PBF June 2024 Project Progress Report

PROJECT OVERVIEW

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» Report Submission

Type of report *

- ◯ Semi-annual
- ◯ Annual
- ◯ Final
- ⦿ Other

Date of submission of report *

2024-06-15

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Name and Title of Person submitting the report *

Marie Mechela

Name and Title of Person who approved the report *

Awet Woldegiorgis

Have all fund recipients for this project contributed to the report? *

- (●) Yes
- ( ) No

Did PBF Secretariat or RCO focal point review the report? *

If there is no PBF secretariat in country, please select "Not applicable". If there is a PBF secretariat, you should normally ensure that they have an opportunity to review.

- (●) Yes
- ( ) No
- ( ) Not Applicable

» Project Information and Geographical Scope

Is this a cross-border project? *

- ( ) Yes   (●) No

Please select the geographical region in which the project is implemented

○ Asia and the Pacific   ○ Central & Southern Africa   ◉ East Africa

○ Europe and Central Asia   ○ Global   ○ Latin America and the Caribean

○ Middle East and North Africa   ○ West Africa

Country of project implementation *

○ Ethiopia   ○ Kenya   ○ Madagascar

○ Somalia   ○ South Sudan   ◉ Sudan

○ Other, Specify

Other, please specify *

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Project Title *

○   00119468: Building Sustainable Peace and Social Cohesion in Tawilla Locality, North Darfur

●   00130002: Building the MHPSS-Gender-Peacebuilding nexus: fostering wellbeing, non-violent, gender equitable masculinity and social restoration with young people in West Darfur, Sudan.

○   00130052: Darfuri Youth Empowerment in Civic Spaces to Advance Peacebuilding

○   00119467: Durable Solutions for forced displacement in West Darfur

○   00119469: East Darfur: Assalaya-Sheiria-Yassin Triangle of Peace and Coexistence

○   00121172: PBF secretariat and peacebuilding project Sudan

○   00130005: Refugee and IDP Profiling Towards Sustainable Peace and Durable Solutions in Darfur

○   00125917: Strengthening the Political and Peacebuilding Role of Women in Sudan's Transition

○   00130705: Sudan Youth Citizen Observer Network: Strengthening Youth's Role as Peacebuilders and Promoters of Civic Space in Sudan's Transition

○   00125403: Support to the Sudanese Peace Process

○   00128019: Supporting Sustainable Peace in Blue Nile State through Gender-Responsive Natural Resource Governance, Inclusive Conflict Resolution Mechanisms and Climate-Resilient Livelihoods

○   00119470: Transition to Sustainable Peace in Central Darfur

○   00119471: Transition to Sustainable Peace in South Darfur

○   00131661: Peacebuilding and Human Rights in Support of Durable Solutions for IDPs and Affected Communities: The Right to Adequate Housing in West Darfur

○   00133949: Strengthening Capacities for Peace and Social Cohesion in Kassala and Red Sea States Sudan

○   00133950: Strengthening the Security - Climate Nexus in Gedaref Sudan

○   00140081: Empowering Women Civil Society Leaders as Peacebuilders

○   00140082: Empowerment of youth for peace and effective political participation Red Sea State Sudan.

○   Other, Specify

Write the 8 digit MPTFO number and Project Title exactly as it appears in the Project Document *

EXAMPLE: 00118938: Community-based prevention of violence and social cohesion using innovation for young people in displaced and host communities

Please select the geographical region(s) in which the project is implemented *

If the project you are looking for does not appear in the following question, please make sure that you have selected the correct regions. A limited number of cross border projects span multiple geographic regions. For example, a cross border project between Niger and Chad spans both West Africa and Central & Southern Africa

☐ Asia and the Pacific   ☐ Central & Southern Africa   ☐ East Africa

☐ Europe and Central Asia   ☐ Global   ☐ Latin America and the Caribean

☐ Middle East and North Africa   ☐ West Africa

Please select the title of the project for which you are submitting the report *

Write the 8 digit MPTFO numbers and Project Title exactly as it appears in the Project Document *

EXAMPLE: 00129699/700: Supporting Cross-Border Cooperation for Increased Community Resilience and Social Cohesion in The Gambia and Senegal

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Please select the countries where this project is being implemented *

Other, Please specify *

Project Start Date (Date of first transfer) *

2022-01-06

2022-01-06

Project End Date *

2024-07-04

2024-07-04

Has this project received an extension? *

◯ YES, Cost Extension

🔘 YES, No Cost Extension

◯ YES, Both Cost and No Cost Extensions

◯ NO, No Extensions

Will this project be requesting an extension? *

◯ YES, Cost Extension

🔘 YES, No Cost Extension

◯ YES, Both Cost and No Cost Extensions

◯ NO, No Extensions

Is the current project end date within 6 months? *

- ⦿ Yes
- ◯ No

Is funding disbursed either into a national or regional trust fund? *

- ◯ Yes
- ⦿ No

If yes, please select which *

- ◯ National Trust Fund
- ◯ Regional Trust Fund

Recipients

Is the convening agency a UN agency or a non UN entity? *

- ⦿ UN entity
- ◯ Non-UN Entity

Please select the convening agency recipient *

- ◯ UNDP: United Nations Development Programme
- ◯ IOM: International Organization for Migration
- ◯ UNICEF: United Nations Children's Fund
- ◯ OHCHR: Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights
- ◯ UNWOMEN: United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women
- ◯ UNHCR: United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
- ⦿ UNFPA: United Nations Population Fund
- ◯ FAO: Food and Agriculture Organization
- ◯ WFP: World Food Programme
- ◯ UNHABITAT: United Nations Human Settlements Programme
- ◯ UNESCO: United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
- ◯ UNEP: United Nations Environment Programme
- ◯ ILO: International Labour Organization
- ◯ WHO: World Health Organization
- ◯ PAHO/WHO
- ◯ UNCDF: United Nations Capital Development Fund
- ◯ UNODC: United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime
- ◯ UNOPS: United Nations Office for Project Services
- ◯ UNIDO: United Nations Industrial Development Organization
- ◯ ITC: International Trade Centre
- ◯ UNDPO
- ◯ Other, Specify

