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**Programme of work of the Population component
of the Housing, Land Management and Population
subprogramme for 2020****Draft programme of work of the Population Component of
the Housing, Land Management and Population
subprogramme for 2020****Note by the Secretariat****Introduction**

1. The present document sets out the draft programme of work of the Population component of the Housing, Land Management and Population subprogramme for 2020. The Working Group on Ageing (WGA) is invited to adopt it and recommend to the Executive Committee (Excom) for approval. Any subsequent additional, discontinued or carried over outputs will be reflected in UN Umoja system used by the Secretariat for planning, monitoring and reporting on the implementation of the programme.
2. The draft programme of work applies a results-based management (RBM) approach, a broad management approach which establishes logical relationship between the hierarchical results (deliverables – objectives – impact) known as ‘results chain’, the resources (human and financial) known as ‘inputs’ and the external factors (strategic, governance, operational, financial) which can prevent from achieving the objective.
3. The objective, the most significant planned result and the deliverables in the draft programme of work correspond to those contained in the ECE proposed programme budget for 2020. The objective of the Population component of the subprogramme is aligned with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). In attaining its objective, the subprogramme builds on cross-sectoral collaboration with other subprogrammes in relevant ECE nexus areas where multiple SDGs converge¹. This type of collaboration enables the subprogramme to maximize existing synergies, increase the efficiency of its work and have a multiplying effect on the impact of its actions to support countries to implement SDGs. The deliverables of the Population component of the subprogramme fall into the following main categories: (a) facilitation of the intergovernmental process and expert bodies; (b) generation and transfer

¹ The ECE nexus areas are as follows: 1) Sustainable use of natural resources; 2) Sustainable and smart cities for all ages; 3) Sustainable mobility and smart connectivity; and 4) Measuring and monitoring SDGs.



of knowledge, including technical cooperation projects, training events, seminars, workshops, and publications; (c) other substantive deliverables, and (d) communication deliverables.

4. The details of the proposed publications are provided in Annex I. The overall ECE legislative mandates and those specific for the Population component of the subprogramme are listed in Annex II.

I. Objective and alignment with SDGs

5. The objective, to which the subprogramme contributes, is to advance decent, adequate, affordable, energy-efficient and healthy housing for all in liveable cities and human settlements, sustainable land management and evidence-based population and social cohesion policies.

6. The responsibility for the Population component of the Housing, Land Management and Population subprogramme is vested in the Statistical Division.

7. The objective is aligned with Sustainable Development Goal 3 (ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages), Goal 5 (achieve gender equality and empower all women and girls), Goal 7 (ensure access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all), Goal 8 (promote sustained, inclusive and sustainable economic growth, full and productive employment and decent work for all), Goal 9 (build resilient infrastructure, promote inclusive and sustainable industrialization and foster innovation) and Goal 11 (make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable).

II. Highlighted planned result for 2020

Guidelines on mainstreaming ageing – to achieve a society for all ages

A. Challenge and response

8. Ageing is a cross-cutting, multi-sectorial policy challenge with implications for labour markets, economies, health care systems, social services, intergenerational relations and social cohesion that cannot be addressed through one policy field alone. Mainstreaming ageing is the first of the ten commitments of the Regional Implementation Strategy of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing. It seeks to bring societies and economies into harmony with demographic change to achieve a society for all ages.

9. Building on the experience of developing road maps on mainstreaming ageing at the request of member States, notably Armenia (2011), the Republic of Moldova (2012), and Georgia (2015), the Working Group on Ageing decided in 2018 to develop guidelines on mainstreaming ageing that could guide policymakers across the region – thus benefiting policy makers in all member States.

10. Developed over a period of two years in 2019-2020, the guidelines are anticipated to be published and disseminated at the end of 2020. A first capacity-building workshop on the new guidelines is anticipated to be organized in the first quarter of 2021.

B. Results and evidence

11. The planned deliverables are expected to contribute to increased capacity of member States to mainstream ageing across policy fields, leading to enhanced implementation of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing and the 2030 Agenda on Sustainable Development in the ECE region. Evidence of the result, if achieved, will include the adoption and dissemination of the guidelines on mainstreaming ageing by members of the Working Group on Ageing, as shown in the table below.

12. The result, if achieved, will demonstrate progress made in 2020 towards the collective attainment of the objective. It will contribute to the nexus area on smart and sustainable cities for all ages.

2018	2019-2020	2020
Absence of guidelines on mainstreaming ageing	Development of guidelines on mainstreaming ageing	Adoption and dissemination of guidelines on mainstreaming ageing

III. External factors

13. The Population component of the subprogramme is expected to achieve its objective on the assumption that: (a) there are adequate national statistical data and information available on population issues; (b) there is political will to support activities that improve the knowledge base and capacity for designing and implementing population-related policies and programmes; and (c) donor support for the preparation of studies and population-related activities is adequate.

IV. Deliverables to be implemented in 2020

14. The below table lists all deliverables, by category and subcategory, that would contribute to the attainment of the objective stated above.

<i>Deliverables</i>	<i>2020 plan</i>
Quantified deliverables	
A. Facilitation of the intergovernmental process and expert bodies:	
Parliamentary documentation (number of documents)	5
1. Documentation for the Working Group on Ageing	5
Substantive services for meetings (number of 3-hour meetings)	7
2. Meetings of the Working Group on Ageing	7
B. Generation and transfer of knowledge:	
Seminars, workshops and training events (number of days)	1
3. Workshop on population ageing for Government experts and practitioners in countries of the ECE region	1
Publications	4
4. Publications on Population	4

Non-quantified deliverables

C. Substantive deliverables:

- Fact-finding, monitoring and investigation missions: Fact-finding missions for Government officials and other stakeholders, to develop national capacities on designing and implementing ageing-related policies and programmes.
- Consultation, advice and advocacy: Generations and Gender Programme – support for the Council of Partners; country microdata submission and researchers' access agreements; Advisory services for Government officials and other stakeholders, to develop national capacities on designing and implementing ageing-related policies and programmes.
- Databases and substantive digital materials: Update and maintenance of the Active Ageing indicators dataset.

