

Digital Savings Groups Criteria Checklist

Moving Savings Group Digital criteria

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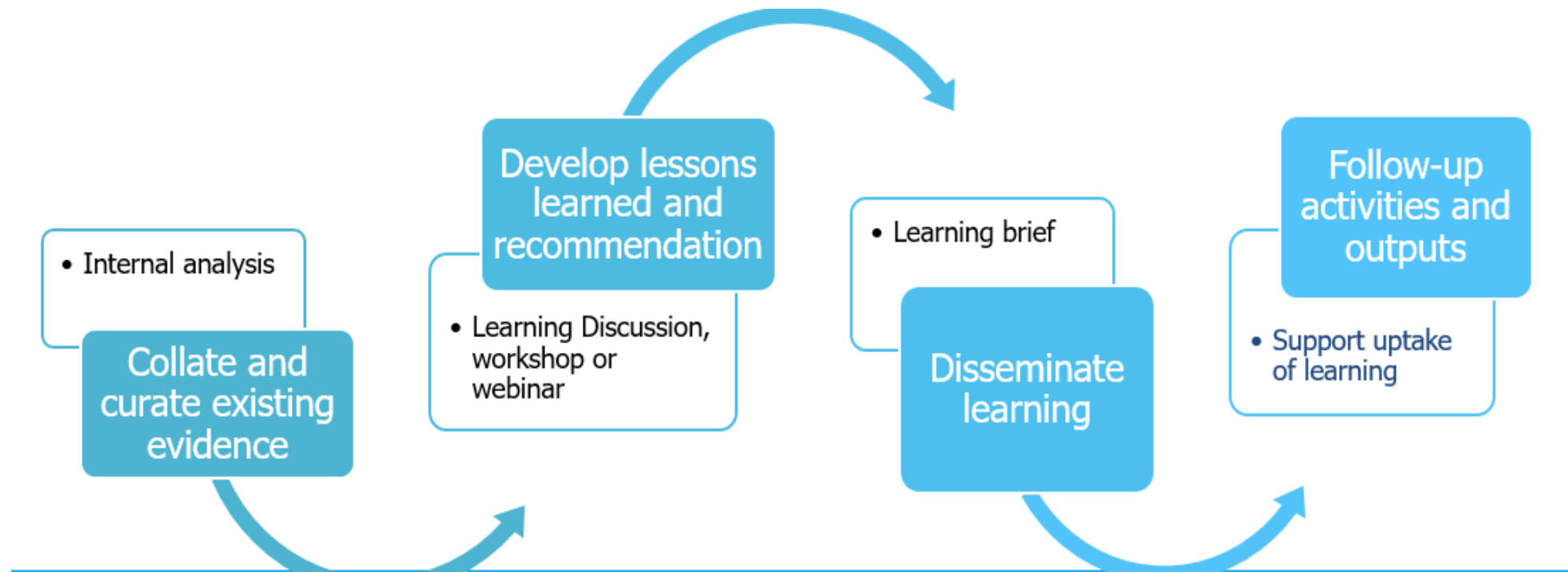
About the check list

- **Support tool – decision making**
- **Designed by Uganda Refugee Response Actors**

Criteria	Go ahead	Proceed with caution	Stop and <u>take action</u> before proceeding	Explanation	Notes
Group maturity	The group has been successfully through more than 3 savings cycles	The group has been through 2 cycles or less, or was not successful at the 2 cycles	The group has been through 1 <u>cycles</u> or less	Trust built up between the members of SGs and with the refugee response actors who work with them is crucial to the success or failure of the digital enterprise. As such, most groups selected to go digital are ones that are more well established - at least in their second or even third cycle.	
Groups savings and loan history	The group has a more than 1million UGX of savings and has a loan default rate of less than 2% over 2 cycles	The group has more than UGX 800,000 of savings and has a loan default rate of less than 8% over 2 cycles	The group has below UGX 500,000 of savings and has loan default rate of more than 10%	If a group goes digital it is more likely to have access to greater loan sizes, e.g. through affiliation to an MFI or another FSP. As such a good credit history within the group shows they will be able to responsibly manage a larger credit line	
Group size	The group has more than 25	The group has more than 15 members	The group has less than 15 members	Due to the sheer number of transactions recorded every month, larger groups' records are likely to have more <u>errors</u> .	

