Experience of the Kyrgyz Republic

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UN principles and recommendations for the 2020 round of population and housing censuses

The UN principles and recommendations provide the list of census topics: core topics, derived and additional topics (table 3 of the Principles and recommendations).

The main topics of the census are included in the program of the forthcoming population and housing census of the Kyrgyz Republic.

The pilot population census will be conducted on 25 March, 2019, the main census on 23 March, 2020.
Programme of the pilot census

The national census includes 5 Questionnaires:

- **Form 1** "Census form - list of residents"
- **Form 2** "Census form - Population"
- **Form 3** "Census form - Housing"
- **Form 4** "Census form – Long-term absent (1 year or more) within the territory of the Kyrgyz Republic"
- **Form 5** "Census form - Temporary residents (staying) within the territory of the Kyrgyz Republic, located at the collective accommodation"

Questionnaires 1, 2 and 3 were used for the censuses in 1999 and in 2009. Questionnaires 4 and 5 are new.
Main features of the census programme

- Strict compliance with the over a 12-month period of residency/absence criteria
- Information on long-term (1 year or more) absent is separated from the normally living population.
- Some SDGs questions
- New questions on migration
- In addition, the classification of the continuity of residence in settlements has been changed (in particular, the military service of men on conscription into the national army).
New indicators introduced for the first time in the census

**SDGs**

- **Goal 8:** “Decent work and economic growth: Sustainable economic growth will require societies to create the conditions that allow people to have quality jobs”
- **8.5.2:** "unemployment rate by sex, age and disability"

**Disability** (from the Washington group)
- Vision
- Hearing
- Walking (climbing stairs)
- Cognitive abilities (memorization, concentration)
- Self-care

- **Goal 9:** “Investments in infrastructure are crucial to achieving sustainable development”
- **9.C.1** “Proportion of the population covered by mobile networks, by technology”
- **Goal 17:** "Strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize the Global partnership for sustainable development"
- **17.8.1** “Proportion of people using the Internet”

- **Solar panels utilization**
- **Biogas utilization**
- **Mobile communication**
- **Internet utilization**
- **Computer utilization**
One of the main features of the census: Migration

- Permanent residence
- Country of birth
- Previous place of residence
- Duration of residence at that location
- Country of citizenship
- Location at the time of the census
Key points

• The national census programme includes questions that meet international requirements, which will provide an opportunity for cross-country comparison.

• The main part of the census results will allow to analyze the changes in the characteristics of the population and the results of previous censuses.

• The census will provide data on selected missing indicators of the SDGs and migration.
Thank you for your attention!

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