## **EVALUATION FUNCTION & WORKPLAN UPDATE**

## **Evaluation Round Table - January 23rd 2014**

**Office of Evaluation (OEV)** 



2014 Key Dates	Peer Review Schedule	
Jan 27-31 <sup>st</sup>	Peer Review Panel visits Rome HQ	
Jan 30 <sup>th</sup>	<ul> <li>Peer Review Panel meeting with EB Members</li> <li>Time: 15:15-16:45</li> <li>Venue: 0R00</li> </ul>	
March 21 <sup>st</sup>	Final Report issued by the Panel	
May 16 <sup>th</sup>	Panel Chair presents Summary Report to EB Annual Consultation on Evaluation	
June Annual EB session	Peer Review Report tabled for information only	
Sept 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Informal EB Consultation on Management Response to Peer Review	
November EB session	Consideration of Management Response	

#### **Proposed EB schedule on evaluation engagement in 2014**

Key Dates	Focus
Roundtable January 23 <sup>rd</sup>	<ul> <li>Informal:</li> <li>Gender Policy Evaluation &amp; Management Response</li> <li>Evaluation function &amp; update on selected workplan items</li> </ul>
Executive Board Session February 2014	<ul> <li>For consideration:</li> <li>Gender Policy Evaluation &amp; Management Response</li> <li>Food For Assets Evaluations &amp; Management Responses: <ul> <li>Guatemala</li> <li>Senegal</li> <li>Uganda</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Annual Consultation on Evaluation May 16 <sup>th</sup>	<ul> <li>Informal:</li> <li>Annual Evaluation Report 2013 &amp; Management Response</li> <li>Evaluation Peer Review Report, with Panel Chair</li> <li>Synthesis of Food For Assets Evaluation Series &amp; Management Response</li> <li>Evaluation Approaches &amp; Methods Seminar</li> </ul>
Executive Board Annual Session June 2014	<ul> <li>For consideration:</li> <li>Annual Evaluation Report 2013 &amp; Management Response</li> <li>Synthesis of Food For Assets Evaluation Series &amp; Management Response</li> <li>Regional Portfolio Evaluation Central America &amp; Management Response</li> <li>For information:</li> <li>Evaluation Peer Review Report</li> </ul>
Consultation Roundtable September 3rd	<ul> <li>Informal:</li> <li>Management Response to the Peer Review Report</li> <li>OEV Workplan 2015</li> <li>Food Security Cluster Evaluation &amp; Management Response</li> </ul>
Executive Board Session November 2014	<ul> <li>For consideration</li> <li>Management Response to the Evaluation Peer Review Report</li> <li>Food Security Cluster Evaluation &amp; Management Response</li> <li>Uganda CPE &amp; Management Response</li> <li>DRC CPE &amp; Management Response</li> <li>Synthesis of Operations Evaluations</li> </ul>

## **OEV Workplan Summary Update**

	To be completed in 2014	To start in 2014 (for completion in 2015)
Synthesis	<ul> <li>Impact of food for assets on livelihood resilience</li> <li>Operation evaluations 2013/2014*</li> <li>Annual Evaluation Report 2013</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Strategic evaluations series: Emergency preparedness and response</li> <li>Operation evaluations 2014/2015</li> </ul>
Strategic	<ul> <li>WFP's use of pooled funds</li> <li>Global food security cluster</li> <li>Purchase for Progress (P4P)</li> <li>Preparedness and Response Enhancement Programme (PREP)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ending child hunger and undernutrition (REACH)</li> </ul>
Policy	Cash and Voucher	Nutrition
Country Portfolio	<ul><li>Uganda</li><li>Democratic Republic of the Congo</li><li>Indonesia</li></ul>	• Tanzania
Other		Syria Response
Related workstreams	<ul> <li>WFP evaluation peer review</li> <li>BPR Assessment of WFP's field-level evaluation function</li> <li>Evaluation assessment of Strategic Plan 2014-2017</li> <li>Evaluability assessment of Moderate acute malnutrition</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Evaluation Policy Update (Peer Review follow up)</li> <li>Decentralized Evaluation function development</li> <li>International Agenda-Humanitarian Evaluation Eg: IASC evaluation pilots (Philippines, CAR) tbc</li> </ul>

\*CP: Cambodia, Burkina Faso, Mozambique PPRO: Philippines, Tajikistan, Chad, Madagascar, Ethiopia, Kenya EMOP: Regional (OMD) DEV: Swaziland, Haiti

#### **'Purchase for Progress' pilot initiative Strategic Evaluation**

- Reference period: 2008-2013
- **Coverage**: 20 countries; 6 country visits
- External Advisory Group (EAG):
  - ✓ P4P Technical Review Panel
  - ✓ P4P largest financial donors

Key dates	Evaluation timeline
January-March 2014	Inception phase
June-July 2014	Country Visits
November 2014	Workshop including EAG
February 2015	Presentation of the Evaluation Results to EB

### WFP's use of Pooled funds Strategic Evaluation

- **Reference period**: 2009-2013
- Part of OEV's Strategic Evaluation Series covering Emergency Preparedness and Response
- **Coverage**: 62 country offices with CERF, CHF & ERF funding
- External Advisory Group (EAG):
  - ✓ CERF Secretariat
  - ✓ OCHA (ERF, CHF and Evaluation Office)
  - ✓ UNDP (Multi-Partner Trust Fund Office)
  - ✓ UNHCR
  - ✓ Key donors

Key dates	Evaluation timeline
February-March 2014	Inception phase
May-June 2014	Country Visits and data analysis
February 2015	Presentation of the Evaluation Results to EB

# Thank you