



UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE

Working Group on Ageing

Decisions

UNECE Working Group on Ageing, first meeting
Palais des Nations, 1-2 December 2008



Monitoring

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- Web site monitoringris.org will continue to be used and further developed as a platform for exchanging experience and disseminating monitoring results
- The Working Group will initiate collaboration with the Conference of European Statisticians to coordinate data collection
- Development of gender indicators and long-term care indicators will be undertaken
- Bureau will explore, assisted by the secretariat and ECV
 - Broadening of the scope of long-term care indicators to the area of healthy ageing
 - Improvement of ways of disseminating the monitoring indicators to policymakers
 - Ways of developing indicators on participation



Policy briefs

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- Secretariat will go ahead with the preparation of policy briefs, primarily targeting policymakers
- Working Group will be requested to supply good practice examples from their countries
- Proposed topics
 - mainstreaming ageing, gender, health promotion, prevention, long-term care, participation, older persons as consumers, adaptation of social security systems

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Capacity development

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- The workshop will aim at promoting mainstreaming ageing, evidence-based policymaking, participatory approach
- Country road maps will be prepared for one or two countries (depending on the availability of funds)

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Analysis of intergenerational relationships

- The proposal was approved for pursuing analysis of intergenerational relationships using, among others, the new data from the Generations and Gender Programme

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