

# United Nations Statistics Division Statistical Institute for Asia and the Pacific in collaboration with the Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications, Government of Japan

## Workshop on Improving the Integration of a Gender Perspective into Official Statistics

Chiba, Japan 16 to 19 April 2013

#### **Agenda**

The United Nations Statistics Division (UNSD) and the Statistical Institute for Asia and the Pacific (SIAP) are organizing a regional workshop on gender statistics, in cooperation with the Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications, Government of Japan (MIC). This regional workshop is intended to train national statisticians on the production and use of gender statistics, as well as discuss the newly developed UN manual: *Integrating a Gender Perspective into Statistics*. Participants will also benefit from the training on the use of census data for gender analysis, based on the UNFPA *Guide on Gender Analysis of Census Data*.

The key objectives of the workshop are:

- Strengthen the capacity of national official statisticians to apply international concepts and methods for gender statistics;
- Exchange and share good practices and lessons learned on gender statistics among national statistical offices and relevant government units;
- Promote the integration of a gender perspective into national statistical systems with the aim of improving the availability and quality of gender statistics.

#### DAY 1: TUESDAY, 16 APRIL 2013

TIME	TOPIC
8:30 – 9:00	Registration and welcome
9:00 – 10:00	<ul> <li>Opening Remarks</li> <li>Ms. Francesca Grum, Chief, Social and Housing Statistics Section, UNSD</li> <li>Ms. Margarita F. Guerrero, Director, Statistical Institute for Asia and the Pacific</li> <li>Introduction of resource persons, participants and staff members</li> <li>Welcoming address</li> <li>Mr. Masaaki Nakagawa, Director for International Training Cooperation, Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications</li> <li>Group Photo</li> </ul>
	Session 1: Develop a coherent and comprehensive plan for the production of gender statistics
10:00 – 11:00	Presentations  1. Global Review of Gender Statistics Programmes (UNSD)  2. Overview of gender statistics: why, what, for whom and how (gender statistics for policy-making and research, mainstreaming a gender perspective in statistics – SIAP)  3. Discussion/conclusions
11:00 – 11:15	Tea Break
11:15 – 12:15	Countries' experience in integrating gender into national statistics  1. Country experience: India 2. Country experience: Philippines 3. Discussion/conclusions
12:15 – 13:45	Lunch Break
13:45 – 15:45	Session 1 (cont.): 1. Country experience: Japan Session 2: Integrating a gender perspective into health statistics Presentations 1. Bringing gender issues into health statistics (UNSD) 2. Country experience: Bangladesh 3. Country experience: Myanmar 4. Discussion/conclusions
15:45 – 16:00	Tea Break

Session 3: Integrating a gender perspective in statistics on work
Presentations
<ol> <li>Bringing gender issues into statistics on work (UNSD)</li> </ol>
2. Country experience: Malaysia
3. Discussion/conclusions

#### DAY 2: WEDNESDAY, 17 APRIL 2013

TIME	TOPIC
9:00 – 10:00	Session 4: Integrating a gender perspective in poverty statistics
	Presentations  1. Bringing gender issues into poverty statistics (UNSD)  2. Country experience: Nepal  3. Discussion/conclusions
10:00 – 11:00	Session 5: Integrating a gender perspective in statistics on environment
	Presentation 1. Bringing gender issues into statistics on environment (UNSD) 2. Country experience: Sri Lanka 3. Discussion/conclusions
11:00 – 11:15	Tea Break
11:15 – 12:15	Group exercise
12:15 – 13:45	Lunch Break
13:45 – 15:45	Session 6: Violence against women surveys
	Presentations 1. Guidelines for Producing Statistics on Violence Against Women (UNSD) 2. Country experience: Indonesia 3. Country experience: Viet Nam 4. Discussion/conclusions
15:45 – 16:00	Tea Break
16:00 – 17:30	Session 7: Time use surveys
	Presentations 1. Time Use Surveys and gender statistics (SIAP) 2. Country experience: China 3. Country experience: Thailand 4. Discussion/conclusions

#### DAY 3: THURSDAY, 18 APRIL 2013

TIME	TOPIC
9:00 – 12:15	Session 8: Population and Housing censuses: Use of census data for gender statistics
	Presentations 1. Strengths and weaknesses of the use of census data (UNFPA) 2. Tabulation of census data (UNFPA) 3. Limitations on the kinds of conclusions that can be drawn from census tabulations (UNFPA) 4. Country experience: Lao DPR
12:15 – 13:45	Lunch Break
	Session 8: (cont'd)
13:45 – 15:45	Group exercise
15:45 – 17:00	Presentations (UNFPA) 5. Types of indicators that can be constructed with census data 6. Comparison of census indicators with similar indicators from other sources 7. Country experience: Maldives

### DAY 4: FRIDAY, 19 APRIL 2013

TIME	TOPIC
	Session 8: (cont'd)
9:00 – 10:45	Presentations  8. Multivariate analyses  9. Selected substantive analyses  10. Country experience: Mongolia  11. Discussion/conclusion
10:45 – 11:00	Tea Break
11:00 – 12:15	Group exercise
12:15 – 13:45	Lunch Break
13:45 – 14:15	Session 9: Analysis and presentation of gender statistics: an overview  Presentation
	From raw data to easily understood gender statistics (UNSD)
14:15 – 16:00	Session 10: Regional perspective of ESCAP
	Presentation 1. Regional perspective, the way forward (SIAP) 2. Country discussion on future plans 3. Discussion
16:00– 16:30	Tea Break
16:30 – 17:00	Conclusions
	UNSD/SIAP will introduce the major conclusions of the workshop. Plenary discussion will then follow for all participants to comment.
17:00-17:30	Closing Session
	<ul> <li>Awarding certificate to the participants</li> </ul>
	Closing Remarks (UNSD, SIAP)