EDUCATION EXPENDITURE DATA WORKING GROUP

TERMS OF REFERENCE

This working group focuses on education expenditure data. It will work on setting harmonization methods for the two education expenditure benchmark indicators. It will also work on developing and implementing guidelines to improve the collection of education expenditure data, with a particular focus on household expenditure data. The group will also look into ways to simplify the guidelines and expand the National Education Accounts methodology.

Key issues
The main issues pertaining to education expenditure data include:
- Low coverage for some indicators (apart from total public expenditure)
- Conflicting data sources for public expenditure
- Measurement of private expenditure

Objectives
The objectives of the working group include:
- Create a menu of harmonization methods of FFA and SDG 1.a.2 indicators
- Simplify data collection instruments including prioritization
- Develop and provide guidelines to national statistical offices on how to collect household expenditure on education
- Simplify guidelines and expand the National Education Accounts methodology

Deliverables

Links with other groups

Members