

# INDONESIA'S PROGRESS UPDATE: SUSTAINING ADVOCACY EFFORTS

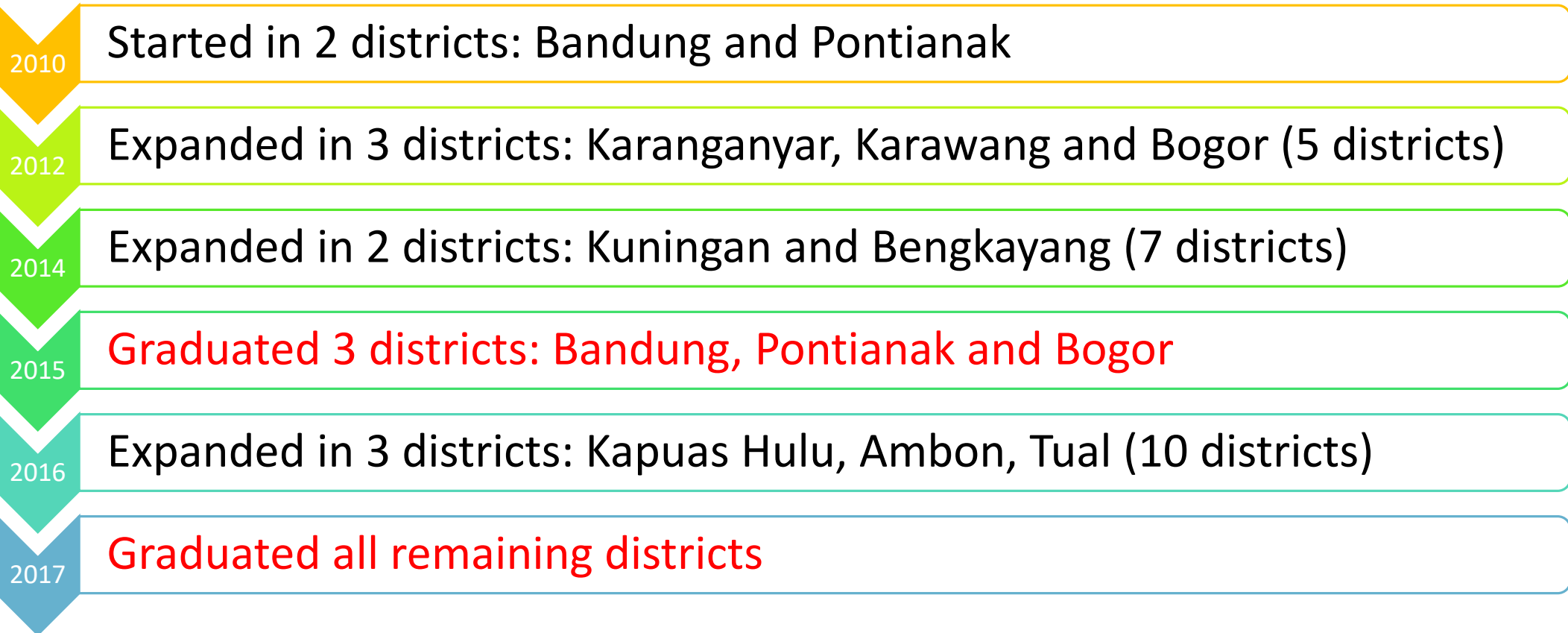


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# Milestones

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# Scale up and Diffusion

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- ❑ In 2018, AFP approach was adopted by the National Family Planning Board and included in the National Advocacy Strategy in partnership with MyChoice
- ❑ In 2020, BKKBN included it in their 5-year Strategic Plan.
- ❑ AFP approach is also adopted and adapted by other projects: **ICMM (USAID), MyChoice (BMGF), FP2020 Rapid Response Mechanism (UN Foundation), Rights-Based Family Planning Project (BAPPENAS/UNFPA), and LKNU for Diabetes Project.** To date, **16 PWGs and 93 DWGs** has been established throughout the country.

