



**CD.0002 - Management Follow-up Response Matrix**

**IOM Mauritius**

<p><b>Evaluation title/year:</b> Building the Capacity of the Mauritian Government to Strengthen the Linkages with the Mauritian Diaspora (2022)</p> <p>IOM Mauritius</p>				
<p>Evaluation recommendation 1:</p> <p>IOM Mauritius to prioritize the validation and ultimately implementation of the National Action Plan (NAP) top of mind both in terms of advocacy with the various ministries but also in searching for external funding opportunities to support the implementation.</p>				
<p>Recommendation to:</p> <p>IOM Mauritius</p>			<p>Priority level (1 to 3):</p> <p>Priority level 3 – It is important for the NAP to be endorsed, to ensure diaspora matters are considered in the national budget and plans.</p>	
<p>Management response (Accept/Partially Accept/Reject)</p> <p>Accept</p>				
Key action	Time frame or deadline	Responsible individual or unit(s)	Implementation monitoring	
			Comments or action taken	Status
<p>To follow-up with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Regional Integration and International Trade (MFA) on the endorsement of the NAP.</p>	<p>Dec 3023</p>	<p>IOM Programme Unit</p>		
<p>Evaluation recommendation 2:</p>				

IOM Mauritius to continue to keep the feedback loops open via email, social media and other platforms with the Mauritian Diaspora. This could also include continuing to serve as the organizer for the Diaspora Dialogue series in order to not lose engagement.				
Recommendation to:  IOM Mauritius			Priority level (1 to 3):  Priority Level 2	
Management response (Accept/Partially Accept/Reject)  Accept				
Key actions	Time frame or deadline	Responsible unit(s)	Implementation monitoring	
			Comments or action taken	Status
To organize diaspora dialogues and keep the Mauritian diaspora engaged	To start in June quarter of 2023	IOM Programme Unit		
Evaluation recommendation 3:  IOM Mauritius, in future projects, to consider creating information/orientation packages for new focal points in technical working groups. This anticipation of turnover could help in onboarding new focal points.				
Management response (Accept/Partially Accept/Reject)  Partially Accept – Once the NAP is endorsed and implemented, the diaspora cell which should be set up at the MFA, to act as a one stop shop for the diaspora, should ensure lower turnover rates of diaspora focal points within the MFA.				
Recommendation to:  IOM Mauritius			Priority level (1 to 3):  Priority Level 1	
Key actions			Implementation monitoring	

	Time frame or deadline	Responsible unit(s)	Comments or action taken	Status
To prepare the information/orientation packages	June 2023	IOM Programme Unit		
<p>Evaluation recommendation 4:</p> <p>IOM Mauritius, in future projects, to draft a theory of change to better communicate the project's pathways of change as well as help identify gaps in the results matrix.</p>				
<p>Recommendation to:</p> <p>IOM Mauritius</p>			<p>Priority level (1 to 3):</p> <p>Priority Level 3</p>	
<p>Management response (Accept/Partially Accept/Reject)</p> <p>Accept</p>				
Key actions	Time frame or deadline	Responsible unit(s)	Implementation monitoring	
			Comments or action taken	Status
As a Theory of Change is required for all IOM project to ensure the chain of results lead to the intended impact, it is articulated for all IOM projects	N/A	IOM programme Unit		
<p>Evaluation recommendation 5:</p> <p>RO Pretoria to organize a regional session on best practices featuring IOM Mauritius engagement plan with diaspora to highlight their ability to reach members of the diaspora in distinct country contexts and link this with the Policy Exchange and Learning on Migration (POEM) platform.</p>				

Recommendation to:  RO Pretoria (through engagement by IOM Mauritius)		Priority level (1 to 3):  Priority Level 1		
Management response (Accept/Partially Accept/Reject)  Accept				
Key actions	Time frame or deadline	Responsible unit(s)	Implementation monitoring	
			Comments or action taken	Status
A similar Forum will be organized as part of the IOM UNDP initiative (Promoting Regional Integration Through Diaspora Capital : A Joint IOM-UNDP Initiative)	2023-2024	RO Pretoria		