



DFAT DEVELOPMENT EVALUATION PLAN 2026–27 to 2028–29

INTRODUCTION

This Development Evaluation Plan outlines the independent evaluations DFAT expects to complete and publish over financial years 2026–27 to 2028–29.

EVALUATIONS

DFAT country, regional, global and sector development programs are responsible for identifying, completing and publishing a minimum number of evaluations each year that will help account for and improve their work. The recommended minimum number for each program is set out in the [Development Evaluation Policy](#). Program areas have flexibility to determine the highest priority issues their evaluations should focus on.

REPORTING

DFAT publishes a report of all published evaluations on the [DFAT website](#) and in the annual [Performance of Australian Development Cooperation](#) report. Evaluations can also be accessed through the [AusDevPortal](#).

PACIFIC

Pacific regional

- End of investment review - Access to agricultural markets for Pacific Products Phase 2
- Evaluation of the Pacific Church Partnership Program
- Final Evaluation for the International Finance Corporation (IFC) Pacific Partnership II
- Final Evaluation of Pacific Regional Market Access (PHAMA) Plus Program Phase II
- Mid-Term Evaluation of Balance Of Power Program
- Mid-Term Review of Phase 2 Pacific Specialised Clinical Services & Health Workforce Improvement Program (PSCSHWIP II)
- Mid-Term Review of the Papua New Guinea and the Pacific Islands Umbrella Facility
- Papua New Guinea and Pacific Islands Umbrella Facility Trust Fund (PPIUF) Independent Strategic Review
- Private Sector Development Initiative (PSDI) End of Phase IV Evaluation
- Evaluation of Australia's support to the Pacific Islands Forum Permanent Delegation to the WTO, United Nations, and Geneva-based organisations
- Final Evaluation of Support for Pacific Statistics
- Final Evaluation of the Pacific Insurance and Climate Adaptation Programme
- Independent Evaluation of the Educational Quality and Assessment Programme (EQAP)
- Mid-Term Evaluation of Coalition for Disaster Resilient Infrastructure (CDRI) - Infrastructure for Resilient Island States initiative (CDRI-IRIS)
- Mid-Term Evaluation of Pacific Labour Mobility Support Program (PLMSP)
- Mid-Term Evaluation of Pacific Regional Infrastructure Facility (PRIF) Phase V
- Mid-Term Review of Pacific Australia Skills
- Pacific Aviation Program Evaluation
- Pacific Digital Economy Programme (PDEP) Evaluation
- End of Investment Evaluation of Pacific Maritime Boundaries Program
- Mid-Term Review of the Pacific Fusion Centre
- Mid-Term Review of the Pacific Security College

Papua New Guinea

- Accelerated Immunisation and Health Systems Strengthening Phase 2 (AIHSS2) Mid-Term Review
- Australia Awards in Papua New Guinea Mid-Term Review
- Climate FIRST (Finance Initiative for Resilience and a Sustainable Transition) Mid-Term Review
- Incentive Fund Phase V Mid-Term Review
- Incentive Fund Phases 1-4 Review
- Papua New Guinea Women Lead Mid-Term Review
- Australia Papua New Guinea Law and Justice Partnership Mid-Term Review

- Australia-Papua New Guinea Network Mid-Term Review
- DFAT Bilateral Funding to World Health Organisation Country Office Evaluation
- Kokoda Initiative Partnership Mid-Term Review
- Papua New Guinea Secondary Education Program Mid-Term Review
- Transport Sector Support Program Phase 3 (TSSP3) Mid-Term Review
- United Nations Papua New Guinea Country Fund Mid-Term Review
- Western Province Program (WPP) Mid-Term Review
- Economic and Social Infrastructure Program Phase 2 Mid-Term Review
- Humanitarian Assistance and Disaster Response Program Mid-Term Review
- Strategic Health Infrastructure Evaluation
- Strongim Wok Long Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) Mid-Term Review
- Supporting Electoral Reform in Papua New Guinea Mid-Term Review
- UNOPS Rapid Health Facility Assessment and Capacity Development Program Evaluation

