

AusAID

Family Planning Checklist

The Family Planning Checklist is a tool for monitoring and reporting on the family planning component of projects funded under the Australian aid program. The contractor/NGO should answer the Checklist in narrative form.

NAME OF PROJECT: _____

NAME OF CONTRACTOR/NGO _____

COUNTRY: _____

PERIOD COVERED BY THE CHECKLIST: _____

1. Has the project encountered any difficulties in ensuring the beneficiaries are able to make free and informed choices about the number, timing and spacing of their children?

- If so, what were these difficulties?
- How are these difficulties being addressed?

2. Are project beneficiaries able to choose freely from a wide range of family planning methods?

- What is the range of methods available?

3. Do all project beneficiaries have access to accurate information about family planning?

- What is the range of information available?
- Is the quality of information adequate?

4. Please list all types of IEC (Information, Education and Communication) material developed or purchased with Australian aid funds during this reporting period. (Please note: it is the contractors/NGO's responsibility to ensure that all Australian aid funded IEC material complies with the *Guiding Principles*.)

5. (Other questions as identified by the AusAID Activity Manager/Community Program Section)

NOTE:

- Australian aid funds are not available for activities that involve abortion training or services, or research trials or activities, which directly involve abortion drugs.
- Australian aid funds can only be used to purchase contraceptives which are registered in Australia :monthly cycle oral contraceptive pills; emergency contraceptive pills, barrier methods (including condoms, diaphragms, cervical caps), Depo Provera (three monthly injectable), Copper T and Multiload IUDs and Implanon (hormonal implant). It is not necessary that the particular brand or formula be registered in Australia.