

PBF June 2025 Project Progress Report

PROJECT OVERVIEW

» Report Submission

the responses. If you have any questions or require technical assistance in filling out the form, please

Type of report

Send an email to gabriel.velasteguiimoya@un.org

☒ Semi-annual

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☐ Annual

☐ Final

☐ Other

Date of submission of report

2025-06-15

Name and title of person submitting the report

Inclusive policies and institutions for a peaceful society: strengthening the social fabric and fostering youth meaningful participation in decision-making in Guinea-Bissau.

E-mail of person submitting the report

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Name and title of person who approved the report

Zalha Assoumana

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

☒ Yes

☐ No

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

You should normally ensure that the PBF Secretariat or the PBF focal point 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

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| <input type="radio"/> Asia and the Pacific | <input type="radio"/> Central & Southern Africa | <input type="radio"/> East Africa |
| <input type="radio"/> Europe and Central Asia | <input type="radio"/> Global | <input type="radio"/> Latin America and the Caribbean |
| <input type="radio"/> Middle East and North Africa | <input checked="" type="radio"/> West Africa | |

Country of project implementation *

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| <input type="radio"/> Benin | <input type="radio"/> Burkina Faso | <input type="radio"/> Cote D'Ivoire |
| <input type="radio"/> Gambia | <input type="radio"/> Ghana | <input type="radio"/> Guinea |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> Guinea-Bissau | <input type="radio"/> Liberia | <input type="radio"/> Mali |
| <input type="radio"/> Mauritania | <input type="radio"/> Niger | <input type="radio"/> Nigeria |
| <input type="radio"/> Senegal | <input type="radio"/> Sierra Leone | <input type="radio"/> Togo |
| <input type="radio"/> Other, Specify | | |

Other, please specify *

Project Title *

- ☐ 00130107: Creating safe and empowering public spaces with women to mitigate climate-security risks and sustain peace in Guinea-Bissau
- ☐ 00129698: Enhancing the human rights protection system in Guinea-Bissau
- ☐ 00129743: Inclusive Peaceful Land Management in OIO, CACHEU and BIOMBO regions
- ☐ 00119912: Political Stabilization and Reform through Confidence Building and Inclusive Dialogue
- ☐ 00119443: Secretariat Project: Support to project coordination and monitoring of the United Nations Peacebuilding Fund (PBF) Projects in Guinea-Bissau
- ☐ 00119444: Strengthening the justice and security sector response to drug trafficking and transnational organized crime to reduce insecurity in Guinea-Bissau
- ☐ 00134097: Prevention of Natural Resources Conflicts related to Pastoralism and Transhumance in Bafata and Gabu Regions
- ☐ 00140008: Strengthening social cohesion through promoting inclusive and effective public health sector governance, management, and administration
- ☒ 00140108: Inclusive policies and institutions for a peaceful society: strengthening the social fabric and fostering youth meaningful participation in decision-making in Guinea Bissau
- ☐ 00140581: Peaceful Natural Resources Management in the Koliba-Corubal Basin
- ☐ 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

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Asia and the Pacific | <input type="checkbox"/> Central & Southern Africa | <input type="checkbox"/> East Africa |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Europe and Central Asia | <input type="checkbox"/> Global | <input type="checkbox"/> Latin America and the Caribbean |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Middle East and North Africa | <input type="checkbox"/> 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

Please select the countries where this project is being implemented *

Other, Please specify *

Project Start Date (Date of first transfer) *

2023-03-07

Project End Date *

2025-12-09

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

Will this project be submitting a Fund Transfer Request (FTR) in the next six months? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☒ No

If so, around which month do you expect to submit the request? *

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| <input type="radio"/> January | <input type="radio"/> February | <input type="radio"/> March |
| <input type="radio"/> April | <input type="radio"/> May | <input type="radio"/> June |
| <input type="radio"/> July | <input type="radio"/> August | <input type="radio"/> September |
| <input type="radio"/> October | <input type="radio"/> November | <input type="radio"/> December |

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 *

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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- ☐ 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
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- ☐ WFP: World Food Programme
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- ☐ 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
- ☐ UN Department of Peace Operations
- ☐ Other, Specify

