

**UNDP Evaluation Management Response Plan Template
Final Evaluation of Partnering Against Violent Extremism (PAVE)**

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Overall comments: Based on the findings, lessons learned, and conclusion presented by the PAVE final evaluation report, the CO management response plan drafted to address the evaluation recommendations, which can help in formulating the perceived similar future interventions. The envisaged actions plan has been extracted directly from the evaluation report, which in support of the implementation of the future similar interventions related to partnering against violent extremism (PAVE).

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| <p>Evaluation Recommendation or Issue 1: Research Repository: To mitigate the risks resulting from the fluidity of Sudan’s current status, it is encouraged to developing an ongoing research repository on the intersectionality of political, economic and social structures and VE, preferably by onboarding research institutions. Key research areas should include the impacts on VE of COVID-19 and the 2020 Juba Agreement for Peace in Sudan.</p> | | | | | | |
| <p>Management Response: Programme management agreed to establish a research repository including media information</p> | | | | | | |
| <p>Key Action(s) Establish wider research repository including media information</p> | <p>Time Frame</p> | <p>Responsible Unit(s)/Portfolios</p> | <p>Tracking*</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td data-bbox="1541 1089 1806 1343"> <p>Status Initiated/or it will be initiated/or ongoing/or completed/or No longer applicable.</p> </td> <td data-bbox="1806 1089 2011 1343"> <p>Comments</p> </td> </tr> </table> | | <p>Status Initiated/or it will be initiated/or ongoing/or completed/or No longer applicable.</p> | <p>Comments</p> |
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| Description activities, then specifics as needed: 1.1 Continuous desk review of existing research | December 2022 | Peace Building and Stabilization Portfolio, Sudan National Commission for Counter Terrorism (SNCCT), civil society, academia, private sector | Status Ongoing | |
| 1.2 Introduce media and social media research repository 1.3 Reviewing existing knowledge on online radicalization and counternarrative approaches to establish a baseline and inform the project implementation (link this to the AI pilot) | | Sudan National Commission for Counter Terrorism (SNCCT) Implementing Partner (Search for Common Ground) | Ongoing | |
| Evaluation Recommendation or Issue 2: “Do no harm” compliance: It is recommended that an assessment of forms and understanding of VE within communities is conducted prior to the screening of the movie IMAN to ensure that it aligns with the needs and sentiments of the community. | | | ongoing | |
| Management Response: It is agreed to hold a wider consultation with key stakeholders at community level | | | To be initiated | |
| Key Action(s) Consultations with key stakeholders at community level | Time Frame | Responsible Unit(s) | Tracking | |
| Description activities, then specifics as needed. 2.1 Identify key stakeholders relevant to interventions (religious leaders, CMCs, IPs and others as relevant) | December 2022 | Peace Building and Stabilization Portfolio, Sudan National Commission for Counter Terrorism (SNCCT), civil society, academia, | Ongoing | Comments |

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| | | private sector , Ministry of Religious affairs | | |
| 2.2 Consult through a pre-established format and act upon recommendations | | | Ongoing | |
| 2.3 Facilitate interfaith dialogue platforms to identify new forms of engagement to reach out to youth and audience at risk of radicalization (this could be during the screening of our advocacy film IMAN) | | Sudan National Commission for Counter Terrorism (SNCCT) Implementing Partners | To be initiated | |
| 2.4 establishment of Radicalisation Awareness Network (this could be in coordination with the National Group) | | Sudan National Commission for Counter Terrorism (SNCCT) Civil society (national group) , academia | To be initiated | |
| Evaluation Recommendation or Issue 3: Knowledge Hub: Developing a knowledge hub accessible to all will strengthen the institutional documentation of VE in Sudan as well as the research and communication components of the project. It includes research, dissemination and application of learnings. | | | To be initiated | |
| Management Response: It is agreed to integrate VE analysis (trends, contextual development and analysis of stakeholders) into country conflict analysis | | | To be initiated | |
| Key Action(s) Integrate VE analysis (trends, contextual development and analysis of stakeholders) into country conflict analysis | Time Frame | Responsible Unit(s) | Tracking | |
| | | | To be initiated | Comments |
| Description activities, then specifics as needed: 3.1 Explore integrating indicators into CRD 3.2 Work closely with colleagues from the Peace team to reach common analysis and set of contextual indicators | December 2022 | Peace Building and Stabilization Portfolio, M&E Team, | To be initiated | |
| Evaluation Recommendation or Issue 4: Strategic Communication: Diverse communication assets i.e. reports, key | | Peace Building and Stabilization Portfolio, | Ongoing | |

