

FFC Gender Strategy Action Plan

Background

In September 2016, the Peacebuilding Commission (PBC) adopted a [gender strategy](#), a first for UN intergovernmental subsidiary body, to ensure a more structural and systematic integration of gender perspectives across its work, including in its country and region-specific engagements, thematic discussions and dialogues with other intergovernmental organizations. It outlines seven thematic and strategic areas of action which include: strengthening the substantive, cross-cutting integration of gender perspectives in all of PBC country-specific, thematic and strategic engagement; identifying thematic priority areas of gender-responsive peacebuilding for region and country-specific engagement with all relevant actors, engaging men, including youth in gender-responsive peacebuilding; the whole of PBC should play an active role in the strategy's implementation, including gender-responsive peacebuilding in the Terms of Reference of PBC field missions in coordination with the host government and reporting back findings to the PBC members; strengthening the systematic coordination and sharing of information and approaches on gender-responsive peacebuilding and advocating for dedicated technical expertise on gender-responsive peacebuilding as well as dedicated funding within the UN and national and international partners.

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<p>support gender responsive peacebuilding but only 30% include gender analysis or sex disaggregated data</p>	<p>1.2 PBC supports national efforts to promote gender equality and women's empowerment, including eliminating all forms of violence against women and discrimination on the basis of sex</p> <p>1.3 PBC supports national efforts to promote women's economic empowerment, and advocates for the equal participation of women in socioeconomic development.</p>	<p># of relevant PBC outcome documents which call for the elimination of discriminatory practices against women or which promote gender equality and women's empowerment measures</p> <p># of relevant PBC outcome documents which call for women's economic empowerment and advocates for the equal participation of women in socioeconomic development</p>
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2 PBC conducts consultations with wide range of women peacebuilders³ during country-specific, regional, and thematic meetings and field

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women representatives
and 65% of these (32%
of the total documents)
concern key issues

with relevant parties,
in line with its mandate

meeting on the women, peace and security agenda and gender responsive peacebuilding in March 2019. It has since held another two in October 2019 and October 2020.

42 EBC convenes expert level and ambassadorial level meetings when necessary, advisably at least twice a year; to review progress in implementing EBC gender strategy and to share good practices within the EBC and by Member States and relevant partners, including relevant regional and sub regional organizations, and international financial institutions, in accordance with its mandate.

In 2020 the EBC held 2 meetings, one at expert level and the other at ambassadorial level to specifically discuss the implementation of the gender strategy.

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