



CODEX TRUST FUND 2A- THE GAMBIA

NUMBERS

Donor
FAO, WHO

Implementation Period
January 2019 - December 2022

Budget
USD 150 000

Technical and Operational Partners
Food Safety and Quality Authority (FSQA); implementing partners include Ministry of Agriculture, Ministry of Health, Office of the Vice President, The Gambia Standards Bureau, Codex Contact Point (CCP) and National Codex Committee, Consumer Protection, NACOFAG

EXPECTED RESULTS

CODEX Contact Point equipped, staff trained and a procedural manual in placed.

National codex programs are funded from the national budget.

Stakeholders nationwide sensitized on Codex work.

Capacities of NCC members to implement codex work strengthened.

ACHIEVEMENTS

CODEX Contact Point (CCP) equipped, trained staff and a procedural manual in placed

CCP adequately equipped, two staff of the FSQA re-designated to the CCP, procedural manual developed and staff trained on the manual.

National stakeholders sensitized on CODEX work

- Three hundred national stakeholders nationwide sensitized at regional level on codex standards and guidelines. Raised awareness among the public through seven TV and 25 radio shows on Codex (FSQA).
- Students and staff of the tertiary institutions such as University of The Gambia, The Gambia College and Gambia technical Training Institute were sensitized on codex.
- Developed video short and elaborative to raise awareness on Codex.

National CODEX programs are funded from the national budget

Budget line created by FSQA and funded by government to support CCP activities in 2021.

Capacities of NCC members to implement codex work strengthened

- Trained 15 local professionals to be national expert on Codex work.
- Trained national experts on the development of national positions on Codex work.
- Procedural Manual developed for the operationalization of the National Codex Committee.

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