

### Lessons Learned from the 2010 Round of Census and Planning for the 2020 Round to meet the Post 2015 Agenda:

A Global and Regional Perspective

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## UNFPA STRATEGIC FRAMEWORKS: OUTCOMES LINKED TO CENSUS

Framework	Focus / emphasis
MYFF 2004 -2007	Improve utilization of population data
UNFPA Strategic Plan 2008-2011	Data used at national and sub-national levels to develop and monitor policies and programme implementation.
MTR of the Strategic Plan, 2012-2013	Improve data availability
UNFPA Strategic Plan 2014-2017	Strengthened national policies by means of integrating evidence-based analysis on population dynamics



### TYPOLOGY OF INTERVENTIONS

### Strategic Interventions:

- Advocacy and policy dialogue
- **Technical assistance**
- **Capacity Development**
- Service delivery to provide direct financial support
- Facilitation of **South-South and triangular cooperation**.



Alignment

Capacity of NSOs (Production& Availability)

Use of Data

Efficiency (Resources & Synergies)

**Networks** 

Added Value

Mainstreaming HR & Gender

### At Three Levels

Global

Regional

National



# **New Demands New** Opportunities

Agenda 2030 demands that also provide new entry points Moving from Census and Surveys to Registry Data Challenges of Mobility Leaving No One Behind - Monitoring Inequality Measuring Inequality Architecture of Census Support Enhancing Capacity for *Utilization* of Census

Training a new generation of population experts?



## The way Ahead

### Global Standards

- Dissemination at regional and national levels -quality assurance role
- Informing global discussions with lessons from the field

### New Technologies – IT-based innovation

- to facilitate timely undertaking of census and analysis of census data; and
- packaging data in user-friendly formats to enhance data use for policy making, bringing tangible benefits for planning, resource allocation and assessment/evaluation.

#### Resource Mobilization

innovative approaches to reduce costs, improve efficiency and mobilize support;

### Capacity Building

- Through regional centers of excellence
- At national level guidelines and methodologies

#### Data dissemination and use

- Mechanisms to ensure prompt and wide dissemination of results;
- Analysis
- Data informs planning, policy making and evaluation