

# Strengthening Accountability on Women, Peace and Security in Peacekeeping

**15 core WPS indicators** designed to measure impact

**9 UN peacekeeping missions** collecting data since 2018: MINUJUSTH, MINUSCA, MINUSMA, MONUSCO, UNAMID, UNFICYP, UNIFIL, UNMIK, UNMISS

## Positive Indications on Increased Participation of Women in Peace Processes

9%

**Central African Republic:** For the first time in the CAR peace process, **4 women delegates** participated in the February 2019 formal peace talks (**3 from the Government, 1 representing an armed group and also signing the peace agreement**). Further, there were **3 women observers** (1 SSR expert and 2 representatives from civil society organizations).

25%

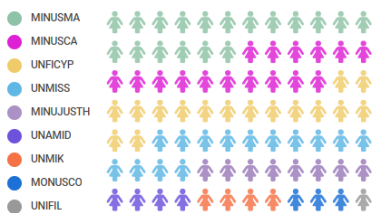
**South Sudan:** There was a **four-fold increase** in the number of women participating in the negotiations of the revitalized peace agreement in September 2018 (28), as compared with the 2017 negotiations (7). Additionally, **7 women** were signatories to this agreement.

18%

**Mali:** As part of the implementation of the peace agreement, the Government nominated **2 women** to an 11-member committee of experts on constitutional reform.

The increasingly meaningful participation of women in these formal processes is **a direct outcome** of the systematic political advocacy by the UN and its partners at all levels.

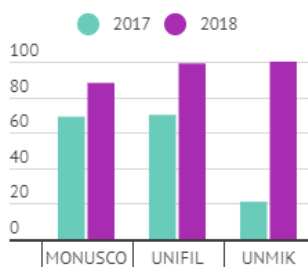
Number of initiatives on women in conflict prevention (in Q4 2018)



## Strengthening Partnerships with Women's Organizations

Initiatives focusing on engaging women in conflict prevention have shown some concrete results. In 2018, women's representation in formal local early warning mechanisms in **MONUSCO** and **MINUSCA** increased to **39%** and **46%**, respectively.

Despite the progress, **more efforts are needed** to systematically bring these strategic gains in informal processes and at local level into national political processes.



## Enhanced Gender Responsiveness in Mission Planning

Within a year, **MONUSCO**, **UNIFIL** and **UNMIK** increased the percentage of mission work plans that include at least one gender-specific goal to **91%**, **99%** and **100%**, respectively. This contributes to **enhanced peacekeeping effectiveness**.

## Measuring Impact through Common Indicators

WOMEN, PEACE AND SECURITY

ACTION FOR PEACEKEEPING

DPO WPS INDICATORS

Full, Equal and Meaningful Participation of Women  
Women in Conflict Prevention  
Protection of Women  
Gender-Responsive Management

CPAS INDICATORS