Other, Please specify *

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Are there other recipients for this project? *

- ◯ No other recipients
- ⦿ Yes, other UN recipients only
- ◯ Yes, other non-UN recipients only
- ◯ Yes, both UN and non-UN recipients

Please select other UN recipients *

Select all that apply

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- ☐ UNESCO: United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
- ☐ UNEP: United Nations Environment Programme   ☐ ILO: International Labour Organization
- ☑ WHO: World Health Organization   ☐ PAHO/WHO
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- ☐ UNOPS: United Nations Office for Project Services
- ☐ UNIDO: United Nations Industrial Development Organization   ☐ ITC: International Trade Centre
- ☐ UN Department of Peace Operations   ☐ Other, Specify

Other, Please specify *

Please select other non-UN recipients *

- [ ] ACTED
- [ ] Action Aid
- [ ] AEDE
- [ ] African Centre for the Constructive Resolution of Disputes (ACCORD)
- [ ] Agence de Coopération et de Recherche pour le Développement (ACORD)
- [ ] American Friends Service Committee (AFSC)
- [ ] Avocats Sans Frontières
- [ ] Avocats Sans Frontières Belgium
- [ ] Avocats sans frontières Canada
- [ ] CARE International UK
- [ ] Centre d'étude et de coopération internationale (CECI) - BF
- [ ] Christian Aid Ireland
- [ ] COIPRODEN
- [ ] Concern Worldwide
- [ ] Conexion Guatemala
- [ ] COOPI - Cooperazione Internazionale
- [ ] CORD Burundi
- [ ] CORDAID
- [ ] Corporacion Sisma Mujer
- [ ] CRS - Catholic Relief Services
- [ ] DanChurchAid
- [ ] Fund for Congolese Women
- [ ] Fundacion Estudios Superior (FESU)
- [ ] Fundación Mi Sangre (FMS)
- [ ] Fundación Nacional para el Desarrollo de Honduras (FUNADEH)
- [ ] Fundación para la Libertad de Prensa (FLIP)
- [ ] HELVETAS Swiss Intercooperation
- [ ] Humanity & Inclusion (HI)
- [ ] ICTJ (International Center for Transitional Justice)
- [ ] Instituto Holandes para Democracia Multipartidaria (NIMD)
- [ ] Integrity Watch
- [ ] International Alert
- [ ] International Rescue Committee
- [ ] Interpeace
- [ ] Kvinna till Kvinna Foundation
- [ ] Life and Peace Institute (LPI)
- [ ] MDG-EISA - Institut Electoral pour une Démocratie Durable en Afrique (EISA), bureau de Madagascar
- [ ] Mercy Corps
- [ ] MLAL - ProgettoMondo
- [ ] MSIS-TATAO
- [ ] NIMD (Netherlands Institute for Multiparty Democracy)
- [ ] Norwegian Refugee Council (NRC)
- [ ] ONG Adkoul - ONG Adkoul
- [ ] ONG AZHAR
- [ ] OXFAM
- [ ] Peace Direct
- [ ] Plan International
- [ ] PNG UN Country Fund
- [ ] Red de Instituciones por los Derechos de la Niñez
- [ ] ROI - Roza Otunbayeva Initiati
- [ ] Saferworld
- [ ] Sampan'Asa Momba ny Fampandrosoana (SAF/FJKM)
- [ ] Save the Children
- [ ] Search for Common Ground (SFCG)
- [ ] SismaMujer
- [ ] SOS Sahel Sudan
- [ ] Stichting Impunity Watch
- [ ] Tearfund
- [ ] The Carter Center, Inc.
- [ ] Trocaire
- [ ] War Child
- [ ] World Vision International
- [ ] World Vision Myanmar
- [ ] ZOA
- [ ] blank_placeholder
- [ ] Other, Please specify

Other, Please specify *

Implementing Partners

To how many implementing partners has the project transferred money to date?

0

Financial Reporting

» Delivery by Recipient

Please enter the total amounts in full US dollars allocated to each recipient organization

Please enter the original budget amount, amount transferred to date and estimated expenditure by recipient.

*Please make sure you enter the correct amount. All values should be entered in **US Dollars***

For cross-border projects, group the amounts by agency, even if different country offices are involved. You will have the opportunity to share a more detailed budget in the next section.

Recipients	Total Project Budget (in full US $) *Please enter the total budget as is in the project document in US Dollars*	Transfers to date (in full US $) *Please enter the total amount transferred to each recipient to date in US Dollars*	Expenditure to date (in full US $) *Please enter the approximate amount spent to date in US dollars*	Implementation rate as a percentage of total budget *(calculated automatically)*
UNFPA: United Nations Population Fund	625000 *	437500 *	320521.38 *	51.28%
	*	*	*	%
IOM: International Organization for Migration	575000 *	402500 *	574681.53 *	99.94%

WHO: World Health Organization	* 300000	* 210000	* 203062	67.69%
	*	*	*	%
	*	*	*	%
	*	*	*	%
	*	*	*	%
	*	*	*	%
	*	*	*	%
	*	*	*	%
	*	*	*	%
	*	*	*	%
	*	*	*	%
	*	*	*	%
	*	*	*	%

TOTAL	1500000	1050000	1098264.91	**73.22%**

The approximate implementation rate as percentage of total project budget based on the values entered in the above matrix is **73.22%**. Can you confirm that this is correct? *

(●) Correct   (○) Incorrect

If it is incorrect, please enter the approximate implementation rate as a % *

» Gender-responsive Budgeting

Indicate what **percentage (%)** of the budget contributes to gender equality or women's empowerment (GEWE) as per the project document? *

67.37

The dollar amount of the budget contributing to Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment (GEWE) based on percentage entered above and total project budget is **US $ 1010550**. Can you confirm that this is correct? *