# Sustaining Wins

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- ❑ Using AFP Approach JHCCP Indonesia – AFP Has contributed to the improvement of 6 National FP Policies endorsed by relevant government institutions at national level:
  - ❑ Full Integration of FP services into National Health Insurance Scheme in 2018 except for PFP at referral health center
  - ❑ Utilization of Village Budget for FP activities nationally since 2018
  - ❑ Certification of Implant and IUD Insertion Training for Midwives in 2018
  - ❑ National Standard of Implant and IUD Insertion Training for Midwives in 2020
  - ❑ Improve Criminal Code update to Assure Language on FP Promotion, including to youth, can be widely practiced
  - ❑ Ensuring Local Government to Provide Budget and Strategic Activities For FP Services starting 2021

# Monitoring on Sustainability

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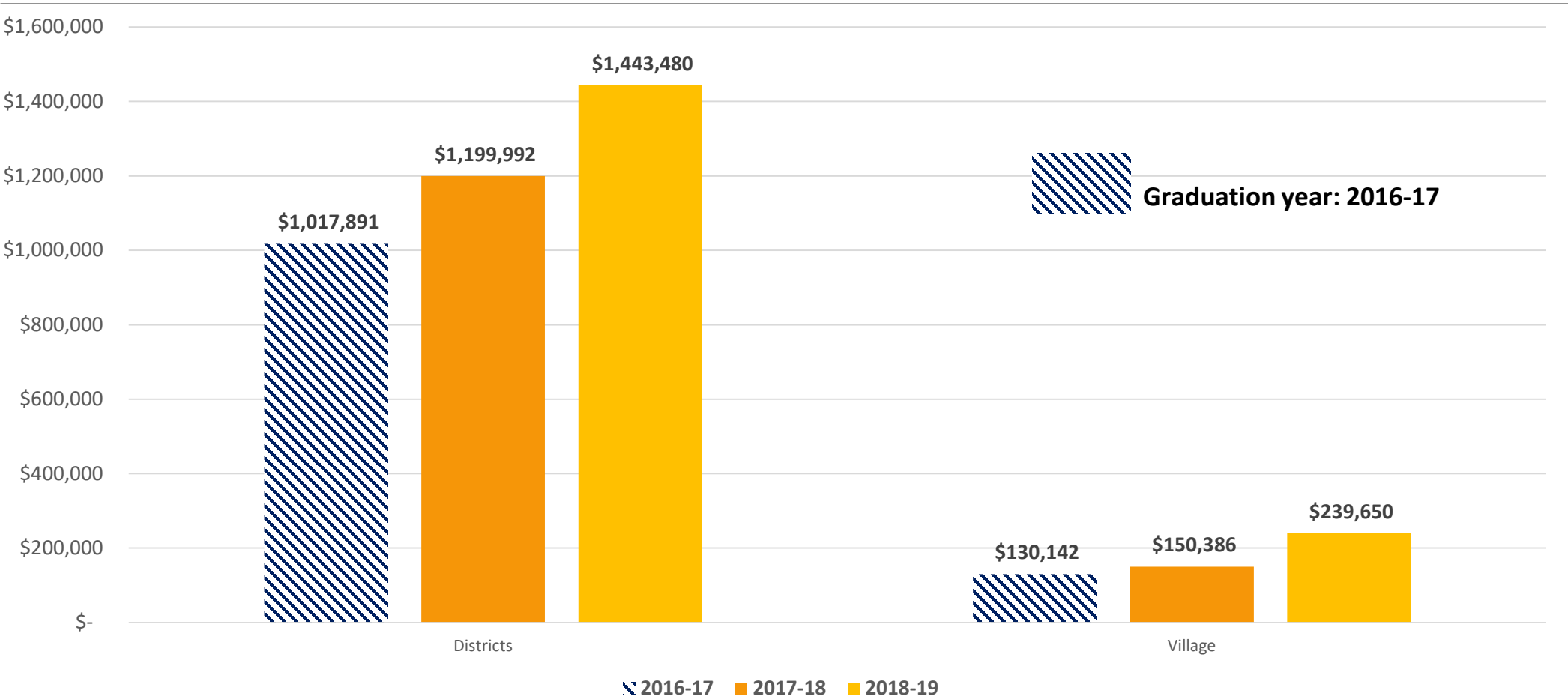
- ❑ Progress to date between 2017 – 2019
- ❑ Telephonic monitoring survey in 5 AFP graduated districts - Karawang, Kuningan, Kapuas Hulu, Ambon, Tual
- ❑ Local Independent Consultants are hired to collect data and information
- ❑ Indicators include:
  - # of advocacy working groups continuing to advocate and function
  - # of annual advocacy workplans
  - Family planning priorities identified
  - Percent change in family planning funding
  - # and type of annual advocacy wins achieved
  - Narrative information to understand opportunities and challenges

