



Inclusive Data Charter monitoring form

Annual Champion progress survey – 2024

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Progress on inclusive data priorities			
No	Question	Guidance	Champion response
1.1	What progress have you made on your Inclusive data priorities/ IDC Action Plan priorities in the past year?	Include examples to accompany any highlights or achievements.	Use of census data for disaggregating SDGs & geographic disaggregation- Census capacity strengthening workshops: Association of National Directors of Census and Statistics of America, Asia and the Pacific (ANCSDAAP) Census Conference- 20-22 Aug 2024- Mongolia; Africa Census Expert Group Meeting -9-13 September 2024, Pretoria; Regional Workshop on use of administrative data sources for population and housing censuses- 23-27 Sept 2024, Suzhou, Jiangsu Province, China. UNFPA developed tools and manuals for generating small area estimates of SDG indicators based on a combination of census and survey data, as well as survey and geospatial data. The tools (all at printing phase) include 1. a step-by-step guide to harmonizing census and survey data for the purposes of small area estimation (SAE)- (at printing stage); 2.

			<p>Manual for small area estimation combining surveys and census data: An application based on contraceptive use indicators; 3. Application of application of small area estimation using an area-level model for analysis; 4. Manual for small area estimation combining surveys and census data: An application based on contraceptive use indicators.</p> <p>CRVS: Capacity strengthening on analysis and use of vital statistics data with a focus on disaggregation by sex and age -workshops in Dakar, Senegal (18-23 Nov 2024) and Kigali, Rwanda (9 - 14 June 2024). Joint study launched on birth/marriage registration and eradication of child marriage in Guatemala, Uganda and Indonesia (jointly with PUSKAPA, Universitas of Indonesia). Guidance on marriage registration add-on questions in censuses to measure : marriage registration completeness - produced and endorsed by UN Expert Group on Revision 4 of Principles and Recommendations on Population and Housing Censuses.</p> <p>PDP- Increased availability of geospatially disaggregated data by various stratifiers including geography, age, sex residence through the UNFPA population data portal (pdp.unfpa.org), which was launched in 2022. In the past year, PDP version 3 was released with new data sources (World Population Prospects, DHS and MICs) and regional dashboards.</p> <p>Population estimation: COD-PS updates:As the lead agency for generating population statistics for humanitarian preparedness and response, UNFPA produced updated common operational datasets on</p>
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			<p>population statistics- (COD-PS) - for 60 countries. These are age and sex disaggregated population projections at sub-national level needed for humanitarian response and preparedness action. UNFPA improved the quality COD-PS estimates to take into account large-scale population mobility in Ukraine, Mozambique, Philippines, Haiti and Sudan through deep-dive analytical work with national authorities and other technical partners. Technical guidance notes and standard operating procedures (SOPs) were developed to improve usability and interoperability of COD-PS datasets.</p> <p>Model based population estimates: Strengthened capacity of 6 countries (Ethiopia, Morocco, Algeria, Iraq, Sudan, Libya, Djibouti) to produce and use high resolution spatial population estimates.</p> <p>Power of Data High impact Initiative: As one of the co-lead agencies- UNFPA supported the launch of the Power of Data Initiative in 10 countries and several more countries have shown interest. The Power of Data Initiative seeks to promote strengthened national data systems through effective partnerships and increased investments at national level.</p>
1.2	What areas of your Inclusive data priorities/ IDC Action Plan have you made the least progress on, in the past year?	Include any challenges or barriers faced.	<p>Generation of population estimates in the absence of census. The key challenge is lack of funding and limited capacity in countries.</p>

1.3	Have there been any changes to your Inclusive data priorities/ IDC Action Plan objectives in the last year?	(Yes, No) If yes, please give details of any changes	Yes. Please give details of the changes to your priorities.: Renewed focus on capacity strengthening and use of data for programme monitoring and implementation due to the creation of the new Data and Analytics Branch at UNFPA. UNFPA has also increased it's prioritisation of citizen- generated data.
1.4	Has the progress on advancing your inclusive data priorities/ IDC Action Plan led to any changes (internally or externally) in one or more of the following areas?	Checklist – tick all that apply: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Increased visibility and awareness on inclusive data ● Broader engagement and action being taken on inclusive data ● Increased capacity to collect, analyze and make use of inclusive data ● Strengthened coordination and collaboration with others to advance inclusive data objectives ● Strengthened knowledge exchange & learning ● Use of inclusive data to inform policy change or impacts for marginalised groups 	Both(internal and external) Both(internal and external) Both(internal and external) Both(internal and external) Both(internal and external) Both(internal and external)
IDC network engagement			
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2.1	In the last 12 months, have you engaged in any advocacy around the IDC, like encouraging other	(Yes, No) If yes, please give details, including any examples	No

	organizations to join or speaking about the IDC at events?		
2.2	In the last 12 months, has being part of the IDC enabled you to collaborate with other Champions or partners to take forward your inclusive data priorities?	(Yes, No) If yes, please give details, including any examples.	Yes: On-going collaborations in areas of UNFPA mandate such as censuses and civil registration, vital statistics and data for humanitarian preparedness and response
2.3	In the last 12 months, have you shared practice and learning with other countries/organizations on the actions you are taking on inclusive data?	(Yes, No) If yes, please give details, including examples.	Yes: Global and regional convenings, side events and conferences including- the World Data Forum, Uruguay Festival de Datos, and population conferences such as the Union for African Population Studies (UAPS)
2.4	Which of the offerings below have you engaged with as a member of the IDC network in the last 12 months?	<p>Checklist – tick all that apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Communication, advocacy & engagement opportunities e.g. blogs, data stories, events ● Participating in knowledge exchange & learning sessions e.g. Champion network calls ● Sharing resources and materials with the IDC network ● Collaborating with other Champions on shared challenges, topics of interest or inclusive data projects ● Receiving support from the IDC Secretariat to advance your work on inclusive data ● None of the above 	<p>Communications and advocacy opportunities e.g. blogs, data stories, events</p> <p>, Participating in knowledge exchange & learning sessions e.g. Champion network calls</p> <p>, Collaborating with other Champions on shared challenges, topics of interest or inclusive data projects</p>

2.5	<p>To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements based on your organization's engagement with the IDC? (strongly agree, somewhat agree, neither agree nor disagree, somewhat disagree, strongly disagree)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● I feel that my organization's voice is heard within the network.● I feel pride in being part of the IDC when thinking about my organization's membership in the network.● I feel that the IDC as a network is making a difference and contributing to external change and action towards more inclusive and equitable practices.● I feel well informed about opportunities to participate in IDC coordinated activities.● I feel that my organization is getting value from being engaged in the IDC and being part of this network is helping us to advance work that we		<p>Strongly agree</p> <p>Neither agree nor disagree</p> <p>Neither agree nor disagree</p> <p>Neither agree nor disagree</p> <p>Strongly disagree</p>
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Looking ahead			
No	Question	Guidance	Champion response
3.1	What are your priorities for your IDC action plan / inclusive data work in the next 12 months?		No