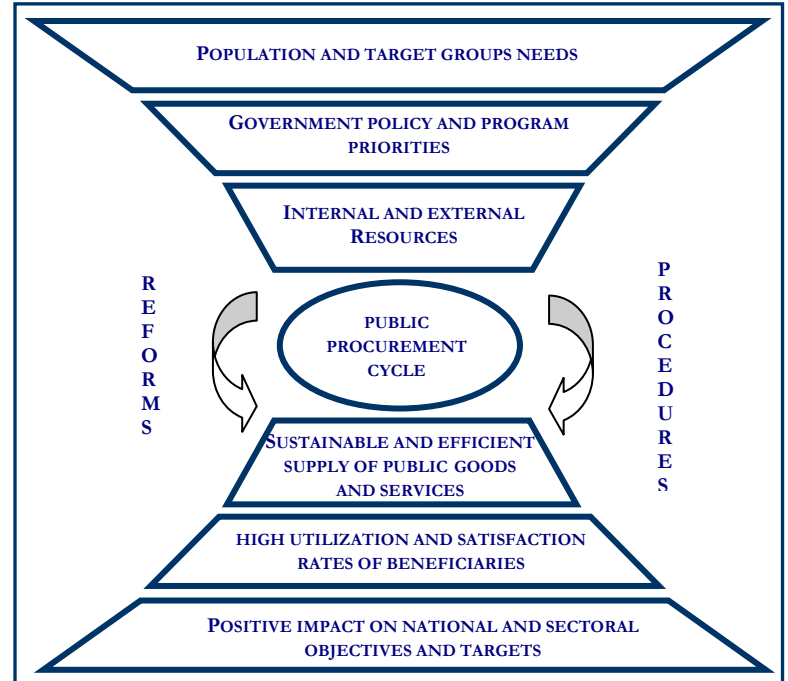


In order to improve the use of public resources, governments are increasingly moving towards adopting the Management for Development Results (MfDR) approach. Procurement lies at the heart of public sector reforms. The public procurement management cycle makes the operational link between, on the one hand, government priorities, public funds, and the suppliers and, on the other hand, the delivery of goods, works and services to effectively meet the needs of the population in order to achieve development objectives. The reforms and the improvement of procedures are designed to increase the effectiveness, efficiency and impact of public expenditures. The Silver certification will enable participants to better understand **the strategic nature of public procurement within the overall framework for managing public finance and MfDR**. It will turn participants into champions of change in their organizations.



TRAINING OBJECTIVES

The Silver Certification will enable participants to:

1. Understand the central role of the public procurement cycle in Managing for Development Results;
2. Be aware of the process and content of public procurement reforms (CPAR, PEFA, PEMFAR, etc);
3. Deepen their knowledge of ethics, transparency and the fight against corruption, and their impact on private sector development and the fight against poverty;
4. Master the stages of designing a strategic plan to strengthen the public procurement cycle in terms of organizational arrangements and human resources capacities.

MAIN TOPICS OF THE SILVER CERTIFICATION

- Role and specificity of public procurement in Managing for Development Results;
- Strategic, institutional and regulatory framework of the management of the public procurement cycle;
- Analysis of preconditions of public procurement reforms;
- Analysis of the institutional environment and actors involved in the management of the public procurement cycle;
- Procurement within the framework of Public Expenditure and Financial Accountability (PEFA) framework;
- Public procurement reforms and the new national procurement codes;
- Regulatory bodies, standardization and dispute resolution mechanisms;
- Initiatives against fraud and corruption and for transparency;
- Increased private sector participation;
- Identification and definition of performance indicators for the management of the public procurement cycle;
- Performance measurement framework and information systems for monitoring and evaluation;
- Developing an action plan to strengthen the management of the public procurement cycle and of the change process (strengthening of institutional and human capacities).



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