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Monitoring and Evaluation Framework for CHANGE Project

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| Evaluation criteria | Exemplary questions |
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| Relevance | <p>Are the project goals, concepts, strategies and activities consistent?</p> <p>Are they adequate in relation to the country / community environment and regarding the cultural practices around FGM?</p> <p>Are the project activities relevant to achieve a significant impact among the communities and key professionals?</p> <p>Are the selected change agents able to ensure the success of the project?</p> |
| Effectiveness | <p>Are project materials (e.g. prevention brochure, website, training manual) effective to achieve the project objectives (community dialogue, reduction of social/ cultural pressures, behavioural change, end of stigmatization)?</p> <p>Are the project materials and activities culturally sensitive and gender sensitive?</p> <p>Have project objectives been achieved, or will they be likely to be achieved over the course of the project?</p> <p>What are the factors of success, what are the challenges in the project implementation and framework conditions?</p> |
| Efficiency | <p>Are project resources spent in ways that bring about the project objectives?</p> <p>Are spending patterns within the project commensurate with project goals?</p> <p>Are activities organized so that resources are used optimally?</p> |
| Impact | <p>Which positive or negative, intended or unintended impacts does the project achieve?</p> <p>What is the projects contribution to the elimination of FGM in Europe?</p> <p>Does the project contribute to empowering women and girls in the affected communities?</p> <p>What are the project's side effects (e.g. in the communities, among key professionals, among project partners, and in societies)?</p> |
| Sustainability and transfer | <p>To what extent are the project's impacts sustainable?</p> <p>Is the organizational structure of the overall project conducive to sustain the project's impacts?</p> <p>Is the material (e.g. training manual) like to be used by other NGOs? Have others expressed their interest already?</p> <p>Which other factors impact the sustainability and transferability of project results?</p> |
| Comparison between project implementation plan and reality | <p>Is the project implementation according to plan, both in qualitative and quantitative measures?</p> <p>What are the reasons for disparities? Is it necessary to change the plan?</p> |