Other, Please specify

Please select other non-UN recipients

- ☐ ACTED
 ☐ Action Aid UK
 ☐ AAITG (ActionAid the Gambia)
- ☐ 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
 ☐ Ayuda en Accion
- ☐ BIRN - Balkan Investigative Reporting Network
 ☐ BIOM -Youth Ecological Movemen
- ☐ 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
 ☐ EQUITAS
 ☐ 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)
- ☐ Geneva Centre for Security Sector Governance (DCAF)
 ☐ 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)
- ☐ Nile Sustainable Development Organization - NSDO
 ☐ OIKOS
- ☐ 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)
- ☐ SIHA (Strategic Initiative for Women in the Horn of Africa)
 ☐ SismaMujer
- ☐ SOS Sahel Sudan
 ☐ Stichting Impunity Watch
 ☐ Tearfund
- ☐ The Carter Center, Inc.
 ☐ Trocaire
 ☐ War Child
- ☐ War Childhood Museum (WCM)
 ☐ 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 **since the project's start** ?

2

To how many implementing partners has the project transferred money **during this calendar period** ?

*(for June reports: January-June;
for November reports: January-December (anticipated);
for final reports: full project duration)*

2

Please list all of the project's implementing partners and the amounts (in USD) transferred to each, both since the project's start, and specifically during this calendar period

Please select the type of organisation which best describes the type of implementing partner *

- ☐ National youth CSO
- ☐ National women's CSO
- ☐ Other National CSO
- ☐ Subnational youth CSO
- ☐ Subnational women's CSO
- ☐ Other subnational CSO
- ☐ Regional CSO
- ☐ Regional Organisation
- ☐ International NGO
- ☒ Governmental entity
- ☐ National women's and youth CSO
- ☐ Subnational women's and youth CSO
- ☐ Other

Other, Please specify

What is the name of the Implementing Partner *

National Youth Institue

What is the planned total amount (in USD) for the **overall duration of the project** to be disbursed to this implementing partner? *

Please use a dot (.) as decimal separator, instead of a comma (,)

643629.58

What is the total amount (in USD) disbursed to the implementing partner **since the project's start?** *

Please use a dot (.) as decimal separator, instead of a comma (,)

424394.52

What is the total amount (in USD) disbursed to the implementing partner **during this calendar period?** *

Please use a dot (.) as decimal separator, instead of a comma (,)

99800

Briefly describe the main activities carried out by the Implementing Partner during this calendar period *

Please limit your response to 1500 characters

The implementing partner is responsible for the update of the national youth policy, organization of youth summer camps across the country, support the creation of a digital database, design and establish youth coordination group, and conduct a rapid assessment of the National Youth Institute and Youth Employment Agency.

2

Please list all of the project's implementing partners and the amounts (in USD) transferred to each, both since the project's start, and specifically during this calendar period

Please select the type of organisation which best describes the type of implementing partner *

- ☐ National youth CSO
- ☐ National women's CSO
- ☐ Other National CSO
- ☐ Subnational youth CSO
- ☐ Subnational women's CSO
- ☐ Other subnational CSO
- ☐ Regional CSO
- ☐ Regional Organisation
- ☐ International NGO
- ☐ Governmental entity
- ☐ National women's and youth CSO
- ☐ Subnational women's and youth CSO
- ☒ Other

Other, Please specify

National NGO

What is the name of the Implementing Partner *

VOZ DI PAZ

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What is the planned total amount (in USD) for the **overall duration of the project** to be disbursed to this implementing partner?
Please use a dot (.) as decimal separator, instead of a comma (,)
483151.66

★

What is the total amount (in USD) disbursed to the implementing partner **since the project's start**?
Please use a dot (.) as decimal separator, instead of a comma (,)
325594.52

★

What is the total amount (in USD) disbursed to the implementing partner **during this calendar period**?
Please use a dot (.) as decimal separator, instead of a comma (,)
73571.86

★

Briefly describe the main activities carried out by the Implementing Partner during this calendar period
Please limit your response to 1500 characters
Voz di Paz is an important partner in the implementation of the project and was responsible for: evaluation of theNational Youth Policy (A2.1.1. and 2.1.2), follow-up of youth platforms at the local level (A 3.2.2).

