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Mauritania Health System Support Project (P179558)

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Implementing Agencies: Ministry of Health

1. OBJECTIVE

1.1 Development Objective

Original Development Objective (Approved as part of Approval package on 21-Mar-2024)

Project Development Objective (PDO) is to improve the accessibility, quality, and use of reproductive, maternal, neonatal, child, and adolescent health and nutrition services in the selected regions, and in case of an Eligible Crisis or Emergency, to respond promptly and effectively to it.

Has the Development Objective been changed since Board Approval of the Project Objective?

No

2. COMPONENTS

Name
Improve quality and increase use of RMNCAH-N services :(Cost $55)
Strengthen health systems:(Cost $15.03)
Project management, monitoring and evaluation:(Cost $4)
Contingent Emergency Response Component:(Cost $0)

3. OVERALL RATINGS

Name	Previous	Current
Progress towards achievement of PDO	Satisfactory	Satisfactory
Overall Implementation Progress (IP)	Satisfactory	Satisfactory
Overall Risk Rating	Substantial	Substantial

4. KEY ISSUES & STATUS

4.1 Implementation Status and Key Decisions

The INAYA Elargi Project continues to, make satisfactory progress toward achieving its development objective, with most PDO and intermediate results indicators on track or already exceeding their end-of-project targets, particularly for maternal and reproductive health service utilization, service quality, and essential health and nutrition interventions. Overall implementation progress remains satisfactory. Performance Based Financing remains fully operational in the nine selected regions and continues to contribute to improved service delivery and quality of care. Important advances have also been achieved in health system strengthening, including health information system digitalization, infrastructure and equipment investments, epidemic preparedness and response, and project management and monitoring functions. The project continues to contribute to improved access to and quality of reproductive, maternal, neonatal, child, and adolescent health and nutrition services in the target regions.

4.2 MPA Program Development Objective

Original MPA Program Development Objective (Approved as part of (Seq. 0) package on)

PrDO is to reduce maternal and neonatal mortality, and stunting among children under five years of age and to enhance national health system capacities for pandemic preparedness.

Current MPA Program Development Objective (Approved as part of (Seq.) package on)

5. SYSTEMATIC OPERATIONS RISK-RATING TOOL

Risk Category	Rating at Approval Approval Package - 21 Mar 2024	Last Approved Rating ISR Seq. 05 - 07 Apr 2026	Proposed Rating
Political and Governance	Substantial	Substantial	Substantial
Macroeconomic	Substantial	Substantial	Substantial
Sector Strategies and Policies	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Technical Design of Project or Program	Substantial	Substantial	Substantial

Institutional Capacity for Implementation and Sustainability	Substantial	Substantial	Substantial
Fiduciary	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Environment and Social	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Stakeholders	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Overall	Substantial	Substantial	Substantial

6. RESULTS

6.1 PDO Indicators by PDO Outcomes

Increase the accessibility, quality, and use of RMNCAH-N services in the selected regions								
Indicator Name	Baseline		Actual (Previous)		Actual (Current)		Closing Period	
	Value	Month/Year	Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Month/Year
Deliveries in a health facility (Percentage)	53.40	Dec/2022	70	Mar/2026	71	Jun/2026	80.00	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Numerator: Number of deliveries in a health facility in target regions Denominator: Number of livebirths in target regions (estimate)					
Deliveries in a health facility among refugee women (Percentage)	50	Dec/2022	84	Mar/2026	84	Jun/2026	80	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Number of births attended among refugees by skilled health personnel such as medical doctor or nurse or midwife, who has been educated and trained in the skills needed to manage normal (uncomplicated) pregnancies, childbirth, and immediate postnatal care as well as in the identification, management and referral of complications in women and newborns. This definition of skilled health personnel excludes traditional birth attendants whether trained or not.					
Deliveries in a health facility by women below 19 years of age (Percentage)	0.00	Dec/2022	41	Mar/2026	63	Jun/2026	54	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Number of births attended among adolescents aged 19 years old or below by skilled health personnel such as medical doctor or nurse or midwife, who has been educated and trained in the skills needed to manage normal (uncomplicated) pregnancies, childbirth, and immediate postnatal care as well as in the identification, management and referral of complications in women and newborns. This definition of skilled health personnel excludes traditional birth attendants whether trained or not.					
New users of modern contraceptives among women ages 15 to 49 (Number)	61,656	Dec/2022	158,255	Mar/2026	222.17	Jun/2026	376,121	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Number of new users of modern contraception among women ages 15-49 in target regions					

