

# Country-Level Data for Rwanda country Outcome

## XM-DAC-41146-RWA\_D\_1.1

OUTCOME RWA\_D\_1.1 [XM-DAC-41146-RWA\\_D\\_1.1](#)

**A diverse cohort of women leaders is formed to lead in governance at local and national level**

### OUTCOME DETAILS

#### SDG alignment



#### Impact areas

##### Organizational outputs

##### Policy Marker

GENDER EQUALITY

##### Humanitarian Scope

No

##### UN System Function

#### Outcome Description

Related national priorities as outlined in the National Strategy for Transformation 2017 – 2024 (NST1) Transformational Governance Pillar: – Priority area 1: Reinforce Rwandan culture and values as a foundation for unity – Priority area 5: Strengthen Capacity, Service delivery and Accountability of public institutions

#### UN Partners

ILO



UNDP

RESOURCES

**\$179.58 K**

Planned Budget

Actual Budget

PLANNED BUDGET

ACTUAL BUDGET AND SHORTFALL

EXPENSES



OUTCOME INDICATOR AND RESULTS

PLAN PERIOD : 2019-2024

OUTCOME RWA\_D\_1.1

B - Baseline

M - Milestones

T - Target

OUTCOME STATEMENT

INDICATOR STATEMENT

YEAR

BMTS

REPORTED RESULT

A diverse cohort of women leaders is formed to lead in governance at local and national level

Percentage of seats in Parliament (Chamber of Deputies) held by women

YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
2018 (Baseline)	61	N/A
2019 (Milestone)	N/A	61
2020 (Milestone)	N/A	61%
2021 (Milestone)	N/A	61.30%
2022 (Milestone)	N/A	61
2023 (Milestone)	61%	61
2024 (Target)	61	

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Percentage of seats in District Councils held by women	2018 (Baseline)	43	N/A
	2019 (Milestone)	N/A	43
	2020 (Milestone)	N/A	54.80%
	2021 (Milestone)	50%	37%
	2022 (Milestone)	50%	46
	2023 (Milestone)	50%	46
	2024 (Target)	50	

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
SDG 5.5.1: Proportion of seats held by women in (a) national parliaments, (b) local governments and (c) executive positions/ministers (cabinets) held by women (Desk Review)	(Baseline)	-	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	-
	2023 (Milestone)	-	-
	2024 (Target)	-	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
SP 2.4.1: Number of gender equality reforms developed and/or being implemented by electoral stakeholders with UN-Women's technical support	(Baseline)	-	N/A
	2019 (Milestone)	-	0
	2020 (Milestone)	-	0
	2021 (Target)	-	0

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
SP 2.4.2 : Number of women leaders, candidates and aspirants with strengthened capacities to engage in political life, with UN-Women's support	(Baseline)	-	N/A
	2019 (Milestone)	-	44
	2020 (Target)	-	0

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
SP 2.4.3: Number of gender equality initiatives developed and/or being implemented by parliamentary bodies (Legislative Parliamentary Committees/ Women Caucus/ Speaker of Parliament's Office/Secretariat of the Parliament), with UN-Women's support	(Baseline)	-	N/A
	2019 (Milestone)	-	1
	2020 (Target)	-	1




INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
SP 2.4.4: Number of initiatives developed and/or being implemented to monitor violence against women in politics, with UN-Women's support	(Baseline)	-	N/A
	2020 (Target)	-	NA



INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
SDG 5.4.1: Proportion of time spent on unpaid domestic and care work, by sex, age and location (Desk Review)	(Baseline)	-	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	-
	2023 (Target)	-	-

## OUTPUT INDICATOR AND RESULTS

### OUTPUT RWA\_D\_1.1.1

OUTCOME STATEMENT	INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT	
<p>Women's capacity to compete for leadership positions and to lead decision making processes at local and national level strengthened</p> <p>Planned Budget: <b>\$948.68 K</b></p>  <p>Actual Budget and Shortfall: <b>\$259.54 K</b></p> <p>Shortfall: \$689.14 K</p>  <p>Expenses: <b>\$227.12 K</b></p> 	<p>Proportion of aspirants vying for leadership positions, disaggregated by leadership level (local, parliamentary)</p>	2018 (Baseline)	1) 61% (women candidates in Parliamentarians elections) 2) 46.6% (women candidates in local government elections)	N/A	
		2019 (Milestone)		N/A	0
		2020 (Milestone)		N/A	46.60%
		2021 (Milestone)	50% (in local government elections)		39.10%
		2022 (Milestone)		N/A	61
		2023 (Milestone)	61% (in Parliamentarians elections)		61
		2024 (Target)			61