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 \$) <i>Please enter the total budget as is in the project document in US Dollars</i>	Transfers to date (in full US \$) <i>Please enter the total amount transferred to each recipient to date in US Dollars</i>	Expenditure to date (in full US \$) <i>Please enter the approximate amount spent to date in US dollars</i>	Implementati on rate as a percentage of total budget (calculated automatically)

UNFPA: United Nations Population Fund	1250000	1250000	632049.23	50.56%
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Interpeace	750000	750000	495481.50	66.06%
				%
				%

	*	*	*	%
	*	*	*	%
	*	*	*	%
	*	*	*	%
TOTAL	2000000	2000000	1127530.73	56.3 8%

The approximate implementation rate as percentage of total project budget based on the values entered in the above matrix is **56.38%**. 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?

53.82

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 \$ 1076400**. Can you confirm that this is correct?

☒ Correct ☐ Incorrect

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

Amount expended to date on efforts contributing to gender equality or women's empowerment is **US \$ 606837.04**. Is this correct? *

☒ Correct ☐ Incorrect

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

ATTACH PROJECT EXCEL BUDGET SHOWING CURRENT APPROXIMATE EXPENDITURE. *

The templates for the budget are available [here](#)

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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

1

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

Despite the absence of a steering committee in the first years of the project, both UNFPA and Interpeace engaged the Minister of Culture, Youth and Sports and the Secretary of State for Youth, which allowed them to discuss the project and identify points of alignment with the Ministry's strategies and priorities. The project team held regular meetings with the Youth Institute as the governmental entity which closely accompanied the project implementation across the country. Along these meetings both UNFPA and Interpeace coordinate with the Youth Institute for the design, implementation and monitoring of project's activities. The continued communication with the technical and political representation of the Youth Institute and, through them, of main youth organizations and networks allowed the engagement of these key actors across the project implementation.

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

Due to changes in the UNFPA team's composition, a new Project Manager, a pivotal role in driving project execution, was recruited and onboarded in May 2025. The newly onboarded UNFPA Project Manager is now fully operational, allowing to draw up the acceleration plan, with a financial objective of raising the level of execution to 100% against the amount of the two disbursements.

Describe overall progress under each Outcome made during the reporting period (*for June reports: January-June; for November reports: January-December (anticipated); 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

Project progress summary

Please limit your response to 6000 characters

The first 6 months of 2025, were marked by the signature of the project No Cost Extension, extending the project duration of additional 9 months. Due to this process and delays in the disbursement of the project's 2nd tranche, the implementation suffered some delays, especially related to output 1, 2.2 and 3.2, which will be recovered in the coming months.

Despite these constraints, visible progress has been made in identifying institutional and organizational barriers that hinder youth participation, particularly regarding gender equality and inclusiveness (output 1). Strengthening the Youth Institute's capacity has been a key milestone in its role as a national institution for youth promotion and representation. As part of ongoing efforts to reinforce the institutional capacity of the National Youth Institute, two key digital innovations have been successfully finalized and are set to go live in July. Namely, a Digital Engagement Platform, designed to promote civic participation, youth empowerment, and multisectoral collaboration, this online platform will leverage technology to connect young people with opportunities supporting services that enhance their overall well-being. A National Youth Digital Library was also developed providing a centralized digital database offering access to scholar resources, research materials, and academic content. This tool will support students, researchers, and youth professionals in advancing learning and academic development nationwide. In parallel, the development of a Comprehensive Youth Atlas is underway to identify existing gaps in youth engagement and guide evidence-based policymaking. The methodology for nationwide data collection has been completed, and field data collection is currently in progress. The final Atlas is expected to be launched by early August. These results mark an important step toward strengthening the capacity of the National Youth Institute to engage, monitor, and represent youth organizations operating across the country.

