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Lithuania appreciates the initiative to collect the highest-quality data on the state of population and development for the operational review of the implementation of the ICPD Programme of Action. The ICPD Secretariat's support and specific notes were very valuable in providing particular information. Therefore the feedback made the work more productive. Despite the fact that this particular questionnaire highlights positive development, there are some issues that must be addressed. Several questions are related only with particular group of countries and some problems are not in the scope of national policy. This is the reason why these questions could not have been answered. Also several questions were quite broad, therefore it was complicated to provide comprehensive information. However, the best efforts were made.

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	ACRONYMS
AIDS	Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome
ASRH	Adolescent Sexual Reproductive Health
CD	Communicable Disease
CEDAW	Convention on the Elimination of all forms of Discrimination Against Women
CRC	Convention on the Rights of the Child
CSCs	Citizen Service Centers
BCC	Behaviour Change Communication
EmOC	Emergency Obstetric Care
FBOs	Faith Based Organisations
FGM/C	Female Genital Mutilation/Cutting
GBV	Gender-Based Violence
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus
ICPD	International Conference on Population and Development
(held in Cairo	Egypt in 1994)
ICPD+5	5 th Anniversary of the ICPD (which was marked in 1999)
ICPD+10	10 th Anniversary of the ICPD (which was marked in 2004)
ICPD+15	15 th Anniversary of the ICPD (which was marked in 2009)
IDP	Internally Displaced Person
INGO	International Non-Governmental Organisation
M&E	Monitoring and Evaluation
MDGs	Millennium Development Goals
MSM	Men having Sex with Men
NCD	Non-Communicable Disease
NDS	National Development Strategy
NGO	Non-Governmental Organisation
ODA	Official Development Assistance
OiC	Officer-in-Charge
PETS	Public Expenditure Tracking Survey
PoA	Programme of Action
PLHIV	People Living with HIV
PMTCT	Preventing Mother-to-Child Transmission (PMTCT) to HIV
PRSP	Poverty Reduction Strategy Paper
QSDS	Quantitative Service Delivery Surveys
RHCS	Reproductive Health Commodity Security
SRH	Sexual and Reproductive Health
STI	Sexually Transmitted Infection
VCT	Voluntary Counselling and Testing

SECTION 1: POPULATION, SUSTAINED ECONOMIC GROWTH AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (CHAPTER III)

Name(s) of the primary respondent(s) and position(s): Andrius Valickas, chief specialist

1) Yes 2 (if no .2. If YES, please properties of inception/revised .2.	o, skip to 1.3) ovide the name, to	ation and sustain he type, status, t	able developm he main insti	tution responsible t
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Name of policy, programme and/or strategy addressing the interaction between population and	Type	Status	Main responsible institution	Implementation timeframe or year of inception/ revision
sustainable development) Policy) Programme) Strategy	1)Drafted	The Ministry of Social Security and Labour	2006 – 2008	1) Policy
) Policy 🔲) Programme 🔲) Strategy 🔲	1)Drafted ☐ 2)Implemented ⊠	The Ministry of Social Security and Labour	2008 – 2010	1) Policy
) Policy	1)Drafted	The Ministry of Finance	2014 – 2030	1) Policy
1.3. Has the country est petween population and 1) Yes 2) No (if no limit) 1.4. If YES, please indicates	sustainable develop o, skip to 1.5)	ment?		
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a) Regional policy department in the Ministry of the Interior (issues realated to territorial

population and sustainable development

inequalities, regional development)

1.5. Addressing ICPD issues regarding in the national context during the last five (5) years.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
ICPD issues related to the interaction of population and sustainable development	Was this issue addressed in any existing policy/programme/strategy or through an institutional entity? If yes, in which one(s)?	Was budget allocated to this issue?	Has the country taken concrete implementatio n measures to address this issue?	In your assessment, and based on most concrete evidence at your disposal and that you may be aware of, how would you rate the overall progress of implementation of the measures adopted on a scale of 1 to 4 as follows: 1-deficient 2-behind schedule 3-on schedule 4-ahead of schedule
a) Eradication of poverty with special attention to income generation and employment strategies	1) Yes ⊠ Name The National Report on Social Protection and Social Inclusion Strategies 2008-2010 2) No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	Describe: • measures for encouraging the youth's entrepreneurship; • reform the financing of higher education studies; • measures for encouraging the mobility of employees in the country; • measures for encouraging the social partnership, developing the social dialogue etc. 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1 □ 2 ⊠ 3 □ 4 □
b) Strengthening food security	1) Yes Name_	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀

	2) No 🛛 (Go to the next issue)			
			2) No (Go to the next issue)	
c) Promoting Environmental resources management	1) Yes ⊠ Name -The Lithuanian Strategy for Sustainable Development 2) No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🖾 3 🗔 4 🗀
d) Reducing territorial inequalities	1) Yes ⊠ Name: Lithuanian Regional Policy Strategy till 2013 Programme on Reduction of Social and Economic Disparities of the Regions Problem Territories Development Programmes Regional Economic Growth Centres Complex Development Investment Programmes 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes Name: Lithuanian Regional Policy Strategy till 2013 Programme on Reduction of Social and Economic Disparities of the Regions Problem Territories Development Programmes Regional Economic Growth Centres Complex Development Investment Programmes 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	Describe: Strategic goal of Lithuania's regional policy until the year 2013 (set in the Regional policy strategy) is to improve territorial social cohesion, i. e. to reach, that in all counties of Lithuania: Average living standard, measured by average annual income per inhabitant, wasn't lower than 75 % of country average and Average unemployment rate wasn't higher than 135 % countries average Strategy is implemented via Programme on Reduction of Social and Economic Disparities of the Regions, which is approved by the Government. Apprx. 725 MEUR for its implementation are allocated for years 2007-2013 (EU structural funds, EEA and Norway grants, national and municipal budgets). Programme sets a framework of vertical (growth centres, problem territories and rural areas) and horizontal measures (projects selected by the regional councils). Measures for specific

				target areas (vertical) are detalized in the Problem Territories Development Programmes and Regional Economic Growth Centres Complex Development Investment programmes 2) No (Go to the next issue)
e) Achieving fair trade relations	1) Yes Name_	1) Yes	1) Yes Describe	1 2 3 4
	2) No [(Go to the next issue)		2) No [(Go to the next issue)	
f) Improving solid Waste management	1) Yes ⊠ Name	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	Yes Describe	1 2 3 4
g) Foster sustainable resource use and preventing environmental degradation	1) Yes ☑ Name □ The Lithuanian Strategy for Sustainable Development □ Law of the sea environment protection □ Program for biodiversity conservation and protected areas planning and management 2007-2013 2) No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 🔀 2) No 🗖	1) Yes ⊠ Describe ☐ The National Environmental Monitoring Program 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🖾 3 🗀 4 🗀
h) Address the population trends/dynamics in ecologically vulnerable	1) Yes Name_	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗆 4 🗀
areas.	İ	1	İ	1

