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

- Environmental Management
- 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**

- TRANSFERS
- COACHING
- BUSINESS CAPITAL
- FINANCIAL SERVICES FACILITATION

- WAGE EMPLOYMENT FACILITATION
- MARKET LINKS
- SKILLS TRAINING
- NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AND/OR CLIMATE CHANGE ADAPTATION

**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**

- Transfers
- Coaching
- Business capital

- Financial services facilitation
- Market links
- Skills training

**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

- TOTAL BENEFICIARIES (DIRECT & INDIRECT) OF ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS IN THE COUNTRY
  - 6,593,687
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**PROGRAM COVERAGE**

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- Percentage of country population: 0.01%
- Area/s: Rural
- Percentage of country population under the poverty line: 0.02%
- Geographic coverage: One state/region

**INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS**

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**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
- No

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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

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