

Provisional Agenda

Regional Meeting

Enhancing Capacity for the Integration of the ICPD Agenda into SDG Adaptation and Review Processes

in Eastern Europe and Central Asia

Geneva, 2-4 November, 2016

Palais des Nations, Room XXV

Wednesday, 02 November 2016		
09:00 – 09:55	Registration (Foyer in front of Room XXV) (Electronic registration is closed)	
Time	Session	Chair/ Speakers
10:00 – 10:30	<p>OPENING AND WELCOMING ADDRESS</p> <p>Overview of purpose of the meeting, agenda and outputs.</p>	<p>Ms. Alanna Armitage - Regional Director, EECARO, UNFPA</p> <p>Ms. Lidia Bratanova, Director, Statistical Division, UNECE</p>
10:30 – 11:45	<p>SESSION 1. ICPD AND SDGS LINKAGES, MONITORING, FOLLOW UP AND REVIEW AT GLOBAL LEVEL</p> <p>This session gives an overview of the ICPD Agenda, 20 year Review and its full implementation beyond 2014. It also describes the areas of overlap between the ICPD and 2030 Agendas highlighting complementarities and contributions of the ICPD Beyond 2014 to the realization of the 2030 Agenda and of sustainable development more broadly. It goes on to discuss follow up and review arrangements/mechanisms for both agendas, and how these can be synchronized at global and regional levels.</p> <p>SESSION 2. REGIONAL ICPDb2014 TRENDS AND RELATED SDGS INDICATORS.</p> <p>During the session the regional ICPDb2014 related trends will be presented. An overview of key elements of related indicators framework will be outlined with special emphasis on synergies with SDGs indicators. The session will serve to initiate a dialogue on the development of regional ICPDb2014 regional indicator framework.</p>	<p>Chair: Ms. Lidia Bratanova, Director, Statistical Division, UNECE</p> <p>Co-Chair: Mr. Alfonso Barragues, Director, a.i, UNFPA Geneva Office</p> <p>Contributor:</p> <p>Dr. Nkeiruka (Kiki) Didigu, Post 2015 Specialist, UNFPA NY</p> <p>Contributors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ms. Vitalija Gaucaite Wittich, Chief, Population Unit, Statistical Division, UNECE Mr. Ian McFarlane, Deputy Regional Director, UNFPA EECA Regional office <p><i>Discussion</i></p>

11:45 - 12:00	Break	
12:00 – 13:00	<p>SESSION 3. 2030 AGENDA FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT: WHERE ARE WE NOW AT THE REGIONAL LEVEL?</p> <p>The session will offer an overview on the progress of CES Road Map on statistics for SDGs. It will also provide a summary on the status of a future regional follow-up and review mechanism for the 2030 Agenda.</p>	<p>Chair: Marta Diavolova, Regional Advisor, Strategic Partnerships, UNFPA</p> <p>Contributors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ms. Lidia Bratanova, Director, Statistical Division, UNECE Mr. Benjamin Rothen, Co-chair, CES Steering Group on Statistics for SDGs, Switzerland Ms. Monika Linn, Principal Adviser & Chief, Sustainable Development and Gender Unit, UNECE <p><i>Discussion</i></p>
13:00 – 15:00	Lunch	
15:00 – 16:15	<p>SESSION 4. 2030 AGENDA FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT: WHERE WE ARE NOW AT THE COUNTRY LEVEL?</p> <p>The session will present the country experience on nationalization and prioritization of SDGs and national mechanisms for policy dialogue, participation and accountability of SDGs</p>	<p>Chair: Mr. Caspar Peek, UNFPA Representative in Ukraine, Country Director for Belarus.</p> <p>Contributors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Country Presentations – Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Georgia, Kyrgyzstan <p><i>Discussion</i></p>
16:15 – 16:30	Break	
16:30 – 17:50	<p>SESSION 5. 2030 AGENDA FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT: WHERE ARE WE NOW AT THE COUNTRY LEVEL? (CONTINUED)</p> <p>The session will present the country experience on nationalization and prioritization of SDGs and national mechanisms for policy dialogue, participation and accountability of SDGs.</p>	<p>Chair: Ms. Sietske Steneker, Director, UNFPA Brussels office</p> <p>Contributors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Country presentations - Republic of Moldova, Serbia, Turkmenistan Ms. Elena Vosmirko, Department of social and demographic statistics, CIS Stat <p><i>Discussion</i></p>
17:50 – 18:00	Wrap up	Mr. Karl Kulesa, UNFPA Representative for Turkey, Country Director for Azerbaijan and Georgia