	2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)			
			2) No (Go to the next issue)	
i) Address the implications			1) Yes 🗌	
of population trends in large urban agglomerations	1) Yes Name_	1) Yes 🗌	Describe	
		2) No 🗆		1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🗆 4 🗆
	2) No [(Go to the next issue)		2) No [(Go to the next issue)	
j) Addressing the needs of			1) Yes	
people living within or on	1) Yes Name		Describe	
the edge of fragile		1) Yes 🗌		1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🗆 4 🗆
ecosystems	D.Y. [7] (G.). d	2) No 🗌		
	2) No (Go to the next issue)		2) No [] (Go to the next issue)	

1.6. Areas of progress in addressing issues related to the interaction between population and sustainable development.

Among the issues related to the interaction between population and development that are most relevant in the national context, briefly list achievements (citing reports), and comment on facilitators and barriers. List as many issues as are deemed relevant by copying this table – each table is for one (1) identified issue.

ICI	ICPD issues regarding population and sustainable development of relevance to the national context						
a)	Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.5 above)	Reducing territorial inequalities					
b)	Key achievements	Existing regional social disparities of income and unmeployment rate are continualy reducing. Both goals set for the period of 2007–2013 were achieved in 2011: Average monthly gross wages by county (not less than 80 percent of national average) achieved in 10 out of 10 counties (regions). The average annual unemployment rate by county (not more than 135 percent of national average) achieved in 10 of 10 counties.					
c)	Facilitators*	99 - Equal territorial distribution of medium sized cities (stimulated via complex urban renovation measures) provides more equal and sustainamle economic growth of all counties regions. 99 - Coordinated measures of regional policy, undertaken during the economic downturn and financed by the EU funds helped reducing the territorial employment disbalances and provided faster recovery in the laging behind regions (increased cohesion).					
d)	Barriers*	 99 - Persistent significant disbalances in the regional economic growth (GDP, private investments, number of economic entities) (though decreasing). 99 - Disbalances between higher education (provided in universities and other institutions, located in the biggers cities) and vocational training (local institutions), 					

Low		High
- ·	a scale of 0 to 5 where 0 is low and 5 amics informed resource allocation	
		e challenges of economic crisis, analysis of tendencies and
1) Yes Cite ex Statistical Office of perspectives of the 2) No	f the European Communities Eurostat, Statistic European societies"	d 2010-2060 come from a report issued by Eurostat, the s in Focus, 72/2008 "Ageing characterises the demographic
		nt for research regarding population-related issues
regarding the fexamples.	ollowing population-related issues in	the last five years? If YES, provide
1.9. Has the cou	untry allocated resources for researc	ch and capacity development for research
3) Yes [4) No [e report(s)
p 2) Yes [At the national and at the subnation	nal level, please cite report(s)
		nd monograph " The Baltic Countries: us: Institute for Social Research, 2009, 289
Demogra	•	ons, Perspectives"(2007-2009). Reports for
_	or subnational level in the last five (5)y	
		ation dynamics for planning purposes at
b) Waste manage	ement	
	r the next five (5) to ten (10) years torial inequalities and providing sustainable re	egional development
		relopment that should receive further public
between populat for the next five	ion and sustainable development, that t (5) to ten (10) years? Cite up to five (5)	
see usi of facultar	ors and ourners in the questionnaire interview	rer s guide
*See list of facilitat	ors and barriers in the questionnaire interview	from civil society and private sector
	with strong bias towards university 99 - Population ageing in rural are	y education (and social disciplines).

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1.11. If yes, on a scale of 0 to 5 where 0 is low and 5 is high, to what extent it has informed other policies /strategies?

Low		High			
0	1	2	3	4	5

1.12. Name up to three civil society organisations (CSOs) whom the government has partnered with in the area of sustainable development. Cite the type of CSO, the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Name of the CSO	Type of CSO	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the CSO	Area of CSO involvement	Activities conducted
a) The Lithuanian Union of Architects	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Youth Groups 4) Academic/research centers	The National Commission on Sustainable Development	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel	No information available
b) The Lithuanian Green	9) Other, specify 1) National NGO \(\sigma\) 2) International NGO \(\sigma\) 3) Youth Groups	The National Commission on Sustainable	6) Education and training 9) Other, specify 1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation	No information available
Movement	4) Academic/research centers	Development	4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify 1) Strict Specify	N
c) The Association of the Lithuanian Chamber of Industry, Trade and Crafts	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Youth Groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify	The National Commission on Sustainable Development	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	No information available

1.13 Does the country have a policy or strategy that promotes information, edu	ucation a	and
communication on issues related to sustainable development?		

1) Yes	Describe National Sustainable Development Education Programme	2007-2015
2) No		

1.14. Name up to three (3) examples where the government has been engaged in international cooperation via the provision or receipt of financial and/or technical assistance in the area sustainable development. List the name(s) of the donor country/government unit as well as the name of the recipient country/government unit, the type of international cooperation and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name of country and government unit providing international cooperation	Name of the country and government unit receiving international cooperation	Type of international cooperation	Activities conducted
a) No data available		1) Financial 2) Technical 9) Other, specify	

SECTION 2: POPULATION GROWTH AND STRUCTURE (CHAPTER VI)

Name(s) of the primary respondent(s) and position(s): Reda Jakučionytė, Counsellor				
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department				
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Fax(es):				
Interview date(s): 02/10/2012				

