

Outcome 4: More people have access to better-managed and more gender-equitable social security benefits

RESULTS BY INDICATOR

Indicator - 4.1. Number of member States that, with ILO support, improve the knowledge and information base on the coverage and performance of their social security system.

Measurement

To be counted as reportable, results must meet the following criterion:

1. Sex-disaggregated information on population coverage and/or expenditure in at least five out of ten categories of benefits (nine identified in Convention No. 102 plus general social assistance income support) is available in the country and publicly accessible through the ILO Social Security Inquiry/database and/or the ILO Internet-based knowledge platform on the extension of social security.

Country/Country Programme Outcome (CPO)	Measurement Criteria	Result Achieved	ILO Contribution
Africa			
Rwanda/RWA126 Reinforcing Social Security System and Implementation of National Policies	1	Information on social security coverage and expenditure as well as national social protection policies analysed and made available for ILO database which includes five categories of benefits under the Rwanda Social Security Board (RSSB) schemes (old-age, disability/invalidity, survivors, employment injury) and health mutuals, and other benefits provided by various programmes benefiting vulnerable groups. National database on the socio-economic status of households (Ubudehe database) analysed and updated.	Collected social security data and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report. Technical support to national staff on data collection and use and for the updating and assessment of the National database on the socio-economic status of households. Technical and financial support provided for policy dialogue workshops and awareness raising on extension of Social Protection for all: 35 RSSB staff and representatives of the Ministry of Public Service and Labour trained on social security governance; more than 400 Community Based Health Insurance (CBHI) staff

			members trained on management tools for health care schemes; 30 tripartite constituents trained on extension of social protection to informal sector workers.
Kenya/KEN101 Improved governance, legal and management framework of comprehensive social security	1	Generated social security statistics publicly available. Information available on old-age, survivors, disability, health and family.	Collected social security data and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report.
Uganda/UGA177 Well-coordinated policies on improving quality of social protection coverage for all, with emphasis on marginalized groups	1	Generated social security statistics publicly available. Information available on old-age, survivors, disability, employment injury and general social assistance programmes.	Collected social security data and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report.
Algeria/DZA	1	Generated social security statistics publicly available. Information available on old-age, survivors, disability, sickness and unemployment.	Collected social security data and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report.
Morocco/MAR127 Les capacités des institutions de la sécurité sociale sont renforcées pour améliorer et étendre la couverture sociale et les services fournis.	1	Generated social security statistics publicly available. Information available on old-age, survivors, disability, maternity, employment injury, family and social assistance.	Collected social security data and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report.
Sao Tomé and Príncipe/STP104 Promotion de l'extension de la protection sociale	1	Generated social security statistics publicly available. Information available on old-age, survivors, disability, maternity, employment injury, family and social assistance.	Collected social security data and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report.
Angola/AGO	1	Generated social security statistics which are publicly available. Information on expenditure available for old-age, survivors, disability, family	Collected social security data and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security Inquiry and for

		and children, maternity, employment injury and general social assistance.	national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report.
Arab States			
Yemen/YEM126 Improved national capacities to increase effectiveness and extend coverage of social protection	1	Generated social security statistics publicly available. Information available on old-age, survivors, disability, employment injury and health.	Collected social security data and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report.
Asia and the Pacific			
Singapore/SIN	1	Generated social security statistics which are publicly available. Information on expenditure available for old-age, disability, maternity, employment injury, family and children and general social assistance.	Collected social security data through the joint ILO/ADB/OECD project and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security Inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report.
Timor-Leste/TLS901 Timor-Leste National Social Security Scheme established	1	Generated social security statistics which are publicly available. Information on expenditure available for old-age, disability, family and children, labour market programmes and general social assistance.	Collected social security data and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security Inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report.
Europe			
Bulgaria/BGR126 Improved knowledge and information on the cost, coverage and performance of social security	1	Social security statistics available from EUROSTAT are made available in the Social Security Inquiry database. Information on expenditure available for all branches. Coverage data also included for only the main programmes.	Data made available through the ILO's Social Security Inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report.
Armenia/ARM Improved knowledge and information on social protection floor and social security coverage and cost	1	Generated social security statistics which are publicly available. Information on expenditure available for old-age, survivors, disability, employment injury, family and children, maternity and unemployment.	Collected social security data and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security Inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report. Capacity building of national stakeholders on data collection conducted through the Social

			Protection Floor training.
Kazakhstan/KAZ157 Improved knowledge and information on social security	1	Generated social security statistics publicly available. Information available on old-age, survivors, disability, employment injury, maternity, sickness, unemployment and general social assistance.	Collected social security data and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report. Capacity building of national officials on data collection through the joint ILO/ADB/OECD project.
Tajikistan/TJK151 Capacities of the social partners to develop social security policies increased through capacity-building programmes	1	Generated social security statistics which are publicly available. Information on expenditure available for old-age, survivors, disability, sickness, unemployment and general social assistance.	Collected social security data and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security Inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report. Capacity building of national officials on how to map social protection.
Americas			
Saint Lucia/LCA152 Saint Lucia has improved the knowledge and information base on the coverage and performance of the social security system and extends coverage of the system to the self-employed	1	Generated social security statistics which are publicly available. Information on expenditure available for old-age, survivors, disability, maternity, employment injury and sickness.	Collected social security data and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security Inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report.
Trinidad and Tobago TTO201 Trinidad and Tobago has improved the knowledge and information base on the coverage and performance of its social security system	1	Generated social security statistics which are publicly available. Information on expenditure available for old-age, survivors, disability, maternity, employment injury, sickness and social assistance.	Collected social security data and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security Inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report.
Honduras/HND Improved knowledge and information on the cost, coverage and performance of social security	1	Generated social security statistics which are publicly available. Information on expenditure available for old-age, survivors, disability, maternity, employment injury.	Collected social security data and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security Inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report. Capacity building of national officials for data collection and use

			within the framework of social protection costing and actuarial valuation exercises.
Paraguay/PRY131 Contribuir a la extensión de la protección social a través de investigación, capacitación y el diálogo social	1	Generated social security statistics which are publicly available. Information on expenditure available for old-age, disability, maternity, sickness, employment injury, family and children and general social assistance.	Collected social security data and made them internationally comparable. Data made available through the ILO's Social Security Inquiry and for national policy formulation. Disseminated data through the ILO World Social Security Report.

