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The materials included in the Catalogue range from books, manuals, reports, research, case studies to various forms of IEC materials such as posters, comic books, brochures and audio-visual aids. They come from different sources such as the UNFPA, Country Support Teams, UNFPA-funded country projects, NGOs, IGOs, research institutions, other United Nations agencies, commercial publishers and individual researchers.

The topics covered include adolescent demographic profile, fertility and sexuality, marriage, pregnancy, childbearing, contraceptive use, STIs/HIV/AIDS, sexuality education, family life education, population education, teaching/learning pedagogy, counselling, in-school and out-of-school linkages, strategies and approaches in introducing adolescent reproductive and sexual health in education, community-based approaches and the like.

Copies of the titles included here could be obtained from the original publishers. However, the Regional Clearing House on Population Education and Communication is equipped to provide photocopies for free of documents not exceeding 30 pages and those with no copyright limit.
PART 1: MONOGRAPHS


The publication shows by means of analytical graphics, the fundamental importance of addressing population and reproductive health for achieving the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs). The MDGs, arising from the Millennium Summit in September 2000, are the overarching development objectives of the international community.


Source: UNFPA
Call no.: 363.96 A178


The report, jointly published by the Alan Guttmacher Institute and UNFPA, reviews and evaluates current approaches to measuring the costs and benefits of investment in health services. It strongly makes the case that reproductive and sexual health programmes are dramatically underfunded, and that investments in this sector have a tremendous impact, both on the health and well-being of individuals and families, and on the economic health and development prospects of nations. It concludes that increased investment in reproductive and sexual health services is needed in order to achieve the United Nations’ Millennium Development Goals and other development objectives.

RESEARCH / REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH / SEXUAL BEHAVIOUR / SEXUALITY / CONTRACEPTIVE USAGE / FAMILY PLANNING / HEALTH SERVICES / HIV/AIDS / UNPLANNED PREGNANCY / WOMENS EDUCATION

Source: AGI
Call no.: 613.95 A224


Online Version: http://www.pavhna.sdnpk.org/act.htm

Pakistan Voluntary Health and Nutrition Association [PAVHNA] Assisted by Raasta Development Consultants

A report on the study conducted by Pakistan Voluntary Health and Nutrition Association (PAVHNA) to find out adolescent perceptions regarding sexual and reproductive health. The study also aimed to assess the level of physical and sexual abuse in the society with reference to four provincial cities of Pakistan: Karachi, Quetta, Swabi, and Gujranwala.


As part of the CATALYST Consortium South-to-South programme, PROFAMILIA/Colombia and the Centre for Development and Population Activities (CEDPA) collaborated to produce a manual for managers of adolescent sexual and reproductive health programmes that builds on PROFAMILIA/Colombia experience in delivering adolescent sexual and reproductive health services and CEDPA’s expertise in participatory methodologies and adult learning. Implemented through a five-and-a-half-day workshop, the manual builds the capacity of youth-serving programme managers and coordinators from the public and private sectors, with limited experience managing youth programmes, to design programmes that respond to the sexual and reproductive health (SRH) needs and rights of young people (10-24 years of age), and helps youth develop life skills and adopt healthy behaviors. The manual also strengthens programme managers’ skills to advocate for adolescents.


The project was funded by UNFPA and implemented by Lanka Jathika Sarvodaya Shramadana Sangamaya, Sri Lanka.

An accomplishment report on the UNFPA-funded Advocacy Project implemented by Lanka Jathika Sarvodaya Shramadana Sangamaya, Moratuwa, Sri Lanka during the year 2003. The objectives of the programme were to: (1) impart an understanding of the national population issues and their impact on national development; (2) improve the reproductive health status of Sri Lankan as part of a holistic, integrated community development programme; (3) improve knowledge and skills of Sarvodaya staff, staff volunteers in RH; (4) network in collaboration with the state of NGO’s working in RH from district to national level; and (5) integrate RH into the current cycle of integrated community development programme which are undertaken by Sarvodaya.

A project funded by UNFPA and implemented by Lanka Jathika Sarvodaya Shramadana Sangamaya, Moratuwa, Sri Lanka.

