



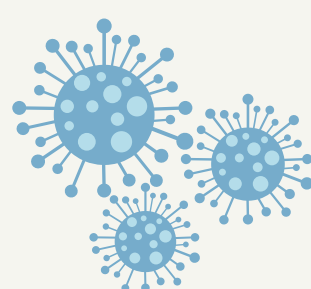
COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS ON PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

Building inclusive, effective and resilient institutions for sustainable recovery from the coronavirus disease pandemic and timely implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals

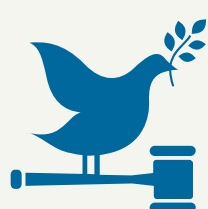
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Recovery from the pandemic and the 2030 Agenda

Recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic and implementation of the Goals should not be seen as sequential or separate. The 2030 Agenda provided a roadmap to recover from the pandemic and build resilience to future shocks.



11 principles of effective governance for sustainable development



Ownership of the eleven principles of effective governance is essential to accelerate action on building strong institutions.

Transparent public finance is key to effective governance

Transparent, accountable and participatory management of public finances is a key element of effective governance, even more so during the COVID-19 pandemic, when governments around the world face decreasing revenues and increasing expenditures.



The potential of sustainable public procurement is underutilized



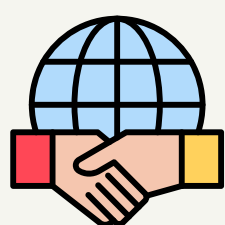
Market mechanisms could be used to expand procurement options but require inspection and enforcement along with the capacity in the public sector to support them.

Investing in digital capacity at national and local levels is needed to accelerate digital transformation

Equal opportunities should be given for the provision of digital capacity with special attention to the local level.



Leveraging partnerships for peacebuilding efforts and vaccination programmes is key



Local leaders and civil society organizations on the ground remain critical partners both in terms of peacebuilding and aiding vaccination programmes that rely on trust and legitimacy.