CSO Global Financing Facility Hub and Survey Results

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PAI champions policies that make it possible for every woman to have quality reproductive health care.

We work with policymakers in Washington and our network of partners in developing countries to remove the policy barriers between women and the care they need.

What is the GFF?

A multi-stakeholder partnership to improve sexual, reproductive, maternal, newborn, child and adolescent health and nutrition (SRMNCAH+N)



CSO GFF Resource and Engagement Hub

A multiyear initiative to support civil society advocacy organizations and coalitions to contribute to GFF country-level investment outcomes through:



A website with information and resources on the GFF



Technical assistance to country CSOs and coalitions to support engagement



Direct financial support to support CSO engagement



Survey Objectives

Gather information on Civil society capacities, needs and challenges

Identify the key steps needed to improve CS engagement in the GFF process

Introduction and Methodology



Web-based survey developed in consultation with the GFF Steering Committee and working groups (in French and English)



Survey comprised 35 multiple choice and open-ended questions, divided in 4 sections:

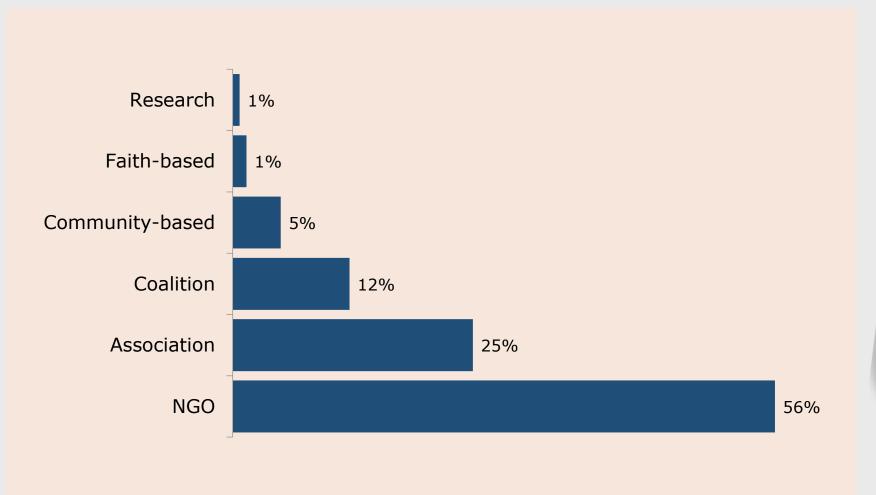
Context
CSO strength and capacity
Challenges and barriers
Priorities for action moving forward

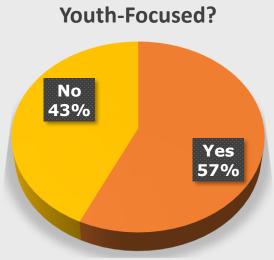


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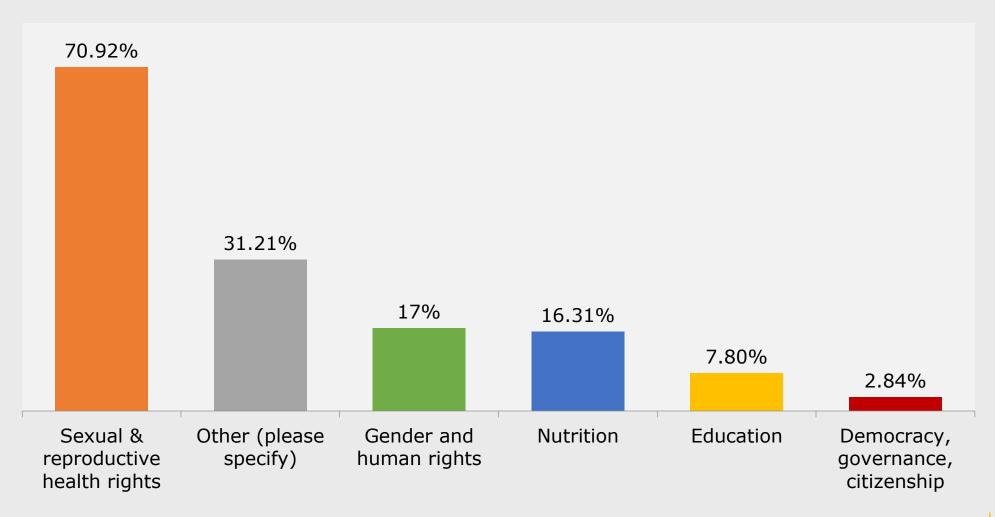
SECTION 1 Respondent Characteristics