Thursday, 03 November 2016		
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10:00-11:15	<p>SESSION 6. ICPD RELATED INDICATORS IN THE CONTEXT OF SDGS. (GOAL 3&5)</p> <p>The session discusses definitions, metadata, trends, and challenges of selected indicators under Goals 3 and 5. The session focuses mostly on indicators that were not part of MDG reporting.</p>	<p>Chair: Ms. Mirela Mica, Director, INSTAT, Albania</p> <p>Contributors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Daniel Schensul, Technical Specialist, Urbanization and Environment, UNFPA NY • Ms. Mengjia Liang, Technical Specialist, Open Data, UNFPA NY • Dr. Avni AMIN, WHO <p><i>Discussion</i></p>
11:15 - 11:30	Break	
11:30 – 13:00	<p>SESSION 7. ICPD RELATED INDICATORS IN THE CONTEXT OF SDGS. (GOAL 11,16,17)</p> <p>The session discusses definitions, metadata, trends, and challenges of selected indicators under Goals 11, 16 and 17.</p>	<p>Chair: Ms. Ala Negruta, Deputy Director, National Bureau of Statistics, Republic of Moldova</p> <p>Contributors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Daniel Schensul, Technical Specialist, Urbanization and Environment, UNFPA NY • Ms. Mengjia Liang, Technical Specialist, Open Data, UNFPA NY <p><i>Discussion</i></p>
13:00 – 15:00	Lunch	
15:00 – 16:00	<p>SESSION 8. TIER II & III ICPD RELATED INDICATORS</p> <p>The session focuses on selected indicators for which there are no established methodology and standards or for which methodology and standards are being developed or tested. The session will discuss definitions, challenges, and methodological development plans.</p>	<p>Chair: Ms. Tiina Luige, Chief, Environment and Multi-domain Section, Statistical Division, UNECE</p> <p>Contributors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Daniel Schensul, Technical Specialist, Urbanization and Environment, UNFPA NY • Ms. Mengjia Liang, Technical Specialist, Open Data, UNFPA NY <p><i>Discussion</i></p>
16:00 - 16:15	Break	
16:15 – 17:50	<p>SESSION 9. INEQUALITIES, DATA DISAGGREGATION AND HARMONIZATION</p> <p>The key to measuring inequalities is data disaggregation. The session invites a discussion on feasibility of data disaggregation and harmonization of criteria for disaggregation</p>	<p>Chair: Mr. Eduard Jongstra, PD Adviser, UNFPA EECA Regional Office</p> <p>Contributors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms. Elena.Danilova-Cross – UNDP • Mr. Siraj Mahmudlu - Regional M&E Specialist – UNICEF

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mr. Hiroaki Ogawa, Associate Economic Affairs Officer, ESCAP Subregional Office for North and Central Asia <p>Discussion</p>
17:50 – 18:00	Wrap up	Ms. Rita Columbia, UNFPA Representative for the Republic of Moldova, Country Director for Albania
18:15	Reception	Serpent Bar, Palais des Nations 1 st floor
Friday, 4 November 2016		
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9:30	Welcoming Coffee	
10:00 – 11:00	<p>SESSION 10. CHANGING POPULATION AGE STRUCTURES AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT</p> <p>The session takes a look at the SDGs from the perspective of two key population age groups: young people and the elderly. It reviews of SDG goals and targets in terms of their relevance for these population groups and how selected indicators can help monitor their situation.</p>	<p>Chair: Ms. Vitalija Gaucaite Wittich, Chief, Population Unit, Statistical Division, UNECE</p> <p>Contributor:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mr. Asghar Zaidi, Professor in International Social Policy, University of Southampton Ms. Ana Rizescu – Coordinator, YouAct <p>Discussion</p>
11:00-12:00	<p>SESSION 11. ICPD AND SDGs - ADVANCING THE AGENDA TOGETHER: TOWARDS THE REGIONAL FORUM ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (RFSD)</p> <p>The final session will provide multistakeholder perspectives on enhancing capacity to move forward the ICPD&SDGs agendas within regional follow-up and review mechanisms.</p>	<p>Chair: H.E. Amb. Janis Karklins, Permanent Representative, Latvia (TBC)</p> <p>Contributors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mr. Christian Friis Bach, Executive Secretary, UNECE Participant from a Member State Mr. Bojan Jovanovski, Executive Director, H.E.R.A, IPPF EN MA Ms. Alanna Armitage - Regional Director, EECARO, UNFPA