

THE ULTRA-POOR GRADUATION MODEL: SECURING DURABLE SOLUTIONS FOR PERSONS OF CONCERN AND THEIR HOSTS



BASIC PROGRAM INFORMATION

COUNTRY
Zambia

REGION
Sub-Saharan Africa

LEAD IMPLEMENTING AGENCY
World Vision Zambia

TYPE LEAD IMPLEMENTING AGENCY
NGO

START DATE
09/01/2021

END DATE
09/01/2024

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

The program address barriers to self-reliance and provides a pathway out of poverty for ultra-poor refugees, asylum seekers, and host community members in the Meheba and Mantapala refugee settlement.

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)
19.47

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (NPL) (%)
54.40%

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (\$2.15/DAY (2017 PPP)) (%)
61.40%

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (MPI) (%)
47.91%

NO. ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS IN THE COUNTRY
3

NO. BENEFICIARIES (DIRECT & INDIRECT) OF ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS IN THE COUNTRY
260,716



PARTICIPANT PROFILE

TARGETED POVERTY GROUPS

Ultra-poor

PRIORITY VULNERABLE GROUPS

Displacement-affected

Women

Youth

Older people

Persons with disabilities



ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Other eligible criteria



PARTICIPANT IDENTIFICATION METHODS

Community-based targeting

Geographic targeting

Categorical targeting



PLANNED RESEARCH AND EVALUATION

EVALUATION/RESEARCH TYPES

Process evaluation
Impact evaluation

IMPACT EVALUATION TOPICS

Overall impact
Scalable delivery modalities
Resilience and shocks responsiveness

NAME RESEARCH PARTNERS

Will Be engaged externally. Not engaged yet

DATE WHEN IMPACT EVALUATION RESULTS AVAILABLE

November 2024

Data submitted as of 04/17/2023, through PEI's Landscaping Survey.

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

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PROGRAM COVERAGE

DIRECT PARTICIPANTS

1,200

DIRECT & INDIRECT BENEFICIARIES

6,157

PERCENTAGE FEMALE PARTICIPANTS

51-75% of participants

Share of country population (%)

: 0.03

Area/s

: Only rural

Share of poor (national poverty line) (%)

: 0.06

Geographic coverage

: Several states/regions

INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

ORGANIZATIONS

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

INVOLVED IN IMPLEMENTATION



PROVIDING FINANCING



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

COMPONENTS DELIVERED THROUGH COMMUNITY

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

COMMUNITY STRUCTURES LEVERAGED FOR PROGRAM DELIVERY

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

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