Day 4, Q1: In your work reality, what is the general level of importance in terms of evaluation and reporting on the "Status of Gender" in your projects/programmes?

Gender in PCM/Step 4 - EVALUATION & REPORTING, Peer-led sharing

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GROUP 1

Reporting très important, cela rappelle l'importance de la dimension genre et permet de mesurer l'impact

GROUP 2

Gender taken into account in evaluation

- in the TOR
- in the logframe (indicators) => in the Monitoring => in the evaluation - disagregated data (counting W/M is easy)
- Challenge: quality
- mandatory for reporting

GROUP 3

JORDAN: Project-level: gender M&E is taken seriously by partners, through the review of progress reports. Monitoring conducted also through field visits, but to a lesser extent. The regional office (Jordan) uses a transversal tool which includes gender aspects in evaluation, but also CSPM and governance. Tool is still new and could be used more, for example in the field.

ETHIOPIA: medium importance assigned to gender M&E. Usually passive / reactive approach, not enough proactive, but it is definitely improving with time. Timing is a key issue. E.g. gender should be included in all phases of PCM before the M&E phases, but this is not always the case. A multi-thematic tool such as the one used in Jordan could be useful.

M&E should not only be up to the gender focal points (GFP), rather up to each and everyone in the office. GFPs cannot ensure that gender-related M&E is systematically done everywhere, it is a collective and shared responsibility. And this applies not only to gender M&E, but to the entirety of gender in PCM beyond M&E.

GROUP 4

In Gender SIGN projects, gender is not always systematically included. It is, when it is clearly included in the ToR of evaluators, if gender expertise within the evaluation team is requested and when the report has some mandatory section on gender.

In the TVET/labour market proejct (Moldova), which is a Principal project, it is very relevant (high level of importance). Have strong gender results and findings can help to build the case and "convince" different stakeholders, e.g. government.

GROUP 5

Egypt: High level of importance.

- In annual report
- Just recently using the MENA Regional action plan

Sudan & Kenya: Reflected and Reported in the Annual report.