(○) Correct   (●) Incorrect

If it is incorrect, please enter the *budget amount* allocated to GEWE in US Dollars *

1010497.53

Amount expended to date on efforts contributiong to gender equality or women's empowerment is **US $ 739901.07**. Is this correct? *

(○) Correct   (●) Incorrect

If it is incorrect, please enter the *expenditure to date* on GEWE in US dollars *

551489

ATTACH PROJECT EXCEL BUDGET SHOWING CURRENT APPROXIMATE EXPENDITURE.
The templates for the budget are available here *

Project Budget-19_8_37.xlsx

Project Markers

Please select the Gender Marker Associated with this project   *

- ◯ Score 1 for projects that contribute in some way to gender equality, but not significantly (less than 30% of the total budget for GEWE)
- ⦿ Score 2 for projects that have gender equality as a significant objective and allocate between 30 and 79% of the total project budget to GEWE
- ◯ Score 3 for projects that have gender equality as a principal objective and allocate at least 80% of the total project budget to Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment (GEWE)

Please select the Risk Marker Associated with this project   *

- ◯ Risk marker 0 = low risk to achieving outcomes
- ◯ Risk marker 1 = medium risk to achieving outcomes
- ⦿ Risk marker 2 = high risk to achieving outcomes

Please select the PBF Focus Area associated with this project   *

- ◯ (1.1) Security Sector Reform
- ◯ (1.2) Rule of Law
- ◯ (1.3) Demobilisation, Disarmament and Reintegration
- ◯ (1.4) Political Dialogue
- ◯ (2.1) National reconciliation
- ◯ (2.2) Democratic Governance
- ⦿ (2.3) Conflict prevention/management
- ◯ (3.1) Employment
- ◯ (3.2) Equitable access to social services
- ◯ (4.1) Strengthening of essential national state capacity
- ◯ (4.2) Extension of state authority/Local Administration
- ◯ (4.3) Governance of peacebuilding resources (including PBF Secretariats)

Is the project part of one or more PBF priority windows?   *

Select all that apply

- ☐ Gender promotion initiative
- ☑ Youth promotion initiative
- ☐ Transition from UN or regional peacekeeping or special political missions
- ☐ Cross-border or regional project
- ☐ None

Steering Committee and Government engagement

Does the project have an active steering committee/ project board?   *

- ⦿ Yes
- ◯ No

If yes, please indicate how many times the Project Steering Committee has met over the last 6 months?

Please limit your response to 3000 characters

The project does have an active steering committee/project board. The steering committee, which is composed of key project partners (UNFPA, IOM, WHO), has met three times over the last six months to provide strategic direction and ensure the effective implementation of project activities. One of the three meetings also included the Agencies' implementing partners.

Please provide a brief description of any engagement that the project has had with the government over the last 6 months. Please indicate what level of government the project has been engaging with.   *

Please limit your response to 3000 characters

The project, with CDF implementing on behalf of UNFPA, and DDRA on behalf of IOM, has been actively engaging with the state government in White Nile (WN). Following the project's shift from West Darfur to Kosti in WN state, the implementing partners initiated a series of interactions to introduce the project and secure government support.

During these engagements, the project team met with key government officials, relevant line ministries, and local authorities. The discussions focused on presenting the project's objectives, activities, and expected outcomes, as well as seeking the government's endorsement and collaboration in the implementation process.

In addition, WHO has discussed with both the Federal Ministry of Health (FMOH) and White Nile State Ministry of Health (SMOH) on the need to strengthen MHPSS. WHO will build the capacity of health care workers in selected facilities in Kosti and procure the essential psychotropic medications (mental health kits). FMOH has already approved these requests while WHO is currently procuring the medications, which will be distributed by National Medical and Poisons Board (NMPB).

PART I: OVERALL PROJECT PROGRESS

NOTES FOR COMPLETING THE REPORT:

- Avoid acronyms and UN jargon, use general /common language.
- Report on what has been achieved in the reporting period, not what the project aims to do.
- Be as concrete as possible. Avoid theoretical, vague or conceptual discourse.
- Ensure the analysis and project progress assessment is gender and age sensitive.

Please rate the implementation status of the following preliminary/preparatory activities

Contracting of partners   *

- ◯ Not Started
- ◯ Initiated
- ◯ Partially Completed
- ⦿ Completed
- ◯ Not Applicable

Staff Recruitment *

○ Not Started   ○ Initiated   ○ Partially Completed

● Completed   ○ Not Applicable

Collection of baselines *

○ Not Started   ● Initiated   ○ Partially Completed

○ Completed   ○ Not Applicable

Identification of beneficiaries *

○ Not Started   ● Initiated   ○ Partially Completed

○ Completed   ○ Not Applicable

Provide any additional descriptive information relating to the status of the project, including whether preliminary/preparatory activities have been completed (i.e. contracting of partners, staff recruitment, etc.) *

Please limit your response to 3000 characters

After the project was shifted from West Darfur to White Nile (WN) state in February 2024, the key project partners have remained the same. UNFPA has extended its partnership with CDF to implement the interventions in WN state. Similarly, IOM is finalising the contractual processes for its implementing partners Berghof Foundation and DDRA to complete their respective remaining activities under output 1.3. WHO on the other hand is currently procuring the essential psychotropic medications and planning on training health care workers on both mental health GAP Humanitarian Intervention Guide (mhGAP-HIG) and Problem Management Plus (PM+). Agreement and approvals have already been provided by respective FMOH and SMOH offices.

The project team from the respective partner organisations has been identified and mobilised to ensure a seamless transition and continuation of the project activities in the new geographical location. This includes project managers, field coordinators, community mobilizers, and other technical staff who will be responsible for the day-to-day implementation of the project.

Preliminary and preparatory activities have been completed to facilitate the shift and relaunch of the project in WN state. This includes:

Contract extensions and amendments to reflect the change in project location.
Identification and onboarding of the project team members in WN state.
Coordination meetings between the partner organisations to align on the revised implementation plan and strategies.
Initial stakeholder engagement and consultations with local authorities and communities in WN state to introduce the project and obtain their buy-in.