New users of modern contraceptives among refugee women ages 15 to 49 (Number)	870	Dec/2022	2,221	Mar/2026	2,947	Jun/2026	4,481	Dec/2028
Exclusive breastfeeding of children younger than five months (Percentage)	27.20	Dec/2022	32	Mar/2026	35	Jun/2026	50.00	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Percentage of infants younger than six months who are fed exclusively with breast milk for the first six months in target regions					
Average quality score for health facilities (Percentage)	0.00	Dec/2023	56	Mar/2026	56	Jun/2026	60.00	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Average score for health facilities on the basis of a quality of care assessment checklist, including appropriate materials, documentation and qualified staff for quality RMNCAH-N and acute malnutrition management as part of the PBF program					
Individuals who needed clinical care in the past 12 months but did not seek it because of financial constraints (Percentage)	60	Apr/2021	60	Mar/2026	60	Jun/2026	30	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Numerator: Number of people who needed clinical care in the past 12 months but did not seek it due to financial constraints in target regions Denominator: Number of people who needed clinical care in the past 12 months in target regions					

6.2 Intermediate Results Indicators by Components

Improve quality and increase use of RMNCAH-N services								
Indicator Name	Baseline		Actual (Previous)		Actual (Current)		Closing Period	
	Value	Month/Year	Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Month/Year
People who have received essential health, nutrition, and population (HNP) services (Number)	0	Dec/2023	5,395,791	Mar/2025	7,044,272	Jun/2025	9,000,000.00	Dec/2028

Number of women and children who have received basic nutrition services (Number)	0.00	Dec/2023	285,105	Mar/2026	345,581	Jun/2026	260,500	Dec/2028
Number of deliveries attended by skilled health personnel (Number)	0.00	Dec/2023	146,091	Mar/2026	186,043	Jun/2026	344,999.00	Dec/2028
People who have received essential health, nutrition, and population (HNP) services - Female (RMS requirement) (Number)	0.00		888,888		1,108,903		4,500,000.00	
Number of children immunized (Number)	0.00	Dec/2023	163,860	Mar/2026	189,015	Jun/2026	427,211.00	Dec/2028
Pregnant women who attended at least four prenatal care visits with a qualified health worker (Number)	32,978.00	Dec/2022	84,784	Mar/2026	103,293	Jun/2026	223,513.00	Dec/2028
Pregnant refugee women who attended at least four prenatal care visits with a qualified health worker (Number)	622.00	Dec/2022	1,880	Mar/2026	2,496	Jun/2026	3,157.00	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Pregnant refugee women aged 15-49 years old who received antenatal care at least four times					
	0.00	Dec/2022	5,407	Mar/2026	8,310	Jun/2026	4,824.00	Dec/2028

Pregnant women younger than 19 who attended at least four prenatal care visits with a qualified health worker (Number)	Comments on achieving targets		Pregnant refugee women ages 19 years old or below who received antenatal care at least four times					
Mothers with newborns who attended at least two postnatal care visits with a qualified health worker (Number)	30,894	Dec/2022	89,456	Mar/2026	117,384	Jun/2026	209,390.00	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Number of mothers with newborns who attended at least two postnatal care visits with a qualified health service provider					
Refugee mothers with newborns who attended at least two postnatal care visits with a qualified health worker (Number)	998	Dec/2022	2,712	Mar/2026	3,406	Jun/2026	5,065	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Number of mothers with a newborn(s) among refugees who received at least two postnatal care by a health worker					
Mothers younger than 19 with newborns who attended at least two postnatal care visits with a qualified health worker (Number)	0.00	Dec/2022	4,154	Mar/2026	5,971	Jun/2026	9,367.00	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Number of mothers ages 19 years old or below with a newborn(s) who received at least two postnatal care by a health worker					
Health facilities with no stock-out of essential medicines during the last three months (Percentage)	0.00	Dec/2022	45	Mar/2026	39	Jun/2026	60.00	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Numerator: Health facilities under PBF contracts in target regions with no stock-out of essential medicines in the preceding three months Denominator: Total number of health facilities under PBF contracts in target regions					
Average health facility quality-of-care score for the minimum package activity (Percentage)	0.00	Dec/2023	42	Mar/2026	42	Jun/2026	60.00	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Average structural score of health facilities for the minimum package activity quality of care in target regions					

