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EXTENSION

LOGIC FOR EFFECTIVELY LINKING
PROGRAM DESIGN & PROGRAM EVALUATION

MONITORING & EVALUATION

Criteria: Desired Attributes of the Program as the Basis/Lenses to **Design & Evaluate** it.

Criteria: Relevance, Effectiveness, Efficiency, Sustainability, Coherence, Impact (OECD-DAC Criteria).
Principles: Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, & Justice.

THE BASIS FOR DEVELOPING A PROGRAM LOGICAL FRAMEWORK/THEORY OF CHANGE/ LOGIC MODEL

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INDICATORS

POSITIVE STATEMENTS

IMPACT
on the sector, sub-sector, national, or state goals.

Desired change or effect, progress end result, consequence, effect

PROGRAM DESIGN:

THEORY

BEST PRACTICES

LENS: OECD-DAC CRITERIA

GOALS	ACTIVITIES	PURPOSE	ASSUMPTIONS
WIDER ISSUE/OPPORTUNITY that the program can only influence/help to solve/prevent.	POTENTIAL SOLUTIONS/ACTIONS	OBJECTIVES Those over which the program can have complete influence. Desired change, effect, progress	FACTORS/CONDITIONS

POSITIVE POSITIVE POSITIVE POSITIVE

Why is the program being done?

NEGATIVE NEGATIVE NEGATIVE NEGATIVE

CONVERT or RESTATE

NEGATIVE STATEMENTS

LISTEN THE AUDIENCES

REVIEW OF LITERATURE

CONSULT SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTS

BENCHMARKS

NEEDS ASSESSMENT

RATIONALE OF THE PROGRAM: THE CENTRAL PROBLEM or OPPORTUNITY	ROOT CAUSES	CONSEQUENCES	RISKS
-What is known about the problem? -What is the gap between the current & the desired state? -Who or what is affected by the problem?	-Why does the problem or opportunity exist? Root causes preventing achieving the goals.	-Identify the real causes of the problem. -Avoid focusing on the symptoms.	External factors/conditions potentially influencing the program implementation that maybe out of its control.

CONTEXT

PROBLEM/OPPORTUNITY: CAUSE-EFFECT