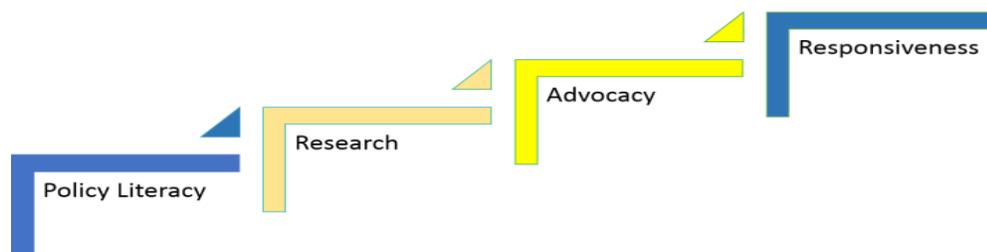


SEND's PM&E: A Social Accountability Implementation Framework

SEND's PM&E is summarized in the 4 stage diagram below. It is a proven social accountability framework for facilitating government civil society partnership and good governance practices in the implementation of pro-poor programs including food and nutrition security.



As highlighted in the box below by adopting SEND's PM&ECSA will be capable of:

- Holding government to deliver on commitments to prioritize and mainstream nutrition improvement in development policies and programs.
- Empowering citizens, in particular vulnerable groups, to claim their rights to nutrition security through evidence-based policy engagements with duty bearers

World Bank Institute Report, 2006 "The Ghana HIPC Watch was initiated in 2001.... in response to the civil society government partnership advocated by the Ghana poverty reduction strategy. At the same time SEND played an active role in mobilizing other Ghanaian civil society organizations to take part in demanding transparent and equitable distribution of the HIPC fund, which was soon to follow"

Dr. Siphon Moyo, (2010) Head of One Africa Award Committee . "SEND Ghana stood out as an exceptional organization that educates and empowers citizens to take part in the political process and access the services available to them. ...SEND's model of citizen engagement, education, training and advocacy which is backed up by policy research.,,,,"

UNDP Report, 2015 : 'The use of a PM&E allowed citizens, especially traditionally marginalized groups within society, to participate in the monitoring process by organizing a social network at three levels of society... community, regional and central"

Dr. Kwabena Twum-Nuamah (2015), MP Ghana: SEND-GHANA has become the unofficial research assistant for parliamentarians because members of parliament barely have documents to work with. We are supposed to oversight the institutions but we don't have information to critique them we rely on information they [government] give us to critique them"