

Socio-Economic Insights Survey (SEIS) Regional Coordination

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Regional SEIS Coordination

IASC Guidance:

- Data Responsibility & Joint Assessment & Analysis

SEIS Overview:

- SEIS coverage: 10 RRP countries, 8,800 HH surveys (19,300 ind)
- Regional harmonized data analysis plan & questionnaire
- Inclusion of UNHCR/WFP Joint Analysis Framework (JAF)
- Inclusion of UNHCR Protection Monitoring & RMS
- Regional sector analysis groups– Reg. IMWG & Sector WGs
- All data shared through UNHCR MicroData Library
- Inclusion of SEIS in national survey data in 2025/26

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Strategic Objectives:

- Inform the RRP Planning process 2025/26
- Multisectoral, comparable overview of refugee needs, capacities, and vulnerabilities
- Highlight issues of vulnerable refugee groups
- Comparable socio-economic indicators of refugees
- Comparable results across 10 RRP countries for regional analysis
- Comparable results with 2022 & 2023 (MSNAs)

How do we conduct sampling?

Key challenge: Absence of a registered list of refugees

Consultation with Country Offices:

- Collaborate with country offices to gather existing information on the refugee population such as geographical distribution, demographic profiles etc.
- Tailor the sampling approach based on available data and specific country contexts.
- Aim to get the most representative sample despite the lack of a comprehensive registry and a reasonably large sample size to enhance data reliability.
- Collect data from diverse geographical areas including urban and rural settings, different socio-economic neighborhoods to capture a broad range of profiles, conditions and experiences.
- **Conduct final checks to evaluate the sample!**

Standardized Data Analysis

Methodology:

- **Utilize standardized methodologies for consistent and accurate data analysis by employing automated scripts to ensure that its calculated consistently across countries**
- **Unemployment Rate:** Measure the proportion of the labor force that is unemployed.
- **Education Enrollment Rates:** Assess the percentage of school-age children enrolled in educational institutions.
- **Livelihoods Coping Strategies:** Evaluate the strategies households use to cope with economic challenges.
- **Food Coping Mechanisms:** Analyze the methods used by households to manage food insecurity.

SEIS Final Products

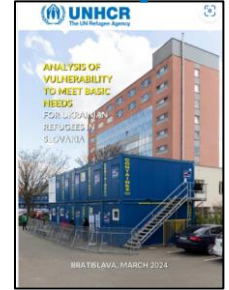
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