

Inter-regional Workshop on Production of Gender Statistics
Group Workshop
Session on Time Use

Note: Each group will be assigned one type of time diary (listed below). All questions in the exercise are to be discussed and answered in relation to the type of time diary assigned to the group.

Type of time diary: (1) 24-hour 'light' diary; (2) 24-hour diary with open time intervals; (3) 24-hour diary with fixed time intervals

Discuss, prepare, do and report on the following:

On objectives and use of data collection on time use:

- (1a) For which objectives/uses would this type of diary be most appropriate? Explain.
(1b) For which objective/uses would this type of diary be least appropriate? Explain.

*Elements of design: **For the objective(s) you specified in (1a)—***

- (2a) Design a time diary for the type of diary assigned to you. Remember to consider, where appropriate, issues on inclusion/exclusion of simultaneous activities, contextual information, length of time interval, etc.
(2b) Test the diary on respondents from your group. Try interview recall and self-completed diary.
 (i) Ask 3 members to complete a 24-hour diary for last Saturday
 (ii) Ask 3 members to complete a 24-hour diary for last Thursday
(2c) Code the 6 diaries using the ICATUS.
(2d) Suggest a statistical table that will be a starting point for summarizing the data from the diary in line with the objective(s) you specified.

Learning points:

- (3) In presenting the results of your group workshop, highlight the following:
- Answers to (1a) and (1b)
 - Decisions that you needed to make in (2a) and (2d) and how you resolved the issues.
 - Observations and recommendations from your experiences in (2b) and (2c)