Addressing the needs of adolescents and youth

- 2.1. Does the country have a national policy, programme and/or strategy addressing the needs of adolescents and youth (10-24 years) that is/are currently being drafted or implemented?
- Yes ⊠
 No ☐ (if no, skip to 2.3)
- 2.2. If YES, provide the name, the type, status, the main institution responsible for implementing the policy, programme and/or strategy, the targeted population groups and the implementation timeframe or the year of inception/revision.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Name of policy, programme and/or strategy addressing the needs of adolescents and youth (10-24 years)	Туре	Status	Main responsible institution	Targeted population groups*	Implementation timeframe or year of inception/ revision
a) National youth policy development programme for 2011-2019, approved by the Resolution No. 1715 of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania on 1 December 2010	1) Policy	1)Drafted ⊠ 2)Implemented ⊠	Ministry of Social Security and Labour	99 - young people (age 14-29) according to the Law on Youth Policy Framework adopted on 4 December 2003, No. IX-1871	Action plan is approved for the period of 2011-2013. It is foreseen to draft and approve next action plan for implementation of the programme in 2014-2016
b) State Policy Strategy on the Child's Well-being has been implemented for the period 2005-2012	1) Policy 2) Programme 3) Strategy	1)Drafted ☐ 2)Implemented ⊠	Ministry of Social Security and Labour	children (up to 18yrs old) according to the Law	2005-2012

c) National	child	welfare	1) Policy	1)Drafted ⊠	Ministry of	Fundament als of Protection of the Rights of the Child adopted on 14 March 1996, No. I-1234	2013-2018
programme			2) Programme	2)Implemented 2)Implemented re interviewer's guid	Social Security and Labour	Children, adolescents and youth according to the Law on Fundament als of Protection of the Rights of the Child adopted 14 March 1996, No. I-1234	2013-2018

^{*}See targeted population groups list in the questionnaire interviewer's guide

2.3. Has the country established any institutional entities to address issues regarding the needs of adolescents and youth (10-24 years)?

1) Yes	\boxtimes	
2) No	\Box (if no, skip to 2	5

2.4. If YES, indicate the name(s) of the institutional entity(ies) and the year of establishment.

(1)	(2)
Institutional entities addressing the needs of adolescents and youth (10-24 years)	Year of establishment
a) Council for Youth Affairs is formed from representatives of state institutions	2006,
and the Lithuanian Youth Council in compliance with the principle of equal	Resolution No. 330 of
partnership. The council considers the main issues of youth policy and submits	the Government of the
proposals on the implementation of youth policy meeting the needs of youth	Republic of Lithuania of
and youth organizations.	5 April 2006
b) Interinstitutional Child Welfare Council is composed of 18 members –	2005,
representatives of various ministries, state and municipal institutions, NGOs,	Order No. A1-176 of the
Lithuanian pupils' parliament. The main purposes of the Council are inter-	Minister of Social
institutional coordination in the field of children's rights; analysis of child	Security and Labour of
welfare in the current situation and making proposals to the Government on the	21 June 2005
child's development and well-being.	

2.5. Addressing ICPD issues regarding the needs of adolescents and youth (10-24 years) in the national context during the last five (5) years.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
ICPD issues regarding adolescents and youth (10- 24 years)	Was this issue addressed in any existing policy/programme/strate gy or through an institutional entity? If yes, in which one(s)?	Was budget allocated to this issue?	Were concrete implementatio n measures taken to address this issue?	In your assessment, and based on most concrete evidence at your disposal and that you may be aware of, how would you rate the overall progress of implementation of the measures adopted on a scale of 1 to 4 as follows: 1-deficient 2-behind schedule 3-on schedule 4-ahead of schedule
a) Creating employment opportunities for youth	1) Yes Name	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes \(\sum_{\text{Describe}} \) Information and training for unemployed youth 2) No \(\sum_{\text{(Go to the next issue)}} \)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗀
b) Addressing the adverse effects of poverty on adolescents and youth	State Policy Strategy on the Child's Well-being and its action plan for 2005–2012, approved by the Resolution No. 184 of the Government of the republic of Lithuania on 17 February 2005; Strategy of reorganization of the Child Guardianship system and action plan for 2007-2012, approved on 31 October 2007 by the resolution No. 1193 of Government of the Republic of Lithuania	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Describe: Child day care centres for children, adolescents and youth 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🖾 4 🗀
c) Addressing the violence, exploitation and abuse of children, adolescents and	Yes ⊠ Name_ National Programme for the Prevention of Abuse	1) Yes 🔀 2) No 🗀	1) Yes 🖂 Describe	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🖾 4 🗀

youth, including sexual exploitation and commercial sexual exploitation	of Children and Assistance to Children 2011–2015 and the Plan of Measures for the Implementation of the Programme (approved by the Order No. A1-2 of the Minister of Social Security and Labour of the Republic of Lithuania of 3 January 2011) 2) No (Go to the next issue)		Complex services to children who have suffered from abuse 2) No (Go to the next issue)	
d) Instituting concrete procedures and mechanisms for adolescents and youth to participate in the planning, implementation and evaluation of development activities that have a direct impact on their lives	1) Yes ☑ Name National youth policy development programme for 2011-2019, approved by the Resolution No. 1715 of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania on 1 December 2010 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	Describe Open calls for Lithuanian Youth Council, Regional Youth Councils and National youth organizations are organized by the Department of Youth Affairs under the Ministry of Social Security and Labour separately every year in order to fund the annual activities' plans. The support for the local youth organizations and initiatives might be given by other institutions or departments according to their competences; however, the greatest funding comes from the municipalities.	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🖾 4 🗆
e) Ensuring that adolescents and youth have the same	1) Yes Name	1) Yes 🖂	1) Yes 🖂	1 🗆 2 🛭 3 🗀 4 🗀
rights and access to sexual and reproductive	- Order No. V-793 of the Minister of Health of the	2) No 🗆	Describe: <u>approved</u> <u>legislation</u>	

health services, including	Republic of Lithuania of		2) No Go to the	
HIV prevention services	23 August 2012 On the		next issue)	
	Approval of the program			
	on drug material harm			
	reduction			
	- Law on Health System			
	- National HIV / AIDS and STI Programme,			
	approved by Government			
	of Republic of Lithuania			
	2) No [(Go to the next issue)			
f) Collecting age and sex			1) Yes 🗌	
disaggregated data on the	1) Yes Name		Describe	
socio-economic status of		1) Yes 🗌	Beschie	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗔 4 🖂
adolescents and youth		2) No 🗆		
	2) No [(Go to the next issue)	, —	2) No [(Go to the next issue)	
g) Other, specify	1) Yes 🛛		1) Yes 🖂	
Supporting the NGOs working with and for Children and Youth	State Policy Strategy on the Child's Well-being and its action plan for 2005–2012, approved by the Resolution No. 184 of the Government of the republic of Lithuania on 17 February 2005	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	Describe: Supporting NGOs, which work with and for children, adolescents and youth particularly in the field of CRC	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗀
	2) No 🗆		2) No 🗌	

2.6. Achievements in addressing issues related adolescents and youth (10-24 years).

Among the issues related to the needs of adolescents and youth (10-24~years) that are most relevant in the national context, briefly list achievements (citing reports), and comment on facilitators and barriers. List as many issues as are deemed relevant by copying this table – each table is for one (1) identified issue.

