

DELIVERING RESILIENT ENTERPRISES AND MARKET SYSTEMS (DREAMS) FOR REFUGEES



BASIC PROGRAM INFORMATION

COUNTRY
Uganda

REGION
Sub-Saharan Africa

LEAD IMPLEMENTING AGENCY
Village Enterprise

TYPE LEAD IMPLEMENTING AGENCY
NGO

START DATE
07/01/2022

END DATE
06/01/2027

P-CODE (WB PROGRAMS)
DNA

GLOBAL PRACTICE (WORLD BANK)
Non-WB

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

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Wage employment	Food security	Financial inclusion	Self-employment
Market access	Social services	Income diversification	Women's empowerment
Social cohesion	Productivity	Social inclusion	Climate resilience

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

DREAMS combines poverty graduation and market systems development to reach the most vulnerable refugees, enabling them to significantly improve their income and well-being.

PROGRAM COMPONENTS



TRANSFER



COACHING



BUSINESS CAPITAL



FINANCIAL SERVICES FACILITATION



WAGE EMPLOYMENT FACILITATION



MARKET LINKS



SKILLS TRAINING



CLIMATE RESILIENCE SUPPORT

AVERAGE PROGRAM DURATION FOR PARTICIPANTS

Under one year	Between one and three years	More than three years
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DO PARTICIPANTS ACCESS COMPONENTS IN A SPECIFIC SEQUENCE?

YES NO

DIGITIZATION

COMPONENTS DELIVERED DIGITALLY

TRANSFER	COACHING	BUSINESS CAPITAL
FINANCIAL SERVICES FACILITATION	MARKET LINKS	SKILLS TRAINING
CLIMATE RESILIENCE SUPPORT	WAGE EMPLOYMENT	



COUNTRY INFORMATION

LENDING CATEGORY (WB ONLY)
IDA

FCV COUNTRY (WB FY24 LIST)
No

TOTAL POPULATION (MILLION)
45.85

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (NPL) (%)
20.30%

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (\$2.15/DAY (2017 PPP)) (%)
42.20%

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (MPI) (%)
57.17%

NO. ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS IN THE COUNTRY
18

NO. BENEFICIARIES (DIRECT & INDIRECT) OF ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS IN THE COUNTRY
1,395,684



PARTICIPANT PROFILE

TARGETED POVERTY GROUPS

Extreme poor

Ultra-poor

PRIORITY VULNERABLE GROUPS

Displacement-affected

Women

Persons with disabilities



ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Behavioral attributes



PARTICIPANT IDENTIFICATION METHODS

Community-based targeting

Proxy Means Test



PLANNED RESEARCH AND EVALUATION

EVALUATION/RESEARCH TYPES

Economic evaluation
Impact evaluation

IMPACT EVALUATION TOPICS

Overall impact
Cost effectiveness

NAME RESEARCH PARTNERS

IDinsight

DATE WHEN IMPACT EVALUATION RESULTS AVAILABLE

2026

Data submitted as of 04/20/2023, through PEI's Landscaping Survey.

For more information on the survey [click here](#).

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PROGRAM COVERAGE

DIRECT PARTICIPANTS

3,600

DIRECT & INDIRECT BENEFICIARIES

16,324

PERCENTAGE FEMALE PARTICIPANTS

76-99% of participants

Share of country population (%)

: 0.04

Area/s

: Only rural

Share of poor (national poverty line) (%)

: 0.18

Geographic coverage

: One state/region

INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

ORGANIZATIONS

INVOLVED IN IMPLEMENTATION

PROVIDING FINANCING

National/central government



Regional/district government



Local/municipal government



Non-governmental organization



Community



Financial Service Provider



World Bank



Multilateral (not WB)



Bilateral organization



Private sector organization



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

COMPONENTS DELIVERED THROUGH COMMUNITY

COMMUNITY STRUCTURES LEVERAGED FOR PROGRAM DELIVERY

- Transfer
- Business capital
- Wage employment facilitation
- Skills training
- Coaching
- Financial services facilitation
- Market links
- Climate resilience support

- Informal community groups
- Formal community groups
- Local governance groups
- Community individuals
- Other community structures

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