Nature of Organizations

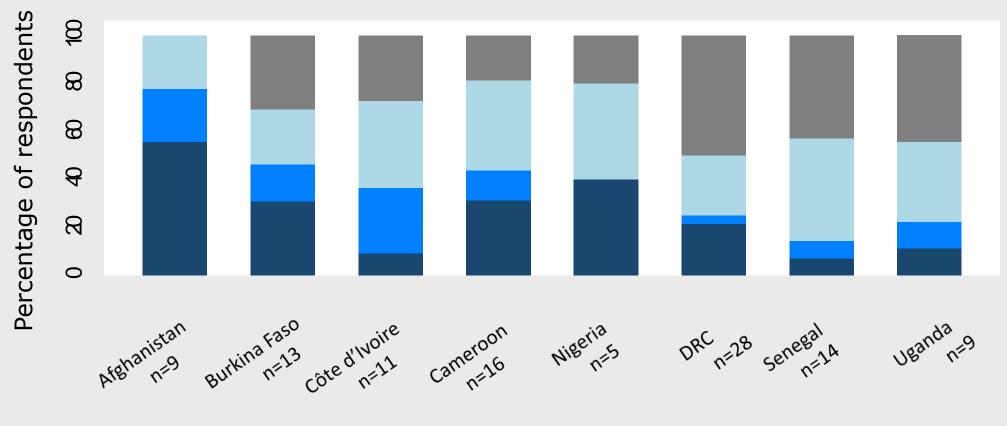




Organizations' Main Activities

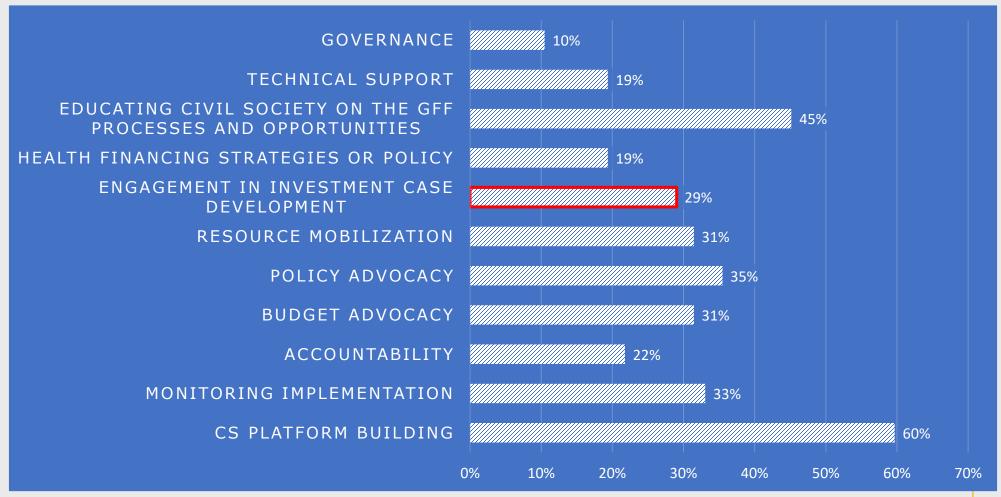


Knowledge of GFF Process In Country



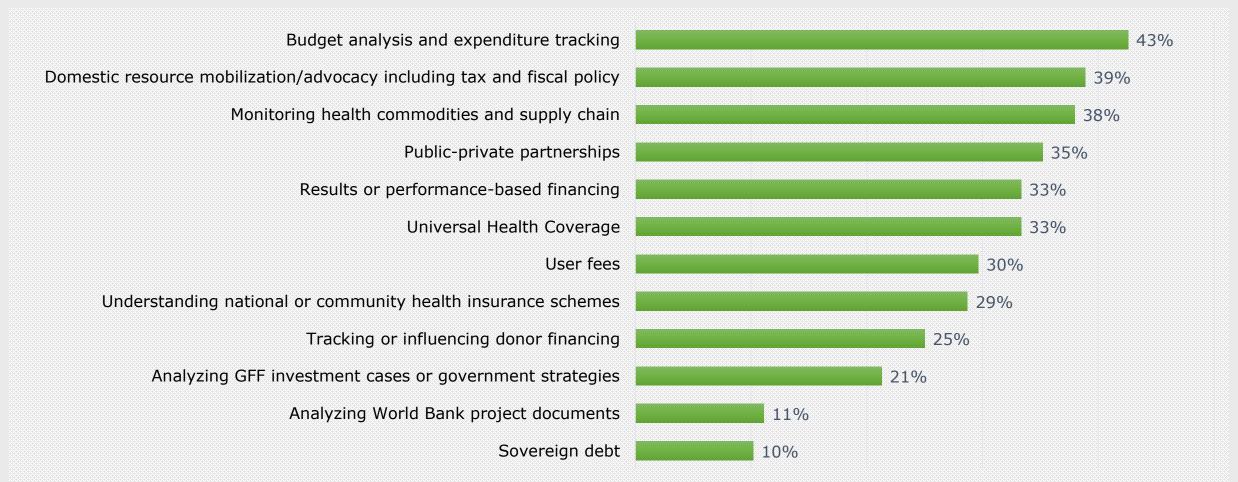


Engagement of CS Organizations in the GFF Process