The project partners have worked diligently to ensure a smooth transition and to maintain the momentum of the project activities, despite the geographical shift. With the preliminary preparations completed, the project is now poised to commence its implementation in WN state, building on the established partnerships and leveraging the expertise and experience of the project team. The project team is currently waiting for approval from the PBF in New York to apply for a second No-cost extension of six months and extend the project until January 2025.

Describe overall progress under each Outcome made during the reporting period (for June reports: January-June; for November reports: January-November; for final reports: full project duration). Do not list individual activities. If the project is starting to make/has made a difference at the outcome level, provide specific evidence for the progress (quantitative and qualitative) and explain how it impacts the broader political and peacebuilding context.

Is the project on track for the timely completion of outputs as indicated in the workplan? *

○ Yes

◉ No

If no, please provide an explanation *

Please limit your response to 6000 characters

Unfortunately, the project's shift from West Darfur to White Nile state has posed some challenges in terms of the timely completion of the planned outputs.

When the project was being implemented in West Darfur, it was largely on track for the timely completion of the outlined outputs. The established partnerships, community engagement, and project team's familiarity with the local context contributed to the smooth implementation and progress towards the intended goals.

However, the relocation of the project to WN state has introduced new dynamics and complexities that have made it difficult to achieve the same level of progress as originally envisioned.

Firstly, the change in geographical location has required the project team to re-establish connections with local authorities, communities, and stakeholders in the new area. This process of building new relationships and navigating the unfamiliar context has resulted in some delays in the implementation timeline.

Secondly, the remaining project duration and budget constraints have made it challenging to fully replicate the comprehensive set of outputs that were planned for West Darfur. The project team has had to carefully prioritise and adapt the activities to fit the new context and the available resources, which has meant that some of the original outputs may not be achieved to the same extent. Furthermore, the unstable security situation and the existing vulnerabilities in the WN state have added another layer of complexity to the project's implementation.

Despite these challenges, the project partners remain committed to making the best use of the available time and resources to contribute to the promotion of non-violent, gender-equitable notions of masculinity and to build trust between the communities in WN state. The project team is focusing its efforts on a range of activities that they believe can have a meaningful and lasting impact. One key intervention is the establishment of Living Peace Clubs for youth in the project communities.

These Peace Clubs will provide a safe and inclusive space for young men to come together and engage in open discussions around issues of masculinity. For many of these youth, this will be the first time they have had the opportunity to explore positive, constructive notions of masculinity, moving beyond the traditional and often restrictive social constructions they may have been exposed to previously.

Within the Peace Clubs, the facilitators will guide the young men through workshops and dialogues that challenge harmful gender norms and stereotypes. The aim is to help these youth develop a more well-rounded and healthy understanding of masculinity - one that is not rooted in dominance, aggression or rigid gender expectations, but rather emphasizes traits like empathy, care, and non-violence.

By creating these dedicated spaces for young men to reflect on and discuss masculinity, the project team hopes to catalyze a shift in social attitudes and behaviors. They believe that equipping these youth with the tools and perspectives to redefine masculinity can have a transformative effect, not only on the individual participants, but also on their families and communities as a whole.

In addition to the Peace Clubs, the project is also implementing capacity-building workshops and community-level initiatives that reinforce the themes of positive masculinity and gender equality. The holistic approach, involving both individual and collective change, is designed to create a ripple effect and sustainable impact within the target communities.

While the project may not be able to achieve all of the original outputs as initially planned, the partners are working diligently to adapt the implementation strategies and ensure that the project's core objectives are still addressed to the extent possible within the revised context and constraints.

Project progress summary

Please limit your response to 6000 characters

The progress of the project has been impacted by a series of factors, including a delay in obtaining approval for the project amendment request, which was granted in January 2024. Additionally, there was a one-month delay due to power outages and the interruption of the mobile network from mid-February to mid-March 2024. The changing dynamics and challenging situation on the ground have made it difficult for implementing partners to smoothly carry out the project. This includes changes in local authorities, which require additional effort to advocate for the project in line with the humanitarian needs in the state.

The situation in the area has been characterised by an increase in hate speech and retaliatory attacks, known as "turma," following clashes which have escalated since the RSF advanced on White Nile. These factors have led to heightened tensions among community members and raised concerns about a potential cycle of violence between tribes and communities. The conflict in White Nile has reinforced and entrenched hypermasculine ideals like physical strength, aggression, and dominance within the local culture. These militarized notions of masculinity can have damaging consequences, leading to the perpetuation of violence, gender-based abuses, and the oppression of vulnerable groups.

If these harmful masculine norms go unaddressed, they can create a vicious cycle where the youth in White Nile and Sudan are socialized into this toxic version of masculinity. This can normalize violence, marginalize women and non-conforming individuals, and contribute to new cycles of conflict and instability.

Furthermore, the neglect of mental health in the White Nile region, where there are no psychiatric facilities or psychiatrists, mirrors the situation in West Darfur. This similarity suggests that strategies and interventions used in West Darfur can be effectively adopted and implemented in White Nile. The decision to shift the geographical focus of the project to the White Nile was influenced by the relative stability in this area compared to other conflict hotspots and the large influx of internally displaced people (IDPs).

To address this challenging situation, project partners have spent the reporting period preparing to implement quick impact interventions using materials and methodologies developed and trialled in West Darfur. The same teams and implementing partners will manage these interventions. The primary objectives of these interventions are to reduce inter-communal violence in Kosti, White Nile, and foster peaceful interactions between IDPs and host communities. The aim is to prevent further clashes or fragmentation of the national conflict at the state level.

Additionally, the interventions aim to promote non-violent and gender-equitable ideals of manhood, facilitating changes in gender norms. They also seek to establish platforms for positive interaction between different generations and tribes, enabling socio-cultural and economic empowerment necessary for peacebuilding. Overall, the project aims to contribute to social restoration, healing among youth, and improved access to mental health and psychosocial support services while promoting peace and stability in the White Nile region.

