



MONITORING & EVALUATION

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What is Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E)

- Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E) is a powerful management tool that can be used to improve the way Governments and Organizations achieve results.
- Monitoring is the process of data collection and measurement of progress toward programme objective
- Evaluation is the periodic assessment of changes in desired outcomes that can be attributable to a programme's intervention

FOR A RESULT BASED M&E SYSTEM STAKEHOLDERS

For us to actualize a Result Based M&E Data, Some pertinent questions are usually asked.

- **Has Government delivered on the promises made to the Governed?**
- **Are the Programmes implemented by the Government actually matched the Outcomes expected?**

THE RESULT BASED M&E SYSTEM DOES ENSURES SOME GREY AREA THAT COULD NOT BE ANSWERED BY THE TRADITIONAL M&E SYSTEM

The Result Based M&E answers questions such as:

- “So WHAT” questions.
- Responds to stakeholders agitation for results.
- Promotes transparency and accountability.
- Improves projects, programmes, and policies implementation.
- Sustains successful outcomes.

RELEVANT OF RESULT BASED M&E DATA

Result Based M&E Data can only be relevant if the following steps are adhered to (Kusek & Rist) 2008 world bank publication.

- **Step one** *conducting a readiness assessment*
- **Step two** *agreeing on outcomes to monitor and evaluate*
- **Step three** *develop key indication to monitor outcomes*
- **Step four** *gathering baseline data on indicators*
- **Step five** *planning for improvement i. e. setting realistic targets*
- **Step six** *monitoring for results*
- **Step seven** *evaluate information to support decision making*
- **Step eight** *analyzing and reporting findings*
- **Step nine** *using findings*
- **Step ten** *sustaining the M&E system within the organization*

EFFECTIVE DATA ACQUISITION FOR M&E

- Effective data acquisition, Maintenance and Dissemination of M&E data and report can act as a magnet to investment
- It helps Government to understand better area of the employment policy as related to job creation that is weak
- It helps Government in the area of policy initiatives that needs to be strengthened

OBJECTIVES OF POLICY EVALUATION ON JOB CREATION

- Realization of efficient and high quality data on job creation as it affects the citizenry
- Strengthening collation and analysis of quality data
- Sustainability of policies favourable to job creation

ADVANTAGES OF MONITORING AND EVALUATION DATA:

- M&E data highlights the deficit in job creation
- M&E data helps in planning for job creation
- M&E data strengthens policy making process
- M&E data support evidence based reporting on job creation and initiatives

M&E - GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEM (GIS) TECHNOLOGY

- GIS technology has added value into making data acquisition and utilization easy for M&E decision making process due to the proliferation of modern day instruments for collection of data.
- Global Positioning System (GPS)
- Smart Phones
- Personal Digital Assistant (PDA)
- iPad, iPod Andriod
- Twitter, Facebook e.t.c.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Improving the data collection system for M&E
- Improving on indicators formulation that are in line with International Best Practices
- All Stakeholders should adopt the Result Based M&E System and coupled with sustainable Management Information System (MIS).
- The use of GIS technology should be encouraged by all Stakeholders for M&E data to be widely acceptable.
- Promoting the utilization of impact evaluation Results.

TAKE HOME

I want to tell the World
“Lets grow food together but
Lets learn more about nutrition,
weather forecasting,
about irrigation,
about many others specialties,
involved in helping people,
to help themselves.

(Gerald R. Ford)

1913



THANK YOU