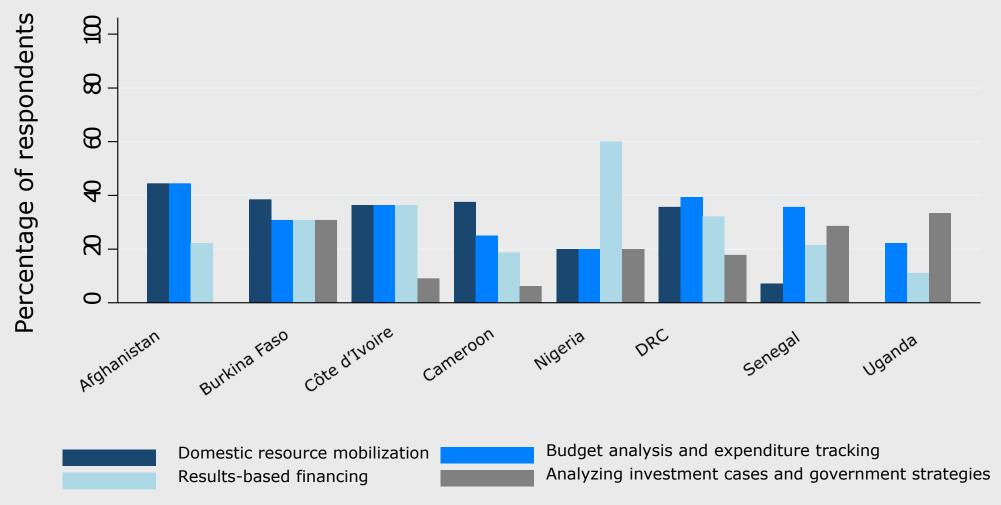


SECTION 2 Strengths and Capacity

Organizational Knowledge of Health Financing



Organizational Knowledge of Health Financing (Continued)



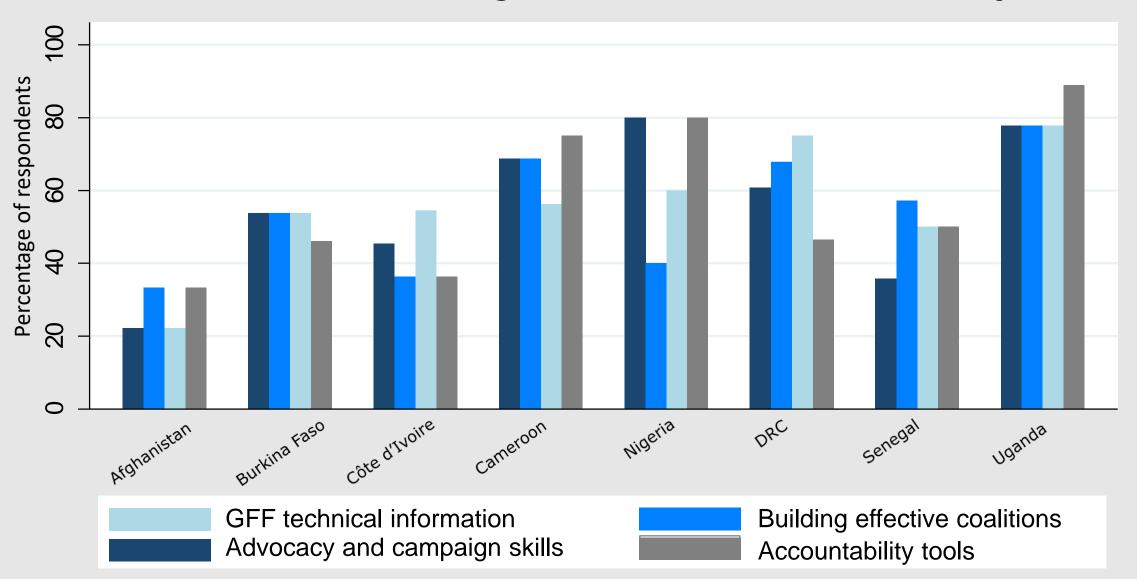
^{*}Analysis of countries with more than 5 responses

