

Promoting Gender Equality in Political Decision-Making in Viet Nam

Gender Equality · Good practice · Vietnam

Quality score: 82/100

Evidence strength: Observational / pre–post

Summary

APHEDA project (2017-2021), Bac Kan & Hai Duong provinces: 300 women supported in commune elections, 203 elected (68% success rate). Linked to Viet Nam's National Gender Equality Strategy; 30.26% women in National Assembly in 2021 - first ever crossing of the 30% threshold.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Transferability / replicability	1/3
Impact on gender equality	1/1
Effectiveness	1/1
Efficiency	0/1
Evaluated outcomes	1/1
Sustainability	1/1
Achievement / evidence	1/1
Gender-mainstreaming embedding	1/1
Curator validation	1/1

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Data sources

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