Significant achievement can be recorded under output 2.1 where the participatory and inclusive process to evaluate the content of the National Youth Policy (NYP) was concluded by Interpeace and Voz di Paz in partnership with the Youth Institute. Recommendations produced contribute to integrated youth perspectives into policy and constitute a key element to make the NYP more relevant and effective in addressing the current and emerging needs of young women and men from diverse backgrounds, including those with disabilities and other marginalized groups. In the last 6 months, steps were made towards the concretization of output 2.2. Recommendations and priorities developed under output 2.1 were presented to the Minister of Culture, Youth and Sport in April 2025, while a public presentation to relevant national and international stakeholders and a dissemination among national youth organizations is foreseen for the months of June and July 2025. To note that, recommendations developed under output 2.1 stepping stones towards the update of the NYP which was included as an additional activity under this output with the NCE signed in March, contributing to broadening the scope of the project. By combining strategic insights from Outputs 1 and 2, the Youth Institute and the Government will be equipped to update the existing National Youth Policy ensuring its alignment with the UN Resolution 79/1 on the Pact for the Future as also with youth needs and priorities.

While in the last months of 2024 significant progress was achieved under output 3.1, building young men and women capacities in different domains, including conflict prevention and management, inclusion, and advocacy, in 2025 the project focuses on output 3.2. Advancements were made in enhancing youth-led inclusive advocacy efforts at the regional level through the development of 11 youth-led advocacy plans with youth platforms. Since the beginning of the project, Youth Platforms provided an informal coordination space for youth organizations in the regions, boosting their collaboration. a. . Activities from these plans will be implemented between June and October 2025 giving more visibility to young men and women with disabilities and boosting their dialogue with local authorities.

Looking ahead, the project team remains committed to ensuring the continuity and expansion of initiatives focused on inclusion, youth engagement, and gender equality, further strengthening the impact of the program in the long term.

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

Since the beginning, the project has focused on promoting gender equality, women's empowerment, and youth inclusion through concrete strategies and direct stakeholder engagement. Criteria were established to ensure greater participation of women and people with disabilities in youth organization activities in the regions and in Bissau.

The project has consistently incorporated youth in structured decision-making processes, integrating them into steering committees and technical secretariats to amplify their voice in governance. Through initiatives such as internships, summer camps, and entrepreneurship workshops, young people—especially girls—have gained access to education, leadership training, and opportunities to become agents of change.

Looking ahead, the project remains committed to expanding these actions, refining best practices, and promoting successful models to enhance inclusivity and strengthen women's representation in decision-making spaces. The continued emphasis on gender equality and youth inclusion aligns with the project's theory of change, ensuring sustainable impact and empowerment

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

Under outcome 2, the project achieved significant peacebuilding results at the institutional level, enabling youth organisations to develop shared policy priorities through the participatory evaluation of the National Youth Policy. After more than 10 years from the policy design process, the evaluation carried out allowed youth to revise the policy content and structure in light of their current needs and priorities. Recommendations developed point out the key elements which policy makers need to consider ensuring the relevance of the NYP to youth needs but also clearly indicate the process that need to be followed to ensure youth ownership and legitimation over the final results. This important change at the policy level will be consolidated with the NYP update process contributing to strengthen the institutional framework for youth empowerment in the country. Globally, the project allowed youth to work together across dividing lines to inform government policy and decision making. Youth from different organizations and national government institutions engaged along the policy evaluation process contributing to boost their sense of ownership as also their capacity to work towards a shared objective.

The project made significant progress towards empowering young people to take an active and inclusive role in monitoring and advocating for their priorities (outcome 3). While in the first years of the project implementation youth were provided with skills and opportunities to bring forward their own agendas, in the last six months steps were done for youth to further engage their local and regional authorities. Up to this moment, the project methodologies and activities resulted, in some localities, in the creation of youth offices within local administrations contributing to enhance the recognition of youth as key actors for local development. The activities implemented during the last six months were critical and will have a positive impact on boosting the dialogue between youth and local authorities.

In this regard, the consultation and participation process aligned with the objectives of UN Resolution 2250 on Youth, Peace, and Security, as well as the key pillars of the Pact for the Future namely sustainable development, peace and security, and youth participation. This strategic alignment is crucial to ensuring that the process goes beyond diagnosis and actively promotes future actions that enable young people to develop an endogenous early warning mechanism. Given their economic and political status, youth can serve as both key stakeholders and facilitators in dialogue and consultation spaces within their organizations and communities

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.