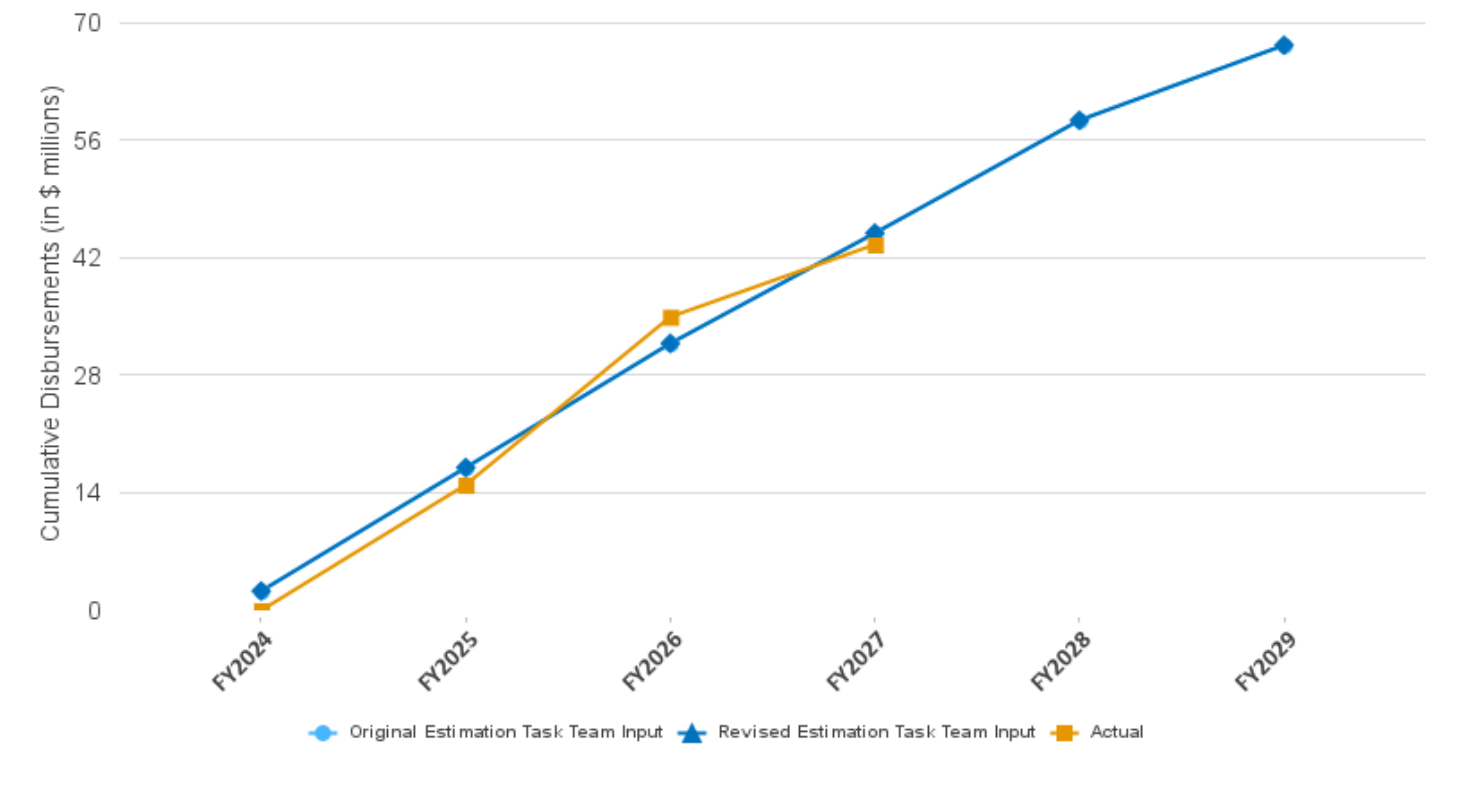
Average community satisfaction score (Percentage)	0.00	Dec/2023	95	Mar/2026	95	Jun/2026	70.00	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Average quality-of-care satisfaction score from the community survey in target regions					
Strengthen health systems								
Indicator Name	Baseline		Actual (Previous)		Actual (Current)		Closing Period	
	Value	Month/Year	Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Month/Year
PHC facilities meeting minimum human resources for health standards (Percentage)	30	Dec/2022	33	Mar/2026	33	Jun/2026	55	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Numerator: Number of public PHC facilities in target regions meeting human resources for health standards Denominator: Total number of public PHC facilities in target regions					
Health facilities designed, rehabilitated, and maintained according to climate-resilient standards, ensuring continuity of service during extreme weather events and climate-related disasters (Percentage)	0.00	Dec/2023	20	Mar/2026	40	Jun/2026	50	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Numerator: Number of health facilities under PBF contracts in target regions affected by climate-related events without disruption of health and nutrition service delivery Denominator: Total number of health facilities under PBF contracts in target regions affected by climate-related events					
People who have benefitted from strengthened capacity to prevent, detect, and respond to health emergencies (Percentage)	0	Dec/2023	40	Mar/2026	40	Jun/2026	70	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Numerator: Number of actors involved in the surveillance who have obtained satisfactory score (more than 80%) during a formative supervision Denominator: Number of actors involved in the surveillance who were supervised					
Climate and disaster risk management scorecard for health system (Percentage)	0	Oct/2023	0	Mar/2026	0	Jun/2026	20	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Numerator: Number of climate and disaster risk management indicators with green color that are associated with positive outcomes or low risk Denominator: 85 indicators					
	0	Dec/2023	43	Mar/2026	43	Jun/2026	70	Dec/2028

