

**WORKSHOP ON PROSPECTS FOR FERTILITY  
DECLINE IN HIGH FERTILITY COUNTRIES**

**Population Division  
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**PROVISIONAL ORGANIZATION OF WORK**

**Monday, 9 July 2001**

9:00 AM           **Registration**

Morning session (10:00 AM-1:00 PM)

**I.     Opening of the meeting**

Joseph Chamie  
Director, Population Division

**II.    Review of demographic trends in high fertility countries**

1. The demographic situation in high fertility countries.  
Author: Population Division, United Nations

**III.   Contexts for fertility decline**

1. Socio-cultural factors affecting fertility in sub-saharan Africa  
Author: Paulina Adebuseye (Nigeria)

Afternoon session (3:00 PM-6:00 PM)

1. Impact of the proximate determinants on the future course of fertility in sub-Saharan Africa  
Author: Jean-Pierre Guengant (France) and John F. May (Belgium)
2. Fertility preferences and contraceptive use: a profitable nexus for understanding the prospects for fertility decline in Africa  
Author: Francis Doodoo (Ghana)
3. Mistimed and unwanted childbearing in the course of fertility transition  
Author: Jacob Adetunji (Nigeria)

6:30 PM           **Reception**

**Tuesday, 10 July 2001**

Morning Session (10:00 AM-1:00 PM)

4. A Comparative analysis of the socio-economic correlates of fertility in Cameroon and the Central African Republic  
Author: Samson Wasao (Kenya)

**IV. Fertility trends: A comparative perspective**

1. Fertility decline in Francophone Africa: recent trends and future prospects  
Author: Soukeynatou Fall (Senegal) and Pierre Ngom (Kenya)
2. Levels and trends of fertility in Oman and Yemen  
Author: Eltigani Eltigani (Sudan)

Afternoon Session (3:00 PM-6:00 PM)

3. Trends in Angola's fertility  
Author: Victor Agadjanian (USA) and Ndola Prata (USA)
4. Fertility levels and differentials in Tanzania  
Author: Akim Mturi (Tanzania) and Andrew Hinde (United Kingdom)
5. Prospects of fertility decline in the face of HIV/AIDS in Uganda  
Author: James Ntozi (Uganda) and Fred E. Ahimbisibwe (Uganda)

**Wednesday, 11 July 2001**

Morning Session (10:00 AM-1:00 PM)

7. Prospects for fertility decline in Nigeria: comparative analysis of the 1990 and 1999 NDHS data  
Author: Muyiwa Oladosu (Nigeria)
8. Fertility in the Democratic Republic of the Congo  
Author: David Shapiro (USA) and B. Oleko Tambashe
9. Fertility decline in Pakistan: past, present and future  
Author: Zeba Sathar (Pakistan)

Afternoon Session (3:00 PM-6:00 PM)

10. Fertility decline in rural Africa: some indications for analysis of change  
Author: Christine Ouedraogo (Burkina Faso)

**V. Panel**

**VI. Closing**