Indicator - 4.2. Number of member States that, with ILO support, develop policies improving social security coverage, notably of excluded groups.

Measurement

To be counted as reportable, results must meet the following criteria:

2. A plan to extend social security is developed, as documented either through a white book, the national development plan, legislation, government regulations or the de facto implementation of a social security scheme.
3. The plan specifically addresses the coverage of excluded groups in at least one of the ten categories of benefits.
4. Development of the ILO's policy recommendations to the government includes consultation of employers' and workers' organizations.

Country/Country Programme Outcome (CPO)	Measurement Criteria	Result Achieved	ILO Contribution
Africa			
Cameroon/CMR104 Le gouvernement et les partenaires sociaux développent et mettent en œuvre des politiques et des outils visant à améliorer et étendre le système de protection sociale	1	Un plan de mise en œuvre des prestations prioritaires de la norme minimale, Recommandation sur les socles de protection sociale, 2012 (no 202), non encore couvertes est élaboré et adopté par les partenaires sociaux en novembre 2013.	Mandants sensibilisés et leurs capacités renforcées à l'extension de la couverture de la protection sociale dans le cadre de la mise en œuvre d'un socle de protection sociale (SPS). Un document de stratégies d'extension de la protection sociale au Cameroun est élaboré avec la participation des mandants tripartites au cours de l'année 2013.
	2	Le plan a pour but d'élargir la couverture sociale aux populations de l'économie informelle et rurales selon la Recommandation no. 202.	Les données et informations pour développer une stratégie de mise en œuvre du socle de protection social au Cameroun disponibles: le BIT a réalisé un diagnostic de l'existant en matière de socle de protection sociale au Cameroun disponible en 2013 ; l'évaluation actuarielle des régimes de sécurité sociale gérés par la CNPS au Cameroun réalisée en 2010.
	3	Les contributions des mandants tripartites à tous les travaux, notamment, au choix des prestations prioritaires ont été prises en compte.	Des appuis techniques et financiers pour les consultations entre les mandants tripartites dans le cadre de la sensibilisation au SPS et du dialogue national sur les prestations prioritaires (identification des déficits, estimation des coûts,

			choix des prestations jugées prioritaires) pour la mise en œuvre du SPS ont été fournis.
Lesotho/LSO126 Improved capacity of constituents to promote the establishment of the comprehensive national social security scheme.	1	Three bills completed and validated by tripartite constituents as well as the Inter-Ministerial National Social Security Task Team. The bills include; the National Social Security Organization Act completed in March 2012; the Short term benefits and employment injury Act completed in July 2012 and the Financial Assessment of long term benefits completed in December 2012. Submitted to and endorsed by the Cabinet Sub-Committee in May 2013, paving the way for the establishment of the Lesotho Social Security Organization (LSSO) and Fund. Actuarial assessment of the new Lesotho Social Security Scheme endorsed by the National Tripartite Task Team.	Provided technical support on the design and feasibility of the establishment of the Lesotho Social Security Organization to administer efficient contributory social security benefits for private sector workers and their families in Lesotho through an actuarial study.
	2	Establishment of the Lesotho Social Security Organization to provide social security benefits (old-age, survivors, disability, unemployment, sickness, maternity and employment injury) to private sector workers and their families.	The feasibility assessment incorporates a proposed governance structure for the establishment of the envisaged social security scheme.
	3	Bills for the establishment of the Lesotho Social Security Organization validated by tripartite constituents.	Facilitated the process of social dialogue through consultation with social partners and provision of advisory services.
Burkina Faso/BFA126 Le processus de construction du socle de protection sociale est lancé et intégré dans la Stratégie de Croissance Accélérée et du Développement Durable (SCADD), en lien avec le pacte mondial pour l'emploi	1	Le Gouvernement a élaboré une Politique Nationale de Protection Sociale (PNPS), adoptée par le Président (Décret No. 2012-1060/PRES/PM/MEF du 31 décembre 2012).	Le BIT avec l'appui de l'Union européenne a apporté un appui technique pendant le processus d'élaboration de la PNPS. Il a produit une revue des dépenses et de la performance de la protection sociale (SPER) en 2011, une études des fonds d'emploi en 2011 ainsi qu'un rapport sur une approche intégrée d'extension de la protection sociale et de promotion de l'emploi et une évaluation des coûts d'éléments

			d'un socle de protection sociale en 2012. Un plan d'action pour l'extension de la protection sociale et la promotion de l'emploi a été validé par les mandants tripartites en 2012.
	2	La PNPS porte sur la couverture des groupes exclus, qui vise à étendre la couverture sociale à tous les risques professionnels et à développer des mécanismes de prévention de chocs. La PNPS contient aussi un programme d'amélioration et extension de la couverture sociale des travailleurs des secteurs formel et informel.	La production du rapport SPER (publication finale 2012) a dégagé des pistes pour l'élaboration de la PNPS, notamment dans le développement du Programme concernant la Promotion et sécurisation de l'emploi et accès à un revenu minimal pour chaque Burkinabè et du Programme concernant l'Amélioration et extension de la couverture sociale des travailleurs des secteurs formel et informel.
	3	Pendant le processus d'élaboration de la PNPS, des consultations avec les organisations d'employeurs et de travailleurs, ainsi qu'avec autres parties prenantes, ont constitué un processus de concertation.	Le rapport SPER a été validé par les mandants du BIT lors d'un atelier tripartite (octobre 2011). Plusieurs activités de formation et de définitions des axes de la PNPS (mars et avril 2010) ainsi qu'un Forum national de validation de l'étude d'évaluation des coûts d'éléments d'un socle de protection sociale et de la PNPS (mai 2012) ont eu lieu avec la participation de représentants de travailleurs et employeurs.

