

FINAL EVALUATION OF THE ITALIAN STRATEGIC PLAN ON MALE VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN 2017-2020: CRITICAL ISSUES AND RECOMMENDATIONS

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NATIONAL STRATEGIC PLAN 2017-2020

17 PRIORITIES FOR ACTION IN 5 AREAS

- CROSS-CUTTING FOCUS ON MIGRANT**
- Prevent
 - Protect
 - Prosecute
 - Promote & Support
 - International cooperation

TO KNOW AND FIGHT VAW

TO OVERSEE THE PLAN



AND TO GOVERN COMPLEXITY

- MULTI-LEVEL** - Integration between National, Regional and Local policies
- MULTI-SECTORAL** - Integration between VaW policies and complementary policies (e.g. housing, labour, etc.)
- MULTI-STAKEHOLDER** - Involves multiple stakeholders (both in VaW and in complementary measures)

METHODOLOGY

COMBINES QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE RESEARCH METHODS AND TECHNIQUES



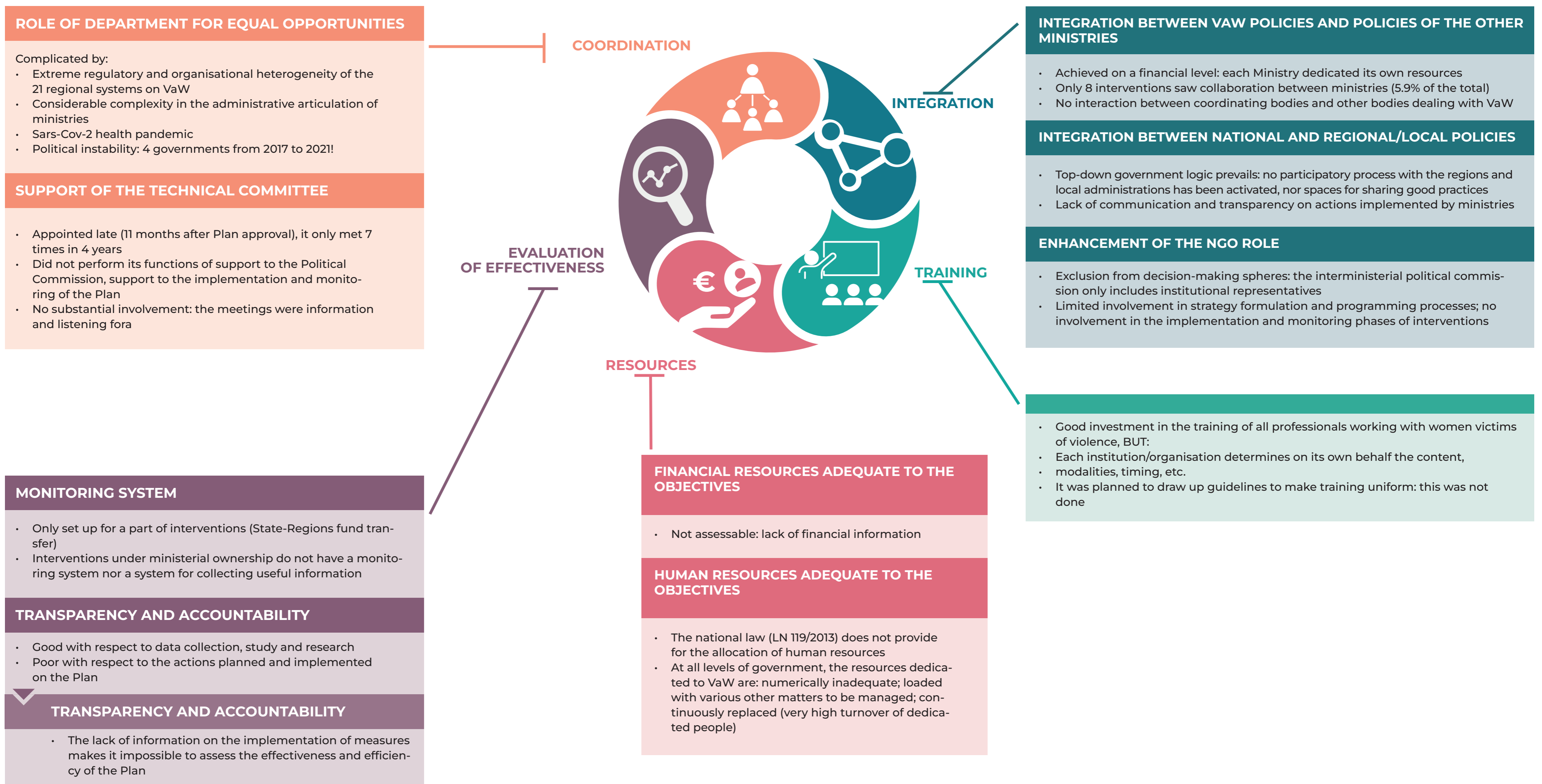
107 INSTITUTIONS AND ORGANIZATIONS INVOLVED IN THE EVALUATION SURVEYS

Regions	20
Municipalities	20
Departments of Ministries	17
Technical Committee of the Plan	8
NGO experts in VaW	23
Other NGO	13
Other public and private entities	6

MORE THAN 140 STAKEHOLDERS INVOLVED

"HAS THE NATIONAL PLAN ENABLED THE CREATION OF INTEGRATED AND COORDINATED POLICIES?" (ART. 7-11 ISTANBUL CONVENTION)

MAIN FINDINGS



CONCLUSIONS

IN THEORY:
THE PLAN'S APPROACH SATISFIES THE ISTANBUL CONVENTION

IN PRACTICE:
THIS APPROACH HAS BEEN IMPLEMENTED IN A LIMITED WAY



THE LACK OF COMMUNICATION, INTERACTION AND COORDINATION HAS FUELLED A «PERCEPTION OF DISTANCE» OF THE NATIONAL PLAN FROM THE NEEDS OF WOMEN VICTIMS OF VIOLENCE AND FROM THE SERVICES THAT SUPPORT THEM

MAIN RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE NEXT NATIONAL PLAN

STRUCTURING MORE INCLUSIVE PROCESSES OF DISCUSSION, INTERACTION AND DECISION-MAKING

- Ensuring the continuity of processes over time
- Guaranteeing the substantial involvement of all anti-violence policy actors. First of all:
 - > Regions
 - > Women's organisations
 - > Technical Committee

ADOPT A «BOTTOM-UP APPROACH» IN THE PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTING THE PLAN

That is: starting from the needs of the territories



STRUCTURING A MONITORING SYSTEM FOR THE PLAN (ALSO COORDINATING WITH THE STATE GENDER BUDGET)

- Useful for publicizing the actions planned and implemented
- Indispensable to ensure an evaluation of the effectiveness of the Plan

ALLOW THE TECHNICAL COMMITTEE TO PERFORM ITS FUNCTIONS

- Support to the Political Commission
- Support to the implementation, monitoring and evaluation of the Plan

VIVA PROJECT

ViVa Project ("Evaluation and Analysis of Interventions to Prevent and Combat Violence Against Women") is the result of the Collaboration Agreement signed on June 19, 2017 between the Department for Equal Opportunity of the Presidency of the Council of Ministers (DEO) and the Institute for Research on Population and Social Policy of the National Research Council (CNR-IRPPS). Thanks to an additional Collaboration Agreement, signed in April 2022, ViVa project is now in its second phase. The purpose is to realize social researches and evaluation researches to support the government in implementing policies on violence against women.