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PART II: PROJECT RESULTS FRAMEWORK

How many OUTCOMES does this project have *

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

Outcome 1: *

Youth organizations responsible for youth promotion and youth engagement are more inclusive and better represent the reality and diversity of young women and men in Guinea-Bissau

Outcome 2: *

Young men and women members of youth organisations develop shared policy priorities and organisational ground rules to inform the government activity and work together to bring them forward, valuing diversity

Outcome 3: *

Young men and women play an active and inclusive role in monitoring and advocating for public policy in sectors which are priorities for youth identified under outcome 2, contributing to increase accountability of institutions and trust at the regional and national level

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

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 all **outcome** and **output** indicators in the table below.

- 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: Youth organizations responsible for youth promotion and youth engagement are more inclusive and better represent the reality and diversity of young women and men in Guinea-Bissau**

O C 1	Outcome Indicator s	Indicator Baseline	End of Project Indicator Target	Indicator progress for reporting period	Indicator progress since project's start	Reasons for Variance/ Delay (if any)
1. 1	Percentage of youth leaders who perceive institutions to be more inclusive and representative, disaggregated by age, sex and ability	67% women's 67,6% Men's 78,1% P. Disability 67%"	60%	N/A	N/A	This indicator requires a perception survey, which will be launched in August this year
1. 2	Percentage of youth who feel well represented by their own youth organization, disaggregated by age, sex and ability	78,4% (573/731) women's 80,1% Men's 76,9% P. Disability 89%	60%	N/A	N/A	This indicator requires a perception survey, which will be launched in August this year
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Please list all outputs for outcome 1

Output 1.1

Institutional and organizational barriers impediments to youth participation with due regard to gender and inclusiveness are identified and strategies are devised and implemented for greater effective inclusion of young people

Output 1.2

The INJ role as a national institution for the promotion and representation of youth has its capacity to interact, monitor and represent youth organizations active in all the national territory is strengthened to foster intergenerational trust

Output 1.3

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 all output indicators

» Output 1.1: Institutional and organizational barriers impediments to youth participation with due regard to gender and inclusiveness are identified and strategies are devised and implemented for greater effective inclusion of young people

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1. 1. 1	Percentage of participants who feel like they better understand the barriers and leverage points to increase youth participation	N/A	60%	N/A	N/A	This indicator requires a perception survey, which will be launched in August this year
1. 1. 2	Percentage of youth organizations who are implementing a gender and inclusion strategy	30%	50	N/A	N/A	This indicators will be collected at end of the project
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» **Output 1.2: The INJ role as a national institution for the promotion and representation of youth has its capacity to interact, monitor and represent youth organizations active in all the national territory is strengthened to foster intergenerational trust**

1. 2	Output Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress since project's start <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance/ Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
1. 2. 1	% increase of traffic on the INJ website	0	70%	N/A	N/A	The digital platform will go live in July, therefore this indicator will be collected in October/November
1. 2. 2	Number of coordination meetings held between the National Youth Institute and the Youth Networks to discuss youth issues	0	least 4 meetings a year	N/A	N/A	
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» Output 1.3:

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» **Outcome 2: Young men and women members of youth organisations develop shared policy priorities and organisational ground rules to inform the government activity and work together to bring them forward, valuing diversity**

O C 2	Outcome Indicator s	Indicator Baseline	End of Project Indicator Target	Indicator progress for reporting period	Indicator progress since project's start	Reasons for Variance/ Delay (if any)
2. 1	% of participants in the NYP evaluation process who, at the end of the process, feel that they can better influence decision-making, disaggregated by age, sex, ability	52%	70%	N/A	N/A	This indicators will be collected at end of the project
2. 2	Percentage of youth who feel that collaboration among youth organizations increased thanks to the policy evaluation process, disaggregated by age, sex and ability	72%	82%	N/A	N/A	This indicators will be collected at end of the project

2. 3	% of beneficiaries who feel youth needs and priorities are better addressed by existing policies disaggregated by age, sex and ability	10,75%, including 54% of female respondents, from which only 6,84% feel youth needs and priorities are addressed.	40%	N/A	N/A	This indicators will be collected at end of the project
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How many outputs does outcome 2 have?						
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Output 2.1 A participatory and inclusive process to evaluate the contents of the NYP since 2015 and produce recommendations to make the policy more relevant to current and emerging needs of young women and men from different backgrounds, including youth, women and men, with disabilities and other marginalised groups						
Output 2.2 The youth priorities identified under output 2.1 will be disseminated among youth, government institutions and relevant stakeholders to inform current and future policies and programmes at community, regional and national levels						
Output 2.3						
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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 all output indicators