Indicate any additional analysis on how Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment and/or Youth Inclusion and Responsiveness has been ensured by the project to date   *
Please limit your response to 3000 characters

The project recognizes that conflict and militarization can have distinct gendered impacts. It acknowledges that traditional notions of masculinity associated with militarism, power, and violence may be reinforced in such contexts. At the same time, women and girls may face heightened vulnerabilities, including gender-based violence and limited access to resources and opportunities.

Engaging Men and Boys: To challenge militarised notions of masculinity, the project has implemented targeted interventions to engage men and boys. It promotes non-violent and gender-equitable ideals of manhood, emphasising the importance of peaceful conflict resolution and respect for women's rights. By involving men and boys in discussions and activities focused on gender equality, the project seeks to transform harmful gender norms and promote positive behavioural change.

Women's Participation in Peacebuilding: The project actively promotes the inclusion of women in peacebuilding efforts. It recognizes the valuable role that women can play in conflict resolution, community reconciliation, and sustainable peace. The project creates spaces for women to participate in decision-making processes, fosters their leadership skills, and supports women-led initiatives. By empowering women as agents of change, the project contributes to gender equality and women's empowerment.

Youth Inclusion and Empowerment: The project places a strong emphasis on youth inclusion and responsiveness. It recognizes the importance of meaningful youth participation in decision-making processes and program implementation. The project engages youth through various mechanisms such as youth-led initiatives, youth forums, and mentoring programs. By amplifying the voices of youth and addressing their specific needs and concerns, the project ensures their active involvement and empowerment.

Addressing Gender-Based Violence: The project acknowledges the increased risks of gender-based violence in conflict-affected areas and works towards its prevention and response. It supports the establishment of safe spaces for women and girls, provides psychosocial support services, and raises awareness about gender-based violence and its consequences. By addressing this issue, the project contributes to creating a safer environment and promoting gender equality.

Due to accessibility challenges, WHO, Sudan MoH, and White Nile MoH are focusing on training general doctors and family physicians in mental health. Health care workers will be selected from accessible health centers in the state, with training scheduled for late June 2024. These trained personnel will then train and supervise their colleagues in White Nile, enhancing the provision of mental health and psychosocial support in the region.
Essential psychotropic medications (mental health kits), currently being shipped to Sudan, will be distributed by WHO and the Sudan National Medicines and Poisons Board to health facilities with trained staff. This approach will establish a referral pathway, ensuring that patients referred from the community to health facilities receive comprehensive care, including both psychosocial and psychiatric support.

Is the project 1+ year in implementation?   *

(●) Yes

(○) No

FOR PROJECTS 1+ YEAR IN IMPLEMENTATION ONLY:

Is the project demonstrating outcome-level peacebuilding results? *

Outcome-level peacebuilding results entail results achieved at the societal or structural level, including changed attitudes, behaviours or institutions.

○ Yes

◉ No

If yes, please provide concrete examples of such peacebuilding results *

Please limit your response to 6000 characters

If yes, please provide sources or references (including links) as evidence of peacebuilding results, or submit them as additional attachments.

Evidence may be quantitative or qualitative but needs to demonstrate progress against outcome indicators in the project results framework. Sources may include project surveys (such as perception surveys), monitoring reports, government documents, or other knowledge products that have been developed by the project.

File attachment

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PART II: PROJECT RESULTS FRAMEWORK

How many OUTCOMES does this project have *

1   2   3   4   5   more than 5.

Please write out the project outcomes as they are in the project results framework found in the project document

Outcome 1: *

Adolescents and young adults across ages, genders and tribes in El Geneina , West Darfur and Kosti White Nile, take leadership roles in processes of psychological and social healing, inclusive dialogues and in shifting norms underpinning violent behavior, including militarized notions of masculinity.

Outcome 2: *

Outcome 3: *

Outcome 4: *

Outcome 5: *

Outcome 6:   *

Outcome 7:   *

Outcome 8:   *

Additional Outcomes   *

If the project has more than 8 outcomes, please enumerate the remaining outcomes here

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INDICATOR BASED PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT

Using the Project Results Framework as per the approved project document or any amendments, provide an update on the achievement of key **outcome** and **output** indicators in the table below.

- If the outcome has more than 3 indicators, select the 3 most relevant ones with most relevant progress to highlight.
- If the outcome has more than 5 outputs, please select 5 of the most relevant outputs per outcome, and provide an update on the progress made against 3 most relevant output indicators.
- Where it has not been possible to collect data on indicators, state this and provide any explanation. Provide gender and age disaggregated data. (500 characters max per entry)

» Outcome 1: Adolescents and young adults across ages, genders and tribes in El Geneina , West Darfur and Kosti White Nile, take leadership roles in processes of psychological and social healing, inclusive dialogues and in shifting norms underpinning violent behavior, including militarized notions of masculinity.

Outcome 1	Performance Indicators	Indicator Baseline	End of Project Indicator Target	Current Indicator progress	Reasons for Variance/ Delay (if any)
1.1	**% change in trust score among surveyed youth assessing trust in family; the community; groups bonding (within ethnic groups); in groups bridging (trust across ethnic groups); and trust in the state**	**TBC**	**50%**	**N/A**	**Shifting the project location from WD to WN state due to security concerns. The project needs to establish a baseline for the new planned interventions, which is currently in progress.**
1.2	**% change in conflict management score among surveyed youth**	**TBC**	**70%**	**N/A**	**Shifting the project location from WD to WN state due to security concerns. The project needs to establish a baseline for the new planned interventions, which is currently in progress.**

1.3	% change in composite indicator assessing men's attitudes and practices related to gender equality and violence	TBC	6%	N/A	Shifting the project location from WD to WN state due to security concerns. The project needs to establish a baseline for the new planned interventions, which is currently in progress.

How many outputs does outcome 1 have?