Identified emergency obstetric and newborn care facilities met national standards (Percentage)	Comments on achieving targets		Numerator: Number of identified emergency obstetric and newborn care facilities that met national standards in target regions Denominator: Number of identified emergency obstetric and newborn care facilities in target regions					
Interoperable, interconnected, electronic real-time disease surveillance reporting systems (Number)	3	Dec/2023	3	Mar/2026	3	Jun/2026	5	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Number as joint external evaluation score: 1 = no capacity (no system), 2 = limited capacity (country is developing a system), 3 = developed capacity (country has developed a system but is unable to share data in real-time), 4 = demonstrated capacity (country has a system, but the government does not fully sustain it), 5 = sustainable capacity (country has and sustains a system and shares data wit					
Project management, monitoring and evaluation								
Indicator Name	Baseline		Actual (Previous)		Actual (Current)		Closing Period	
	Value	Month/Year	Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Month/Year
Public health facilities under PBF contracts (Percentage)	40	Dec/2023	94	Mar/2026	98	Jun/2026	80	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Numerator: Number of public health facilities under PBF contracts in target regions Denominator: Total number of public health facilities in target regions					
Public health facilities submitting timely monthly reports at the department (Moughataa) level in the three preceding months (Percentage)	0.00	Dec/2023	90	Mar/2026	96	Jun/2026	95.00	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Numerator: Public health facilities in target regions that submitted timely, complete monthly reports through the health information management system Denominator: Total number of public health facilities in target regions Timeliness: Reports submitted between first and tenth of following month Completeness: Relevant information about facility complete					
Complaints recorded during implementation and delivery of project benefits addressed (Percentage)	0.00	Dec/2023	90	Mar/2026	100	Jun/2026	90.00	Dec/2028
	Comments on achieving targets		Numerator: Number of complaints submitted and addressed Denominator: Number of complaints recorded					
	33.00	Dec/2022	95	Mar/2026	100	Jun/2026	100.00	Dec/2028

Catchment communities with a functional health committee (Percentage)	Comments on achieving targets	Numerator: Number of catchment communities in the target regions with an operational health committee Denominator: Total number of catchment communities in the target regions

7. DATA ON FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

7.1 Cumulative Disbursements



7.2 Disbursements (by loan)

Loan/Credit/TF	Status	Original	Revised	Cancelled	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Historical Disbursed	% Disbursed
IDA-75220	Effective	2.30	2.45	0.00	2.06	0.38	2.08	84.08%
IDA-75230	Effective	10.00	10.33	0.00	3.97	6.35	4.00	38.43%
IDA-75240	Effective	30.00	30.71	0.00	30.61	0.10	30.60	99.67%
IDA-E2990	Effective	10.00	10.33	0.00	2.03	8.30	2.00	19.65%
TF-C4068	Effective	15.00	15.00	0.00	4.88	10.12	4.88	32.53%

7.3 Key Dates (by loan)

Loan/Credit/TF	Status	Approval	Signing	Effectiveness	Orig. Closing	Rev. Closing
IDA-75220	Effective	21-Mar-2024	03-Apr-2024	27-Aug-2024	30-Jun-2029	30-Jun-2029
IDA-75230	Effective	21-Mar-2024	03-Apr-2024	27-Aug-2024	30-Jun-2029	30-Jun-2029
IDA-75240	Effective	21-Mar-2024	03-Apr-2024	27-Aug-2024	30-Jun-2029	30-Jun-2029
IDA-E2990	Effective	21-Mar-2024	03-Apr-2024	29-May-2024	30-Jun-2029	30-Jun-2029
TF-C4068	Effective	21-Mar-2024	03-Apr-2024	29-May-2024	30-Jun-2029	30-Jun-2029

8. KEY DATES

Key Events	Planned	Actual
Approval	21-Mar-2024	21-Mar-2024
Effectiveness	29-May-2024	29-May-2024
Operation Closing/Cancellation	30-Jun-2029	

9. RESTRUCTURING HISTORY

10. ASSOCIATED OPERATION(S)

There are no associated operations