ICPD issues regarding the needs of adolescents and youth (10-24 years) relevant to the national context			
a) Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.5 above) Addressing the adverse effects of poverty on adolescents and youth			
b) Achievements (cite the	From 2002 years day care services for children's and adolescents are provided in day		

reports)	care centres
c) Facilitators*	2, 4, 99 - there are 172 day care centers for children and adolescents in municipalities
d) Barriers*	99 - lack of day care services for children and adolescents according to the needs of children and youth, especially in rural areas
a) Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.5 above)	Addressing the violence, exploitation and abuse of children, adolescents and youth, including sexual exploitation and commercial sexual exploitation
b) Achievements (cite the reports)	From 2005 year complex services to children who have suffered from abuse are provided
c) Facilitators*	2, 4, 99 - 5 non –governmental organizations providing complex services to children who have suffered from abuse
d) Barriers*	99 - lack of complex services to children who have suffered from abuse, especially in rural areas
a) Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.5 above)	Addressing the adverse effects of poverty on adolescents and youth
b) Achievements (cite the reports)	From 2002 years day care services for children's and adolescents are provided in day care centres
c) Facilitators*	2, 4, 99 - there are 172 day care centers for children and adolescents in municipalities
d) Barriers*	99 - lack of day care services for children and adolescents according to the needs of children and youth, especially in rural areas
a) Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.5 above)	Addressing the violence, exploitation and abuse of children, adolescents and youth, including sexual exploitation and commercial sexual exploitation
b) Achievements (cite the reports)	From 2005 year complex services to children who have suffered from abuse are provided
c) Facilitators*	2, 4, 99 - 5 non –governmental organizations providing complex services to children who have suffered from abuse
d) Barriers*	99 - Lack of complex services to children who have suffered from abuse, especially in rural areas
a) Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.5 above)	Creating the employment opportunities for youth
b) Achievements (cite the reports)	From 2010 year more possibilities for persons commencing labour activities were provided. Persons below 29 years of age were included into the list of additionally supported persons. When subsidising unemployed persons under age of 29, wage subsidies are being paid for a period of up to 6 months.

c) Facilitators*	From 2010 to 2012 the project "Be Active in the Labour Market" financed by the European Social Fund was implemented. The aim of the project was to encourage youth employment by providing possibilities for acquisition of practical skills in the labour market. In 2012 the project "Increasing of youth employment" financed by European Social Fund was launched. The aim of the project to promote youth employment, helping for young people to acquire practical skills in the labour market. 1, 4
d) Barriers*	99 - lack of possibilities for young persons commencing labour activities.
a) Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.5 above)	Creating the employment opportunities for youth
b) Achievements (cite the reports)	In 2012 more possibilities to promote youth employment were provided. The plan of measures to promote youth employment were approved. The main proposed measures are focused on areas such as the balancing of the supply of educational system and the labour market demand, formation of working skills for youth in the educational system, encouraging youth entrepreneurship and self-employment, support for young job seekers, promotion of youth activity through increased cooperation between NGOs and public administration authorities etc.
c) Facilitators*	1, 2, 3
d) Barriers*	99 – lack of labour market demand matching professional qualification

^{*}See list of facilitators and barriers in the questionnaire interviewer's guide

2.7. Considering the national context, what are the most relevant issues regarding the needs of adolescents and youth (10-24 years) that are anticipated to receive further public policy priority for the next five (5) to ten (10) years? Cite up to five (5) issues.

Issues regarding the needs of adolescents and youth (10-24 years) that are anticipated to receive further
public policy priority for the next five (5) to ten (10) years
a) Establishment of youth friendly services at municipal level
b)Planning to implement Child welfare programme for 2013-2018 years. Tools: Day care centres for children and
youth, prevention of violence against children, supporting system for child guardians, prevention of family crisis,
etc.
c) Drafting action plan for Youth policy development programme for 2014-2016: tackling youth unemployment,
supporting youth work, open youth centres and open youth areas, providing youth with quality information

2.8 Has the country conducted an assessment/situation analysis on the needs of adolescents and youth (10-24~years) at the national and/or subnational level in the last five (5) years? IF YES, cite the report(s).

1) Yes At the national level only, cite the report(s)
2) Yes At the subnational level only, cite the report(s)
3) Yes \(\subseteq \) At both the national and at the subnational level, cite the report(s): National-Report on the
implementation of the specific programs and the report of the Government, which ensues yearly
monitoring; subnational - municipalities activity report and reports of the NGOs.
4) No [

2.9. Name up to three (3) civil society organisations (CSOs) whom the government has partnered with in the area of adolescents and youth (10-24 years) over the past five (5) years. Cite the type of CSO, the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Name of the CSO	Type of CSO	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the CSO	Area of CSO involvement	Activitie s conducte d
a) Lithua nian Youth Counci l (LiJOT)	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Youth Groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify	Ministry of Social Security and Labour of the Republic of Lithuania	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	Involvem ent in preparati on of the Project for establish ment youth friendly services (it is planned that this Project will be financed by Norwegia n Governm ent)
b) Save the Children of Lithuania, NGO Confederation for Children, Association of child day care centres, Association of the heads of Child partners with protection services in municipalities	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Youth Groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify	Ministry of Social Security and Labour of the Republic of Lithuania	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	b) Save the Children of Lithuania , NGO Confeder ation for Children, Associati on of child day care centres, Associati on of the heads of Child partners with

				protectio
				n
				services
				in
				municipa
				lities
b) "Saugok	1) National NGO 🖂	Ministry of	1) Service Delivery	Meetings
save" (Save	2) International NGO	Health	2)Research and Data Collection	and
Yourself)	3) Youth Groups		3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation	discusion
	4) Academic/research		4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation	S
	centers		5) Monitoring and legal counsel	
	9) Other,		6) Education and training	
	specify		9) Other, specify	