A report on the accomplishment of the UNFPA-funded project on "NGO Involvement in Reproductive Health" implemented by Lanka Jathika Sarvodaya Shramadana Sangamaya, Moratuwa, Sri Lanka during the year 2003. The project involved awareness programmes and training in RH for staff and volunteers in all of Sri Lanka's districts.

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SRI LANKA

Source: LJSSS
Call no.: 613.95105 A615N 2003


The Final Regional Meeting was jointly organized by JOICFP, UNFPA and IPPF/ESEAOR, SAR under the project "Strategies for Sexual and Reproductive Health (SRH) of Adolescents and Youth" (RAS/00/P05), 2000-2003. The Meeting was composed of two parts: Review Meeting (9-10 December 2003); and Dissemination Meeting (11-13 December 2003). In the Final Regional Meeting, the strategies and outcomes of the three model projects in Malaysia, Nepal and Sri Lanka were reviewed and shared by the participants. Successful experiences in the other participating countries, namely, India, Indonesia, Iran, Laos, Mongolia, Myanmar and Thailand were also presented and shared. Based on these discussions, participants reviewed the results of the Regional Project as whole. The participants also consolidated further needs of youth and adolescents and made recommendations for future necessary programme in the region.

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ASIA AND THE PACIFIC / MALAYSIA / NEPAL / SRI LANKA

Source: JOICFP
Call no.: 613.951 A832A 2003


A report contains final report and documents prepared during the Asia Final Regional Meeting under the project "Strategies for Sexual and Reproductive Health (SRH) of Adolescents and Youth" (RAS/00/P05),
2000-2003. The meeting, jointly organized by JOICFP, UNFPA and IPPF/ESEAOR,SAR was held in Bangkok, Thailand from 9 to 13 December 2003.

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ASIA AND THE PACIFIC / MALAYSIA / NEPAL / SRI LANKA

Source: JOICFP
Call no.: 613.951 2003


A basic reference for IEC and Behaviour Change Communication (BCC) interventions for reproductive health programmes in Myanmar. Intended for those responsible for planning and implementing IEC and BCC interventions such as programme planners, programme managers and IEC personnel, the book serves as a guide for planning BCC campaigns or as a source of ideas for campaigns. It also offers a set of RH messages including adolescent reproductive health and HIV/AIDS, and safe motherhood, that have been developed in partnership with the various organizations working in the field of RH in Myanmar.

REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH / BEHAVIOUR CHANGE COMMUNICATION / PROGRAMME PLANNING / ADOLESCENTS / YOUTH / HIV/AIDS / MATERNAL MORTALITY / SEXUALITY / IEC / MOTHERHOOD / PREGNANCY / GUIDES

MYANMAR

Source: UNFPA/MYANMAR
Call no.: 362.7 B419


The programme brief defines entertainment-education or EE, addresses its relevance to UNFPA thematic priorities, discusses key programming elements, describes experiences-to-date, lists key lessons learned, and points to a number of useful resources (references and web-based).

BEHAVIOUR CHANGE COMMUNICATION / REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH / GENDER / ENTERTAINMENT / COMMUNICATION STRATEGIES / LESSONS LEARNED

Source: UNFPA
Call no.: VF EPD/ARH 0258


This programming brief provides definition, aims of hotlines for behaviour change in population and reproductive health and highlights the key programming elements to consider. It also documents a few UNFPA's experiences in integrating hotlines in its programmes. Hotlines are innovative behaviour change tools to maximize information, counselling and services that can be applied to a variety of UNFPA thematic initiatives such as Humanitarian Response, elimination of gender violence, reduction of maternal mortality, HIV/AIDS, sexuality education, legal advice and literacy.

Strengthening of National Capacity for RH (CoRH) through Community-operated RH (CoRH) Programmes 2000-2003 (RAS/00/P06). Ministry of Health, Union of Myanmar. UNFPA. JOICFP.

This publication includes a documentation and assessment of the model CoRH (Community-operated Reproductive Health) Project in Myanmar which was undertaken for the UNFPA-supported project “Strengthening of National Capacities of RH/BCC through Community-operated RH (CoRH) Programmes” (RAS/00/P06)... part of the UNFPA Asia Regional Programme (2000-2003). The objectives of the project are to contribute to the strengthening of inter-regional capacity to implement effective and efficient community-based BCC strategies and approaches for RH. The goal of the Myanmar model project was to improve reproductive health status of men, women and youth including adolescents leading to higher quality of life in selected areas in Myanmar. The three strategies developed and utilized to achieve the project objectives were: mobilization of community and formation of support groups in the project areas; promotion of IEC activities in the community of the project areas; and development of youth centres for formation and counselling. It was found that the CoRH approach has fitted in well with the public health concept of "Prevention is better than Cure".