Arab States

Jordan/JOR105 Improved capacity of constituents to implement and manage social security schemes	1	A new Social Security Law (Social Security Law No. 7 for the Year 2013) adopted by Parliament in December 2013 to extend social security coverage to new social security benefits and to those previously excluded from social security.	Office carried out the 7th actuarial review of the SSC and presented the results in March 2013 to the Jordanian Social Security Corporation (SSC). Staff of the SSC was also trained on actuarial and financial techniques. Assistance for a package of social security reforms was provided by the Office in 2012-2013, including: - A legal assessment of the Temporary Social Security Law No. 7 of 2010 in the light of international social security standards and good social security practice (submitted in March 2013). ILO Recommendations were included in
---	---	--	--

			<p>the new law which was adopted in 2013.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Report on the implementation of the new unemployment and maternity benefit schemes (submitted in March 2013).
	2	<p>The social security law extends coverage gradually to persons employed in enterprises comprising less than 5 employees, thus in effect extending coverage to all employees. It also extends coverage to certain groups of Jordanians so far excluded (i.e., Taxi drivers and housewives).</p>	<p>Office provided technical advisory services and in particular:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Administration study, which assesses the present administration of the SSC and makes recommendations for improvements and adaptations, necessary for implementing social security coverage for employees of small enterprises. - Feasibility studies on the extension of social security to cover health insurance benefits, and voluntary second-tier pension scheme (submitted in March 2013), - An assessment of the proposed maternity cash benefits scheme and unemployment cash benefits scheme (submitted in March 2013).
	3	<p>Policy recommendation of the ILO includes consultations with the members of the Board of Directors of the Social Security Corporation (SSC) which includes tripartite stakeholders.</p>	<p>Regular consultations were held with the SSC Board of Directors.</p> <p>Social Security training was carried out for workers which also dealt with the changes of the new Social Security Law.</p>
<p>Iraq/IRQ176 Legal framework and management of social security coverage improved</p>	1	<p>Social Security Law amended by Parliament (1 July 2012) to extend social security to all temporary workers in the private sector above the age of 18 (Kurdistan region).</p> <p>The Social Security for Casual Workers Regulation to give effect to this amendment adopted by Cabinet in September 2013.</p>	<p>Office provided assistance regarding the policy design, and drafted the necessary regulations.</p>
	2	<p>The law and the regulations extend coverage for</p>	<p>Office provided a legal assessment and drafted</p>

		old-age, disability, death and employment injury benefits to all temporary construction workers in the private sector above the age of 18.	policy documents and carried out the tripartite consultations.
	3	Tripartite representatives provided their inputs to the policy discussions as well as to the consultations.	Office organized several tripartite workshops/meetings and capacity building activities from November 2012 to June 2013.
Palestinian Territory, Occupied/PSE151 A comprehensive social security strategy to enhance coverage to Palestinian women and men is developed in line with international labour standards	1	The new Social security system for private sector workers and their family members adopted by the National Social Security Tripartite Steering Committee in November 2013.	Office prepared the Social security policy design and the related actuarial valuation providing a framework for the first ever social security system for the private sector workers and their family members in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, which were discussed with and adopted by the National Social Security Tripartite Steering Committee.
	2	The social security system seeks to extend old-age, disability and survivors' pensions, employment injury and maternity benefits to all private sector workers and their family members.	-Office elaborated the policy framework and carried out an actuarial valuation for the establishment of a pension scheme for private sector workers, covering old-age, disability and survivors pensions. The policy framework was finalized in close consultations with tripartite stakeholders and it was together with the actuarial valuation adopted by the National Social Security Tripartite Steering Committee (November 2013). - Office elaborated the policy framework and carried out an actuarial valuation for the establishment of a maternity insurance scheme, and an employment injury scheme for private sector workers. The policy framework was finalized in close consultations with tripartite stakeholders and it was together with the actuarial valuation adopted by the National Social Security Tripartite Steering Committee (November 2013).
	3	ILO's policy recommendations provided to the	Regular technical advisory services provided to

		National Social Security Tripartite Steering Committee and capacity of constituents to establish social security schemes was enhanced.	the National Social Security Tripartite Steering Committee on social security principles, financing and policy making as well as recommendations for the Social security sector strategy. Tailor- made Tripartite capacity building workshop delivered in November 2013 on social security principles, policies, administration and financing.
Asia and the Pacific			
Lao People's Democratic Republic/LAO226 Social protection mechanisms strengthened and expanded, with a particular focus on the expansion of health insurance	1	Social security law approved by the National Assembly in July 2013. Drafted under the leadership of the Ministry of Labour and Social Welfare.	Provided Technical, financial and advisory support. Organized workshop on 4/5 April 2013 in the framework of project financed by Luxembourg for the national Drafting Committee to present ILO Social Security Standards and provided comments on the draft social security law.
	2	The Social security law aims to ensure sustainability of the Social Security Organization (SSO) and the State Authority for Social Security (SASS). It also aims to extend coverage to the informal sector through adapted mechanisms and collection of contribution. According to the Seventh 5 year plan social security has to be extended to all provinces, and by 2015 health care coverage needs to be extended to 50 percent of the population.	Provided technical comments on the draft law to Minister of Labour and Social Welfare.
	3	ILO recommendations take into account outcomes from consultations with social partners.	Participation of and consultation with social partners Lao Federation of Trade Unions (LFTU) and Lao National Chamber of Commerce and Industry (LNCCI) at workshop in April 2013.
Mongolia/MNG128	1	Government Action Plan (2012–2016) approved in 2012 which includes measures to improve	Following-up on work done in the previous biennium, the ILO has provided technical

Social protection working conditions and Implementation of national policies and programmes on OSH improved with application of ILO tools and products		social welfare, strengthen social insurance and create a multi-tiered pension system.	guidance and capacity building on pensions in general as well as on pensions for vulnerable groups, as requested by the tripartite partners. Diagnostic work has begun on the development of a social protection floor.
	2	The Action Plan focuses on implementing welfare policies, specifically pensions, for target vulnerable groups.	ILO has provided reports to the Government on old age pensions with particular focus on informal workers, self-employed and herders.
	3	ILO's policy recommendations to the government take into account views expressed by social partners during the tripartite workshops.	ILO has also provided advice to tripartite partners and has conducted capacity building. Participated in Workshop on the extension of old-age income security to herders, the self-employed and informal sector workers (May 2012).
Viet Nam/VNM151 Strengthened national capacities and knowledge base for the effective implementation of social security policies and strategies.	1	<p>1. Extension of social protection: Party Resolution 15 on social policies approved by the Central Committee of the Communist Party in June 2012 which aims to achieve social security for the whole population by 2020.</p> <p>2. Unemployment insurance (UI): The Employment Promotion Law was adopted in November 2013. It reflects, among other aspects, ILO's recommendation to extend unemployment insurance coverage to all enterprises with at least one employee, and all employees with at least 3 months contract (currently, the UI law covers enterprises with at least 10 employees with contract of at least 12 months).</p> <p>New Decree on Penalties For Administrative Violations Against Regulations On Labor, Social</p>	<p>1. The ILO provided technical services to the government. In particular the ILO prepared and discussed with all stakeholders a report on analysis of Viet Nam National Social Protection Strategy (NSPS 2011-2020) in the context of the establishment of a national social protection floor.</p> <p>2. The ILO, with support of the ILO/Japan project, conducted the 18-month review and evaluation of the implementation of the unemployment insurance (UI) scheme. The report identifies challenges and proposes 14 concrete solutions to improve the UI scheme coverage and services. The ILO further provided technical support and capacity building services during the process of revision of the UI laws, decrees and circulars; and prepared official technical comments to the draft Employment Law which now includes a UI chapter.</p>

