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# How to measure Rights-Based Approach Project? Term, Principles and Key elements of Rights-Based Approach



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More discuss on working with government

**Non-discrimination and attention to vulnerable groups:** demand the incorporation of express safeguards for minorities, migrants and other domestically marginalized groups

**Express linkage to rights:** Legally enforceable rights with express links to international, regional and national human rights instruments.

**Accountability:** focus on raising levels of accountability in the development process by identifying claim-holders (and their entitlements) and corresponding duty-holders (and their obligations).



## Key elements of Rights-Based Approach

A rights-based approach is a conceptual framework for the process of human development that is normatively based on international human rights standards and operationally directed to promoting and protecting human rights. Essentially, a rights-based approach integrates the norms, standards and principles of the international human rights system into the plans, policies and processes of development.

**Participation:** requires a high degree of participation, including of communities, civil society, minorities, indigenous peoples, and women. This participation must be active, independent, and meaningful.



**Empowerment:** focus on beneficiaries as the owners of rights and the leaders of development.

Obligations of state for right-based approach:  
**1) Respect, 2) Protect and 3) Fulfill**