Source: UNFPA/MYANMAR
Call no.: 362.12 C734


This guide gives practical advice and examples in the art of presenting data to non-specialist audiences, with a focus on population and health issues in developing countries. The guide also contains two appendices with sample slides and reference material for preparing presentations using PowerPoint software. The sample slide presentations can be downloaded and modified for personal use.

Source: MEASURE COM
Call no.: 004.6 C752


POLICY Project, Futures Group International; the Centre for Development and Population Activities; Research Triangle Institute

The report is a result of an evaluation study of “The Networking for Policy Change: an Advocacy Training Manual” published by the POLICY Project in October 1999 which was widely used by POLICY staff, trainers, and partners in more than 25 countries, as well as by donors, cooperating agencies (CAs), and development projects throughout the world. The study evaluated the manual’s use, the usefulness and relevance of training conducted with the manual, and the qualitative and quantitative impacts attributed, in part, to putting the acquired advocacy skills into practice. The main data for the evaluation were responses to questionnaires and interviews with POLICY regional and country managers/resident advisors, trainers, and workshop participants (mostly from local NGOs) from 14 countries while the supplementary sources came from focus group discussions (FGDs) with POLICY staff, project records, country documents, and advocacy training materials developed by outside organizations.

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Source: POLICY
Call no.: 613.043302 E92


A proceedings of the second in an autumn 2003 series of four symposia on themes relating to population and the United Nations Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) held on 3 November at the Dag Hammarskjold Auditorium, United Nations. The event, sponsored jointly by Partners in Population and Development and the Office of the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States (OHRLLS), featured presentations by the Permanent Representatives and Ambassadors the Finland, the Gambia, and Malawi, and by the Executive Director of Partners in Population and Development. Topic for the second symposium was Family Planning, Reproductive Health and Development.

POPULATION PROGRAMMES / CONFERENCES / POPULATION POLICY / FAMILY PLANNING / REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH

Source: PPD
Call no.: 304.6 P8311 NO. 2

Gastardo-Conaco, Ma. Cecilia; Jimenez, Ma. Carme.; Billedo, Cherrie Joy F.

The study made use of focus group discussion and key informants interview methods to gather qualitative data on the following key areas of concern in the life of Filipino adolescents: (1) their beliefs, attitudes, perception and behaviour: relationships, sexuality, reproductive health; (2) their notions of self and identity; (3) the factors that shape and influence their beliefs, attitudes and behaviour; (4) the stressors of adolescent life; and (5) the ways by which they solve, respond and cope with problems.


The manual contains guidance for writing letters to representatives, scripts for making phone calls to them, and directions for arranging and completing face-to-face meetings, as well as other advocacy techniques that the Global Health Council uses to positively affect change in policies that promote global health. Key issues for advocacy include women's health, children's health, HIV/AIDS, infectious diseases, and emerging threats.

Hardee, Karen; Pine, Pamela; Wasson, Lauren Taggart. Adolescent and youth reproductive health in the Asia and Near East Region: status, issues, policies, and programs. Washington, DC: POLICY Project, 2004. 54 p. (POLICY occasional paper, no. 9)


The paper provides a synthesis of the findings from a 13-country study of adolescent and youth reproductive health issues, policies, and programmes in Asia and Near East (ANE) region. The countries include Egypt, Jordan, Morocco, and Yemen in the Near East; Bangladesh, India, Nepal, Pakistan, and Sri Lanka in South Asia; and Cambodia, Indonesia, the Philippines, and Vietnam in Southeast Asia. The purpose of the assessments was to highlight the reproductive health status of adolescents and youth in each country within the context of the lives of young males and females. The document discusses the social context that set girls and boys in the ANE region on different life paths; the sexual, reproductive health, and STI/HIV/AIDS issues facing young people; the countries’ policies and programmes; operational policy barriers to addressing adolescent and youth reproductive health; and recommendations for policies and programmes in the region.