» **Output 2.1: A participatory and inclusive process to evaluate the contents of the NYP since 2015 and produce recommendations to make the policy more relevant to current and emerging needs of young women and men from different backgrounds, including youth, women and men, with disabilities and other marginalised groups**

2. 1	Output Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress since project's start <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance/ Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
2.1.1	% of participants at each step of the participatory process who are satisfied with their engagement in the process, disaggregated by age, sex and ability	NA	90%	All activities related to this indicator were carried out before the current reporting period.	Young people: 90,58 People disability: 96,8 Women: 84%	
2.1.2	A report with policy recommendations relevant to the needs of youth is produced	0	1	1 report and 1 policy brief	1 report and 1 policy brief	

2. 1. 3	Percentage of youth participating in the validation event who perceive policy recommendations as relevant to current needs of youth.	0	90%	N/A	N/A	Progress will be measured after the publication of the report (June 2025)
2. 1. 4	Percentage of youth participating in the updating process of NYP who perceive policy as relevant to current needs of youth.	90.5%	95%	N/A	N/A	Progress to be measured at the end of the project, once the results of the policy update will be available
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» **Output 2.2: The youth priorities identified under output 2.1 will be disseminated among youth, government institutions and relevant stakeholders to inform current and future policies and programmes at community, regional and national levels**

2. 2	Output Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress since project's start <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance/ Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
2. 2. 1	Number of workshops and meetings held with representatives from political and governmental institutions at the national level and international level and international organizations.	0	6	1 meeting with the Minister of Culture, Youth and Sport	1	Progress will be measured from June 2025 to the end of the projects.
2. 2. 2	Number of meetings organized by youth platforms with regional and local authorities	0	22	N/A	N/A	Progress will be measured as the activities start in the second half of 2025

2. 2. 3	Number and % of Political parties committed to advocate for investment on youth and their inclusion in the decision- making process.	0	10	N/A	N/A	Progress will be measured as the activities start in the second half of 2025
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» Output 2.3:

2. 3	Output Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress since project's start <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance/ Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
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» **Outcome 3: Young men and women play an active and inclusive role in monitoring and advocating for public policy in sectors which are priorities for youth identified under outcome 2, contributing to increase accountability of institutions and trust at the regional and national level**

O C 3	Outcome Indicator s	Indicator Baseline	End of Project Indicator Target	Indicator progress for reporting period	Indicator progress since project's start	Reasons for Variance/ Delay (if any)
3. 1	Percentage of youth leaders who report feeling capable of monitoring and advocating for public policy, disaggregated by age, sex and ability	82,4% Man 86,7% Women 77,7% Disability 81,4%	90%	N/A	N/A	No delay. Progress will be measured with endline survey at the end of the projec
3. 2	Indicator 3.2 % of youth participants who believe institutions are accountable to the needs of youth, disaggregated by age, sex and ability	80,4% Man 79,8% Women 81,1% Disability 86,4%	85%	N/A	N/A	o delay. Progress will be measured with endline survey at the end of the project
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Output 3.1

Young women and men’s capacities on public policies cycle and evaluation, public spending and advocacy and to influence decision-making and contribute to peacebuilding in Guinea-Bissau are strengthened, including their capacities on disability and on inclusion and gender equality, enabling them to better lobby and advocate for their interest based on existing policies

Output 3.2

Youth led inclusive monitoring and advocacy mechanisms and platforms are active at the regional level and connected nationally through radio, communication and online tools making the voice of young men and women more audible and giving more visibility to young men and women with disabilities

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 all output indicators

» **Output 3.1: Young women and men's capacities on public policies cycle and evaluation, public spending and advocacy and to influence decision-making and contribute to peacebuilding in Guinea-Bissau are strengthened, including their capacities on disability and on inclusion and gender equality, enabling them to better lobby and advocate for their interest based on existing policies**

