



Guiding questions for breakout groups

Breakout Group 1 – Enhancing institutional, technical, relational and strategic capacities for NDC implementation

1. How can internationally supported NDC implementation programmes best assist developing countries in strengthening their relevant technical, institutional, relational and strategic capabilities?
2. How can participatory approaches and long-term engagement be introduced to ensure ownership of processes and outcomes?

Breakout Group 2 – Building capacities to integrate cross-cutting issues, such as gender responsiveness, human rights and indigenous peoples' knowledge, into NDC implementation

1. What is the experience of developing countries with regard to assessing capacity-building needs and gaps related to the integration of cross-cutting issues, such as gender responsiveness, human rights, and indigenous knowledge, into NDC implementation, and how can such assessments be enhanced?
2. From these assessments (or based on their own experience in NDC development and implementation), what are the gaps (e.g., understanding of the concepts, lack of tools, guidance, lack of expertise/human resource, absence of institutional mechanisms, lack of or absence of financial resources) in the successful integration of these cross-cutting issues in NDC implementation (or development, as applicable)?
3. How can capacity-building providers effectively support developing countries in building their capacities to integrate these cross-cutting issues into NDC implementation?

Breakout Group 3 – Building capacities for the tracking of and reporting on the implementation and impacts of NDC-related actions, and the finance used to support these actions

1. What are the specific types of capacity gaps countries are facing with regard to the tracking of and reporting on NDC implementation and progress and how can capacities be effectively enhanced in a way that benefits the country's planning process (i.e. not only for reporting to the Convention)?
2. How can providers and recipients of capacity-building support ensure that lessons learned are integrated into subsequent actions within the implementation of the NDC and good practices are effectively scaled-up?