Co-sponsors: USAID Office of HIV/AIDS, Institute for Youth Development and YouthNet/Family Health International

A report of technical meeting co-sponsored by USAID Office of HIV/AIDS, the Institute for Youth Development, and YouthNet/Family Health International held in Washington DC on July 24, 2003. The objectives of the meeting were to share state-of-the-art research and programmatic experiences relating to HIV prevention among young people, and to provide an opportunity for dialogue across groups from different academic disciplines and philosophical perspectives on strategies for HIV prevention among youth.


Online Version: www.icrw.org/docs/childmarriage 0803.pdf

The paper discusses a widespread problem of child marriage - a marriage that occurs before the age of 18: child marriage is a human rights violation; causes and health consequences of child marriage; and actions to end child marriage.

Source: ICRW
Call no.: VF EPD/FP 0022


The publication focuses on the relationship between the HIV/AIDS pandemic, population and development. It shows that the spread of HIV/AIDS is setting back progress towards the United Nations Millennium Development Goals or MDGs and, in some settings, increasing poverty.

Source: UNFPA
Call no.: 362.1969792 I342

Indian Focus Groups on Birth Spacing: qualitative study in India / prepared by Social & Rural Research Institute, a Specialist Unit of IMRB International. S.l.: s.n., 2003. 21 p.

One in a series of five country studies including Bolivia, Egypt, Pakistan and Peru

A report on KAP study with respect to birth spacing of people living in the low-income areas in New Delhi and in the peri-urban neighbourhood of a small city named Panipat (India). The study was conducted using focus group discussions (FGDs) and Mini-group discussions (MGDs).

FAMILY PLANNING / BIRTH SPACING / PREGNANCY / MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH / METHODOLOGY / CONTRACEPTION / RELIGION / COMMUNITY ACTION

INDIA

Source: CATALYST
Call no.: 363.96 I39

International Planned Parenthood Federation.


Glossary on sexual and reproductive health is designed to be an unambiguous, easy-reference guide to internationally used definitions of key terms on sexual and reproductive health for use by health workers, media and interested groups.

REFERENCE MATERIALS / GLOSSARIES / VOCABULARIES / TERMINOLOGY / SEXUALITY / REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH

UK
Call no.: 613.95014 I61I

It takes 2 partnering with men in reproductive & sexual health: UNFPA programme advisory note.


This publication offers guidance on effective and gender-sensitive ways to engage men in the reproductive and sexual health of themselves and their partners. It includes examples of successful strategies and programming as well as lessons learned. A checklist summarising key points aims at creating a useful tool for designing and evaluating projects.

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Source: UNFPA
Call no.: 613.0423 I88

Jejeebhoy, Shireen J.; Sebastian, Mary Philip.
Actions that protect: promoting sexual and reproductive health and choice among young people in India. New Delhi: Population Council, 2004. 53 p. (South & East Asia regional working papers, 2003, no. 18)


The paper synthesizes the current information on sexual and reproductive health behaviours of young people in India, focusing on factors that put adolescents at risk for unsafe sexual behaviours. These factors include poverty, gender inequity, and lack of access to education.

Online Version: http://www.ippf.org/regions/eseaor/pdc


This issue of LifeLink ESEAOR published by IPPF East and South East and Oceania Region focuses on what has been done in the region to help women and men including young people, achieve more control over their fertility and reproductive rights through empowerment, education and improved access to sexual and reproductive health services.

Mathur, Sanyukta; Greene, Margaret; Malhotra, Anju.

Online Version: www.icrw.org/docs/tooyoungtowed_1003.pdf

The report examines issues related to early marriage and offers policy and programmatic recommendations to end practice, which is widespread despite laws and agreements forbidding it.

Myanmar. Department of Population; UNFPA/Myanmar.

This is the second nationally represented sample survey on population and reproductive health in Myanmar. The 2001 Fertility and Reproductive Health Survey (FRHS) was conducted in Myanmar by the Department of Population with financial and technical assistance from UNFPA. The report presents detailed information on demographic characteristics and fertility and mortality levels and household population, household characteristics which can indicate some measures on socioeconomic and health status of the household,
past and current fertility rates, maternal and child health indicators, birth spacing knowledge, attitude and practices, knowledge and attitude of HIV/AIDS and preventive measures.

