

Fiji

SOURCE

Name of source: *2007 Population Census*

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Type of source: Population census

Periodicity: Every 10 years

Objectives: The census advisory committee had agreed to have questions on disability included in the questionnaire for the purpose of getting a count.

COVERAGE

Disabilities: All types (seeing difficulties, hearing difficulties, speaking difficulties, moving/mobility difficulties, body movement difficulties, gripping/holding difficulties, learning difficulties, behavioural difficulties, personal care difficulties)

Population groups: All age groups

Total population covered: Na

Economic activities: All economics activities

Sectors covered: All sectors

Labour force status: Employed persons, unemployed persons, persons not in labor force

Status in Employment: Employees, employers, own-account workers, contributing family workers, members of producers' cooperatives

Geographic areas: Whole country

Establishments: NR

Other limitations: Not an in-depth inquiry

TERMS AND DEFINITIONS

Term used to denote 'disability': 'Person with difficulty seeing, hearing, speaking, learning, behaviour, mobility, personal care, etc.'

Definition of this term: Person who suffered some form of longstanding mental or physical disability and cannot work.

Source of this definition: Census instructions to enumerators

Questions used to identify persons with disabilities: 'Does anyone in this household have difficulty with seeing, hearing, speaking, learning, behaviour, mobility, personal care, etc. If yes, what type of difficulty does this person(s) have?'

Minimum duration to be considered as a person with disability: No

CLASSIFICATION

Classifications: Na

Cross-classifications: Na

REFERENCE PERIOD: Census year

DISSEMINATION

National publications: No

Website: No