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| messages, research, etc. should be created and disseminated to all stakeholders regularly through different channels. Mitigation Measures: Development of risk mitigation measures in general and COVID19- measures specifically which can be shared with the stakeholders, i.e. national partners, implementing partners and Donors, will enhance confidence, capacity, and resilience in the PAVE. | | Sudan National Commission for Counter Terrorism (SNCCT), civil society, academia, private sector | | |
| Management Response Evaluation: Programme management agreed to update communication strategy and stakeholder analysis for the project. | | | To be initiated | |
| Key Action(s) Update communication strategy and stakeholder analysis for the project | Time Frame | Responsible Unit(s) | Tracking | |
| | | | To be initiated | Comments |
| Description activities, then specifics as needed: 4.1 Analysis of stakeholders in current juncture | December 2022 | Peace Building and Stabilization Portfolio, Sudan National Commission for Counter Terrorism (SNCCT), civil society, academia, private sector | Ongoing | |
| 4.2 Adaptation of communications strategy and communication plans accordingly and in line with context development and new programme priorities | December 2021 | | To be initiated | |
| Evaluation Recommendation or Issue 5: Women and Gender The evaluation reflects that a gender sensitive and inclusive methodology was adopted by the Project, i.e. Soap making workshop is an outlier approach since it allowed women with skill, economic empowerment without interfering with their family and households duties. | | | Ongoing | |
| Management Response Evaluation: Programme management agreed to build and expand on previous interventions. | | | Ongoing | |

| Key Action(s) Build and expand on previous interventions | Time Frame | Responsible Unit(s) | Tracking | |
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| Description activities, then specifics as needed: 5.1 Expand women`s participation across all activities | December 2022 | Peace Building and Stabilization Portfolio, Sudan National Commission for Counter Terrorism (SNCCT), civil society, academia, private sector. | Ongoing | |
| 5.2 Conduct additional analysis on trends related to women`s roles in VE and PVE based on research, peacebuilding assessments and conflict and political analysis | | Sudan National Commission for Counter Terrorism (SNCCT) Civil society, academia. | To be initiated | |
| Evaluation Recommendation or Issue 6: People with Disabilities (PwD); the need to curate activities for PwD was noted by SNCCT and interviewed communities. In the context of C/PVE, mental health is regarded as a disability if it affects or can affect your day-to-day activities currently or in the future. Accordingly, efforts to map out strategies for inclusion of people living with disabilities are important especially during the reintegration phase. | | | To be initiated | |
| Management Response Evaluation: Management agreed to resume efforts to include psychosocial support in programme (trauma response, prevention, psychosocial support, and research) | | Sudan National Commission for counter terrorism, community committees, civil society, rehabilitation centers | To be initiated | |
| Key Action(s) Resume efforts to include psychosocial support in programme (trauma response, prevention, psychosocial support and research) | Time Frame | Responsible Unit(s) | Tracking | |
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| Description activities, then specifics as needed: 6.1 Inclusion mental health in activity planning in prisons | December 2022 | Peace Building and Stabilization Portfolio, Sudan National Commission for Counter Terrorism (SNCCT), civil society, academia, private sector | Ongoing | |
| 6.2 Establishment of self-help groups at community level | | Sudan National Commission for counter terrorism, community committees, civil society, private sector | To be initiated | |

* The implementation status is tracked in the ERC.