PALESTINE: PARTICIPATION IN DEMOCRATIC PROCESSES - RAF 2016-19



Programme objective	Indicators	Baseline indicators
Partner organisations and their target groups (women, men, girls and boys) participate increasingly in social processes and has changed the traditional norms in their neighbouring or surroundings.	 Local and national media have recognized the program participants as the powerful change agents. Target values: At least ten newspaper articles, TV and Radio reports on target groups' attitudes, actions and initiatives. 	1. Media in general and the state media in particular ignore civic initiatives as a part of the democratic processes and focus on activities and statement of highly positioned politicians: Source: The Palm Center's daily following up of the Al Quds newspaper, Ma'an and Wafa news agency and national television and radio
	 The Programme target groups are involved in lobbying and campaigns in order to change discriminatory laws. Target values: At least five examples 	2. The new target groups have not participated in any lobbying and campaigns.
	 3. New local initiatives/networks have been established through the project run by the Palme Center partners. Target values: 20 examples with at least two examples where the women and youth are visible in some dialogue process 	3. The programme are directed to new people who did not have any experience in starting collective initiatives and networking. Women and youth are absent in any sorts of peace and political dialogues both on the local and national level.
	 4. Number of politically elected women and youth has increased compared to the previous election. Target values: Increasing number and at least 20 new elected women and youth who are active in the Palme Center projects. 	4. The number of elected women in local elections in 2012 was 25 percent; 16 percent were directly elected, compared to 11 percent in municipal elections in 2005. There is no statistic for young people. Palme Center's partners had over 100 women and young people on the electoral lists, of which 30 were elected in local councils.

Intermediate Objective 1	Indicators	Baseline indicators
Palme Center's partner organizations acting as a democratic role model and have systems and procedures to fulfil principles of good governance.	1. The partner organisations have adopted a strategic plan, administrative and financial procedures, anti-corruption policy/code of conduct/gender policy and work in accordance with these documents	1. Established: September 2015. Three partners have not renewed their strategic plan that run out 2010 (36 020 U) 2013 (36 030 U) and 2014 (36 025 U). Seven partner have a strategic plan until the end of 2015 (36 021 U; 36 022 U, 36 023 U, 36 024 U, 36 027 U, 36 028 U and 36 032 U). One partner has until the end of 2016 (36 033 U9. Three partners have until the end of 2017 (36 026 U,36 029 U and 36 031 U) One partner does not have any administrative and financial procedure). The rest have and it will be renewed according to needs. Two partners have anti-corruption policy as a separate document (36 023 U and 36 028 U)
	2. There is a democratically elected Board of Directors based on non-discriminatory policy which is responsible for activities.	2. Established: September 2015 The Palme Center's local partner has a democratic elected board. Seven out of 15 hold the election every second year, six hold every third year and one every fourth year. Election 2016: 36 023 U, 36 026 U, 36 027 U 36 028 u, 36 031 U 036 032 U; Election 2017: 36 020 U, 36 022 U, 36 025 U o 36 030 U; Election 2018: 36 021 U, 36 29 U o 36 033 U. Election 2019: 36 024 U.
	3. Regular Board meeting and annual meeting are carried out in accordance with the Organisation's by-laws.	3. Established: September 2015 on average, the respective Boards of Directors hold a meeting four times per year and the annual meeting is held 1 time per year.
	 4. There is a Web page with all relevant information. Target values: 80 percent of them publish annual activity and audit reports on their Webb sites 	4. Established: September 2015: Three local partner do not have Webb site at all (36 020 U, 36 021 U, 36 033 U) Eleven partners have websites which three have given the activity and financial annual report for 2012 respective 2013 (36 024 U, 36 030 u, 36 025 U)

Intermediate Objective 2	Indicators	Means of verification
The partners have ability to influence local and national decision makers in decisions concerning living conditions of target populations.	 The partner organisations have established /developed partnerships with local authorities and institutions on issues that benefit the target groups. Target values: Ten examples of partnerships 	1. Established: September 2015 Every partner will start a new project, and the new established contacts related to the project will be presented at the end of the programme. Starting position is zero contacts.
	 2. Change of attitude: Partner organisations and decision makers are aware of mutual benefit of cooperation Target values: Two success stories and interviews with decision makers. 	2. There are no success stories at the beginning of the program.
	 3. The organizations ' membership/volunteers has increased. Target values: Ten percent increasing 	3. Established: September 2015: Totally 2 846 volunteers whereof 1726 female and 1100 male.

Intermediate Objective 3	Indicators	Means of Verification
The target groups have increased opportunities to participate actively in social processes.	1. The programme's target groups level of awareness of rights with a focus on social-economic and political rights, non-discrimination and representative leadership have increased.	1. The new target groups without any experience in project participation are unaware of their social-economic and political rights at the beginning of the program.
	Target values: 80% of target groups	
	2. The programme's target groups have increased understanding of the mobilization and organizing as a means of increasing participation and influence the political decision-making processes.	2. Each target group at the beginning of the program lacks knowledge about methods to be organised and affect political decision-making process
	Target values: 80 % of target groups.	
	3. The partner organizations ' target groups use social media in communications with each other and team collaboration as a means to achieve common goals.	3. Group work and collective action as a way to increase a social inclusion have been hindered by family-and clan affiliation
	Target values: One example from every out of at least five partner organization	

Intermediate Objective 4	Indicators	Means of Verification
Target groups have a good self-esteem and change attitudes in their local social milieu.	 Confidence in public speaking up. Target values: 50% confident; 20% very confident 	1. The new target group have law confidence in public speaking up
	 Confidence in presenting and arguing about own opinion and taking own decision. Target values: 50 % confident; 20 % very confident 	2. The new target groups have law confidence in presenting and arguing about own opinion and have law confidence in making own decision
	 3. The target groups perception about own political influence/effect. Target values: 50% state that they participate in public 	3. The new target groups do not participate in any public debates
	debates more than before	