1   2   3   4   5   more than 5.

Please list up to 5 of most relevant outputs for outcome 1

Output 1.1

Improved access to quality, non-discriminatory age and gender responsive MHPSS services for conflict-affected adolescents and youth including survivors of GBV

Output 1.2

Peer-led Living Peace Clubs are established and support adolescent boys and young men in coping with experienced trauma and stressors and promoting non-violent, gender equitable notions of masculinity

Output 1.3

Youth take leadership roles within their community, providing opportunities for positive interaction between male and female youth from different tribal groups, promoting mutual understanding, trust, empathy and more resilient social ties

Output 1.4

Output 1.5

Other Outputs

If Outcome 1 has more than 5 outputs, please enumerate the remaining outputs here

For each output, and using the, project results framework, provide an update on the progress made against 3 most relevant output indicators

» Output 1.1

Output 1.1: Improved access to quality, non-discriminatory age and gender responsive MHPSS services for conflict-affected adolescents and youth including survivors of GBV	Performance Indicators *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reporting period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
1.1.1	**# of assessments on formal and informal MHPSS services conducted**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**The MHPSS assessment and mapping have been conducted. Data and results will be published once endorsed by the Federal Ministry of Health (FMOH).**

1.1.2	# of MOH staff and lay helpers trained	0	20 MOH Staff; 200 Lay helpers	0	20 MOH staff; 100 Lay helpers	Due to the current conflict the activity was not fully implemented. El Geneina experienced mass displacement of people while one of the trainers was killed.
1.1.3	# of youth receiving MHPSS services	0	1,000	0	413	The conflict outbreak in April 2023 prevented the provision of MHPSS in the communities. However, prior to the conflict 413 received MHPSS services (300 received PFA while 113 received PM+. All the interventions were provided at the community and household levels.

» Output 1.2

Output 1.2: Peer-led Living Peace Clubs are established and support adolescent boys and young men in coping with experienced trauma and stressors and promoting non-violent, gender equitable notions of masculinity	Performance Indicators *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reporting period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
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1.2.1	# of adolescent boys and young men participating in Peace Clubs (disaggregated by gender, age, ethnicity, disability) Baseline: 0 Target: 260 (100%m)	0	260	0	180	The project's implementing partners are currently in the process of setting up new peace clubs in the WN Kosti area
1.2.2	Research study on the social norms underpinning militarized notions of manhood and linkages between masculinity, conflict and peacebuilding conducted	0	1	N/A	1	Done. The study was conducted and the draft report shared in the previous reporting period.
1.2.3						

» Output 1.3

Output 1.3: Youth take leadership roles within their community, providing opportunities for positive interaction between male and female youth from different tribal groups, promoting mutual understanding, trust, empathy and more resilient social ties	Performance Indicators *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reporting period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
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1.3.1	% of youth reporting improved dialogue within their community	0	50%	0	40%	To be assessed as part of baseline & endline. Original Baseline study delayed due to lengthy recruitment process, and the impact of the conflict in Geneina means it will not be possible to communicate with project beneficiaries to understand impact post-fact. Progress will be reported following implementation of reprogrammed activities in White Nile.

| 1.3.2 | % of community members report increase awareness of what peace entails | 0 | 65% | 0 | 25% | To be assessed as part of baseline & endline. Original Baseline study delayed due to lengthy recruitment process, and the impact of the conflict in Geneina means it will not be possible to communicate with project beneficiaries to understand impact post-fact. Progress will be reported following implementation of reprogrammed activities in White Nile. |
| 1.3.3 | # of youth supported through capacity building activities | 0 | 50 | 0 | 110 | To be reported following completion of reprogrammed activities in White Nile. |

» Output 1.4

Output 1.4:	Perform ance Indicator s *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reportin g period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
1.4.1						
1.4.2						
1.4.3						

» Output 1.5

Output 1.5:	Perform ance Indicator s *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reportin g period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
1.5.1						
1.5.2						
1.5.3						

» Outcome 2:

Outcome 2	Performance Indicators	Indicator Baseline	End of Project Indicator Target	Current Indicator progress	Reasons for Variance/ Delay (if any)
2.1					
2.2					
2.3					

How many outputs does outcome 2 have?

    1   2   3   4   5   more than 5.

Please list up to 5 of most relevant outputs for outcome 2

Output 2.1

Output 2.2

Output 2.3

Output 2.4

Output 2.5

Other Outputs

If Outcome 2 has more than 5 outputs, please enumerate the remaining outputs here

For each output, and using the, project results framework, provide an update on the progress made against 3 most relevant output indicators

» Output 2.1

Output 2.1:	Performance Indicators *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reporting period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
2.1.1						
2.1.2						
2.1.3						

» Output 2.2

Output 2.2:	Performance Indicators *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reporting period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
2.2.1						
2.2.2						
2.2.3						

» Output 2.3

Output 2.3:	Performance Indicators *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reporting period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
2.3.1						
2.3.2						
2.3.3						

» Output 2.4

Output 2.4:	Perform ance Indicator s *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reportin g period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
2.4.1						
2.4.2						
2.4.3						

» Output 2.5

Output 2.5:	Perform ance Indicator s *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reportin g period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
2.5.1						
2.5.2						
2.5.3						

» Outcome 3:

Outcome 3	Performance Indicators	Indicator Baseline	End of Project Indicator Target	Current Indicator progress	Reasons for Variance/ Delay (if any)
3.1					
3.2					
3.3					

How many outputs does outcome 3 have?

     1   2   3   4   5   more than 5.

