

National Decision Making and Partners

At the central level, the coordination and program management is under the responsibility and guidance of the Ministry of External Relations (MIREX), through its National Direction of Policies Affairs and Cooperation.

Related to each technical sectors, please refer the list below:

Good Governance:

1. Accomplishment of economic graduation and integration in the global economy

This sub-programme aims to support national efforts dealing with new emerging challenges within the management framework of the post-graduation period and access to the WTO, by focusing on promoting access to new forms of finance and investment (national priority).

Agencies: UNCTAD (lead agency), CCI, FAO, UNIDO (Members of the Inter Agency CEB (CCS) for Trade and Productive Capacity) and ITU. UNDP will provide all of the human and financial resources that are needed to support the planned activities.

National Partners: The Ministry of Economy, Growth and Competitiveness, the Ministry of Finance, the Ministry of Environment, Rural Development and Marine Resources, Central Bank, The Capeverdian Investment Agency and Private and Academic Sectors.

2. Strengthening of Security

This sub-programme aims to reinforce the Rule of Law and the fight against organized crime.

Agencies: UNODC (lead agency), ITU, OIM₁, UNDP, UNFPA, UN-HABITAT, UNHCR and UNIFEM.

National Partners: the Ministry of Justice, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Cooperation and Communities, the Ministry of Labour, Professional Training and Social Solidarity, the Home Office, the Ministry of Education and Higher Education, the Ministry of Finance and Banking Institutions, the Capeverdian Institute for Equity and Equality of Gender, the Commission for Coordinating the Fight against Drugs.

Consolidating democracy

This sub-programme aims to promote and reinforce decentralized planning and management. It aims to reduce disparities, taking into account the multiple insularities of Cape Verde. It also promotes the development of a national information society promoting access for all.

Agencies: UNDP (lead agency), UNFPA and UNIFEM.

National Partners: the National Electoral Commission, the National Assembly, DGCS, the National Institute of Statistics, the Unit for State Coordination and Reform, DGT, DGAL, the Capeverdian Institute for Gender Equity and Equality, the National Association for the Municipalities of Cape Verde, NOSI, UGCC and Civil Society.

II – Promotion of Growth and Economic Opportunities:

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This sub-programme aims to reduce both inequalities in terms of economic opportunities, and Cape Verde's dependency on ODA and the Diaspora, by promoting robust economic growth, the competitiveness of micro, small and medium enterprises, generating decent and productive employment and finally, promoting a sustainable fight against poverty, including urban poverty.

Agencies: UNIDO (lead agency), ILO, ONU-HABITAT, UNCTAD, ITU, FAO, UNAIDS, UNDP, UNCDF, UNESCO, UNFPA, UNIFEM, UNCDF, UNDP, UNICEF, OIM₂ and IMF.

National Partners: the Ministry of Economy, Growth and Competitiveness, the Ministry of Finance, the Ministry of Environment, Rural Development and Marine Resources, the Ministry of Defense, the Ministry of Youth and Sports, the Ministry of Decentralization, Housing and Town Planning, Banking Institutes, the Agency for the Development of the Private Sector, CI, commercial and industrial Associations, Municipalities, Community Institutes, the Capeverdean Institute for Gender Equity and Equality, Platform of NGOs, Chambers of Commerce, Universities, Diaspora, CCS-SIDA, the National Institute of Statistics, INGRH, NGO, NOSI, civil society.

III- Environment, Energy, Disasters Prevention and Response:

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This sub-programme aims to reduce the country's dependency on fossil fuels as well as the ecological vulnerability and climate change by reinforcing environmental protection and the capacity to respond to disasters.

Agencies: UNDP (lead agency), UNEP, FAO, UNIDO, ONU-HABITAT, UNESCO, WMO, WHO, UNFPA, UN/ISDR, UNICEF and UNOCHA.

National Partners: the Ministry of Environment, Rural Development and Marine Resources, the Ministry of Economy, Growth and Competitiveness, the National Service for Civil Protection, INGRH, the National Meteorological and Geophysical Institute, the National Association of the Municipalities of Cape Verde, the Civil Engineering Laboratory, commercial and industrial Associations, Platform of NGOs.

IV- Human Capital and Social Protection:

6. Quality of the Education System

This sub-programme aims to reinforce capacities to bring to reality the vision of social and economic transformation in Cape Verde.

Agencies: UNESCO (lead agency), ILO, FAO, WHO, UNAIDS, WFP, ITU, UNFPA, UNICEF, UNIDO and UNIFEM.

National Partners: the Ministry of Education and Higher Education, the Ministry of Labour, Professional Training and Social Solidarity, Universities, ICIEG, ICASE.

7. Youth Participation

This sub-programme aims to support young people to exercise their right to active participation in the country's development, through promotion of volunteer services and reinforcement of civil society institutions and organizations.

Agencies: UNFPA (lead agency), UNICEF, WHO, UNAIDS and UNV.

National Partners: the Ministry of Youth and Sports, NGOs, the League of Juvenile Associations, Municipalities, the Capeverdian Youth Federation.

8. Contribution to the reform of the health sector

This sub-programme aims to support national institutions by implementing and monitoring progress in the realization of health service-related human rights. Particular attention is put on the most vulnerable.

Agencies: WHO (lead agency), UNICEF, UNAIDS, WFP, UNDP and UNFPA.

National Partners: the Ministry of Health, the Ministry of Education and Higher Education, the Ministry of Labour, Professional Training and Social Solidarity, CCS/SIDA, ICIEG, Municipalities, Associations for Disabled People, NGOs.

9. Child and Social Protection

This sub-programme aims to support national and community institutions to ensure a protective environment for children and an effective and long-lasting social protection system.

Agencies: UNICEF (lead agency), FAO, UNODC, UNAIDS, WFP, ITU, UNFPA, and WHO.

National Partners: the Ministry of Health, the Ministry of Education and Higher Education, the Ministry of Labour, Professional Training and Social Solidarity, CCS/SIDA, ICIEG, ICCA, Municipalities, Associations for Disabled People, NGOs.