Recent cohorts of refugees in the Netherlands

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Influx into the Netherlands 2014-2016
The need for knowledge

Cohort study

- Registrations
- ‘Hard’ information

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- Survey Syrians
- Interviews Eritreans
- Opinions and experiences
Data sources CBS

Data sources:
- Police
- Local health authorities
- Chamber of commerce
- Social benefits register
- General public
- Businesses
- Population register
- Tax authority
- Education

Land registry

Users:
- Ministries, Policy analysts, Central bank
- Universities
- Parliament
- Local government
- Private sector
- Education
- Health care
- The public
- Media
- International
Cohort study asylum seekers/refugees

1. Stay in asylum seekers’ centre

2. Refugees
   • Age and sex
   • Household position
   • Education
   • Social security
   • Employment
   • Registered criminality

3. Family migration
Refugees by age and sex

2014

January-June 2016
Household position

- Permit received
- Housing in municipality

- Single
- Partner (in couple with children)
- Parent (single parent household)
- Unknown
- Child (living with family)
- Partner (in couple without children)
- Other member of household
Social security

% of population

Months after receiving permit

- Syria
- Iraq
- Afghanistan
- Eritrea
- Iran
- Other
Employment

[Graph showing employment rates over months for different countries: Syria, Iraq, Afghanistan, Eritrea, Iran, Other.]
Future

1. Cohorts being followed at least until 2020

2. Expansion of subjects
   - Income
   - Labour market (self-employment)
   - Health

3. Addition of newer cohorts
Thank you!

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