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Documentation

1. Annotated provisional agenda and workplan of the annual session of 2026 (UNW/2026/L.3)
2. Provisional agenda and workplan for the second regular session of 2026 (UNW/2026/CRP.2)
3. Report on the first regular session of 2026 (UNW/2026/1)
4. Annual Report of the Under-Secretary-General/Executive Director of UN-Women on the implementation of the Strategic Plan 2022–2025, including the final progress report of the Strategic Plan (UNW/2026/2)
5. Report on the internal audit and investigation activities for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2025 (UNW/2026/3)
6. Report of the Advisory Committee on Oversight for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2025 (UNW/2026/3/Add.1)
7. Report on the evaluation function of UN-Women, 2025 (UNW/2026/4)
8. Report on the corporate thematic evaluation of UN Women's support to intergovernmental processes(UNW/2026/CRP.3)
9. Report on the activities of the UN-Women ethics function (UNW/2026/5)

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Background notes

1. Update on the implementation efforts on the repositioning of the United Nations development system
2. Update on UN-Women policies and procedures to tackle sexual exploitation and abuse and sexual harassment
3. Report on the UN-Women Executive Board field visit to Bolivia in 2026 (UNW/2026/CRP.6)
4. Management Perspectives and Responses to the reports presented

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Provisional workplan

* Parliamentary documents for action

Day	*Time*	*Item*	*Subject*
Tuesday, 23 June	10 a.m.–1 p.m.	1	**Organizational matters** • Adoption of the annotated provisional agenda and workplan for the annual session 2026 • Adoption of the report of the first regular session 2026 **Opening of the session** • Statements by the President of the Executive Board and the Under-Secretary-General/Executive Director of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and Empowerment of Women (UN-Women)
		2	**Annual Report of the Executive Director** • Report of the Under-Secretary-General/Executive Director of UN-Women on the implementation of the Strategic Plan 2022–2025*

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Day	*Time*	*Item*	*Subject*
Tuesday, 23 June			*Opening the floor for statements*
	1.15 p.m.–2.45 p.m.		*Informal consultations on draft decisions*
	3 p.m.–6 p.m.	3	**Engagement with UN80 Initiative***
		4	**Audit and investigation matters** • Report of the internal audit and investigation activities for the period of 1 January to 31 December 2025* • Report of the Advisory Committee on Oversight for the period of 1 January to 31 December 2025* • Management responses
	Post-meeting		*Informal consultations on draft decisions, as needed*

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Day	*Time*	*Item*	*Subject*
Wednesday, 24 June	10 a.m.–1 p.m.	5	**Evaluation** • Report on the evaluation function of UN-Women in 2025* • Report on the corporate thematic evaluation of UN-Women's support to intergovernmental processes • Management perspective and response
		6	**Ethics** • Annual report on the ethics function* • Management response

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Day	*Time*	*Item*	*Subject*
Wednesday, 24 June	10 a.m.–1 p.m.	7	**JIU review of governance and oversight of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS, UNICEF and UN-Women** • Update on the progress of the JIU review (JIU/REP/2023/7)*
	Post-meeting		*Informal consultations on draft decisions*

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Day	*Time*	*Item*	*Subject*
Thursday, 25 June	10 a.m.–1 p.m.	8	**Policy and programme matters** • Update on the implementation efforts on the repositioning of the United Nations development system* • Update on UN-Women policies and procedures to tackle sexual exploitation and abuse and sexual harassment*
		9	**Field visit** • Report on the UN-Women Executive Board field visit in 2026

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Day	*Time*	*Item*	*Subject*
Thursday, 25 June	10 a.m.–1 p.m.	10	**Other matters** *Adoption of the decisions*
		1	**Organizational matters** • Approval of the provisional agenda and workplan for the second regular session 2026
			Closing of the session • Statements by the President of the Executive Board and the Under-Secretary-General/Executive Director of UN-Women

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Negotiations on draft decisions

Informal consultations on draft decisions:

Monday, 22 June 2026, *10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. in Conference Room D, UNHQ*

Tuesday, 23 June 2026, *1:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. in Conference Room D, UNHQ*

Tuesday, 23 June 2026, *post-plenary session in Conference Room 1925, 19th Floor, UN-Women HQ*

Wednesday, 24 June 2026, *post-plenary session in Conference Room 1925, 19th Floor, UN-Women HQ*

Provisional workplan

Day	*Time*	*Item*	*Subject*
Tuesday, 23 June	1.15 p.m.–2.45 p.m.	2	*Informal consultations on draft decisions*
	Post-meeting		*Informal consultations on draft decisions, as needed*
Wednesday, 24 June	Post-meeting	7	*Informal consultations on draft decisions, as needed*

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List of decisions and facilitators

1. Annual Report of the Under-Secretary-General/Executive Director of UN-Women on the implementation of the Strategic Plan 2022–2025, including the final progress report of the Strategic Plan (Decision 2026/8)
Permanent Mission of Kyrgyzstan

2. Report on the evaluation function of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women, 2025 (Decision 2026/9)
Permanent Mission of Belgium

3. Report on internal audit and investigation activities for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2025 (Decision 2026/10)
Permanent Mission of Uganda

4. Annual report on the activities of the UN-Women ethics function (Decision 2026/11)
Permanent Mission of Uganda

5. Implementation of General Assembly resolution 72/279 on the repositioning of the United Nations Development System (Decision 2026/12)
Permanent Mission of Albania

6. Update on UN-Women policies and procedures to tackle sexual exploitation and abuse and sexual harassment (Decision 2026/13)
Permanent Mission of the Dominican Republic

7. JIU review of governance and oversight of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS, UNICEF and UN-Women (Decision 2026/14)
Permanent Mission of Kyrgyzstan

8. Engagement with UN80 initiative (Decision 2026/15)
Permanent Mission of Belgium

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1. Delegation credentials should be sent to the Executive Board Secretariat **in advance** via the link: UN-Women Executive Board Annual Session 2026.

2. For inscription on the **list of speakers for the Annual Report of the Executive Director**, please follow the link: The list of speakers for Agenda item 2 as early as possible, **but no later than 12:00 p.m. Monday, 22 June 2026.**

3. For inscription on the **list of speakers for Engagement with the UN80 initiative**, please follow the link: The list of speakers for Agenda item 3 as early as possible, **but no later than 12:00 p.m. Monday, 22 June 2026.**

4. To register for potential informal consultations at UN-Women HQ after the session, please follow the link: Informal consultations on draft decisions for UN-Women Annual Session 2026

5. All links above could be found on the Annual Session 2026 webpage.

6. Please send **all statements** (in **both PDF and Word** format) to estatements@un.org.
   All submissions should be sent **no later than two hours before** delivery of the statement and contain the **name of the meeting and speaker,** as well as the **agenda item**, in the **subject line of the email** and in the heading of the statement. Statements will be embargoed until delivery and will be uploaded thereafter. Once uploaded, statements will be visible in the **UN Journal.**