2.10 Name up to three (3) private sector partners whom the government has partnered with in the area of adolescents and youth (10-24 years) over the past five (5) years. Cite the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

There are no private sector partners whom the government has partnered with in the area of adolescents and youth.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name of the Government unit which partnered with the private sector		Area of involvement	Activities conducted
a)		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	
b)		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	
c)		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	

2.11. Name up to three (3) examples where the government has been engaged in international cooperation via the provision or receipt of financial and/or technical assistance in the area of adolescents and youth over the past five (5) years. List the name(s) of the donor country/government unit as well as the name of the recipient country/government unit, the type of international cooperation and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name of country and government unit providing international cooperation	Name of the country and government unit receiving international cooperation	Type of international cooperation	Activities conducted
a) European Union programme "Youth in Action" (2007-2013), European Commission – Programme Committee	Ministry of Social Security and Labour of the Republic of Lithuania and Public Entity "Agency of International Youth Cooperation"	1) Financial	Co-financing
b) Daphne III Committee	Ministry of Social Security and Labour of the Republic of Lithuania	1) Financial 2) Technical 9) Other, specify	Co-financing and non- financial expert contribution
c) Expert group for cooperation on children at risk EGCC within the Council of Baltic Sea States	Ministry of Social Security and Labour of the Republic of Lithuania	1) Financial 2) Technical 9) Other, specify	Non financial

Addressing ageing and the needs of older persons

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Fax(es):						
Interview date(s): 01/10/2012						

2.12 Does the country have a national policy, programme and/or strategy addressing ageing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) that is/are currently being drafted or implemented?

1) Yes	\boxtimes
2) No	\Box (if no, skip to 2.14)

2.13. If YES, provide the name, the type, status, the main institution responsible for implementing the policy, programme and/or strategy, the targeted population groups and the implementation timeframe or the year of inception/revision.

(1) Name of policy, programme and/or strategy addressing the ageing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years)	(2) Type	(3) Status	(4) Main responsible institution	(5) Targeted population groups*	(6) Implementation timeframe or year of inception/ revision
a) National strategy for eliminating consequences of aging in 2005 - 2013	1) Policy 2) Programme 3) Strategy	1)Drafted 2)Implemented X	Ministry of Social Security and Labour	1,2,7,8	10 January 2005
b) National Immunization Programme (influenza immunization)	1) Policy	1)Drafted 2)Implemented \(\simeg \)	Ministry of Health	+65	From 2007

^{*}See targeted population groups list in the questionnaire interviewer's guide

2.14	. Has	the	country	established	any	institutional	entities	to	address	issues	regarding	ageing	and/or
the 1	needs	of ol	der pers	sons (60+ ye	ears):	?							

1) Yes	Ш	
2) No	\boxtimes	(if no, skip to 2.16)

2.15. If YES, indicate the name(s) of the institutional entity(ies) and the year of establishment.

(1)	(2)
Institutional entities addressing ageing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years)	Year of establishment
a)	
b)	
(c)	
d)	
e)	

2.16. Addressing ICPD issues regarding ageing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) in the national context during the last five (5) years.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
ICPD issues regarding ageing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years)	Was this issue addressed in any existing policy/programme/strategy or through an institutional entity? If yes, in which one(s)?	Was budget allocated to this issue?	Were concrete implementation measures taken to address this issue?	In your assessment, and based on most concrete evidence at your disposal and that you may be aware of, how would you rate the overall progress of implementation of the measures adopted on a scale of 1 to 4 as follows:

					1-deficient 2-behind schedule 3-on schedule 4-ahead of schedule
perso inde	bling older ons to live ependently as g as possible	1) Yes ☑ Name Resolution No. 5 of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania of 10 January 2005 On The Approval of the National strategy for eliminating consequences of aging in 2005 - 2013 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes	Describe Please refer to the Report on the Follow-up to the Regional Implementation Strategy (RIS) of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing (MIPAA) in Lithuania	1 □ 2 ⊠ 3 □ 4 □
servi	viding social ices including g-term care	1) Yes⊠Name National Strategy of Overcoming the Consequences of Ageing 2) No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 🔀 2) No 🔲	1) Yes X Please refer to the Report on the Follow-up to the Regional Implementation Strategy (RIS) of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing (MIPAA) in Lithuania	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🔀 4 🗆
perso use o	bling older ons to make full of their skills abilities	1) Yes NameResolution No. 5 of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania of 10 January 2005 On The Approval of the National strategy for eliminating consequences of aging in 2005 - 2013 2) No (Go to the next)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe Please refer to the Report on the Follow-up to the Regional Implementation Strategy (RIS) of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing (MIPAA)	1 🗆 2 🖾 3 🗀 4 🗀

		issue)		in Lithuania	
				2) No [(Go to the next issue)	
d)	Extending or improving old age allowances / pensions and/or other income support schemes for older persons, including noncontributory pensions	1) Yes ⊠ Name National Strategy of Overcoming the Consequences of Ageing 2) No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Please refer to the Report on the Follow-up to the Regional Implementation Strategy (RIS) of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing (MIPAA) in Lithuania 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗔
e)	Providing affordable, appropriate and accessible health care to meet the needs of older persons	1) Yes Name_Order No. 49 of the Minister of Health of the Republic of Lithuania of 28 January 2000 On the Approval of the list of reimbursed medicines 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Please refer to the Report on the Follow-up to the Regional Implementation Strategy (RIS) of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing (MIPAA) in Lithuania 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗔
f)	Addressing neglect, abuse and violence against older persons	1) Yes NameNational Strategy of Overcoming the Consequences of Ageing 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes \(\subseteq \) Please refer to the Report on the Follow-up to the Regional Implementation Strategy (RIS) of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing (MIPAA) in Lithuania 2) No \(\subseteq \) (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗔