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MYANMAR

Source: UNFPA/MYANMAR
Call no.: 613.909591 M995MC


Cosponsor: FRONTIERS/Population CouncilHorizons/Population CouncilYouthNet/Family Health International

This report summarizes meetings held on September 9 and 10, 2003, sponsored by the Population Council's FRONTIERS and Horizons Programs and YouthNet/Family Health International, where new findings from youth intervention studies in Bangladesh, Cote d'Ivoire, Kenya, Mexico, Senegal, South Africa, Tanzania, and Thailand were discussed.

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SENEGAL / KENYA / MEXICO / BANGLADESH / TANZANIA / COTE D'IVOIRE / SOUTH AFRICA

Source: YOUTHNET
Call no.: 613.951 N532


A key condition of contraceptive security is a policy environment that enables forecasting, financing, procuring, and delivering contraceptives in a fair and equitable way to all women and men who need them. This policy brief focuses on the key policy aspects of contraceptive security, and describes how policy interventions are essential to achieving contraceptive security.

FAMILY PLANNING / CONTRACEPTIVE USAGE / REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH / HEALTH POLICY / CONTRACEPTIVE SECURITY / CONTRACEPTIVE METHODS / CONTRACEPTIVE EFFECTIVENESS / FAMILY PLANNING POLICY / ADVOCACY

USA

Source: POLICY
Call no.: 363.96 P766

Population and HIV/AIDS: report of a symposium / organized by Partners in Population and Development, in cooperation with the Office of the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries,
The publication includes proceedings of the fourth and final symposium in a series on population and the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs). The event, held at the UN's Dag Hammarskjold Library auditorium in New York, was sponsored jointly by the 19-member inter-governmental organization, Partners in Population and Development (PPD), and the Office of the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States (OHRLSS), United Nations. Included in the presentations are presentations made by the Ambassadors and Permanent Representatives to the United Nations of Japan, Papua New Guinea and Zambia, Director of Uganda's Population Secretariat, and the Secretary-General's Special Envoy on HIV/AIDS and Director of the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO). HIV/AIDS was the focus of Millennium Development Goal and it was stressed that all efforts must be directed toward bringing knowledge about reproductive health and services, especially about methods of prevention and treatment, to the countries most afflicted.

POPULATION PROGRAMMES / CONFERENCES / POPULATION POLICY / HIV/AIDS

Source: PPD
Call no.: 304.6 P8311 NO. 4


Previously known as AIDS Update, this is the 12th annual publication to provide information about actions taken by UNFPA to prevent HIV infection. UNFPA has worked to improve reproductive health for more than 30 years and is at the forefront of international prevention efforts, integrating HIV prevention throughout all reproductive health services. UNFPA supports programmes that provide the knowledge, skills and services young people (between the ages of 15 and 24) need in order to protect their reproductive health and prevent HIV infection.


Source: UNFPA
Call no.: 614.599392 P9442


Online Version: www.popcouncil.org/pdfs/horizons/thaischlssum.pdf

The Thai Ministry of Education, the Program for Appropriate Technology in Health (PATH), and the Horizons Program embarked on a study to examine the outcomes of a school-based HIV/AIDS programme called "Teens on Smart Sex" for Thai college students. The programme, developed by PATH in cooperation with the Thai Ministry of Education, is based on the Theory of Reasoned Action Behavior Change model, which posits that young people must first learn and practice behaviours in order to successfully use them at the appropriate time. The key findings of the study reveal that the programme did not increase initiation of sexual activity. Students already had high levels of knowledge, and the programme improved these levels. However, there was no evidence of the adoption of other protective behaviours, such as abstinence, among males and females. The programme also improved female students' attitudes about condom use and increased actual use and improved students' acceptance of people living with HIV and AIDS (PLHA).
Pulerwitz, Julie; Dam, Johannes van; Phillips-Hamblett, Natalie. The ABCs and beyond: developing and operations research agenda on comprehensive behavior change approaches for HIV prevention: report from a technical meeting. Washington, DC: Horizons, 2003. 20 p.

Online Version: http://www.popcouncil.org/horizons/pubsarea/pubsprevbc.html

A report of a one-day Technical Meeting organized by the HORIZONS Program in April 2003 with the main objective to develop and set priorities for an operations research agenda on outstanding questions about effective behaviour change strategies for HIV risk reduction, particularly those that focus on what have been called the "ABC" behaviours: Abstinence or delayed sexual initiation, Be faithful/reducing number of partners, and Condom.


