Session 2

Performance Monitoring within the Program Cycle

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Session Objectives

By the end of this session, participants should be able to:

• Explain the role of performance monitoring in the program cycle
Exercise

5 minutes

Draw the Program Cycle from memory.
How the CDCS is Operationalized and Monitored

CDCS Results Framework

- CDCS Goal
  - DO
    - IR
      - Sub-IR
  - IR
    - Sub-IR

Project Logical Framework

- Project Goal
  - Project Purpose
    - Sub-Purpose
      - Outputs
        - Inputs
      - Sub-Purpose
        - Outputs
          - Inputs

Performance Indicator(s)

- CDCS Results Framework
- Project Logical Framework
Relationship of Project and Activity M&E Plans to the PMP

Key Planning & Performance Monitoring Tools

Mission-wide Portfolio
- CDCS Results framework
- Project Log Frame
- Project M&E Plan
- Activity M&E Plan

Project
- RFA/RFP/Other
- Award

Activity
- Activity M&E Plan

PMP

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Performance Monitoring in the Program Cycle

- **Agency Policy & Strategies**
- **CDCS**
- **Project Design & Implementation**
- **Evaluation & Monitoring**
- **Performance Monitoring** informs policy and strategies
- Includes Results Framework and illustrative performance indicators
- PAD includes Project M&E Plan with indicators for the Project LogFrame
- PMP Developed within 4-6 months of CDCS approval

PMP Updates, Portfolio Reviews, Data Analysis and Use

Learning

Resources

Results

Adapting

Budget

Activity M&E Plan
Where do I find this information?

- USAID Performance Monitoring (and Evaluation) policies and guidance: **ADS 203**

- Operationalizing the ADS at Mission level: **Mission Orders**

- How-To Notes, Technical Notes, FAQs, Mission Examples: **Tools**

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Session 3: Standardized Mission Orders