g)	Preventing discrimination against older persons, especially widows	1) Yes NameNational Strategy of Overcoming the Consequences of Ageing 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Please refer to the Report on the Follow-up to the Regional Implementation Strategy (RIS) of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing (MIPAA) in Lithuania 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗀
h)	Promoting employment opportunities for older workers	1) Yes NameNational Strategy of Overcoming the Consequences of Ageing 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Please refer to the Report on the Follow-up to the Regional Implementation Strategy (RIS) of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing (MIPAA) in Lithuania 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗔
i)	Providing support to families caring for older persons	1) Yes ☑ National Strategy of Overcoming the Consequences of Ageing 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Please refer to the Report on the Follow-up to the Regional Implementation Strategy (RIS) of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing (MIPAA) in Lithuania 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🔀 4 🗔
j)	Collecting age and sex-disaggregated data on the socio-economic status and	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next	1) Yes 🔀 2) No 🔲	1) Yes Statistics Lithuania provides systematically	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🔲

living conditions of older persons	issue)		with the sex-disaggregated data on the situation of elderly population 2) No [Go to the next issue)	
k) Instituting concrete procedures and mechanisms for older persons to participate in the planning, implementation and evaluation of development activities that have a direct impact on their lives	1) Yes Name 2) No	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes \(\subseteq \) Lithuanian Pensioners board is functioning actively and meeting on the regular basis_ 2) No \(\subseteq \) (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🖾 4 🗀

2.17. Achievements in addressing issues related to ageing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years).

Among the issues related ageing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) that are most relevant in the national context, briefly list achievements (citing reports), and comment on facilitators and barriers. List as many issues as are deemed relevant by copying this table – each table is for one (1) identified issue.

ICI	ICPD issues regarding ageing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) relevant to the national context			
a)	Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.16 above)	Enabling older persons to live independently as long as possible		
b)	Achievements (cite the reports)	Establishment of multifunctional centres. Functions of these centres encompass the establishment of an environment for selfexpression, community activation, fulfilment of social needs, upgrading of practical knowledge and skills. The Programmes for the Reduction of Regional Social and Economic Disparities for 2007– 2010 and 2010–2013 are implemented. The measures of Programmes contribute to solving social problems caused by population ageing. Implementation of this programme includes funding of projects for the development of a social services infrastructure (day centres, homes for independent living etc.). Improvement of living conditions and transport infrastructure for older people. This activity is pursued by implementing legal acts and relevant programmes aimed at increasing integration of the disabled into society.		
c)	Facilitators*	1, 2		
d)	Barriers*	9		

ICPD issues regarding ag	eing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) relevant to the national context
a) Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.16 above)	Providing social services including long-term care
b) Achievements (cite the reports)	Quality of social services is ensured by bringing the services closer to an individual's permanent place of residence. In view of this day social care services are provided in day centres, including the delivery of day social care services at home. This form of care is directed toward the delivery of multiple social services and toward the integrated care services. Long-term (and short-term) social care services are provided in residential social care institutions. Positive trends have been identified in the dynamics of the number of beneficiaries of social services. In 2003-2010 the total number of beneficiaries of home-based services has increased 2,8 times; the total number of attendants of day centres increased twice, whereas the number of service beneficiaries in the residential social care institutions decreased by 10 percent. The protection of rights is highlighted in providing social services to older adults. Community building and development which is currently promoted in Lithuania will also contribute to increasing the support opportunities for older persons in their own homes.
c) Facilitators*	4, 2
d)Barriers*	9
ICPD issues regarding ago	eing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) relevant to the national context
a) Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.16 above)	Enabling older persons to make full use of their skills and abilities
b) Achievements (cite the reports)	Persons over 50 years of age have been provided with information and counselling services (individually or in groups taking into account their needs, capacities and labour market needs). During the period of 2007- 2011 individual information and counselling services were provided to 2030,5 thousand older people; group counselling services to 36,4 thousand, employment mediation services to 59,0 thousand persons. Older adults seeking self-employment were informed about the conditions for setting up a business, recruitment of employees and the nature of work under business certificates. All counselling services were provided free of charge. The database "Senjorų bankas" (Seniors Bank) within the National Labour Exchange website accumulates information on the retirement age job-seekers and provides relevant information to employers. During the period of 2007-2011 about 5 thousand pension-age job seekers have registered in the Seniors Bank
c) Facilitators*	
c) Facilitators* d) Barriers*	9
ICPD issues regarding ag	eing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) relevant to the national context
a) Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.16 above)	Extending or improving old age allowances / pensions and/or other income support schemes for older persons, including non-contributory pensions
b) Achievements (cite the reports)	In 2011 the Seimas approved the Guidelines for Reorganisation of the State Social Insurance and Pension System. Pursuant to Guidelines, the Government approved the Plan of Actions for Reorganisation of the State

c) Facilitators* d) Barriers*	Social Insurance and Pension System. The Plan stipulates the measures to be implemented by the year 2026. One of the main objectives is to stabilise, in the long run, the expenditure of the state social insurance and pension system; to encourage persons to take more active part in the pension scheme and declare all income for payment of social insurance contributions, and to make them stay longer in the labour market.
ICPD issues regarding age	ing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) relevant to the national context
a) Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.16 above)	Providing affordable, appropriate and accessible health care to meet the needs of older persons
b) Achievements (cite the reports)	Positive trends have been identified in the dynamics of the number of beneficiaries of social services, delivery of home-based nursing services commenced in 2008, Development of the primary health care
c) Facilitators* d) Barriers*	9
ICPD issues regarding age	ing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) relevant to the national context
a) Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.16 above)	Preventing discrimination against older persons, especially widows
b) Achievements (cite the reports)	The activity of the Office of the Equal Opportunities Ombudsperson. The institution seeks the effective implementation of legal provisions and improvement of legal acts prohibiting discrimination. The efforts are taken to integrate the principle of equal opportunities into all national policies, state and municipal programmes, and al levels of government. The key strategies and programmes dealing with the issues important to elderly include National Anti-Discrimination Programmes, National Programme on Equal Opportunities for Women and Men;
c) Facilitators*	4, 2
d) Barriers* ICPD issues regarding age	ing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) relevant to the national context
a) Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.16 above)	Promoting employment opportunities for older workers
b) Achievements (cite the reports)	Persons over 50 years of age are attributed to persons additionally supported in the labour market. Legal conditions are created to increase their social inclusion and economic activity, reduce unemployment, attract older adults to the labour market and keep more persons of this age category in the labour market, and to promote their attitude to work as a life-long cycle.

