

Validation Workshop

Session VI: Working Groups: Baselines and Targets



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Overview

This session will involve Working Group discussions of the Strategy's baselines and targets with the aim of identifying data and ensuring actionable targets.

Guiding Principles for a Strategy

- Employing a human rights-based and survivor-centered approach
- Acknowledging that violence against women and girls as a form of discrimination
- Acknowledging different forms of violence against women and girls
- **Acknowledging the root causes, prevalence and impact of violence against women and girls**
- Addressing multiple and intersecting forms of discrimination and disadvantage

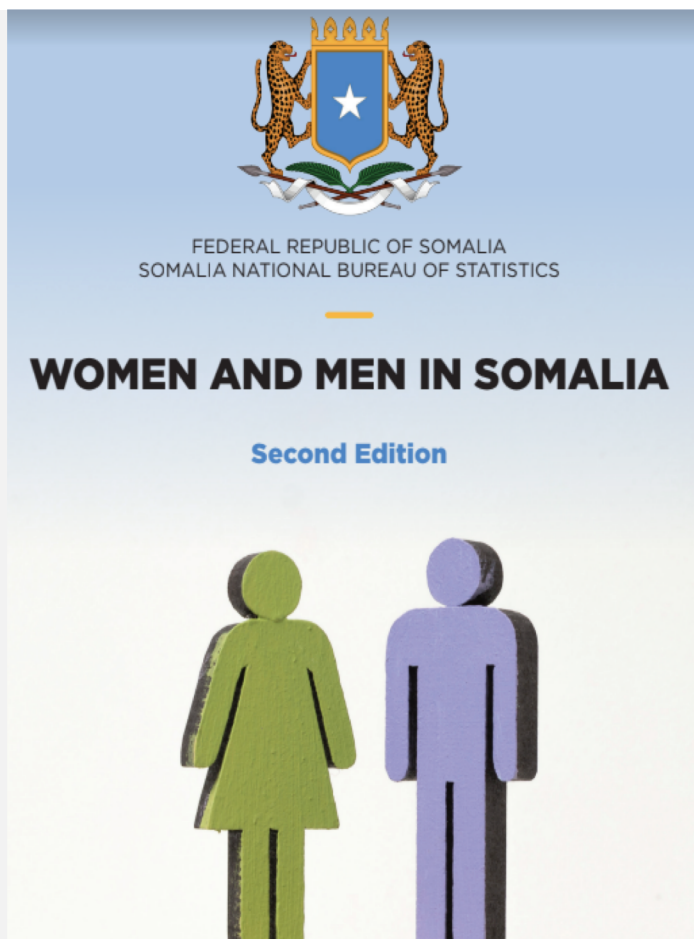
Identify root causes, prevalence and impact of violence against women and girls

- Draw on and include international research on the root causes, nature and impact of violence against women and girls worldwide
- Collate and communicate data and research on the nature, prevalence and impact of different forms of violence against women and girls, and identify gaps for future work