Digital Savings Groups (DSG) Learning Review

What is a learning review?



What has been done so far?

Workshop recording

<https://ulearn-uganda.org/recap-and-recordings-of-workshop-on-digital-savings-groups-dsgs/>

Digital service providers mapping

<https://ulearn-uganda.org/digital-savings-groups-online-fair/>



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IN THE UGANDA REFUGEE RESPONSE

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Are digital savings groups contributing to financial health?

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WHERE Zoom
DATE Thursday 28th April 2022
TIME 8:30am to 1pm
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Digital Savings Groups Learning Brief

- <https://ulearn-uganda.org/digital-savings-groups-in-uganda-learning-brief>

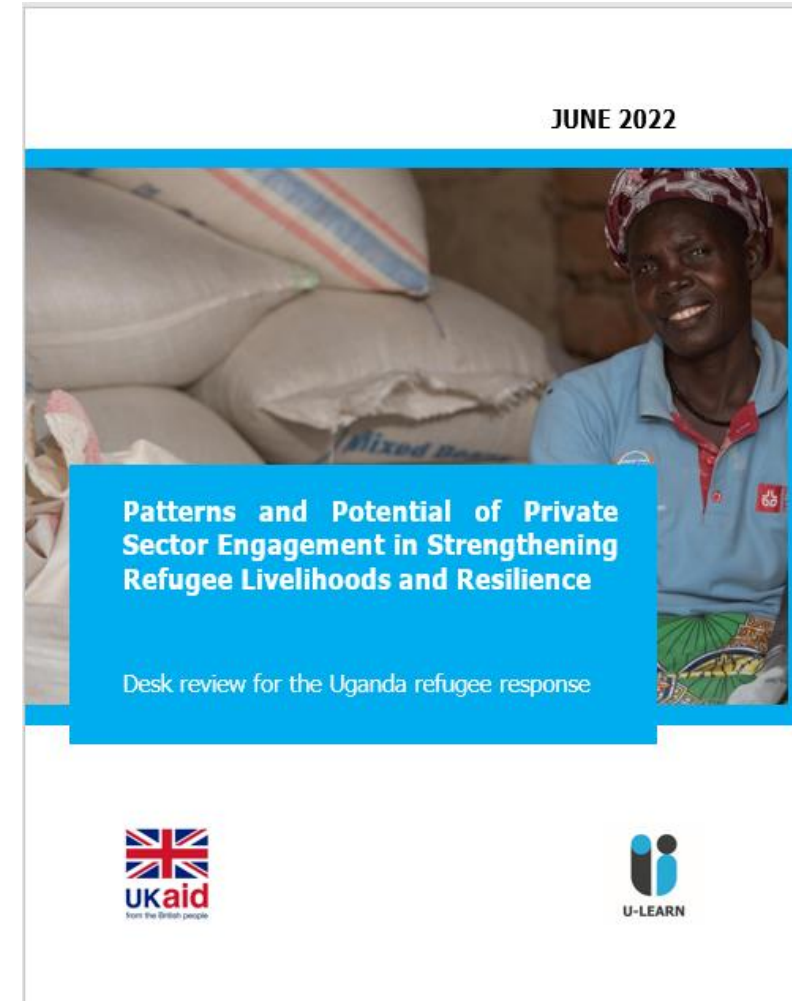
Secondary output: Digital Savings Groups criteria checklist

- Now finalised – to be disseminated



Private Sector Engagement (PSE) learning review

- **Patterns and Potential of Private Sector Engagement in Strengthening Refugee Livelihoods and Resilience – a desk review for the Uganda refugee response**
- <https://ulearn-uganda.org/desk-review-on-private-sector-engagement-in-the-uganda-refugee-response/>
- **Upcoming PSE Work**
 - Learning event
 - Learning Brief on PSE in Livelihoods in Uganda Refugee response



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