3. 1	Output Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress since project's start <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance/ Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
3.1.1	Number of youth platforms, organisations and networks members who participate in the training on how to design and organise an advocacy activity without creating conflict, disaggregated by gender, age and ability	0	220	N/A	240	Activities carried out in November 2024
3.1.2	Number of participants in Youth summer camp, disaggregated by age, sex and ability	1881	least 2000	N/A	1881	The summer camps will take in August

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» **Output 3.2: Youth led inclusive monitoring and advocacy mechanisms and platforms are active at the regional level and connected nationally through radio, communication and online tools making the voice of young men and women more audible and giving more visibility to young men and women with disabilities**

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3. 2. 1	% Number of meetings/workshops where representatives of youth and local/communities authorities work together and exchange around communities and local issues relevant to youth.	0	44	N/A	4 (1 meeting, 1 rally and 2 intergenerational dialogues)	Data refers to activities carried out in 2024. Progress to be measured in the second half of 2025
3. 2. 2	Number of testimonies that show commitment of local authorities to include youth in decision making and / or youth priorities in their policies and activities	0	least 5 from youth and 5 form authorities	N/A	N/A	Progress to be measured in the second half of 2025
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Other Outputs

If Outcome 4 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 all output indicators

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» Output 4.2:

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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)

Events	Event Description	Tentative Date	Location	Target Audience	Event Objectives (900 characters)
Event 1	Public Presentation of the NYP Evaluation	June 20th	Bissau	key national and international institutions	to inform about the NYP evaluation results and advocate for the implementation of the recommendations
Event 2	Support for 7 network summer camps	July / August	Various locations nationwide	Young people from networks and associations	Capacity building of the youth from various youth network and dialogues on youth participation
Event 3	Launch event for the INJ website and digital database	August	Bissau	Young people, the government and the general public	To promote the website and database created to support access to information, communication and dissemination of the networks' work
Event 4	Roundtable for capitalization of the project results and methodologies	November	Online	UNFPA, Interpeace, PBF and PBSO and other key international actors working on YPS	to develop a common understanding on how the project methodologies can contribute to advance the YPS agenda in Bissau and West Africa.

Human Impact

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

- i. The challenges/problem they faced prior to the project implementation
- 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
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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

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- ☒ 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
- ☐ Strengthened partnerships with UN Agencies

Please explain one of the selected options

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

The project has developed an innovative digital platform that serves as an interactive civic space for young people, fostering inclusive and meaningful youth participation in digital governance. As part of this initiative, targeted digital literacy and capacity-building training were delivered to youth networks, equipping them with the skills to navigate and contribute to the digital ecosystem. In addition, the platform will host e-learning modules and multimedia resources, accessible through the newly established Youth Multifunctional Centers under the National Youth Institute, ensuring continuous knowledge exchange and digital empowerment.

Please explain one of the selected options

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

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Who are we working with *

- ☐ Strengthened partnerships with IFIs
- ☐ Strengthened partnerships between UN Agencies
- ☒ 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 engages national CSOs as implementing partners, members of the technical and steering committee and beneficiaries. Through this multiple efforts the project provides national CSOs and youth CSOs with capacities, resources and opportunities to strengthen their role as independent agents within the Bissau-guinean society. Among others, the project is closely working with Voz di Paz, a national leading peacebuilding organization whose contribution towards the project implementation was key.

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 (including 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.

the project has a strong focus on inclusion of people with disabilities who were engaged at the implementation level, across all the project activities, and at the institutional level engaging the Federation of National Associations of People with Disability as a project partner.

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.

There is a baseline for all the Outcome indicators where a baseline was meant to be collected. Data for the baseline were collected through different surveys along the project implementation. However, in view of the data collected, some targets seem quite below, which request a comparative analysis to ensure that the progress measured by endline study will not be overvalued. i.e. The target for indicator 3.2, is 60%. 80,4% youth participants in the summer camp believe that the youth institutions are accountable to the needs of youth, disaggregation by sex shows that Man's account for 79,8% and Women for 81,1%. People with Disability who believe that the youth institutions are accountable to the needs of youth is 86,4%.. This was followed by questions on the level of collaboration between youth organizations and their opinion of the relevance of youth policies. The knowledge of the NYP by the youth itself seems quite limited, but young people are overall very confident in their ability to monitor and advocate for public policy but that they are rarely considered by state institutions. They also rather often organize advocacy activities, which demonstrates a strong sense of engagement and the possibility to have those moments, but with little to no results in terms of actual changes in the policies.

