UNDP will provide technical assistance to better targets the most vulnerable and addresses gender disparities. The component 4 “Social Register of Mauritius (SRM)” has been extended to continue providing technical assistance to the Ministry of Social Integration.

The SRM is a tool to register and identify the poor and their socio-economic profile so as to inform policy-makers on the effective demand for pro-poor policies. The SRM system is hosted at and managed by the Ministry of Social Security, National Solidarity and Reform Institutions (MSS).

The Ministry of Social Integration and Economic Empowerment (MSIEE), and its anti-poverty implementing arm – the National Empowerment Foundation (NEF) are among the major users of the SRM data.

**OUR APPROACH**

- Political and strategic measures are undertaken to tackle root causes of inequality
- Mauritius will create an inclusive society where growth benefits to men and women
- The long-term reduction of poverty in all its forms

**Budget**

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The Planning Resource for Management Inclusive Growth project seeks to support the Government of Mauritius to effectively achieve equitable growth and promote an inclusive society as part of “Vision 2030” implementation.

IMPLEMENTATION

This project is nationally implemented by Government of Mauritius in partnership with UNDP.

KEY RESULTS

- An M&E framework for the SRM as a tool for the registration and identification of social assistance beneficiaries has been developed and presented to Ministry of Social Security, Ministry of Social Integration and the Ministry of Finance and Economic Development (MOFED);
- Training delivered on a demand basis to staff of MSIEE and NEF on SRM data collection and data analysis.

PARTNERS

- Ministry of Finance and Economic Development (MoFED);
- Ministry of the Social Security, National Solidarity and Reform Institutions and Sustainable Development (MSSNSRI);
- Ministry of Social Integration and Economic Empowerment (MSIEE);
- Ministry of Civil Service & Administrative Reforms (MCSAR).

QUICK FACTS

1.265.000 population
50,5% women in 2017
People with low education, the elderly, single parent households and families with three or more children are more likely to experience poverty according to the 2012 Poverty Analysis Report of Mauritius.

Gini Coefficient
decreased from 0.414 to 0.400, indicating an improvement in the income distribution (Household Budget Survey 2017)

Mauritian education and welfare systems

Social protection network Free healthcare for all Free education in public institutions

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