		<p>Insurance, And Overseas Manpower Supply (Decree 95/2013/NĐ-CP on August 22nd 2013) was adopted by the Government in 2013.</p> <p>The Decree No. 100/2012/ND-CP and its guiding Circular 32 No. 04/2013/TT-BLDTBXH were amended respectively on 21 November 2012 and 1 March 2013. These amendments aim at easing the UI claims procedures which is expected to result in an increase in the number of beneficiaries among those eligible.</p>	
	2	<p>1. Extension of social protection: The objective of the Party Resolution 15 on social policies is to ensure minimum levels in income, education, housing, clean water and information, making contribution to gradual enhancement of incomes, ensuring secured living and happiness of the people.</p> <p>2. Unemployment insurance: By extending coverage to small enterprises and short-term contracts, the new Employment Promotion Law clearly intends to improve social security for segment of the population more at risk to lose their jobs. In addition, the Employment Promotion Law includes a chapter on public work programmes that will target rural and low-skilled workers.</p>	<p>1. Through strong advocacy for a national social protection floor (SPF) in Viet Nam (several national workshops included a presentation on the SPF), the ILO promoted the extension of social security coverage to vulnerable workers.</p> <p>2. The ILO provided technical support on international labour standards to the Ministry of Labour, Invalidity and Social Affairs (MOLISA) and the National Assembly during the process of development of the Employment Promotion Law. The UI chapter takes into account the ILO's recommendation for the expansion of coverage to Small and Medium Enterprise (SME) workers, and short-term and seasonal workers. In parallel, the ILO shared experiences on measures aimed at providing unemployment protection to informal economy workers, including through public work programmes.</p> <p>ILO conducted an actuarial valuation of the public pension scheme, administered by the Viet</p>

			Nam Social Security Fund (VSS) which was accepted by the VSS and the Ministry of Labour, Invalids and Social Affairs in August 2013. The ILO organized a tripartite workshop to share and explain the findings of the actuarial review, in August 2013. Recommendations of the actuarial report will inform the process for the revision of the Social Insurance (SI) Law currently under discussion
	3	ILO's policy recommendations to the government in the context of the NSPS, the actuarial valuation and reform of the UI laws take into account views expressed by social partners.	<p>1. NSPS discussed with all stakeholders.</p> <p>2. All national and provincial workshops under the ILO/Japan project (8 in total) were attended by representatives from government as well as the Viet Nam General Confederation of Labour (VGCL) and the Viet Nam Chamber of Commerce and Industry (VCCI). In addition, the project provided support for consultation among VGCL and VCCI members facilitating the preparation of a common position on the draft Employment Promotion Law.</p>
India/IND126 Social protection policies/programmes formulated and progressively extended	1	<p>The National Health Insurance Scheme (Rashtriya Swasthya Bima Yojana (RSBY)) extended on 4 June 2013 by the Union Government of India to cover various categories of informal economy workers who were not covered earlier.</p> <p>The Building and Other Construction Workers Related Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2013 (Bill No. XIX of 2013) tabled in the Rajya Sabha (Upper House of Parliament) on 18 March 2013 and referred to Standing Committee on Labour of the Parliament. The Cabinet of the Government</p>	<p>Office provided technical contributions to the Task Force regarding identification of workers to be covered, preparation of operational guidelines; and undertook awareness-raising of workers through workshops.</p> <p>ILO led tripartite working group provided its recommendations which are aimed at enhancing the implementation of these Acts through simplification of registration of workers and strengthening the service delivery of Welfare Boards. Office assistance continued on from the previous biennium when Office prepared a</p>

		<p>of India approved in November 2012 the amendments to the Building and Other Construction Workers Acts incorporating the recommendations of the ILO-led Tripartite Working Group.</p>	<p>Discussion Paper <i>Improved Service Delivery of Welfare Schemes for the Construction Workers under the Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Cess Act, 1996</i> which was discussed at a Tripartite Meeting in March 2011. The Tripartite Meeting recommended the formation of a Tripartite Working Group with the ILO as Convenor to recommend amendments to the legislation. The Working Group Report was submitted in August 2011.</p> <p>The ILO facilitated discussions on the Working Group Recommendations at tripartite meetings held at National level (Hyderabad, 21-22 September 2012), and at state levels (Ranchi, 16 January 2012, Noida, 1 October 2012) as well as with the workers organizations (Bangalore, 12-13 March 2012).</p>
	2	<p>The RSBY has been extended to the following categories of informal economy workers which will cover approximately 9.6 million families (approx. 50 million people): Rickshaw pullers (1.4 million families); Rag/waste pickers (1.16 million families), Taxi/auto-rickshaw drivers (3.6 million families); Mine workers (1.8 million families); Sanitation workers (1.1 million families).</p> <p>During 2012-13 the RSBY has been extended to cover outpatients in Andhra Pradesh (Ranga Reddy District), Punjab (Faridkot, Bhatinda and Rupnagar Districts), Sherchip (Mizoram) and Uttarakhand (Dehradun).</p> <p>The Building and Other Construction Workers Related Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2013 amends provisions in order to cover all construction workers irrespective of the cost of construction.</p>	<p>Office provided technical contributions to each of the task forces established by the Ministry of Labour and Employment and conducted awareness raising/training workshops with trade unions and civil society organizations.</p> <p>Office provided technical and monitoring support towards extension of RSBY scheme for outpatient treatment which was piloted with the support of the ILO Micro-Insurance Innovation Facility in two districts (Mehsana in Gujarat and Puri in Odisha). Office provided technical support in monitoring the sustainability of the pilot initiatives in Puri and Mehsana.</p> <p>Office provided technical and financial support to disseminate the Working Group Recommendations at state-level tripartite workshops and feedback from constituents consolidated and shared with the Ministry of</p>

