

Elements for the Second Generation C-NAP FY2017-22

GENERAL ELEMENTS

Objectives

- Enhanced gender-responsive and gender equitable Canadian responses to fragility and conflict; and
- Enhanced gender-sensitive responses to fragility and conflict by local, regional, national and international actors.

Strategies

- Partners to implement programs to take a **gender-sensitive approach** to C-NAP implementation and conflict analysis, prevention, resolution and peacekeeping based on GBA+ standards including, as needed, gender training, staffing of Gender Advisor positions, and appointment of gender focal point officers.
- Develop **the evidence base** for WPS;
- Develop WPS **policies and advocate** for them both multilaterally and bilaterally;
- Engage **men and boys** along with women and girls as agents of change;
- Support **local women's rights organizations** and movements;
- Support the **building of international capacity** to advance the WPS agenda;
- Support the **empowerment and meaningful participation of women** in peace and security processes and structures; and,
- Support the prevention and response to **sexual violence and SEA** in FCAS.

Improvements – New Elements

- **C-NAP to be a high level policy directive by Ministers** to include:
 - Partners to reflect WPS and C-NAP in corporate planning and reporting regimes such as the DPP and DPR, and the results and delivery process;
 - Partners to publish an “evergreen” implementation directive with the C-NAP launched to be refreshed on an annual basis;
 - Partners to champion C-NAP implementation in accordance with their respective policies and processes.
- **The scope of WPS definition** includes:
 - GE, WE, women's human rights, and the feminist approach to foreign policy applied to interventions in and with respect to FCAS
 - SGBV, CEFM and trafficking in women and girls in FCAS; and
 - CVE in FCAS.
- **C-NAP to be bi-structured** with:
 - An **overarching implementation framework** with a logic and accountability regime;
 - **Separate constituent C-NAP partner annexes** for baseline data, targets, actions, indicators and reporting by program; and
 - An **annual report** which reflects the bi-structural C-NAP framework.
- **C-NAP to establish baselines** for both the overarching framework and the partner annexes.
- **C-NAP to describe the Canadian domestic environment** for the status of women with respect to how we account internationally on our obligations. C-NAP activities to remain firmly focused on FCAS abroad.

- **C-NAP to be developed for the five year period FYs 2017/18 to 21/22** in close cooperation with CSO stakeholders;
- **C-NAP to be subject to formal and independent mid-term and summative evaluations.**
- Possible **new C-NAP partners**:
 - SWC for the promotion of GE and WE internationally including in the annual CSW process.
 - IRCC for a gender-sensitive approach to refugee policies and programs
 - INAC for drawing on the Canadian indigenous peoples experience to promote the human rights and empowerment indigenous populations in FCAS.
 - Public Safety Canada - The role of PS in the new C-NAP is under consideration.
 - Justice for its capacity building for developing legal systems.

Continuity -- Building on Past Experience

- Strong record of **Canadian leadership** on GE, WE and WPS and the human rights of women and girls around the world;
- Consider **lessons** from the implementation C-NAP as well as from foreign NAPs;
- Continue to integrate ("**mainstream**") WPS into all Canadian international and humanitarian assistance and other interventions with respect to FCAS, and support the multilateral system to do the same;
- Annual C-NAP report of FY2016-17 (between the sunset and launch of new Plan) will be a narrative report with a project annex;
- GAC to **coordinate C-NAP implementation** including the preparation of the **annual C-NAP report** based on partner reports for recommendation to the Minister of Foreign Affairs for tabling in Parliament within a year of the end of each annual reporting period;
- Continued close, formal and regular **consultation with CSOs** on C-NAP design and implementation. The report of the FY2016-17 between the old and new C-NAP will be a reduced report based on a narrative and programming data.
- C-NAP partners to continue to be responsible for **C-NAP implementation** within their respective mandates, resources and accountability frameworks.
- Core **C-NAP partners** remain:
 - GAC:
 - I Branch for peace operations, non-proliferation, threat reduction, human rights, freedoms and inclusion.
 - M Branch for multilateral programming and humanitarian assistance;
 - Geographic programs;
 - Canadian missions to the UN and diplomatic missions in FCAS
 - National Defence: DND and CAF;
 - RCMP: international police capacity building;

SPECIFIC TO EACH PARTNER

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