# Results

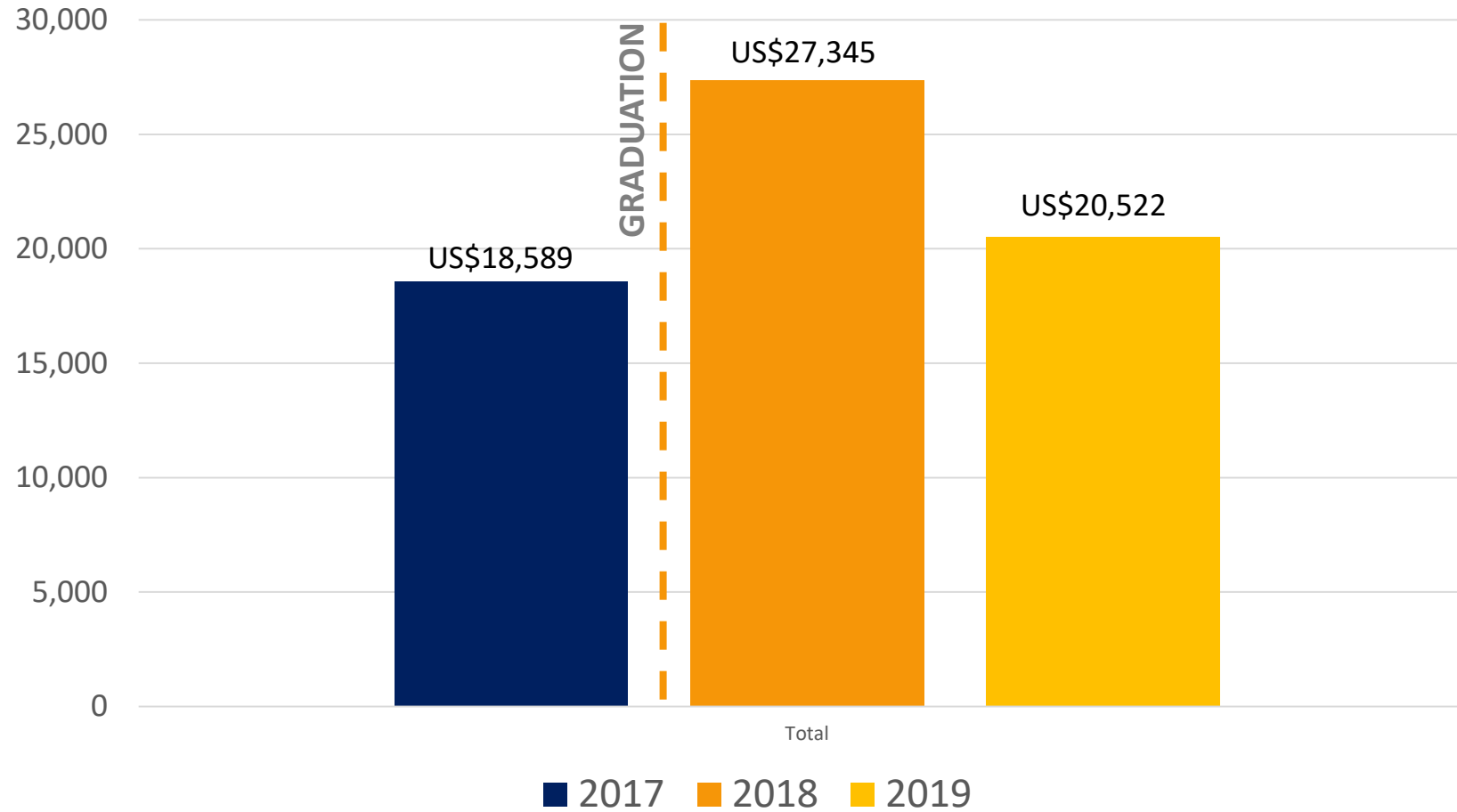
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- ❑ **5 DWGs** are still actively functioning
- ❑ **US\$2,643,572,-** was allocated in 2018 and 2019 local funding for FP program
- ❑ **US\$66,438,-** was allocated for the working group operations
- ❑ **8** quickwins related to policies and funding achieved

