

Upcoming UNESCAP Stats Café on "Estimating completeness of vital events: Launch of the Guidelines"

Monday, 28 March 2022 from 12:00-13:00 hours, Bangkok time (UTC +7), verify your time [here](#).

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Speakers



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Background

As part of the proclamation of the Asia and Pacific Civil Registration and Vital Statistics (CRVS) Decade (2015-2024), governments in the region requested that further regional action be taken to support the improvement of CRVS systems. The regional action framework responds to that request as a catalyst for governments and development partners to focus and accelerate their efforts to realize a shared vision and the three CRVS goals outlined in the framework during the Decade. The mid-term review, and accompanying technical report, of progress made by countries in the Asia-Pacific region since the beginning of the Decade was able to demonstrate significant achievements in many countries in the region, yet with identified shortcomings in countries' ability to evaluate the completeness of their civil registration systems, as well as capability and capacity gaps in this sphere. To address this gap, ESCAP has produced guidelines on measuring the completeness of CRVS data. The guidelines, with an associated toolkit, are designed to provide in-country practitioners with the essential skills to evaluate and estimate the completeness of their civil registration systems, with a focus on births and deaths.

This Stats Café will mark the launch of these guidelines and will look at the experiences of countries in estimating completeness of vital events and discuss the way forward.



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