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SDG teacher indicators

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First meeting of the TCG working group on personnel data on teachers

Date: Tuesday, 16 October 2020

Time: 2:30-4:00pm Paris time, 8:30-10:00am Montreal time



Agenda

- Welcome and introductions
- Terms of reference: focus, issues, priorities and deliverables
- Discussion: from activities to work plan / deliverables
- Summary and synthesis
- Closing



Terms of reference: focus

«This working group will

- recommend and decide on priorities on improvements in efficiency and alignment of education data collection systems;
- propose, develop and endorse methodological norms and standards for specific indicators;
- propose, develop and endorse tools and guidelines for specific indicators;
- identify needs and propose ways to build capacity for countries to utilise these tools and guidelines;
- coordinate global efforts to improve data availability and quality based on norms, standards and procedures; and



Terms of reference: key issues

- Lack of data collection on teacher qualifications in school surveys/EMIS.
- Low capacity by education ministries to report actual teacher's salaries due to poor processes or infrastructure (e.g. no standardized electronic records).
- Inability for education ministries to report actual salary payments (e.g. salary payments are administrated sub-nationally, by provinces or states; or salary payments are administrated through a different ministry, including public service ministries).



Terms of reference: Objectives and indicator priorities

Objectives

- Improve the collection of data on teachers using different sources of information such as EMIS, human resources and payroll databases, and financial data

Indicator Priorities

- **4.c.1-4.c.4** on trained and qualified teachers.
- **4.c.5** on teacher salaries
- **4.c.6** on teacher attrition
- **4.c.7** on in-service training



Deliverables categories

- Methodological developments for indicators pending development, methodological refinement, harmonization between different data sources.
- Guidelines to countries and best practice examples



TCG-7 deliverables: to prioritize indicator development

- ☑ Guidelines on strategies and best-practice examples for improving salary reporting capacity including regulatory or policy changes, partnering with sub-national jurisdictions or other ministries as needed, developing adequate reporting processes and infrastructure



Terms of reference: suggested revisions?

- Which of the above activities...
- ...and which other activities
- should constitute the work plan to help achieve the deliverables?



Terms of reference: suggested revisions?

Discussion (key points)



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This meeting

Verbal update on work on the prioritized indicators

- a. Indicators 4.c1 to 4.c.4 update
- b. 4.c.5. teachers' salaries
- c. 4.c.6 : attrition rate - OECD
- d. 4.c.7. UIS_OECD

Following verbal update on activities discussion on methodological progress on

- Indicator 4.c.6
- Indicator 4.c.7



Summary and next steps

1. Preparation for TCG7 Plenary meeting on October 27-29 - What items to present?
 - for decision
 - for information about methodological work and update in next session
2. Agenda for next Working Group meeting on October 26

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