Please list up to 5 of most relevant outputs for outcome 3

Output 3.1

Output 3.2

Output 3.3

Output 3.4

Output 3.5

Other Outputs

If Outcome 3 has more than 5 outputs, please enumerate the remaining outputs here

For each output, and using the, project results framework, provide an update on the progress made against 3 most relevant output indicators

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» Output 3.1

Output 3.1:	Performance Indicators *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reporting period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
3.1.1						
3.1.2						
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» Output 3.2

Output 3.2:	Performance Indicators *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reporting period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
3.2.1						
3.2.2						
3.2.3						

» Output 3.3

Output 3.3:	Perform ance Indicator s *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reportin g period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
3.3.1						
3.3.2						
3.3.3						

» Output 3.4

Output 3.4:	Perform ance Indicator s *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reportin g period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
3.4.1						
3.4.2						
3.4.3						

» Output 3.5

Output 3.5:	Perform ance Indicator s _Describe the indicator_	Indicator Baseline _State the baseline value of the indicator_	End of Project Indicator Target _State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project_	Indicator progress for reportin g period _State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period_	Indicator progress to date _State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project_	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) _Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant_
3.5.1						
3.5.2						
3.5.3						

» Outcome 4:

Outcome 4	Performanc e Indicators	Indicator Baseline	End of Project Indicator Target	Current Indicator progress	Reasons for Variance/ Delay (if any)
4.1					
4.2					
4.3					

How many outputs does outcome 4 have?
1   2   3   4   5   more than 5.
Please list up to 5 of most relevant outputs for outcome 4

Output 4.1
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Output 4.2
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Output 4.3
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Output 4.4
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Output 4.5
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Other Outputs
If Outcome 4 has more than 5 outputs, please enumerate the remaining outputs here
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For each output, and using the, project results framework, provide an update on the progress made against 3 most relevant output indicators
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» Output 4.1

Output 4.1:	Perform ance Indicator s *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reportin g period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
4.1.1						
4.1.2						
4.1.3						

» Output 4.2

Output 4.2:	Performance Indicators *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reporting period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
4.2.1						
4.2.2						
4.2.3						

» Output 4.3

Output 4.3:	Performance Indicators *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reporting period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
4.3.1						
4.3.2						
4.3.3						

» Output 4.4

Output 4.4:	Perform ance Indicator s *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reportin g period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
4.4.1						
4.4.2						
4.4.3						

» Output 4.5

Output 4.5:	Perform ance Indicator s *Describe the indicator*	Indicator Baseline *State the baseline value of the indicator*	End of Project Indicator Target *State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project*	Indicator progress for reportin g period *State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period*	Indicator progress to date *State the current cummulative value of the indicator since the start of the project*	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) *Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant*
4.5.1						
4.5.2						
4.5.3						

If the project has more than 4 outcomes, use this space to describe progress on progress on indicators for the remaining outcomes *

PART III: Cross-Cutting Issues

Is the project planning any significant events in the next six months? (eg. national dialogues, youth congresses, film screenings, etc.)					
If yes, please state how many, and for each, provide the approximate date of the event and a brief description, including its key objectives, target audience and location (if known)	**Event Description**	**Tentative Date**	**Location**	**Target Audience**	**Event Objectives** (900 characters)
Event 1					
Event 2					
Event 3					
Event 4					

Human Impact

This section is about the human impact of the project. Please state the number of key stakeholders (including but not limited to: Civil Society Organziations, Beneficiaries, etc.) of the project, and for each, please briefly describe:

i. The challenges/problem they faced prior to the project implemantation
ii. The impact of the project in their lives
iii. Provide, where possible, a quote or testimonial from a representative of each stakeholder group
This is an optional question. You may leave it unanswered if not relevant

Human Impact	Type of stakeholder	What has been the impact of the project on their lives?	Provide, where possible, a quote or testimonial from the stakeholder
1			
2			
3			
4			

In addition to the stakeholder specific impact described above, please use this space to describe any additional human impact that the project has had.
Please limit your response to 4000 characters.

You can also upload upto 3 files in various formats (picture files, powerpoint, pdf, video, etc.) to illustrate the human impact of the project
OPTIONAL

File 1
OPTIONAL

Hier klicken um die Datei hochzuladen. (< 10MB)

File 2
OPTIONAL

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File 3
OPTIONAL

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You can also add upto 3 links to online resources which illustrate the human impact of the project
OPTIONAL

Link 1
OPTIONAL

Link 2
OPTIONAL

Link 3
OPTIONAL

Please tick the applicable change based on above narrative.

How we worked: *
Please select up to 3.

- [ ] Enhanced digitization
- [ ] Innovative ways of working
- [ ] Mobilized additional resources
- [ ] Improved or initiated policy frameworks
- [ ] Strengthened capacities
- [ ] Partnered with with local/grassroots Civil Society Organizations
- [ ] Expanding coalitions & galvanizing political will
- [ ] Strengthened partnerships with IFIs
- [x] Strengthened partnerships with UN Agencies

Please explain

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

The project directly resulted in more comprehensive interaction between UN agencies, which, in turn, fostered collaboration in other areas of intervention.

Please explain

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

Please explain

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

Who are we working with (in addition to the implementing partners)   *

- [ ] Strengthened partnerships with IFIs
- [ ] Strengthened partnerships within UN Agencies
- [x] Partnered with local civil society organizations
- [ ] Partnered with local academia
- [ ] Partnered with sub-national entities
- [ ] Partnered with national entities
- [ ] Partnered with local volunteers

Please explain

Please limit your response to 3000 characters

The project was designed to be implemented in collaboration with civil society organisations, which currently serve as the on-ground implementing partners.

Leave No one Behind

Select all beneficiaries targeted with the PBF resources as evidenced by the narrative *

Mandatory

- ☑ Unemployed persons
- ☑ Minorities (e.g. race, ethnicity, linguistic, religion, etc.)
- ☑ Indigenous communities
- ☑ Persons with Disabilities
- ☑ Persons affected by violence (e.g. GBV)
- ☑ Women
- ☑ Youth
- ☐ Children
- ☐ Minorities related to sexual orientation and/or gender identity and expression
- ☐ People living in and around border areas
- ☐ Persons affected by natural disasters
- ☐ Persons affected by armed conflicts
- ☐ Internally displaced persons, refugees or migrants

PART IV: Monitoring, Evaluation and Compliance

» Monitoring

Please list key monitoring activities undertaken in the reporting period *

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

Since the project has not yet implemented any activities in the WN Kosti area, there have been no physical monitoring or assessments conducted there so far. Additionally, the project team is facing access challenges, as the DSS is blocking UN staff from being able to visit and monitor the situation on the ground in that location.

