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SDC Vientiane's GEED Policy

- Base on SDC's Policy on Gender Equality, SDC's Human rights policy, and the 7th NSEDP 2011-2015 of Lao PDR.
- To ensure that all SDC interventions increase women's and men's opportunities to exercise their rights and gain benefits from development equally.



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GEED mainstreaming at four levels

- Individual level
- Institutional level
- Policy and Program Level
- Project level



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Individual level

Each staff has a target related to Gender Equality and Ethnic Diversity in her/his performance appraisal.

Institutional level

- ✓ Promote equal representation and opportunities within the office.
- Develops annual Gender Equality and Ethnic Diversity action plans for the implementation, monitoring and evaluation.



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Policy and Program level

Include Gender Equality and Ethnic Diversity in policy statements and dialogues with partners.

Project level

Ensure that development needs of women, men and ethnic minorities are reflected in the expected results of all SDC's funded projects.