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.

Reporting against indicators has been done based on the data collected before, during and after activities. Presence sheet, activity report filled out by both participant and the project team pre and post questionnaire and in some cases were used in different activities.

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

Perception survey is a formal collection of information from a randomly selected sample of respondents through their responses to standardized questions. See PBF Guidance Note for more information [link](#)

☐ Yes

☒ No

Please provide a brief description *

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

Has the project used or established community feedback mechanisms? *

Community feedback mechanism, or community-based monitoring, is an organized system for communities of participants to monitor the local effects and impact of an intervention. Ideally, this system empowers the community to express whether their expectations are being met and to provide suggestions to decision-makers for possible (re)focusing. See PBF Guidance Note for more information. [link](#)

☒ Yes

☐ No

Please provide a brief description *

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

To monitor activities implemented by the youth platforms (A3.2.2) Interpeace and Voz di Paz developed an activity report model which has the double function to collect data on the activities including data on the quality of participation and the level of achievement and, allow the youth platforms to reflect on the activities they carried out and on their own results. Also, the satisfaction questionnaire of the youth participating in the evaluation of the NYP served as assessing their participation, the level to which they were able to give their inputs, if their inputs were taking in account

» 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

90000

If project will end in next six months, is your upcoming evaluation on track?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Not Applicable

Please describe the preparations

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

The evaluation of the project is projected to end in November. A ToR for a consultant will be developed and discussed with PBF and project partners which will be engaged along the evolution process. The final report of the project evaluation will be shared in November.

Contact
information

Name

Organization

Job title

Email

Please mention the focal person responsible for sharing the final evaluation report with the PBF:	Adjombi Te	UNFPA	Programme Analyst	te@unfpa.org
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» Catalytic Effect

Catalytic Effect (financial): Has the project mobilized additional non-PBF financial resources since the project's start?	*
<div><div><input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes</div><div><input type="radio"/> No</div></div>	
How many funders has the project received additional non-PBF funding from since the project started ?	*
2	1
If yes, please indicate name of all funding agencies and respective amounts of additional non-PBF funding support that has been leveraged by the project since it started , as well as specifically during this reporting period <i>Please enter each funding agent and their contributions separately</i>	
Name of Funder	*
UNICEF	
Amount mobilized since project's start (USD) <i>Please use a dot (.) as decimal separator, instead of a comma (,)</i>	*
5115.43	
Amount mobilized during reporting period (USD) <i>Please use a dot (.) as decimal separator, instead of a comma (,)</i>	*
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If yes, please indicate name of all funding agencies and respective amounts of additional non-PBF funding support that has been leveraged by the project **since it started**, as well as specifically **during this reporting period**

Please enter each funding agent and their contributions separately

Name of Funder *

Plan International - Guinea Bissau

Amount mobilized since project's start (USD) *

Please use a dot (.) as decimal separator, instead of a comma (,)

8922.16

Amount mobilized during reporting period (USD) *

Please use a dot (.) as decimal separator, instead of a comma (,)

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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? Please refer to PBF Catalytic Effect Guidelines for more information. *

☒ 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 government, through the Secretary of State on Youth, has convened a Girl Conference that brought together approximately 400 young girls from all the country. Different thematic session was organized which allowed the girls to reinforce their capacity on matters such as: sexual and reproductive health, environment and climate change, Challenges of female leadership in Guinea-Bissau and the Argo-business as a tool for female empowerment
The catalytic effect was the fact that the Secretary of State for Youth was able to bring together young people from different organizations to prepare and carry out the event, taking care of the programmatic and logistical aspects of the conference.

Sustainability

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.

The project includes specific activities to contribute to the institutionalization of processes and practices to increase inclusion and representativeness of youth organizations. In this sense, activities foreseen under outcome 1 are contributing directly to address youth institutions, strengthening their capacities and providing them with tailored tools and procedures to ensure greater participation into decision making spaces

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.

The National Youth Institute is one of our key implementing partners. However, since the beginning of the year, the implementation of activities under their responsibility has faced significant challenges. These difficulties stem primarily from capacity constraints within the Institute, which have limited their ability to deliver as planned.

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			
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