ULTRA-POOR GRADUATION PROGRAMME FOR HOST COMMUNITIES AND REFUGEE POPULATIONS IN COX’S BAZAR

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

MAIN OBJECTIVES
- Wage employment
- Food security
- Financial inclusion
- Self-employment
- Market access
- Social services
- Diversification
- Women’s Empowerment
- Productivity
- Social Inclusion
- Resilience

PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT OBJECTIVE (DESCRIPTION)
The overarching objective of this program is to eradicate extreme poverty and mitigate multidimensional vulnerabilities of the host community and the displaced refugee population in Cox’s Bazar, Bangladesh through promotion of livelihood standard of the host community and self-reliance proficiency of the refugee community that ensures dignity, security, socio-economic empowerment, increased con

PROGRAM COMPONENTS

TRANSFER
- Wage employment facilitation

COACHING
- Market links
- Skills training

BUSINESS CAPITAL
- Financial services facilitation

FINANCIAL SERVICES FACILITATION
- Natural resource management and/or climate change adaptation

Market access
- Social inclusion

PROGRAM COMPONENTS DELIVERED DIGITALLY

AVERAGE PROGRAM DURATION FOR PROGRAM BENEFICIARIES
- Under one year
- Between one and three years
- More than three years

DO PARTICIPANTS ACCESS COMPONENTS IN A SPECIFIC SEQUENCE?
- YES
- NO

DIGITIZATION

PARTICIPANT PROFILE

TARGETED POVERTY GROUPS
- Extreme poor
- Ultra-poor

PRIORITY VULNERABLE GROUPS
- Women
- Displacement-affected

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Age
- Sex
- Poverty status

PARTICIPANT IDENTIFICATION METHODS

Categorical targeting
- Community-based targeting
- Proxy Means Test
- Government social registry

COUNTRY INFORMATION

LENDING CATEGORY (WB ONLY)
- IDA

FCV COUNTRY (WB FY20 LIST)
- No

TOTAL POPULATION (MILLION)
- 163.00

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (NPL)
- 24.30%

POVERTY HEADCOUNT ($1.90/DAYPPP2011)
- 14.79%

NO. ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS IN THE COUNTRY
- 11

NO. BENEFICIARIES (DIRECT & INDIRECT) OF ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS IN THE COUNTRY
- 6,593,687
PLANNED RESEARCH AND EVALUATION

EVALUATION/RESEARCH TYPES
Impact evaluation

IMPACT EVALUATION TOPICS
Overall impact
Impact at scale

NAME RESEARCH PARTNERS
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DATE WHEN RESULTS AVAILABLE
June 2020

LINK TO PUBLISHED WORK
N/A

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PROGRAM COVERAGE

DIRECT BENEFICIARIES
2,028

PERCENTAGE FEMALE BENEFICIARIES
100%

DIRECT & INDIRECT BENEFICIARIES
9,065

PERCENTAGE OF COUNTRY POPULATION
0.01%

PERCENTAGE OF COUNTRY POPULATION UNDER THE POVERTY LINE
0.02%

Geographic coverage: One state/region

INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

ORGANIZATIONS INVOLVED IN IMPLEMENTATION PROVIDING FINANCING
National/central government
Regional/district government
Local/municipal government
Nongovernmental organization
Community
Financial Service Provider
World Bank
Multilateral organization (not WB)
Bilateral organization
Private sector organization

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

COMPONENTS DELIVERED THROUGH COMMUNITY
Business capital
Skills Training
Coaching
Financial services facilitation
Market Links

COMMUNITY STRUCTURES LEVERAGED FOR PROGRAM DELIVERY
Informal community groups
Formal community groups
Formalized producer organizations
Local governance group

DOES THE PROGRAM CREATE/STRENGTHEN COMMUNITY STRUCTURES/GROUPS?
YES

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DNA: Does Not Apply; FY: Fiscal Year; FCV: Fragility, Conflict, and Violence; MPI: Multidimensional Poverty Index; NPL: National Poverty Line; N/A: Not available; WB: World Bank