D. Communication deliverables:

- Outreach programmes, special events and information materials: Booklet of the Working Group on Ageing.
 - External and media relations: Annual set of press releases related to population activities.
 - Digital platforms and multimedia content: Update and maintenance of the website related to population activities; Active Ageing Index wiki.
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Annex I

Details of proposed publications and promotional material for 2020

A. Non-recurrent publications

<i>Item no.</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Mandate</i>	<i>Print and/or electronic</i>	<i>Trim size</i>	<i>No. of pages</i>	<i>Original language(s)</i>	<i>Translated language(s) and Source of funding (RB or XB)</i>	<i>No. of copies and language(s)</i>
1	Road Map on Mainstreaming Ageing (country to be decided)	ECE/WG.1/2018/2, Annex 2	Print and electronic	A4	100	E		300E
2	Policy brief on ageing	ECE/WG.1/2018/2, Annex 2	Electronic	A4	30	E		
3	Policy brief on ageing	ECE/WG.1/2018/2, Annex 2	Electronic	A4	30	E		
4	Guidelines on mainstreaming ageing	ECE/WG.1/2018/2, para. 30 and Annex 2	Print and electronic	A4	100	E		200E

B. Promotional material

<i>Item no.</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Mandate</i>	<i>Print and/or electronic</i>	<i>Trim size</i>	<i>No. of pages</i>	<i>Original language(s)</i>	<i>Translated language(s)</i>	<i>No. of copies and language(s)</i>
1	Booklet of the Working Group on Ageing	ECE/WG.1/2018/2, Annex 2	Electronic	A4	8	E	-	-

Annex II

Legislative mandates

A. Overall ECE legislative mandates

1. Resolutions of the General Assembly

<i>Res No.</i>	<i>Title</i>
66/288	The future we want
67/10	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Eurasian Economic Community
67/290	Format and organizational aspects of the high-level political forum on sustainable development
69/277	Political declaration on strengthening cooperation between the United Nations and regional and subregional organizations
69/313	Addis Ababa Action Agenda of the Third International Conference on Financing for Development (Addis Ababa Action Agenda)
70/1	Transforming our world: the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development
70/133	Follow-up to the Fourth World Conference on Women and full implementation of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action and the outcome of the twenty-third special session of the General Assembly
70/221	Operational activities for development of the United Nations system
71/14	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Shanghai Cooperation Organization
71/16	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Cooperation Organization
71/162	Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly
71/243	Quadrennial comprehensive policy review of operational activities for development of the United Nations system
72/230	Development cooperation with middle-income countries
72/234	Women in development
72/237	South-South Cooperation
73/10	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Central European Initiative
73/13	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization
73/14	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization for Democracy and Economic Development - GUAM

73/16	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Commonwealth of Independent States
73/195	Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration
73/227	Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development and of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development
73/231	Disaster risk reduction
73/236	Ensuring access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all

2. Resolutions of the Economic and Social Council

<i>Res No.</i>	<i>Title</i>
1998/46	Further measures for the restructuring and revitalization of the United Nations in the economic, social and related fields
2006/38	Workplan on reform of the Economic Commission for Europe and revised terms of reference of the Commission
2013/1	Outcome of the review of the 2005 Reform of the Economic Commission for Europe

3. Economic Commission for Europe

<i>Res No.</i>	<i>Title</i>
A (64)	The Work of the Economic Commission for Europe
A (65)	Outcome of the review of the 2005 reform of ECE
A (66)	Endorsement of the High-level statement on the post-2015 development agenda and expected sustainable development goals in the ECE region
A (68)	High-level statement
B (68)	Extension of the mandate of the Regional Forum on Sustainable Development

B. Legislative mandates specific to the subprogramme

1. Resolutions of the General Assembly

<i>Res No.</i>	<i>Title</i>
65/234	Follow-up to the International Conference on Population and Development beyond 2014

71/256	New Urban Agenda
72/144	Follow-up to the Second World Assembly on Ageing

2. Resolutions of the Economic and Social Council

<i>Res No.</i>	<i>Title</i>
2014/7	Further implementation of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing, 2002
2016/25	Future organization and methods of work of the Commission on Population and Development
2018/6	Third review and appraisal of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing, 2002

3. Economic and Social Council Decisions

<i>Res No.</i>	<i>Title</i>
2014/239	Report of the Commission on Population and Development on its forty-seventh session and provisional agenda for its forty-eighth session (Commission on Population and Development resolution 2014/1, Assessment of the status of implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development)

4. Economic Commission for Europe decisions

<i>Res No.</i>	<i>Title</i>
ECE/AC.23/2002/2/Rev.6	Regional Implementation Strategy for the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing, 2002
ECE/AC.30/2007/2	Report of the UNECE Ministerial Conference on Ageing: “A Society for All Ages: Challenges and Opportunities”
ECE/AC.30/2012/3	Vienna Ministerial Declaration “Ensuring a society for all ages: Promoting quality of life and active ageing”, 2012
ECE/AC.30/2017/2	Report of the UNECE Ministerial Conference on Ageing: “A Sustainable Society for All Ages: Realizing the Potential of Living Longer” (2017 Lisbon Ministerial Declaration)