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Number of women mentored in transformational leadership through UN Women support	2017 (Baseline)	7900	N/A
	2019 (Milestone)	8500	44
	2020 (Milestone)	9000	0
	2021 (Milestone)	9500	0
	2022 (Milestone)	9800	1031
	2023 (Milestone)	10000	1031
	2024 (Target)	10000	

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Number of multi-stakeholder dialogue processes to promote engagement of governments with civil society and other partners to advance gender equality and women's empowerment (CO, RO, HQ)	(Baseline)	-	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	10
	2023 (Milestone)	-	10
	2024 (Target)	-	

### OUTPUT RWA\_D\_1.1.3

OUTCOME STATEMENT	INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Organizational capacities, outreach and convening power of networks that promote women's leadership and participation in decision making organs enhanced	Number of networks (private sector, faith-based, youth-led) advocating for women's political participation, with UN Women support	2018 (Baseline)	0	N/A
		2019 (Milestone)	2	2
		2020 (Milestone)	4	1
		2021 (Milestone)	6	2
		2022 (Milestone)	8	0
		2023 (Milestone)	10	0
		2024 (Target)	10	

Planned Budget:  
**\$572.73 K**



Actual Budget and Shortfall:  
**\$162.20 K**

Shortfall: \$410.53 K



Expenses:

\$117.56 K



INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Number of network-led dialogues and advocacy initiatives to promote women's political leadership and participation undertaken with UN Women support	2018 (Baseline)	2	N/A
	2019 (Milestone)	3	1
	2020 (Milestone)	4	3
	2021 (Milestone)	5	7
	2022 (Milestone)	6	1
	2023 (Milestone)	7	1
	2024 (Target)	7	

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Number of partners that have increased capacities to promote/influence gender responsive legislation (CO, HQ)	(Baseline)	-	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	4
	2023 (Milestone)	-	0
	2024 (Target)	-	

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Number of partners that have increased capacities to advance gender equality and women's empowerment through national and/or local (multi) sectoral strategies, policies and/or action plans (CO, HQ)	(Baseline)	-	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	39
	2023 (Milestone)	-	1
	2024 (Target)	-	

## STRATEGIC NOTE OUTCOME PROGRESS NOTE

SHOWING DATA OF : 2023

### **A diverse cohort of women leaders is formed to lead in governance at local and national level**

As a result of UN Women's advocacy, awareness campaigns, skills enhancement, a diverse cohort of young women are better equipped, informed and encouraged to exercise leadership roles. Additionally, women's leadership and participation in decision making organs is promoted through the convening power of networks such as the Rwanda Women Leaders Network (RWLN) Summit held under the theme "Building the Next Generation of Women Leaders" was convened by the Ministry of Gender and Family promotion in collaboration with UN Women. The summit brought together 250 diverse cohort of women leaders from various sectors and backgrounds including high level government officials, representatives of institutions, women leaders from across generations, students, private sector and civil society. The summit strengthened women and girls' connection, mutual support among women leaders and reinforced their influence at different levels. As such, the summit enhanced women's vertical and horizontal peer learning and promoted mentoring of the next generation of women leaders. This also provided an opportunity to discuss ways in which they can fully exploit their potential, how to nurture young women and girls' leadership and how to give back to the community by those already in leadership positions through mentorship, coaching etc. Link: [First Lady launches African Women Leaders Network Rwanda Chapter - The New Times](#) Negative gender stereotypes and harmful social norms continue to be the major underlying causes that create inequalities and hold back women in Rwanda from achieving their potential despite the strong policy, legal and institutional environment. This has resulted in and exacerbated vulnerabilities of girls and young women especially those living with HIV and hindering their empowerment, perpetuating HIV-related stigma and leading to limited access to quality and differentiated health services. HIV related stigma also hamper girls, young women, and teen mothers' capacities to speak out about gender-based violence and reluctant to seek justice. In an effort to tackle negative social norms that hinder women's participation in leadership positions, UN Women in partnership with Rwanda Network of People Living with HIV (RRP+) continued to support adolescent girls and young women (AGYW) in leadership, advocacy, and social media management to claim their rights to access quality and reliable health services. 30 adolescent girls and young women whose

capacities and skills in leadership, public speaking, advocacy, and social media management were strengthened, received coaching to further enhance their skills. The girls and young women continued to develop and produce content using various platforms on issues such as gender inequalities in HIV prevention and response thereby reshaping perceptions to eliminate discrimination and stigma towards people living with HIV. Link: Social Media, A New Approach to Promote Rights for Women And Girls Living With HIV In Rwanda <https://www.ktpress.rw/2023/05/featured-social-media-a-new-approach-to-promote-rights-for-women-and-girls-living-with-hiv-in-rwanda>