			Labour and Employment.
	3	<p>All issues concerning labour are placed before the Tripartite Committee on Conventions and labour related issues are discussed in the Tripartite Standing Labour Committee.</p> <p>The Indian Labour Conference (tripartite forum) held in May 2013 recommended measures for the extension of social security, including RSBY coverage, and with special reference to ensuring pension with indexation for all workers including self-employed; and improvement of service conditions, wages and social security for various categories of workers employed in different Central and State Government Schemes (Mid-day Meals, Education for All, ASHA - Accredited Social Health Activist, Anganwadi).</p> <p>Amendments to the Building and Other Construction Workers (Regulation of Employment and Conditions of Service) Act, 1996 and Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Cess Act, 1996 recommended by ILO-led tripartite working group were disseminated/ discussed in tripartite fora /trade unions at national/state levels (Tripartite-East zone in Jan 2012, Trade Unions March 2012, National tripartite September 2012) to take feedback for finalizing amendments to the Act.</p>	<p>Office participated in the Tripartite Committee on Conventions and in the Indian Labour Conference Committee and provided technical inputs relating to ILO Conventions/ Recommendations.</p> <p>Provided technical advisory services for: preparing the draft amendments and recommendations which have been incorporated by the Government in the legislative amendments; Technical and financial support in organizing various workshops for dissemination/discussion and taking feedback from all stakeholders on the proposed amendments.</p> <p>Awareness raising activities and campaigns for enhanced social security for construction workers and their families.</p> <p>Facilitated tripartite consultations and finalized the <i>Report of the Working Group on Standardization of Documents for Improved Service Delivery</i> (August 2011) containing recommendations on behalf of the tripartite working group; and the amendments to the Act.</p>
Europe			
Republic of Moldova/MDA151 Strengthened coverage and sustainability of the pension system.	1	<p>Moldova has concluded social security agreements with various countries. During the reporting period 2012-13:</p> <p>(1) Agreements entered into force with: -Luxembourg (1 Jan 2012); Austria (1 Dec 2012); Estonia (1 Aug 2012); Czech Republic (1 Oct 2012).</p>	<p>Following-up on work done in the previous biennium, the Office provided technical advice through the EU migration project:</p> <p>(1) a legal analysis on social security coordination for non-EU countries in South and</p>

		<p>(2) Agreement ratified with Belgium (29 March 2013).</p> <p>(3) Administrative arrangements entered into force with Romania (1 Jan 2012).</p> <p>(4) Administrative arrangements ratified with Luxembourg (25 Jan 2012).</p> <p>(5) Agreements with Hungary and Poland are planned to be signed by the end of 2013.</p> <p>Negotiations with Lithuania and Latvia (and Belgium on administrative arrangement) are ongoing.</p> <p>Moldova has developed draft Regulation for the Application of Bilateral Agreements on Social Security. As of September 2013, the legal text is in the final stage of approval (expected date of promulgation by the end of 2013).</p>	<p>Eastern Europe published in 2013,</p> <p>(2) support to the Moldovan delegation to negotiate social security agreements with 3 further countries being provided:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Hungary (3rd round in Nov 2012) - Latvia (1st round in May 2013) - Lithuania (2nd round in Sept 2012, 3rd round in April 2013), and <p>Through the EU migration project, ILO provided capacity building: Training of trainers to implement social security agreements (May 2012).</p>
	2	<p>Social security agreements ensure the right of migrant workers for long-term benefits including old-age, invalidity, employment injury, survivorship, and in some cases medical care benefits.</p>	<p>Through EU migration project, ILO supported the awareness raising campaign on social security agreements which was launched on 21 June 2013, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Two 30 second video spots on social security rights for migrant workers which were developed in Romanian. Upon approval of ILO and EC, they will be broadcast on national television. (2) Training session for journalists on issues related to Social Security Agreements (June 2013). (3) Information material developed and

			distributed.
	3	Development of the ILO's policy recommendations to the government includes consultation of employers' and workers' organizations.	Contributed through capacity building of constituents, advocacy and sensitization.

Indicator - 4.3. Number of member States that, with ILO support, improve the legal framework, general and financial management and/or tripartite governance of social security in line with international labour standards.

African Region

Measurement

To be counted as reportable, results must meet at least one of the following criteria:

1. Legislation is adopted that seeks to improve the performance, management or governance of a social security scheme or a national system in line with up to date ILO social security Conventions.
2. An actuarial or social budgeting report aiming to enhance the financial viability of the social security scheme is submitted and accepted by a social security scheme or a government agency, after consultation of employers' and workers' organizations.
3. A body of social security experts, trained under a capacity-building programme established through a memorandum of understanding with the ILO, is employed in social security government agencies, employers' and workers' organizations or academic institutions dealing with social security.

Country/Country Programme Outcome (CPO)	Measurement Criteria	Result Achieved	ILO Contribution
Africa			
Congo/COG127 La réforme des institutions de sécurité sociale est engagée avec la participation des mandants tripartites	2	Évaluation actuarielle du régime géré par la Caisse de retraite des fonctionnaires au 31 décembre 2011 visant à accroître la viabilité financière du système de sécurité sociale. Consultations avec les mandants tripartites et validation du rapport actuariel en octobre 2013. Capacités des cadres de la sécurité sociale renforcées dans les domaines de gestion.	Appui technique, d'une équipe d'actuaire pour la collecte et l'analyse des données et la conduite du processus de l'étude actuarielle. Organisation, par l'équipe d'actuaire, de sessions de renforcements des capacités et appui à la préparation des dispositions législatives qui font partie des recommandations du rapport actuariel.
Togo/TGO126 Une politique de la protection sociale pour tous est formulée et les mandants et acteurs clés ont des capacités renforcées	1	Ratification de la Convention No. 102 en juin 2013.	Appui technique du BIT par une étude d'analyse comparative de la législation nationale avec C. No. 102.
United Republic of Tanzania/TZA903 Increased gender sensitive social protection coverage including those in the informal	1	Social security legislative and regulatory instruments developed. This included The Social Security Laws (Amendments) Act, 2012 enacted	Provided technical support during the phase of development of the social security legislative

