Partnerships on Supporting Subnational Statistical System: PHILIPPINES

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Outline

1. What are the existing partnerships in subnational development programmes?
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3. What are the major challenges in partnership at subnational level?
4. What mechanisms can be used to overcome challenges in partnership at subnational level?
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- Partnership of NSO with Development Partners – provision of technical/funding assistance; address emerging concerns such as poverty, etc
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- Partnership of NSO with other national government agencies – provision of technical assistance/logistic support in the conduct of surveys that provides subnational data.
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• Partnership of NSO with Local Government Units (LGUs) – to address special concerns of LGUs such as generation of data for their local use
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- Partnership between LGUs or data-producing agencies and government Statistical Research and Training agency – to develop capacity of their statistical manpower
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- Partnership among data-producing govt agencies, govt academic institutions and private sector – membership in the Regional Statistics Committee
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• Partnership between NSO and private sector (business sector, homeowner’s association, etc) – to improve data quality and response rates in surveys conducted at local level
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• Partnership between NSO, other govt agencies and govt funding agency – conduct of activity that generated subnational statistics to identify target beneficiaries
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Partnerships provide opportunities for technical assistance/ funding support/ consultation/ dialogues/ cooperation with various stakeholders on the generation and overall improvement of subnational level statistics
3. What are the major challenges in partnership at subnational level?

- Budgetary constraints on the part of data-requesting agencies
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• Sustaining partnership with LGUs whose leader can end after 3 years
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- Conflicting schedule of statistical activities at the local level resulting in poor data quality
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• Unforseen delays in releases/transfer of funds that affect schedules in statistical operation
4. What mechanisms can be used to overcome challenges in partnership at subnational level?

- Signing of Memorandum of Undertaking (MOU) between partners

- Creation of Ad-Hoc Committees/Working Groups to handle special activities/projects and provision of incentives (specialized trainings, etc)
4. What mechanisms can be used to overcome challenges in partnership at subnational level?

• Institutionalization of project activities

• Holding of stakeholders forum/presentation of plaques of appreciation
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Thank you!