Solomon Islands

- Mid-Term Review of Australia Awards in Solomon Islands
- Mid-Term Review of Australia Solomon Islands Support Facility
- Mid-Term Review of the Australia Solomon Islands Governance Program
- Review of Ending Violence against Women and Girls for Solomon Islands and Advancing Gender Equality in Solomon Islands
- Evaluation of Solomon Islands Australia Partnership for Health
- Mid-Term Review of Community Access and Urban Services Enhancement Program Phase II
- End of Program Evaluation of Climate Resilient Green Growth Project (GGGI)
- End of Program Evaluation of Private Sector Development
- Mid-Term Review of Australia Solomon Islands Education Program

Fiji

- Mid-Term Review of the Fiji Program Support Platform
- Mid-Term Review of the Australia-Fiji Education Program
- Mid-Term Review of the Australia-Fiji Health Program
- Mid-Term Review of the Disaster Resilience Program
- Evaluation of the Fiji Social Infrastructure Program
- Mid-Term Review of the Fiji Climate Adaptation Program

Vanuatu

- Famili i Redi II Evaluation
- Mid-Term Evaluation of Wan Smolbag Theatre Community Partnership
- Mid-Term Review of Vanuatu Australia Policing and Justice Program

- Mid-Term Review of Vanuatu Australian Infrastructure for Development Program
- Mid-Term Review of Governance for Growth Phase 4
- Progress Evaluation Edukesen mo Skills Patnasip (ESP)

Samoa

- End of Program Review of the Construction of Samoa Legislative Assembly Office
- End of Program Review: Samoa Health System Strengthening Program for Results (P4R)

Tonga

- 15-Year Retrospective Evaluation of the Tonga-Australia Governance Partnership
- Evaluation of Families Free of Violence
- Completion Review for the Tonga Australia Support Program (TASP)
- Independent Review of Kafa-Taha Tonga Australia Governance Program
- Mid-Term Review of the Tonga Australia Partnership for Resilient Communities
- Mid-Term Review of Tonga Health Sector Support Phase 4

Tuvalu

- Mid-Term Review of Te Ao - Tuvalu–Australia Partnership on Economic Governance

Kiribati

- Mid-Term Evaluation of the Kiribati Australia Infrastructure Program (Te KAI)
- Mid-Term Review of Kiribati Australia Health Sector Program Phase 2 (KAHSP)

Naoero

- Independent Program Review of Naoero Education Program
- Mid-Term Evaluation of Naoero-Australia Partnership on Economic Governance (NAPEG)
- Mid-Term Evaluation of Ata Amin Bwini Facility

Australian Infrastructure Financing Facility for the Pacific (AIFFP)

- Australian Infrastructure Financing Facility for the Pacific (AIFFP) 3-year Review
- Papua New Guinea Ports Infrastructure Investment Program Mid-Term Review

SOUTHEAST ASIA

Indonesia

- Impact Evaluation of Australia Indonesia Partnership Towards an Inclusive Society (INKLUSI)
- Independent Evaluation of Innovation for Indonesia's School Children (INOVASI) Phase 3
- Independent Evaluation of Partnership for Climate, Renewable Energy and Infrastructure (KINETIK 1.0)
- Independent Review Early Grade Learning (EGL) Phase 3.2
- Mid-Term Review of Synergy and Collaboration for Basic Services Acceleration (SKALA)
- Strategic Evaluation of KIAT End-of-Facility Report
- End of Program Evaluation of Partnership for Australia Indonesia Research (PAIR) Sulawesi
- Independent Completion Evaluation of SIAP SIAGA Phase II
- Independent Evaluation of Australia Indonesia Partnership for Justice (AIPJ) Phase 3
- Independent Mid-Term Review of Australia World Bank Indonesia Partnership (ABIP) Phase II
- Independent Evaluation of Australia Indonesia Partnership for Health Transformation (KITA SEHAT)
- Independent Evaluation of BRIDGE School Partnership Program in Indonesia
- Independent Evaluation of Indonesia Democratic Participation Program
- Independent Evaluation of the Australia Awards in Indonesia (AAI) Program
- Mid-Term Evaluation of Indonesia-Australia Comprehensive Economic Partnership (KATALIS) Phase 2