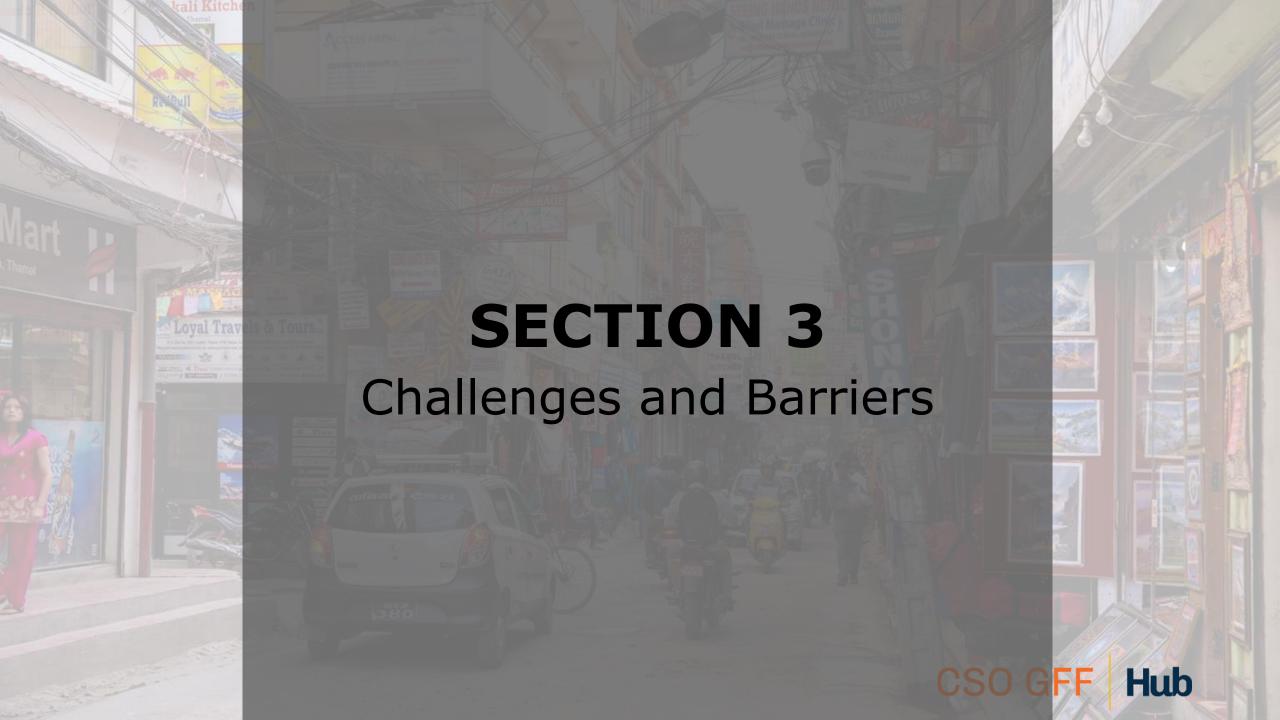
Skills Needed to be Strengthened



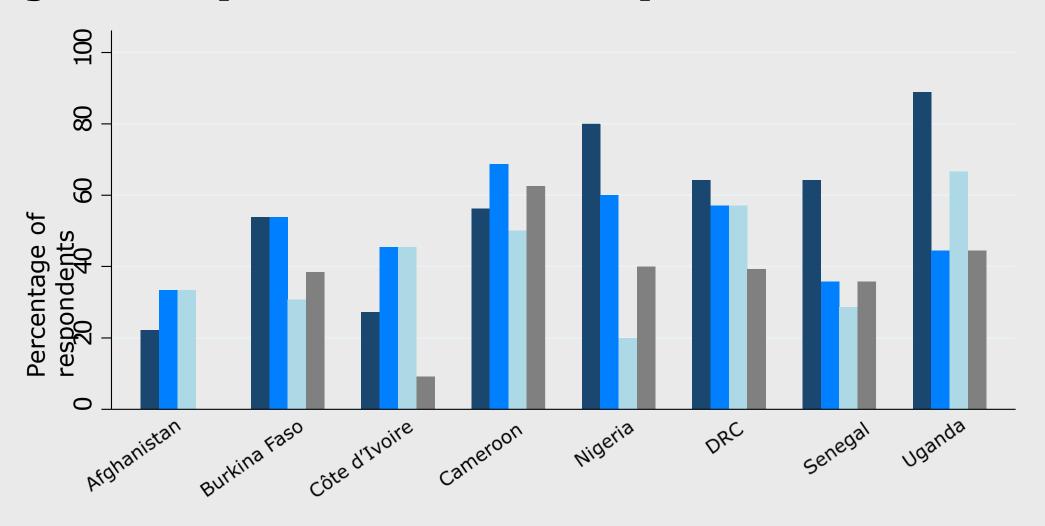
Skills Needed

To Contribute to Achieving National Investment Case Objectives





Major Gaps in CSO Response to the GFF





Mobilizing funds for GFF work Limited GFF knowledge



Lack of resources for communication and coordination

Difficulty for CSOs to be included in the country platform



SECTION 4

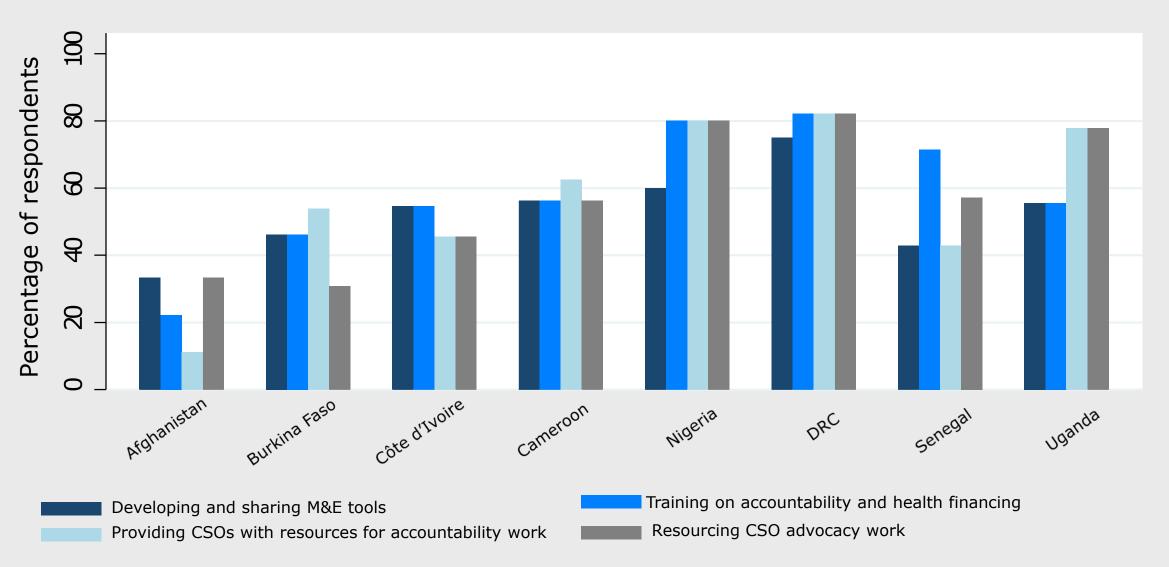
Priorities for Action Moving Forward



CSO GFF

Specific Areas of Support Needed

For CSOs Efforts on Transparency and Accountability Around the GFF



How the Hub and Partners can Support CSOs

To contribute to the objectives of the GFF



Conclusion and Next Steps

Increase transparency and accountability around the GFF

- Advocate for more transparency and accountability around the GFF multi-stakeholder platforms, the GFF process and actors involved
- Collaborate with GFF liaison officers to better disseminate the GFF country implementation guide

Improve communication and coordination

Support CSO communication and coordinating mechanisms/in-country CSO consultations

Invest in civil society capacity building

- Support CSOs in strengthening their capacities in health financing and budget tracking
- Support GFF Scorecard development and rollout in countries
- Identify local organizations/individuals to increase south-south learning

Funding

• Fund innovative projects for young people with a "results-based" rather than "activities-based" focus





CSO GFF Hub

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