market or change jobs, Lithuania is implementing the following active labour market policy measures: - Vocational training of unemployed or persons notified on the dismissal; - Supported employment (subsidised employment, support to job acquisition skills, public works, job rotation); - Support for establishment of workplaces (subsidised job placement, supported selfemployment, implementation of local employment initiative projects) c) Facilitators* 3, 4 d) Barriers* 11 ICPD issues regarding ageting and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) relevant to the national context a) Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.16 above) b) Achievements (cite the reports) c) Facilitators* d) Barriers* 11 ICPD issues regarding ageting and/or the needs of older persons. Lithuania's Operational Programme for the Development of Human Resources for 2007-2013 is quality employment and social inclusion (Measure "Reconciling Family Life and Work Responsibilities") c) Facilitators* 11 ICPD issues regarding ageting and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) relevant to the national context a) Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.16 above) b) Achievements (cite the reports) c) Existence of a national advisory body on ageing. The Council for the Affairs of Pensioners c) Facilitators* 1, 2, 4		In order to increase the opportunities for older people to remain in the labour
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2.18. Considering the national context, what are the most relevant issues regarding ageing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) that are anticipated to receive further public policy priority for the next five (5) to ten (10) years? Cite up to five (5) issues.

Issues regarding ageing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) that are anticipated to receive further public policy priority for the next five (5) to ten (10) years

a) Healthy aging
b) Please refer to the Report on the Follow-up to the Regional Implementation Strategy (RIS) of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing (MIPAA) in Lithuania

2.19. Has the country conducted an assessment/situation analysis on ageing and/or the needs of older persons (60+years) at the national and/or subnational level in the last five (5) years? IF YES, cite the report(s).

1) Yes \boxtimes At the national level only, cite the report(s) Report on the Follow-up to the Regional Implementation Strategy (RIS) of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing (MIPAA) in Lithuania http://www.unece.org/fileadmin/DAM/pau/age/country_rpts/LTU_report.pdf

2) Yes At the subnational level only, cite the report(s)	
3) Yes At both the national and at the subnational level, cite the report(s)	
4) No 🗍	

2.20. Name up to three (3) civil society organisations (CSOs) whom the government has partnered with in the area of ageing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) over the past five (5) years. Cite the type of CSO, the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Name of the CSO	Type of CSO	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the CSO	Area of CSO involvement	Activities conducted
a) Association of elderly people in Lithuania	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Older Persons' Groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify	Ministry of Social Security and Labour of the republic of Lithuania	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	
b) Union of Lithuanian Pensioners "Bočiai"	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Older Persons' Groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify	Ministry of Social Security and Labour of the republic of Lithuania	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	
c) Union of Lithuanian Political Prisoners and Deportees	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Older Persons' Groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify	Ministry of Social Security and Labour of the republic of Lithuania	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	

2.21. Name up to three (3) private sector partners whom the government has partnered with in the area of ageing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) over the past five (5) years. Cite the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

There are no private sector partners whom the government has partnered with in the area of ageing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) over the past five (5) years.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name private sector partner	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the private sector	Area of involvement	Activities conducted
a) b)		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify 1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection	
		3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	
c)		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	

2.22. Name up to three (3) examples where the government has been engaged in international cooperation via the provision or receipt of financial and/or technical assistance in the area of ageing and/or the needs of older persons (60+ years) over the past five (5) years. List the name(s) of the donor country/government unit as well as the name of the recipient country/government unit, the type of international cooperation and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name of country and government unit providing international cooperation	Name of the country and government unit receiving international cooperation	Type of international cooperation	Activities conducted
Lithuania cooperated with UNECE in the second cycle of review of implementation of MIPAA/RIS in the UNECE region	Ministry of Social Security and Labour of the Republic of Lithuania	1) Financial 2) Technical 9) Other, specify 🔀	Preparation of the Report, participation at the UNECE Ministerial Conference under the motto

	"Ensuring a
	society for all
	ages,
	promoting quality of life
	quality of life
	and active
	ageing

Addressing the needs of persons with disabilities

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2.23. Does the country have a national policy, programme and/or strategy addressing the needs of persons with disabilities that is/are currently being drafted or implemented?

1) Yes	\boxtimes			
2) No		(if no,	skip t	o 2.25)

2.24. If YES, provide the name, the type, status, the main institution responsible for implementing the policy, programme and/or strategy, the targeted population groups and the implementation timeframe or the year of inception/revision.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Name of policy, programme and/or strategy addressing the needs of persons with disabilities	Туре	Status	Main responsible institution	Targeted population groups*	Implementatio n timeframe or year of inception/
a) Law on the Social	1) Policy	1)Drafted	Ministry of	99 - all	revision Since 2005
Integration of the Disabled	2) Programme 3) Strategy	2)Implemented \(\square\$	Social Security and Labour	persons with disabilities	Since 2003
b) Law on Equal Treatment	1) Policy	1)Drafted ☐ 2)Implemented ⊠	Ministry of Social Security and Labour	99 - including persons with disabilities	Since 2003
c) National Programme for Social Integration of the Disabled 2010-2012	1) Policy	1)Drafted 2)Implemented 🗵	Department for the Affairs of Disabled under the Ministry of Social Security and Labour	99 - all persons with disabilities	2010-2012
d) National Programme for Social Integration of the Disabled 2013-2019	1) Policy 2) Programme 3) Strategy	1)Drafted	Department for the Affairs of Disabled under the Ministry of Social Security and	99 - all persons with disabilities	2013-2019

			Labour		
e) Action Plan for the	1) Policy	1)Drafted	Ministry of	99 -	2012-2014
Promotion of Non-	2) Programme 🖂	2)Implemented \square	Social	including	
Discrimination 2012-2014	3) Strategy		Security and	persons	
			Labour	with	
				disabilities	

^{*}See targeted population groups list in the questionnaire interviewer's guide

2.25. Has the country established any institutional entities to address issues regarding the needs persons with disabilities?