Timor-Leste

- Mid-Term Review of Australia Awards Timor-Leste
- Partnership for Human and Development (PHD) (primary healthcare, education and social protection) End of Facility Evaluation
- TLAus4Resilience Mid-Term Review
- Nabilan (Ending Violence Against Women and Children) Mid-Term Review

Philippines

- Coalitions for Change Phase 3 Mid-Term Review
- Independent Completion Review of the Philippine Red Cross Multiyear Prepositioning Arrangement
- Mid-Term Review of the Fostering Advancement of Inclusive and Rights-Based Justice (FAIR) Program
- Strategic Midterm Review of the Peacebuilding in Conflict-Affected Mindanao Phase 2 (PCAM 2) Program
- Mid-Term Evaluation of the Education Quality for Inclusive Prosperity (EQUIP) Program
- Mid-Term Review of the Social Protection, Inclusion and Gender Equality (SPRING) Program
- Mid-Term Review of New Climate Change Program
- Mid-term review of PROGRESS: Promoting Growth, Resilience, Economic Stability and Sustainability in the Philippines

Vietnam

- End of Programme Evaluation of the Joint Programme on Elimination of Violence Against Women and Children (EVAWC) in Viet Nam (2021-2026)
- Gender-Responsive Equitable Agriculture and Tourism (GREAT) Review
- Independent Evaluation of Aus4Skills Investment
- Mid-Term Review of Aus4Innovation
- Mid-Term Review of Transforming Rice Value Chains for Climate Resilient Sustainable Development in the Mekong Delta
- Mid-Term Evaluation of the Aus4Adaptation Program
- Mid-Term Evaluation of Australia-Vietnam Partnership for Economic Growth (Aus4Growth)

Cambodia

- Mid-Term Review of Australia Cambodia Cooperation for Equitable Sustainable Services Phase 2 (ACCESS 2)
- Mid-Term Review of Ponlok Chomnes II - Data and Dialogue for Development in Cambodia
- Knowledge Sector Review
- Mid-Term Review of Cambodia Development Support Unit (CDSU)
- Independent Final Evaluation: Improving Social Protection and Health Phase 2 (ISPH 2)
- Mid-Term Evaluation of the Australia Cambodia Partnership for Climate Resilience Program (ACP4Climate)

Laos

- End of Program Evaluation of the Basic Education Quality and Access in Lao PDR (BEQUAL) Phase II

ASEAN and Mekong

- Final Evaluation of Mekong Thought Leadership and Think Tanks Network Program
- Final Evaluation of Mekong Inclusion Project Phase 2
- Independent End of Program Review for ASEAN-Australia Counter Trafficking program (ASEAN-ACT)
- Independent Evaluation of Resilient Urban Centres and Surrounds
- Mid-Term Review of Strengthening Climate Resilience in Lower Mekong Program with Oxfam
- Final Evaluation of Mekong Safeguards Phase II
- Mid-Term Review of Mekong Inclusive Water Governance and Climate Resilience Program
- Mid-Term Review of the Aus4ASEAN Futures Initiative
- Mid-term Review of the Third Phase of Australia's Support to Economic Research Institute for ASEAN and East Asia (ERIA)
- Mid-Term Review of the Mekong-Australia Partnership Phase 2
- Endline Evaluation of Mekong Elevate: Ethnic Minority Communities Driving Gender-Just and Socially-Just Climate Action in the Mekong Sub-region
- Mid-Term Evaluation of Building Climate-adaptive Solutions through Inclusive Market Networks

Southeast Asia regional

- Evaluation of Australia Malaysia Reform Partnerships (AMRP)