economy and vulnerable groups		<p>by Parliament and signed by the President on 15 June 2012.</p> <p>Six Social Security Regulatory Authority (SSRA) officers obtained Social Security Diploma.</p>	<p>and regulatory instruments.</p> <p>Covered all the logistical and facilitation costs towards stakeholder's trainings regarding social protection issues as well as consultation meetings.</p> <p>Provided financial support to cover tuitions for 6 SSRA officers to successfully attend Social Security Diploma Programs whereby the graduates acquired skills in Social Security Administration.</p> <p>Conducted and facilitated high level training seminars for decision makers and constituents through which 100 MPs were sensitized on Social Protection Policy issues and 40 leaders and trainers of Trade Union Congress of Tanzania (TUCTA) affiliates were trained in Labour Laws and social protection.</p>
<p>Algeria/DZA126 La capacité des institutions nationales et des partenaires sociaux sont renforcées pour la mise en place d'une structure de formation en sécurité sociale.</p>	3	<p>L'Algérie dispose (en décembre 2013) d'un premier groupe d'experts dont les capacités ont été renforcées pour assurer la formation dans la future Ecole supérieure de sécurité sociale dont la mise en place fait l'objet d'un partenariat BIT/Ministère du travail, de l'emploi et de la sécurité sociale (mémoire signé en juin 2013).</p>	<p>Appui technique fourni par le BIT au gouvernement pour la mise en place de cette école :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Programmes de formation de la future Ecole sur la sécurité sociale ont été développés avec l'appui du BIT en tenant compte des modules du Master sur la protection sociale de l'Université de Maurice qui ont été partagés par le BIT avec le Ministère du travail; - Définition d'un plan d'action pour l'appui à la mise en place de l'école; - Mission technique d'une délégation du Ministère du travail et de l'Université d'Alger au BIT Genève organisée (janvier 2013).

			Projet de partenariat pour la mise en place de l'école finalisé et signé entre le BIT/Algérie le 14 juin 2013.
Cape Verde/CPV128 Le cadre institutionnel de gouvernance de la sécurité/protection sociale est renforcé, y compris la promotion et le renforcement de la SSTE sont assurés	2	Rapport de budgétisation sociale visant à accroître la viabilité financière du système de sécurité sociale, validé par les mandants du BIT lors des ateliers organisés en novembre 2012 et mars 2013.	Etablissement, avec l'appui financier du Portugal, d'une revue des dépenses et de la performance de la protection sociale (SPER), en novembre 2012. Renforcement des capacités des partenaires nationaux concernant la dette de la sécurité sociale (février 2012); l'administration de pensions sociales (novembre 2012), et le financement de la santé (octobre 2012). Au total, 113 cadres de plusieurs ministères et des institutions de sécurité sociale, employeurs, travailleurs et partenaires techniques et financières ont été formés en 2012 et 120 en 2013.
Botswana/BWA126 Government and social partners have developed and implement policies on improving management and effectiveness of the national social security system.	2	Actuarial assessment for the establishment of Botswana's National Pension Fund developed in consultation with employers' and workers' organizations and validated by the National Tripartite Task Force in September 2013. Financial study on the establishment of a new broad based occupational pension scheme completed in consultation with employers' and workers' organizations.	Provided technical support for the development of the actuarial assessment which was accepted in September 2013. Completed financial study toward the establishment of a broad based occupational pension scheme which was approved by the tripartite task team.
Mozambique/MOZ106 Social Protection policies and strategies reviewed and implemented to ensure greater coverage both in the informal and formal economies, contributing to the gradual implementation of the Social Protection Floor	2	Actuarial valuation of the National Social Security Institute (NSSI) and the National Directorate for Social Security (DNPS) submitted and accepted by the NSSI in December 2013. Employers' and workers' representatives on the governing board of the scheme were consulted and informed.	ILO has facilitated through technical and financial resources, the delivery of the actuarial valuation of the scheme.

<p>South Africa/ZAF177 Improved access to better managed social security benefits</p>	<p>3</p>	<p>31 officials from government and social partners trained in social security issues through capacity-building programmes in the framework of Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Wits University signed in 2013. The MoU provides for cooperation in building and strengthening the capacity of the constituents on the governance and management of social security. Also 15 students including government officials registered in Masters programme.</p> <p>The programmes include: A Certificate Training Programme on Managing Social Security and Pensions held annually for social security experts/focal points representing Government, Organized Labour; Business -Executive courses on Social Security Management; and a Masters degree on Social Security Management.</p>	<p>Provided, within the framework of the MoU:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - technical inputs into the design & implementation of a 2 weeks Certificate Programme on Managing Social Security and Pensions attended by 25 officials (40% female) from Government and the Social Partners in 2011/12; technical inputs into the design of a 1 week executive course entitled 'Costing & Assessing: towards building national social protection floors' (July 2013); co-organized and subsidized the attendance of 6 government officials (of whom 2 were female) and social partners at this executive course; - technical inputs into the design of a Masters Degree on Social Security Management; and provided the textbooks for the Degree course from its Quantitative Methods in Social Protection Series (15 students including Government Officials are registered with the Masters programme).
<p>Swaziland/SWZ151 More people have access to better managed and more equitable social security.</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>Actuarial assessment of the conversion of the Swaziland Provident Fund to the National Social Insurance Pension Scheme developed, submitted and accepted by the government with the consultation and involvement of employers and workers organizations</p>	<p>Conducted a study in collaboration with government on the conversion of the Swaziland National Provident Fund (SNPF) to the National Social Insurance Pension Scheme (NSIPS). The study provided recommendations for transitional arrangements and assessed the financial sustainability of the new NSIPS.</p>
<p>Arab States</p>			
<p>Jordan/JOR105 Improved capacity of constituents to implement and manage social security schemes</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>Actuarial valuation of the Social Security Corporation (SSC) submitted and accepted by the SSC in March 2013. Employers' and workers' representatives on the governing body of the scheme were consulted.</p> <p>A Tripartite SPF Advisory Board established by</p>	<p>Prepared the 7th actuarial review of the SSC and provided capacity building of SSC staff on actuarial techniques.</p> <p>Assistance provided for the establishment of the Tripartite SPF Advisory Board and Terms of</p>

