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The table draws from the Integrated Monitoring and Evaluation Plan to cover present evaluations planned for the duration of the programme cycle. Additional guidance on financial resources for evaluation is outlined in the revised evaluation policy of UNICEF (E/ICEF/2018/14).

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Evaluation of the UNICEF COVID-19 response	By 2026, all people in Zimbabwe, especially women and girls and those in the most vulnerable and marginalized communities, benefit from equitable and quality social services and protection.	Goal Areas 1–5	Humanitarian evaluation	To inform future public-health and emergency response as well as to inform the emergency response preparedness plan and related capacity building	April 2022	120 000 (OR)
Evaluation of the UNICEF emergency social cash transfer programme	By 2026, all people in Zimbabwe, especially women and girls and those in the most vulnerable and marginalized communities, benefit from equitable and quality social services and protection.	Goal Area 5	Evaluation of a key new emergency social protection programme	To inform the design and delivery systems of UNICEF and national social protection programmes, including the national harmonized social cash transfer programme	June 2022	150 000 (OR)
Evaluation of the Zvandiri Model of HIV care with a focus on children aged 0 to 10 years	By 2026, all people in Zimbabwe, especially women and girls and those in the most vulnerable and marginalized communities, benefit from equitable and quality social services and protection.	Goal Area 1	Evaluation of the effectiveness of the Zvandiri Model of care for children living with HIV below the age of 10 years. (The model has been shown to be effective for adolescents and young people aged 10 to 24 years.)	To validate the model as a strategy to accelerate HIV care and antiretroviral therapy for young children under the age of 10 years	October 2022	70 000 (OR)
Summative evaluation of	By 2026, all people in Zimbabwe, especially	Goal Area 2	Thematic evaluation of a	To inform the design of future support from the Global	February 2023	190 000 (OR)

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UNICEF intervention under the Global Partnership for Education-funded Education Sector Plan Implementation Grant	women and girls and those in the most vulnerable and marginalized communities, benefit from equitable and quality social services and protection.		major, high value programme	Partnership for Education to Zimbabwe		
United Nations/European Union Joint Programme on the Spotlight Initiative end-line evaluation	By 2026, all people in Zimbabwe, especially women and girls and those in the most vulnerable and marginalized communities, benefit from equitable and quality social services and protection.	Goal Area 3	Evaluation of a major United Nations joint programme	To assess results achieved and inform national policy and programming around the prevention of and response to gender-based violence	February 2023	84 000 (OR)
Evaluation of the Gavi-funded health-system strengthening support to immunization	By 2026, all people in Zimbabwe, especially women and girls and those in the most vulnerable and marginalized communities, benefit from equitable and quality social services and protection.	Goal Area 1	Thematic evaluation of a major health sector programme component	To inform the development of the comprehensive multiyear plan for immunization 2026 to 2030.	June 2023	80 000 (OR)
Midterm evaluation of the prevention and social/behaviour change approaches to address violence against children and harmful practices	By 2026, all people in Zimbabwe, especially women and girls and those in the most vulnerable and marginalized communities, benefit from equitable and quality social services and protection.	Goal Area 3	Thematic evaluation of a key programme	To inform innovative behaviour change programming to scale up the prevention of violence against children and gender-based violence	June 2024	100 000 (OR)

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Impact evaluation of UNICEF interventions on the Public Finance for Children Agenda under the National Development Strategy 1 (2021–2025)	By 2026, all people in Zimbabwe, especially women and girls and those in the most vulnerable and marginalized communities, benefit from equitable and quality social services and protection. By 2026, all people in Zimbabwe, especially the most vulnerable and marginalized, benefit from more inclusive and sustainable economic growth, with decent employment	Goal Areas 5	UNICEF contribution to the agenda in line with the National Development Strategy 1	To inform the National Development Strategy 2 (2026–2030) in terms of financing for results for children	August 2024	80 000 (OR)
Evaluation of the national, government-led approach to water, sanitation and hygiene in institutions (WASH in schools and WASH in healthcare facilities)	opportunities. By 2026, all people in Zimbabwe, especially women and girls and those in the most vulnerable and marginalized communities, benefit from equitable and quality social services and protection.	Goal Area 1	Thematic evaluation of sector strategy	To inform government budgeting, planning and strategy towards achieving National Development Strategy 1 and Sustainable Development Goal targets 6 and 4.a	February 2025	300 000 (OR)
Impact evaluation of UNICEF Zimbabwe support to the devolution agenda of Zimbabwe	By 2026, all people in Zimbabwe, especially women and girls and those in the most vulnerable and marginalized communities, benefit from equitable and quality social services and protection.	Goal Areas 1–5	Evaluation of a national policy and UNICEF interventions	To inform the country programme, 2027–2031 as well as to support the Government's devolution agenda and its programming for children at the decentralized level	February 2025	130 000 (RR)

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	By 2026, all people in Zimbabwe, especially the most vulnerable and marginalized, benefit from more accountable institutions and systems for the rule of law, human rights and access to justice.					
Country programme evaluation	By 2026, all people in Zimbabwe, especially women and girls and those in the most vulnerable and marginalized communities, benefit from equitable and quality social services and protection.	Goal Areas 1–5	UNICEF policy on the implementation of country programme evaluations	To inform the development of the country programme, 2027–2031	April 2025	180 000 (RR)
Total resources						310 000(RR) 1 174 000 (OR) 1 484 000 (Total)