The paper prepared for the Technical briefing at the World Health Assembly on May 23, 2003. It includes statements about adolescent health policy from officials from Bangladesh, Mexico, and Tanzania, as well as other statements from UNICEF and others. Information on the status of adolescent reproductive health, ways to collect and synthesize information, policy development, and ways to support other sectors are also presented.


The tool helps programme managers and clinicians determine the extent to which current reproductive health services are youth-friendly. Under the African Youth Alliance Project, Pathfinder conducted baseline assessments in Botswana, Tanzania, Uganda, using this tool.


In many family planning programmes operated by the public sector, resources are falling short of growth in demand for services. At the same time, individuals with unmet need for family planning services are increasingly concentrated among hard-to-reach groups. Moreover, as low-cost public services come to dominate the family planning market, they compete with and crowd out the private sector. This brief explores one potential solution "targeting" to meet these challenges, alleviating barriers to the expansion and use of family planning services. Targeting is an approach to the achievement of programme goals that direct scarce resources to those most in need. it is part of a broader package of public sector interventions that creates a business environment conducive to private sector involvement. Targeting promotes equity, stimulates increases in available resources, and improves overall efficiency in family planning services.

Online Version: http://www.fhi.org/NR/rdonlyres/eenkfn7daxt5tawhat6xwa6qo5qkq21274jaekqu0ysf35uwwsoh5m4cseo6 5auck5shsog/marriedYI3.pdf

The paper examines teacher training in the context of school-based RH/HIV education and summarizes the limited research available on the topic. The paper then focuses on teacher training projects in Ghana, Kenya, Uganda, and Zimbabwe. The latter part of the paper assesses two key aspects of the topic: the selection of teachers and the elements of a teacher training curriculum.


Source: YOUTHNET
Call no.: 305.23 I61 NO. 3


International Conference on Reproductive Health, Mumbai, India, 2000

The publication provides a comprehensive overview of the socio-demographic and sexual and reproductive health situation of adolescents in South Asia, including available evidence about the health risks and challenges that young people face in South Asian countries.


Source: WHO/RHR
Call no.: 613.951 T737


United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime.  


The document focuses on the treatment of illicit substance use among young people, including abuse of amphetamines, opiates, depressants, hallucinogens, cocaine and cannabis. It presents an analysis of research on the application of risk and protective factors that addresses substance abuse among adolescents aged 12 to 24 years such as reasons for drug use among adolescents and sequential stages for substance use; risk and protective factors that influence young people's attitudes and behaviours towards substance abuse; samples successful therapeutic responses to adolescent substance abuse; implications for programme development and implementation that can be drawn from the experience of those programmes, etc.
Part 2: IEC MATERIALS


The CD-ROM includes documents presented at the Asia Final Regional Meeting under "Strategies for Sexual and Reproductive Health (SRH) of Adolescents and Youth" (RAS/00/P05), 2000-2003. The Meeting, jointly organized by JOICFP, UNFPA and IPPF/ESEAOR, SAR, was held in Bangkok from 9 to 13 December 2003 to review and share findings and lessons learned for the project and make recommendations for future programmes.

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Source: JOICFP
Shelf no.: CD-ROM 0266

ESCAP population data sheet 2004 [chart]. Bangkok: Emerging Social Issues Division, ESCAP, 2004. 1 chart ; 63.5x47 cm.


Issued annually, the United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP) Population Data Sheet provides population and development indicators of countries in the Asian and Pacific region.

DEMOGRAPHY / DEMOGRAPHIC STATISTICS / DEMOGRAPHIC INDICATORS / STATISTICAL DATA / POPULATION DYNAMICS / POPULATION GROWTH / BIRTH / BIRTH RATE / DEATH / DEATH RATE / FERTILITY / FERTILITY RATE / LIFE EXPECTANCY / EXPECTATION OF LIFE AT BIRTH / INFANT MORTALITY / MORTALITY / URBAN POPULATION / EDUCATION / MANPOWER / POPULATION PROJECTIONS / GROWTH RATE / ENROLMENT / POPULATION SIZE