		<p>the Prime Minister in September 2012.</p> <p>Social Protection Floor (SPF) cost assessment endorsed by Tripartite SPF Advisory Board (December 2013).</p>	<p>Reference of the Board were drafted by the Office and adopted by newly established Board.</p> <p>A comprehensive study on the establishment of a national SPF (including costing study and finding the fiscal space) was carried out and presented to the Tripartite SPF Advisory Board (December 2013).</p> <p>An awareness strategy around the SPF developed and implemented (December 2013).</p>
<p>Lebanon/LBN153 Strengthened national capacities to ensure adequate and sustainable social security benefits and to extend social security coverage</p>	2	<p>Actuarial valuation to convert the existing End-of-service-indemnity scheme of the National Social Security Fund (NSSF) into a pension scheme providing pensions to private sector workers in case of old-age disability and death, approved by the tripartite stakeholders from the Board of the NSSF on 20 May 2013.</p>	<p>Office developed actuarial valuation, provided policy advice and organized an actuarial study mission in 2013 followed by a round-table in May 2013. The purpose was to present the findings of the actuarial study and discuss with tripartite stakeholders from Lebanon the different policy options and recommendations arising from the actuarial valuation with a view to supporting informed policy decision making concerning the reform of the End-of-service scheme into a pension scheme.</p> <p>The legislation for this scheme which is under development is based on this actuarial valuation and ILO policy and legal advice. Upon ILO's strong recommendation, disability and survivors' pensions are included in the scheme</p>
Asia and the Pacific			
<p>Cambodia/KHM226 Increased quality and coverage of social protection, particularly among vulnerable groups</p>	2, 3	<p>Social protection expenditure and performance review (SPER), costing of National Social Protection Strategy (NSPS), and an action plan towards integrated employment and social protection policies developed, in consultation with employers' and workers' organizations in 2011 and 2012. The final publications endorsed by Cambodian constituents, among which</p>	<p>Produced the SPER and costing of the NSPS and an action plan on the extension of social protection and promotion of employment; organized a number of tripartite workshops and national consultations (January 2012; March 2012; May 2012) to review the documents. This contribution was part of the ILO-EU project on Improving Social Protection and Promoting</p>

		<p>Council for Agricultural and Rural development (CARD); Ministry of Labour and Vocational Training (MOLVT) and the National Social Security Fund (NSSF), and launched on 28 May 2013, in Siem Reap, Cambodia.</p>	<p>Employment (2010-2012). The Office organized, in cooperation with the Royal Government of Cambodia, the workshops, agenda and technical content, provided technical and financial resources, and mobilized resource persons.</p> <p>At least 120 officials employed in social security government agencies, employers' and workers' organisations and academic institutions had their capacity strengthened at various technical workshops within the framework of the ILO-EU project.</p> <p>Capacity building events were held within the framework of the ILO-EU project. The ILO organized also special training in Social protection for the members of Cambodia's inter-ministerial taskforce on social protection.</p>
<p>China/CHN302 Social security policies and schemes to provide basic social security benefits for all are improved and become more gender-equitable</p>	3	<p>70 social security experts / senior managers were trained in May 2013 in the framework of an agreement between The Social Security Capacity Building Centre (SSCBC) of the Ministry of Human Resources and Social Security (MOHRSS). The agreement, endorsed in 2013, seeks to strengthen the institutional capacity of both the SSCBC as the training provider and the Social Insurance Administration and its agencies with 150,000 staff.</p>	<p>The first set of training curricula developed in 2013 and social security experts / senior managers trained in 2013 in courses on actuarial modelling and executive training on social security issues.</p>
<p>Thailand/THA251 Improving the existing social security systems - bridging gaps of inequity</p>	2	<p>Sub-committee on Policy and Planning (under the National Commission on Social Welfare) endorsed on 12/02/2013 <i>the social protection assessment based national dialogue (ABND) exercise towards a nationally defined social protection floor</i>. It was launched by the Government on 10/05/2013.</p> <p>The exercise involved consultation with social</p>	<p>In the context of the ABND exercise, the Office developed in collaboration with the government within the framework of the UNPAF partnership, an assessment matrix mapping the existing social security schemes, identifying policy gaps and implementation issues, and providing policy recommendations; and a costing of social protection provisions using the ILO Rapid Assessment Protocol (RAP), methodology. The</p>

		<p>partners and was conducted in the framework of the United Nations Partnership Agreement Framework (UNPAF).</p>	<p>Office produced most of the report. This paves the way for future collaboration between the UN Country Team in Thailand and the Royal Thai Government for further supporting the recommendations of the ABND report.</p> <p>The Office facilitated the consultations with social partners through national dialogue forums in 2011 (August and November) and 2012 (February and March).</p> <p>It also provided training to social partners and stakeholders on the tool and methodology used. Over 100 Thai constituents have been trained through a series of technical training workshops organized at national and regional levels in close collaboration with the Faculty of Economics, Chulalongkorn University.</p>
<p>Indonesia/IDN103 Improving social protection and access to employment for all, (including informal economy) without discrimination at the central and regional level</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>The Social Protection Assessment Based National Dialogue Towards a nationally defined social protection floor (ABND) Report was launched and endorsed by BAPPENAS (Ministry of Planning and Development) on 6 December 2012. The report includes recommendations and costing estimates for future policy options for the government to extend social security coverage to uncovered groups.</p>	<p>The Office, in close collaboration with relevant line ministries and the UN subworking group on the social protection floor in Indonesia conducted the ABND exercise including consultations with social partners and other stakeholders. In addition to consultations, focus group discussions, literature reviews and workshops were carried out; technical support to the Government and constituents was provided for activities related to pursuing the policy recommendations included in the ABND report, particularly workshops on the Single Window Service (SWS) were organized.</p> <p>The recommendations and cost projections contained in the report were recognised by the government as useful tools to inform on-going policy discussions in the framework of the</p>

			<p>implementation of the new social security law (Sistem Jaminan Sosial Nasional, SJSN) as well as the further extension of anti-poverty programmes.</p> <p>The Office also conducted capacity building activities for social partners and stakeholders. 70 union leaders at the provincial level were trained throughout the ABND process, in 2011 and 2012, and in four provinces (NTT, Maluku, East Java and Maluku) so that they can contribute to policy formulation notably in the field of on-going social security reforms.</p>
--	--	--	---