- Mid-Term Review of Southeast Asia Government Partnerships (SEAG2G)
- Australia-Malaysia Kerjasama Program Evaluation
- Partnerships for Infrastructure Phase 2 Mid-Term Review

SOUTH AND CENTRAL ASIA

Bangladesh

- Evaluation of Bangladesh Economic Engagement Program (BEEP)
- Evaluation of the Skills for Economic Growth and Prosperity Phase 2 Investment

Sri Lanka

- Mid-Term Review of THRIVE - Together for Her: Resilience-building, Inclusivity and Voices for Equality
- Evaluation of TAF's Strengthening Governance Program

Nepal

- End of Program Evaluation for Subnational Governance Program Phase II
- End of Program Evaluation for HI-GRID (Building capabilities for green, climate resilient and inclusive dev. in lower koshi river basin)

Maldives

- End of Program Evaluation of UNDP Integrated Governance Program Phase 3

MIDDLE EAST AND AFRICA

Middle East and North Africa

- Strategic Review of Australia's Official Development Assistance to Palestine

Sub-Saharan Africa

- End of Program Evaluation of Australia Awards Africa
- Mid-Term Evaluation of Africa-Australia Partnership for Climate Responsive Agriculture

GLOBAL

Humanitarian

- National Critical Care and Trauma Response Centre (NCCTRC) End of Program Evaluation
- Pacific Humanitarian Warehouse Program Mid-Term Review
- Pacific Islands Emergency Management Alliance Mid-Term Review
- Australia Assists Phase 2 Mid-Term Review
- Evaluation of the Humanitarian Deployable Disaster Assistance Response Teams Program
- Humanitarian Logistics Capability Phase 2 Mid Term Review
- Australian Red Cross Humanitarian Program (2025-2029) Mid-Term Review
- Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights (SRHR) in Humanitarian Crises Evaluation

NGOs, Volunteers and Community Programs

- Review of the Australian NGO Cooperation Program (ANCP) Anticipatory Action Pilot
- Independent Evaluation of the Australian NGO Cooperation Program

Education and Scholarships

- Australia Awards Global Support Mechanism (AAGSM) Global Research Unit (GRU) Year 3 Evaluation
- Australia Awards Global Support Mechanism (AAGSM) Global Support Unit (GSU) Year 3 Evaluation

SECTOR

Gender Equality, Disability and Social Inclusion

- Intersectionality in Practice Thematic Evaluation
- Strengthening Capacities for Measuring Violence against Women (kNOwVAWdata) Phase II (Asia Pacific) End-of-Phase Evaluation
- UN Women Essential Services Package and Prevention Frameworks and Guidance End-Term Review
- World YWCA RiseUp! Young Women's Leadership Program Mid Term Review
- Empowered and Equal Futures for Girls through Education in Southeast Asia End of Phase Evaluation
- Equality Collaboration Evaluation
- Independent Review of Women's World Banking
- Making Every Woman and Girl Count (Women Count) Phase II End of Phase Evaluation
- Mid-Term Evaluation of Stronger Movements, Stronger Futures
- Mid-Term Review of DFAT's Equity Hub

Climate Change and Environment

- Australian Development Investments Impact Report
- End of Program Evaluation of Community Based Adaptation
- Final Evaluation of the Market Development Facility
- Mid-Term Review of Australian Water Partnership Phase 3
- Mid-Term Review of the Climate Resilient Communities Program
- Australian Climate Finance Partnership Impact Study

National and Economic Resilience

- Mid-Term Evaluation of the Regional Trade for Development (RT4D) Investment
- Mid-Term Evaluation of Southeast Asia-Pacific Cyber Program (SEA-PAC)
- Mid-Term Review of Australia's APEC Support Program Phase 2

Regional and Global Health

- Mid-Term Review of the Partnerships for a Healthy Region Initiative
- Mid-Term Review of the Product Development and Access Partnerships
- Mid-Term Review of Towards Universal Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights in the Indo Pacific (TUSIP)