# Trend of funding allocations post graduation in districts and village level



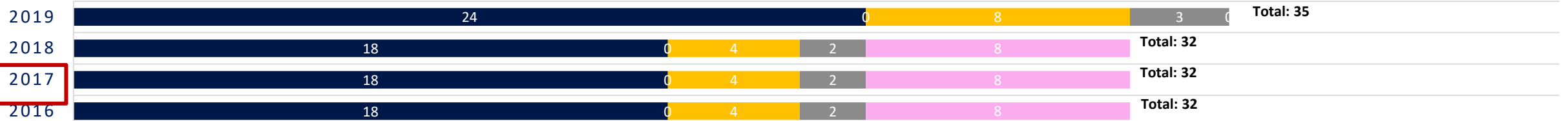
## DWGs' TOTAL OPERATIONAL BUDGET 2017 – 2019





# THE TREND OF DISTRICT WORKING GROUP MEMBERS (IN NUMBER AND MEMBER COMPOSITION) 2016-2019

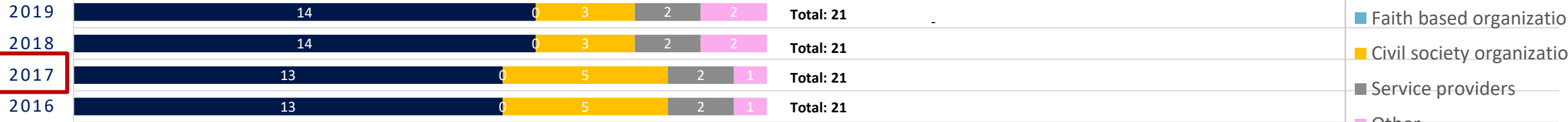
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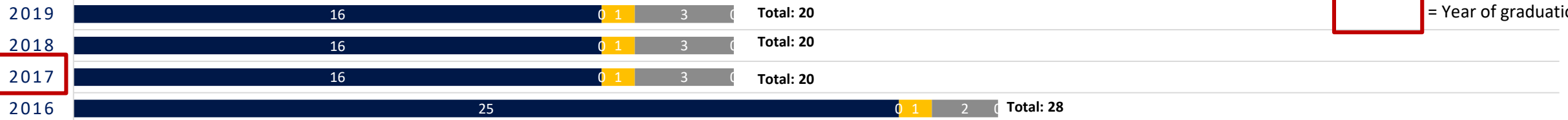
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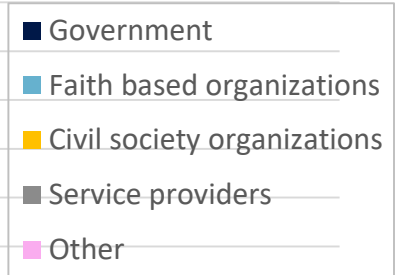
## AMBON



## TUAL



## KAPUAS HULU



2017 = Year of graduation

# Opportunities and Challenges

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- ❑ Advocacy M&E is yet to be an integral part of the government monitoring scheme. Thus, it's not easy to conduct the telephonic monitoring survey.
- ❑ The survey focuses on policy wins whereas budget wins are pretty evident.
- ❑ The Indonesia Family Planning Board is committed to continue the advocacy effort. However, technical support is still needed to assist them.

# Lessons Learned and Take-Aways

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- ❑ High turn-over rate of government officials makes it difficult to monitor sustainability.
- ❑ Monitoring of sustainability also requires continued shift in strategy. For e.g. District officials were not providing budgetary information through telephonic survey. Shifted strategy to hire local consultants (ex-staff, DWG members) to obtain information.
- ❑ Advocacy must be a continuing practice.

# The Future of Advocacy in Indonesia

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The advocacy effort will most likely continue after AFP. The Family Planning Board (BKKBN):

- Included AFP continuation in their 5-year Strategic Plan
- Developing a national advocacy M&E framework

**Thank you** 🙏