepted	High	Capacity building to improve evidence-based policies and interventions' development for both GoE and UNCT	Conduct capacity building for GoE planners and Central Statistical Office on data collection, analysis and use to improve real-time data generation and evidence-based planning and programming.	12/31/2026
Eswatini Country Programme Evaluation (2021-2025)	2025	Eswatini CO	Country Programme Evaluation (CPE)	ESA	2021-2025	1/1/21	5/30/24	12. Conceptualization of innovative modalities and strategies with strong operations research in designing best approaches to enhance ASRH and youth empowerment.	12. The 8th CP should conceptualise innovative modalities and implement strategies with strong operations research; The next CP should also explore options to reach more out of school with LSE. CO should provide technical leadership in designing best approaches to enhance ASRH and youth empowerment and operationalise South-to-South Learning.	Accepted	High	Design and implement innovative modalities and strategies to enhance ASRH and youth empowerment.	Design innovative approaches to enhance ASRH and youth empowerment and operationalise South-to-South Learning	12/31/2026
Eswatini Country Programme Evaluation (2021-2025)	2025	Eswatini CO	Country Programme Evaluation (CPE)	ESA	2021-2025	1/1/21	5/30/24	13. Identification of local and geopolitical risks and threats, development of a robust mitigation plan that encompasses contingency and humanitarian support.	13. The 8th CP must continue to identify local and geopolitical risks and threats, develop a robust mitigation plan that encompasses contingency and humanitarian support. The CO needs to source technical skills on humanitarian response and integration of SRH, FP, GBV and inclusion to assess the country situation and advise the CO on the adoption of international standards.	Accepted	High	Conduct environmental scanning to identify local and geopolitical risks and threats, develop a robust mitigation plan that encompasses contingency and humanitarian support	Conduct environmental scanning to identify local and geopolitical risks and threats, develop a robust mitigation plan that encompasses contingency and humanitarian support. Conduct a needs assessment review to identify gaps and needs required to support humanitarian response interventions addressing GBV and SRHR including the adoption of international standards.	12/31/2026