ASIA AND THE PACIFIC

Source: ESCAP-ESID
Shelf no.: CH POP 0023 2004

Filipino adolescents in changing times [kit]: highlights of a research report. Metro Manila: University Center for Women's Studies in collaboration with the Philippine Center for Population and Development, [2003]. 1 kit

Contents:-General information; Context of research; Study results; Conclusions; Recommendations; booklet entitled "Filipino adolescents in changing times" by Ma Cecilia Gastardo-Conaco

The kit containing highlights of a research report on "A Qualitative Study of the Beliefs, Attitudes, Perceptions, Behaviour of Young People about Identity, Sexuality and Health" was launched by the Philippine Center for Population and Development and the University Center for Women's Studies on July 8, 2003. The project aims to collect data on the life of Filipino adolescents with regard to their beliefs, attitudes, perception and behaviour on relationships, sexuality, and reproductive health; their notions of self and identity, and the factors that shape and influence their beliefs, attitudes and behaviour; the stressors of adolescent life; and the ways by which they solve, respond and cope with problems.
Health Development e-TALC.


Online Version: http://www.e-talc.org

The CD-ROM provides free access to health information and training materials to health workers in developing countries. Information contained in the CD-ROM was donated by various NGOs and individuals around the world covering topics such as anesthesia, health, HIV/AIDS, drugs and reproductive health.

Source: E-TALC

Shelf no.: CD-ROM 0205 NO. 4


Online Version: http://www.unfpa.org.in/publications/16_Map

Compiled by the Office of India's Registrar-General and Census Commissioner, the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, and UNFPA.

The brochure captures the decline in the number of girls as compared to boys in India. It presents maps for the reader to understand the worsening conditions of the girl child and shows how the child sex ratio has deteriorated across the country over the last decade.

Source: MHFW

Shelf no.: BR EPD/FP 0032


Prepared under the UNFPA NEP/02/P06 - ARSH in School Project.

A poster prepared for the celebration of the 2003 World Population Day.

POPLINE is the world's largest bibliographic population database that brings together over 250,000 records representing published and unpublished literature in the field. The CD-ROM is updated every six month while the online POPLINE is updated each month. The online POPLINE is available at: www.jhuccp.org/popline.

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Source: PDS
Shelf no.: CD-ROM 0025 2003 DEC.


The brochure presents a concise information on the approach of UNFPA in combating the HIV/AIDS prevention. UNFPA's approach to HIV/AIDS prevention in the context of reproductive health encourages voluntary abstinence, delay onset of sexual activity, faithful to one partner, and condom use. Three core areas frame UNFPA action: HIV prevention in young people; HIV prevention in pregnant women; and condom programming.

HIV/AIDS / DISEASE CONTROL / AIDS (DISEASE)/ HEALTH POLICY / HEALTH EDUCATION / CONDOM / ADVOCACY

Source: UNFPA
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Online Version: http://www.nasbhc.org/APP/NASBHC FINAL GOALS.pdf

The fact sheet presents a national standard for school-based health centers. It defines the essential elements of a school-based health center and provides a framework for accountability and continuous improvement.

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Prepared for the presentation of study results of the Young Adult Fertility and Sexuality Study (YAFS3) held at the Galleries Suites, Pasig City on December 11, 2002.

The fact sheet presents the fact on Filipino youth with regards to their premarital sex, reproductive health problems, knowledge and attitudes towards reproductive health issues.

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This interactive CD-ROM presents all materials developed for and discussed during two pilot regional training workshops in Africa and Asia in 2003. During the workshops, managers learned how to use entertainment-education methodologies to produce radio serial dramas that are culturally sensitive and research-based. The aim is to use this popular medium more effectively to UNFPA and the Population Media Center (PMC).

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The publication provides an overview of how UNFPA integrates education activities in all its programmes on population, reproductive health, gender and HIV/AIDS with an emphasis on the needs of young people. It also highlights successful education programmes in selected countries.

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The brochure summarizes the possible approaches in promoting gender equality and the empowerment of women as they are fundamental elements in the reduction of the vulnerability of women and girls to HIV/AIDS. The suggestions include promoting health and access to service; empowering women to make decisions in relations to sexual and reproductive health; promoting human and equal rights of women; increasing women's access to income-generating activities; providing care and support to HIV-positive women, their children a, partners and families, etc.

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