

Costed evaluation plan – Central African Republic – UNICEF country programme of cooperation, March 2023–December 2027

The table draws from the Integrated Monitoring and Evaluation Plan to cover present evaluations planned for the duration of the programme cycle. Additional guidance on financial resources for evaluation are outlined in the revised Evaluation Policy ([E/ICEF/2018/14](#)).

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Summative evaluation of the former Communication for Development (C4D) programme 2017–2022	Pillar 1, Outcome 1 Pillar 2, Outcomes 1 and 2	Goal Areas 1–4	Long period of unevaluated programme implementation Identify root causes of harmful behaviours and practices related to child rights and appropriate strategies to address this	Inform the elaboration of the new social and behaviour change strategy including the most effective channels /influencers and strategies to address the root causes of harmful behaviours and practices related to child rights in the Central African Republic.	January 2023	200 000 (RR)
Formative evaluation of Key Result for Children (KRC) 5 – Protection from sexual violence, including the child protection community networks approach in the Central African Republic	Pillar 1, Outcome 1 Pillar 2, Outcome 2	Goal Area 3	Programme not previously evaluated. Major programme investment (more than \$10 million) Opportunity to contribute to a multi-country evaluation	Measure progress on Key Results for Children, and inform decision-making on the effectiveness of the programme for its scale-up and expansion.	July 2023	80 000 (OR)
Formative evaluation of the UNICEF–Government water,	Pillar 2, Outcome 1	Goal Area 4	Programme replication or scale-up	Generate evidence on conditions determining	July 2023	80 000 (RR)

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sanitation and hygiene (WASH) programme in the Central African Republic				effective implementation of the model and actions needed for WASH improvement – with a focus on improved partnership and sustainability.		
Formative evaluation of the national vaccination programme supported by UNICEF	Pillar 2, Outcome 1	Goal Area 1	Programme replication or scale-up	Generate evidence on conditions determining effective implementation of the model and actions needed for immunization improvement, in particular in terms of coverage and equity. Inform programme-wide adjustments, as well as specific improvements to the measles campaign.	November 2023	300 000 (OR)
Summative evaluation of the integrated approach of education, WASH and nutrition	Pillar 1, Outcome 1	Goal Areas 1, 2, 4	Innovative approach for the country programme Major programme investment (more than \$10 million)	Generate evidence for scaling up a large pilot of a key new strategy of the country programme at community level. Will take place in two phases, including collection of baseline and end-project evaluation	2023 and 2026	400 000 (OR)

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				qualitative and quantitative information.		
Formative evaluation of the UNICEF—Government education radio programme	Pillar 2, Outcome 1	Goal Area 2	Unevaluated programme implementation Strategy scale-up Flagship component of the strategies of UNICEF and the Government	Support the Country Office and national stakeholders with strategic learning for future interventions regarding enhancing and strengthening response in this programmatic area. Inform the scale-up of interventions for increased access to education for vulnerable children.	March 2024	50 000 (OR)
Formative evaluation of humanitarian response ^a	Pillar 2, Outcome 1	Humanitarian, Evaluation, policy coverage, norms Cross-cutting area	Strategy scale-up in the context of a large humanitarian programme	Inform decision-making on humanitarian programming. Capacity development, especially of the Government and implementing partners, for preparation and response to emergencies.	June 2024	90 000 (OR)
Summative evaluation of the “Education cannot wait” programme	Pillar 2, Outcome 1	Goal Area 2	Key programme for education in humanitarian settings in	New programming for next cycle.	June 2025	15 000 (OR)

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			liaison with other partners			
Formative evaluation of the new social protection strategy	Pillar 2, Outcome 1	Goal Area 5	New focus area in the programme	Inform decision-making on scalability and reinforce the strategic positioning of UNICEF social protection programme shifts that can enhance effectiveness and efficiency in a changing environment. Evaluation will also cover the link with humanitarian cash transfers.	March 2025	80 000 (OR)
Formative evaluation of the newly introduced social and behaviour change interventions in support of key results	Pillar 1, Outcome 1 Pillar 2, Outcomes 1 and 2	Goal Areas 1–5	New approach in the programme Programme replication or scale-up	Generate evidence on conditions determining effective implementation of the model and interventions designed at the beginning of the country programme document (CPD) needed for social and behaviour change improvement. Inform innovative behaviour change programming to scale up the	October 2025	90 000 (OR)

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				interventions programme.		
Formative evaluation of two key components of the health system strengthening strategy in the Central African Republic	Pillar 2, Outcome 1	Goal Area 1	Programme replication or scale-up	This evaluation will cover two components of the new health system strengthening strategy supported by UNICEF: 1) creation of Centres of Excellence for neonatal care (ELEVA) and 2) improved supply chain for medicine at district level (Post Bekou programme – European Union). It will generate evidence on these components and relevance for their scale-up.	2025	100 000 (OR)
Formative evaluation of the maternal, newborn and childcare improvement programme	Pillar 2, Outcome 1	Goal Area 1	Long period of unevaluated programme implementation	Generate evidence on conditions determining effective implementation of the model and actions needed for programme improvement.	2025	216 000 (OR)
Formative evaluation of the vaccine supply chain in the Central African Republic	Pillar 2, Outcome 1	Goal Area 1	Critical strategy for the national vaccination programme sustainability	Generate evidence on conditions determining effective implementation of	2026	80 000 (OR)

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(Effective Vaccine Management)			Global initiative	the model and actions needed for Immunization improvement.		
Formative evaluation of the Rapid Response Mechanism in the Central African Republic	Pillar 1, Outcome 1 Pillar 2, Outcomes 1 and 2	Goal Areas 1–5	Evaluations in protracted emergency contexts Opportunity to contribute to a multi-country evaluation	Generate evidence on conditions determining effective implementation of the model and actions needed for RRM improvement.	January 2026	100 000 (OR)
Summative CPD evaluation (2023–2027)	Pillar 1, Outcome 1 Pillar 2, Outcomes 1 and 2	Goal Areas 1–5	The evidence and lessons learned from this evaluation will help UNICEF to position itself strategically in a changing context	Inform the next UNICEF CPD, 2028–2032, on strategic programme shifts that can enhance relevance, effectiveness, efficiency, sustainability, coherence and impact, demonstrating the contribution of UNICEF to the achievement of child-centred Sustainable Development Goals in the Central African Republic.	January 2026	150 000 (RR)

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Total resources						430 000 (RR) 1 601 000 (OR) 2 031 000 (Total)

^a According to the UNICEF revised evaluation policy coverage norms, evaluation of humanitarian action Protracted Level 1 emergencies should be evaluated at least every three to five years. Short-term Level 2 (L-2) emergencies must be evaluated at least once. Protracted L-2 emergencies should be evaluated once every three years. Short term Level 3 (L-3) emergencies must be evaluated at least once. Protracted L-3 emergencies should be evaluated once every three years.