

Uzbekistan

SOURCE

Name of source: *Administrative records*

Institution responsible for the statistics: Ministry of Labour and Social Security, Ministry of Public Education, Ministry of Health and the National Rehabilitation Center

Type of source: Administrative records

Periodicity: Na

Objectives: As there are almost no available statistics It is difficult to understand the situation of persons with disabilities in Uzbekistan, . Although there is some data showing a disability rate of 1.33% of the total population, there is little data on the types and causes of disabilities. However, if the disability rate is 10% as estimated by WHO, then the current data collection methods may not be most suitable and quality of the estimates questionable. A priority for Uzbekistan is to collect, analyse and disseminate data currently scattered in the Ministry of Labour and Social Security, Ministry of Public Education, Ministry of Health and the National Rehabilitation Center.

COVERAGE

Disabilities: Physical disability, visually impaired, hearing impaired, speech disability, locomotors disability

Population groups: Na

Total population covered: 1.33%

Economic activities: Na

Sectors covered:

Labour force status: Na

Status in Employment: Na

Geographic areas: Na

Other limitations: Na

TERMS AND DEFINITIONS

Term used to denote 'disability': 'Person with disability'

Definition of this term: Person with disability is defined as a person whose daily activities such as moving, orientation, speech, behavioural control, and/or work on one's own are completely or partly limited, because s/he has physical or mental problems, and therefore is in need of aid.

Source of this definition: The Law on 'Social Security of Disabled People in the Republic of Uzbekistan, Article 1'

Questions used to identify persons with disabilities:

Minimum duration to be considered as a person with disability: Na

CLASSIFICATION

Classifications: Sex, age, area, level of education, type of disability

Cross-classifications: Na

REFERENCE PERIOD: Na

DISSEMINATION

National publications: Country Profile on Disability the republic in Uzbekistan

Website:

http://siteresources.worldbank.org/DISABILITY/Resources/Regions/ECA/JICA_Uzbekistan.pdf