Europe

<p>Poland/POL101 Strengthened capacity of constituents to implement reform of the social security system to improve coverage and adequacy of benefits</p>	1	<p>Legislation introducing changes in existing law on social security pensions: - adopted by Parliament on 1 May 2012 for gradual equalization of retirement age for men and women and introducing partial pensions for those retiring before reaching legal retirement age - adopted by Parliament on 26 July 2013 extending effective retirement pension coverage (contributions paid by the state budget) for self-employed persons on maternity and parental leave.</p>	<p>Work started already in 2011 and included: - Series of extended advisory missions in 2011 and 2012 to advice Chancellery of the President concerning pension and other social security policies; - Advice and comments to draft legislation provided to the Chancellery of the President; - Design of a series of publicly broadcasted experts' debates on 'How to secure decent income in old-age'; - Participation as panellist in three such debates in 2011 and 2012; - Published papers, articles and media interviews.</p>
--	---	---	---

Americas

<p>Colombia/COL177 Fortalecimiento institucional de los mandantes para la promoción de un piso de protección social</p>	3	<p>Durante 2012-13, un grupo de 77 personas, miembros de organizaciones de trabajadores, empleadores, gobierno y otros actores relevantes del sistema de seguridad social han</p>	<p>En el marco del Memorandum de Entendimiento entre la Universidad Externado de Colombia y la OIT suscripto en el 2009, la OIT es responsable por el dictado de la materia "La seguridad social</p>
--	---	---	--

		<p>sido capacitadas en "La seguridad social en el ámbito internacional" con la estrategia bidimensional de OIT para la extensión de la cobertura de Seguridad Social, en el marco del Memorándum de Entendimiento entre la Universidad Externado de Colombia y la OIT.</p> <p>Conocimientos de los participantes reforzando en materia de Seguridad Social, en especial el Convenio sobre la seguridad social (norma mínima), 1952 (núm. 102) y la Recomendación sobre los pisos de protección social, 2012 (núm. 202), y desarrollando competencias para evaluar y proponer políticas públicas con relación a las distintas garantías que la política del piso de protección social promueve.</p>	<p>en el ámbito internacional". Bajo este marco, la contribución de OIT para el fortalecimiento de los mandantes para la promoción del piso de protección social consistió en intervenciones sobre el C.102 sobre normas mínimas de seguridad social y la R.202 sobre los pisos de protección social y la coordinación y producción de reportes técnicos relacionados con los temáticos objetos de estudio.</p>
<p>Perú/PER180 Se incrementa la capacidad institucional de ESSALUD</p>	<p>2, 3</p>	<p>EsSalud cuenta con lineamientos de un plan para ampliar la cobertura de seguridad social de los trabajadores independientes respaldados por un estudio financiero actuarial sobre el Seguro Social de Salud (EsSalud) ejecutado en 2012.</p> <p>Las recomendaciones de políticas públicas incluyeron la consulta con las organizaciones de trabajadores y empleadores, a través de su discusión en el seno del Consejo Directivo de EsSalud, de representación tripartita.</p> <p>A partir de las actividades de fortalecimiento institucional desarrolladas por la OIT, EsSalud cuenta con profesionales capacitados en temas actuariales y en la utilización de los modelos del estudio actuarial 2012.</p>	<p>La OIT proporcionó asistencia técnica al Seguro Social de Salud (EsSalud) con el desarrollo del Estudio financiero actuarial del Seguro Social de Salud (EsSalud), de 2012. También proporciono asistencia al Ministerio de Trabajo y Promoción del Empleo ejecutando dos estudios que permitieron concluir un diagnóstico respecto de los trabajadores independientes y la seguridad social y el impacto en EsSalud de propiciar una afiliación obligatoria para los trabajadores independientes y sus familias frente a distintas contingencias y para el caso específico de la contingencia enfermedad</p> <p>La OIT ejecutó actividades específicas de formación: doce funcionarios de la Gerencia Central de Aseguramiento fueron formados en técnicas actuariales y en la utilización de los modelos actuariales de la OIT, estos últimos utilizados para el estudio financiero actuarial de 2012.</p>

<p>Uruguay/URY178 Recursos humanos de gobierno y actores sociales capacitados en seguridad social, incluyendo técnicas actuariales y de financiamiento, así como normas internacionales en la materia</p>	<p>3</p>	<p>En el marco del Memorándum de Entendimiento suscrito entre la OIT y el Banco de Previsión Social (BPS), el BPS cuenta con un grupo de 50 funcionarios capacitados por una formación en Trabajo Decente y Pisos de Protección Social.</p>	<p>La OIT ha otorgado asistencia técnica sostenida al Banco de Previsión Social, de acuerdo a lo establecido en su Memorándum de Entendimiento. La OIT diseñó el currículum del curso de formación en Trabajo Decente y Pisos de Protección Social (octubre de 2013) impartido por el Centro de Estudios en Seguridad Social, Salud y Administración y participó en su realización en conjunto con varios consultores en la temática. En el curso se analiza los desafíos pendientes y las lecciones aprendidas para mejorar el acceso al empleo y promover el trabajo decente en el mundo a la luz de la reciente crisis financiera internacional y en espera de los eventuales impactos de la crisis en curso en Europa.</p>
<p>Honduras/HND127 El país, con el apoyo de la OIT, adopta y ejecuta políticas para la unificación de los regímenes de pensiones existentes, desarrolla estrategias para la extensión de la cobertura</p>	<p>1</p>	<p>El Congreso Nacional de Honduras aprobó la ratificación del Convenio Núm. 102 de la OIT y el Gobierno completó el proceso de ratificación de dicho Convenio en noviembre de 2012.</p> <p>El MTSS y los actores sociales disponen de un plan nacional de acción con el fin de proponer políticas para la extensión de la protección social y la promoción del empleo, elaborado con el apoyo del diálogo social.</p>	<p>En seguimiento del trabajo hecho en el bienio anterior, la OIT con el apoyo del Ministerio del Trabajo y Seguridad Social (MTSS), realizó diversas reuniones con técnicos del MTSS para brindar apoyo y ayudarles a definir en qué condiciones se ratificaría el Convenio Núm. 102 de la OIT. Asimismo se sostuvieron reuniones con los máximos funcionarios de la Comisión Nacional de Banca y Seguros para discutir la conveniencia de ratificar el Convenio Núm. 102. La OIT, con la colaboración financiera de la Unión Europea y con el apoyo del MTSS y con la participación de los actores sociales realizó investigaciones sobre protección social en Honduras (en 2012-2013) y apoyo en la realización de un plan nacional de acción de empleo y protección social (2013); capacitó a los funcionarios nacionales y brindó apoyo para la promoción del dialogo social en el marco de las actividades (en 2012-2013).</p>