The project team has been holding virtual meetings and follow-ups with the implementing partners to discuss the progress and preparations for the project activities in the WN Kosti area. This suggests they are actively engaging with the local partners, even if they are unable to conduct in-person site visits due to the access challenges mentioned. The virtual engagement with the local partners indicates the project team is making efforts to maintain oversight and move the project forward, even if they cannot yet verify conditions firsthand in the WN Kosti region. This demonstrates a degree of flexibility and adaptation in their approach given the constraints they are facing.

Do outcome indicators have baselines? *

If only some of the outcome indicators have baselines, select 'yes'

- ○ Yes
- ● No

If yes, please provide a brief description. If not, explain why not and when they will be available. *

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

No, there are no pre-existing baselines for the outcome indicators, as the project location and context has significantly changed. The project team is working to establish new baselines for the initiative, but they are encountering some difficulties due to the fluidity of the situation. However, the consultant has drafted an inception report that outlines the plan for a baseline study. The project team has clearly stated that they intend to collect both baseline and endline data in the target areas.

Elaborate on what sources of evidence have been used to report on indicators (and are available upon request) *

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

N/A

Has the project launched outcome level data collection initiatives? e.g. perception surveys *

○ Yes

● No

Please provide a brief description *

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

Has the project used or established community feedback mechanisms? *

○ Yes

● No

Please provide a brief description *

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

» Evaluation

Is the project on track to conduct its evaluation? *

● Yes

○ No

○ Not Applicable

Evaluation budget (in USD) included in the project budget: *

Response required

25000

If project will end in next six months, and the overall project budget is above USD 1.5 million, is your upcoming evaluation on track?

- ⦿ Yes
- ◯ No
- ◯ Not Applicable

Please describe the preparations

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

First and foremost, the team has requested approval from PBF in New York to submit a second request for a No-Cost Extension (NCE). This additional time will be crucial, as they now need to establish a comprehensive baseline assessment in the new WN location before implementing any interventions. As part of this baseline process, the team plans to conduct an Endline study over the next six months. This in-depth assessment will serve as a critical endline for evaluating the impact of the project's designed interventions. The endline study will allow the team to better understand the current situation, needs, and capacities within the new WN context, and measure the effectiveness of the planned MHPSS services and other interventions. Specifically, the baseline study will examine factors such as the impacts of the ongoing conflict, the availability and accessibility of mental health and psychosocial support services, as well as the specific vulnerabilities and requirements of the target population of conflict-affected adolescents, youth, and GBV survivors. By establishing this detailed baseline understanding, the project team will be able to design tailored interventions that can most effectively address the identified needs and challenges. Moreover, the baseline study will serve as a crucial assessment, enabling the team to evaluate the real-world impact of their designed interventions. By comparing the post-intervention data collected through the endline study to the baseline conditions, the project team will be able to measure the extent to which their MHPSS services and other activities have succeeded in improving outcomes for the target population. This comprehensive baseline and endline process is particularly important given the significant shift in the project's operating environment, from the original West Darfur state to the new White Nile state. The baseline study will ensure the team has a thorough understanding of the new context, allowing them to adapt their interventions accordingly and accurately assess their impact, despite the challenging circumstances.

Contact information	Name	Organization	Job title	Email
Please mention the focal person responsible for sharing the final evaluation report with the PBF:	**Awet Woldegiorgis**	**UNFPA**	**Head of Gender/GBV Unit**	**ahailu@unfpa.org**

» Catalytic Effect

Catalytic Effect (financial): Has the project mobilized additional non-PBF financial resources to date?   *

◯ Yes

🔵 No

How many funders has the project received additional non-PBF funding from?   *

Catalytic Effect (non-financial): Has the project enabled or created a larger or longer-term peacebuilding change to occur, in addition to the direct project changes?   *

🔵 Yes

◯ No

If yes, please select the relevant option below: *

🔵 Some catalytic effect

◯ Significant catalytic effect

If relevant, please describe how the project has had a (non-financial) catalytic effect, i.e. removed barriers to unblock stalled political, institutional or other peacebuilding processes at different levels in a country, and/or created the conditions to establish new processes to do so   *

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

The main plan for the "Positive Masculinity Manual" which was developed and tested in West Darfur is to make the manual a reference resource for all trainings related to masculinity and the promotion of non-violent, gender-equitable notions of masculinity.

An initial discussion was conducted with the GBV AOR (Area of Responsibility) coordinator for Sudan to present the manual to all GBV actors who attend the regular coordination meetings.

The goal was to explain to the audience (GBV actors) how this manual can help in prevention strategies and risk mitigation efforts related to gender-based violence (GBV).

Sustainability

Does the project have an explicit exit strategy?

Please describe any steps that have been taken to ensure the sustainability of peacebuilding gains, including any mechanisms, platforms, networks and socio-economic initiatives supported, beyond the duration of the project   *

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

Following the relocation of the project to White Nile, the focus is on establishing well-resourced youth structures that will create sustainable networks with civil society. These networks aim to advocate for positive masculinities, peace, and mental health and psychosocial support (MHPSS) within their communities.

Are there any other issues concerning project implementation that you want to share, including any capacity needs of the recipient organizations?
Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

No

Monitoring and Oversight Activities

Please describe any key event related to monitoring and oversight. Please click next if no activities have yet taken place.

Events include Steering Committee meetings, Monitoring visits, Third party monitoring, Community based monitoring, any data collection, Perception or other survey findings, evaluation reports, audit or investigations.

Monitoring and oversight activities	Name of the Event	Summary	Key Findings
Event 1			
Event 2			
Event 3			
Event 4			
Event 5			
Event 6			
Event 7			
Event 8			

Final Steps

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