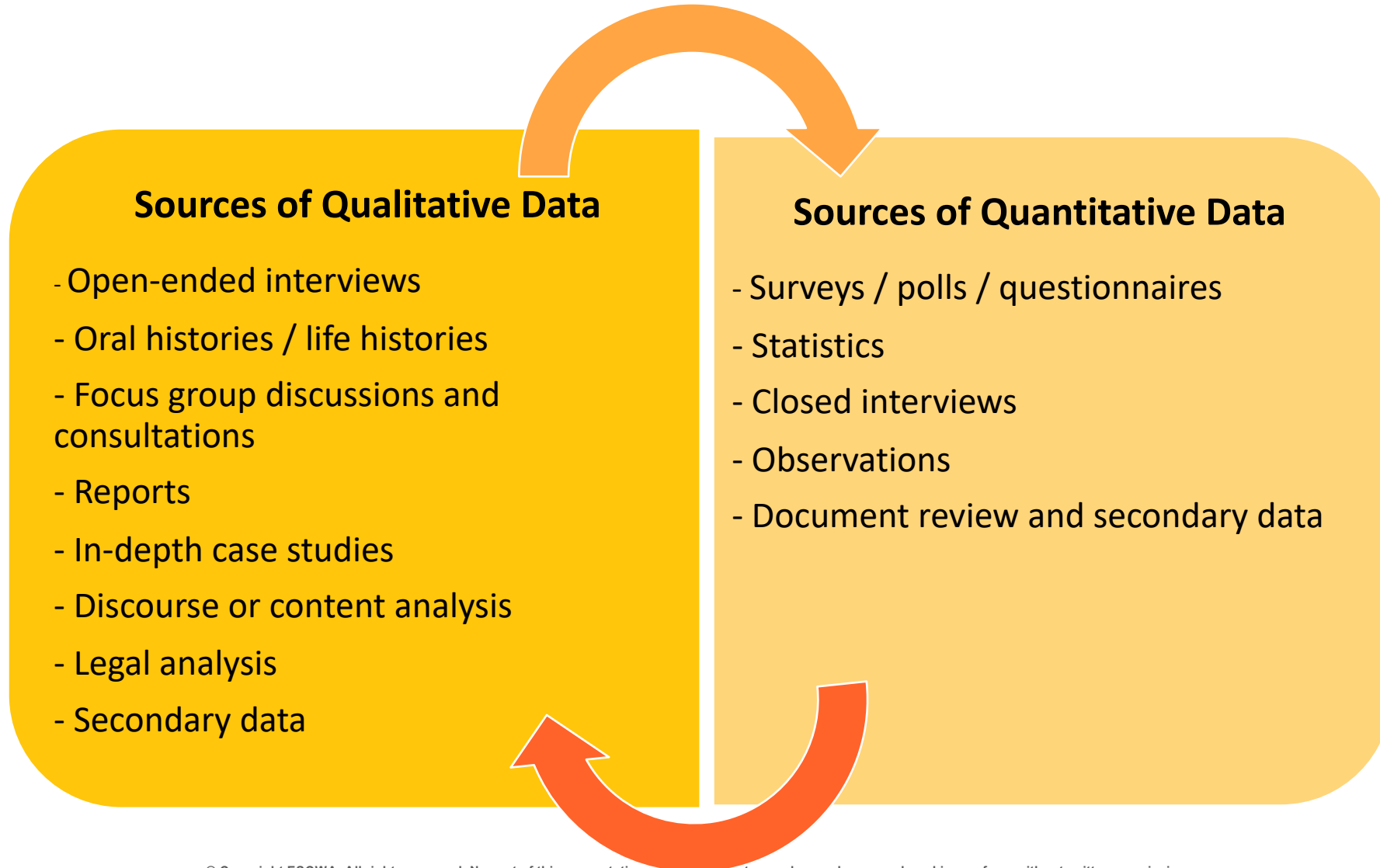
Baselines

- Begin with what is known quantitatively and qualitatively concerning the root causes, nature, prevalence and impact of violence against women and girls.
- Establish this baseline data in key areas in the early stages of the Strategy's implementation.
- Demonstrate the different forms and intersections of violence against women and girls, identify gaps in knowledge, and set a baseline against which progress can be measured.

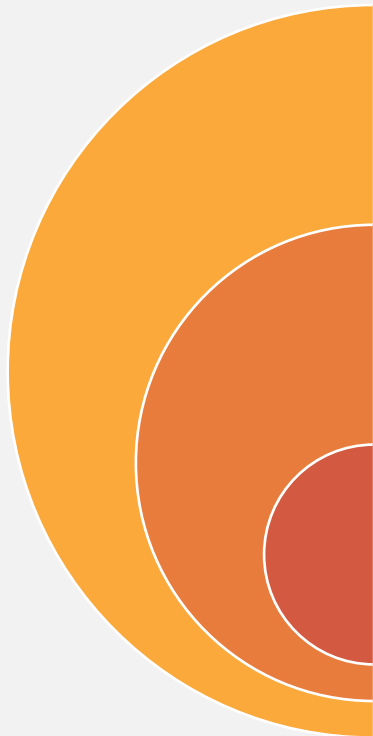
Identifying sources of data on violence against women and girls



Generating and Collecting Data



Group Discussions: 60 minutes



Outcome 1:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Group 1.1• Group 1.2
Outcome 2:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Group 2.1• Group 2.2
Outcome 3:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Group 3.1• Group 3.2

Instructions

1. Divide into ± 6 groups
2. Discuss baselines for the indicators and outputs (60 min)
3. Answer the questions
4. Select a secretary to document the discussion
5. Report back to the larger group (30 min - 5 min each)

Questions for Discussion

1. What baseline data (quantitative or qualitative) are available for this Output? Where can it be found?
2. If there is no baseline data for this Output, what are some ways that we can assess a baseline or what are some opportunities for gathering or generating data (ex: surveys, needs assessments, data from other strategies, etc.)?
3. Once we have a baseline, what is a reasonable target (i.e., number or percentage) to aim for to ensure success of the Strategy?



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