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PALESTININ EXPERIENCE IN APPLICATION OF TUS

Introduction

In Palestine, TUS is planned every 10 years.

Palestine implemented the 1st National TUS in 1999/2000.

Planning to implement the 2nd Round 2012/2013

National representative survey.

Carried out independently.

Used mainly in the **social sector, for gender statistics**

In addition to the Gender Statistics is planned to be more focus on

- Provide information with a gender approach
- Paid and unpaid work and personal activities of the population

- Establishment of satellite accounts

Population: All Palestinian age 10 yrs+ living in the Palestinian territory, excluding persons living in institutions such as prisoners, shelters,…

Number of diary days: One diary day

Coverage of the year

The survey days/dates were representative of, and cover a full 12 months period. The diary day was allocated to individuals by a controlled random procedure. (two individuals: Male and Female

Three harmonized Survey Tools:

Household Questionnaire: Face to face Interview with paper questionnaire

Individual questionnaire: Face to face Interview with paper questionnaire

The Day Diary: Self-administered paper questionnaires

Classification System and Coding rules

1st Round: The daily diary starts at 12:00 am and covers 24 hours with 84 intervals of 15 minutes during the day and 30 minutes after midnight. (*when, what, Is paid or not, where, with whom*)

2nd Round: The daily diary **starts at 12:00 am** and **covers 24 hours with 120 intervals** of **10** **minutes during the day and 30 minutes after midnight.** *(when, what, what else, where, with whom)*

Coding the Day Diary:

1st Round: The respondents describe <u>only one main activity</u> performed within per interval (asked to give as much as he could of details about this activity)

2nd Round: The respondents will be asked to describe the main two activities performed (will be asked to give as much as he could of details about this activity) <u>main activity and secondary activity at the same period</u>

The coding process translates the sentences reported by the interviewed into codes (encoded)

First level is always present(Hierarchical) : ⇒ (Three levls): are just specifications of the first level's categories

Classification System

1st Round: proposed by ICTUS 1997, $\Rightarrow$ adapted to the national needs $\Rightarrow$ International comparability.

2nd Round: proposed by ICTUS 2012, $\Rightarrow$ adapted to the national needs $\Rightarrow$ International comparability.

Remarks on non-productive activities?

Political Issue

Social Activities

Religious Issues

Link activity to purpose (learning,….)

THANK YOU