1) Yes	\boxtimes	
2) No	\square (if no, skip to 2	<i>27)</i>

2.26. If YES, indicate the name(s) of the institutional entity(ies) and the year of establishment.

(1)	(2)
Institutional entities addressing issues regarding the needs of persons with	Year of establishment
disabilities	
a) Department for the Affairs of Disabled under the Ministry of Social Security and	1992
Labour	
b) Disability and Working Capacity Assessment Office under the Ministry of Social	1992
Security and Labour	
c) Commission of Contension under the Ministry of Social Security and Labour	2005
d) Council for the Affairs of Disabled under the Ministry of Social Security and Labour	1992
e) Center of Technical Aid for Disabled People under the Ministry of Social Security and	1992
Labour	

2.27. Addressing ICPD issues regarding the needs of persons with disabilities in the national context during the last five (5) years.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
ICPD issues regarding	Was this issue addressed		Were concrete	In your assessment, and
adolescents and youth (10-	in any existing	Was budget	implementation	based on most concrete
24 years)	policy/programme/strateg	allocated to	measures taken	evidence at your
	y or through an	this issue?	to address this	disposal and that you
	institutional entity? If yes,		issue?	may be aware of, how
	in which one(s)?			would you rate the
				overall progress of implementation of the
				measures adopted on a
				scale of 1 to 4 as
				follows:
				1-deficient
				2-behind schedule
				3-on schedule
				4-ahead of schedule
a) Ensuring a general	1) Yes 🛛 Law on Education	1) Yes 🖂	1) Yes 🛚	
education system where	1) 103 Z Law on Education	1/100	Pupils with	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🖾 4 🗀
children are not excluded		2) No 🗌	disabilities are	_
on the basis of disability			actively involved in	

		2) No Go to the next issue)		general education system. Special schools remain as an exception. 2) No 🖾 (Go to the next issue)	
b)	Creating employment opportunities for persons living with disabilities	1) Yes ⊠ Law on Employment Support/ Law on Social Enterprise/ Law on Vocational Rehabilitation 2) No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes State subsidies helps entrepreneurs to create workplaces 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🖾 4 🗀
c)	Ensuring that persons with disabilities have the same rights and access to sexual and reproductive health care, including family planning information and services and HIV prevention services	1) Yes ⊠ Law on the Social Integration of the Disabled/ Law on Equal Treatment/ Abortion procedures approved by the Minister of Health 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes □ 2) No ⊠	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗀 4 🗀
d)	Developing infrastructure to ensure that persons with disabilities have access, on an equal basis with others, to the physical environment, to transportation, to information and communications, and to other facilities and services open or provided to the public	1) Yes ⊠ National Programme for Social Integration of the Disabled 2010-2012 2) No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Minister of Environment approved the Regulation of Construction. It means that project of construction is approved only if it is adapted to disabled needs. 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 □ 2 □ 3 ⊠ 4 □
e)	Strengthening and extend comprehensive habilitation and rehabilitation services and programmes for persons with disabilities	Yes ⊠ Law on the Social Integration of the Disabled No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Policies on medical, professional and social rehabilitation are created. 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗀
f)	Instituting concrete	1) Yes \(\sum \) Law on the Social	1) Yes 🗌	1) Yes 🛚	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗀

procedures and mechanisms for persons with disabilities to participate in the planning, implementation and evaluation of development activities that have a direct impact on their lives	Integration of the Disabled 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	2) No 🛚	In 1992 the Government of Lithuania approved the Council for the Affairs of Disabled. The Council functioning under the Ministry of Social Security and Labour. 2) No (Go to the next issue)	
g) Guaranteeing to persons with disabilities equal and effective legal protection against discrimination on all grounds	1) Yes ⊠ Law on Equal Treatment/ Law on State- Guaranteed Legal Aid 2) No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ☐ 2) No ⊠	1) Yes State-Guaranteed Legal Aid is provided for persons with disabilities 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🖾 4 🗆
h) Promoting equality by taking all appropriate steps to ensure that reasonable accommodation is provided in all aspects of economic, social, political and cultural life	1) Yes ⊠ National Programme for Social Integration of the Disabled 2010-2012/ Programme for Housing Adaptation for the Disabled 2007-2011/ Law on State Support for Housing 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	Disabled persons are in the priority list to get the support from the State to gain or rent the accommodation. 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🖾 4 🗀
Providing support to families caring for persons with disabilities	Yes ⊠ Law on the Social Integration of the Disabled/ Law on Social Services No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Tinance and technical support are provided to families caring for persons with disabilities 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🖾 4 🗀
j) Collecting data on the civil, political and socio-economic status of persons with disabilities	Yes ⊠ Law on Statistics No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Data related with persons with disabilities are	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🖾 4 🗀

disaggregated on the		provided in the	
basis of sex, age, place of		Social Map of	
residence, ethnic, social		Lithuania. For	
origin or any other status.		more information	
origin of any other status.		please visit:	
		http://www.socialin	
		iszemelapis.lt/	
		2) No [(Go to the next issue)	

2.28. Achievements in addressing issues related to the needs of persons with disabilities.

Among the issues related to the needs of persons with disabilities that are most relevant in the national context, briefly list achievements (citing reports), and comment on facilitators and barriers. List as many issues as are deemed relevant by copying this table – each table is for one (1) identified issue.

ICI	ICPD issues regarding the needs persons with disabilities relevant to the national context				
a)	Name of the issue (mentioned in question 2.27 above)	Developing infrastructure to ensure that persons with disabilities have access, on an equal basis with others, to the physical environment			
b)	Achievements (cite the reports)	In the period of 2007-2011 1402 accommodations were adapted to persons' with disability needs			
c)	Facilitators*	99 - in 2006 the Programme for Housing Adaptation for the Disabled 2007-2011 was adopted by the Government. From 2012 the measures of the Programme will be incorporated in the National Programme for Social Integration of the Disabled 2013-2019			
d)	Barriers*	99 - Financial resources are limited. In the period of 2007-2011 7,9 million euro was spent adapting housing for disabled needs.			

^{*}See list of facilitators and barriers in the questionnaire interviewer's guide

2.29. Considering the national context, what are the most relevant issues regarding the needs of persons with disabilities that are anticipated to receive further public policy priority for the next five (5) to ten years (10)? Cite up to five (5) issues.

	Issues regarding the needs of persons with disabilities that are anticipated to receive further public policy priority for the next five (5) to ten (10) years					
a)	Creating employment opportunities for persons living with disabilities					
b)	Developing infrastructure to ensure that persons with disabilities have access, on an equal basis with					
	others, to the physical environment					
c)	Providing support to families caring for persons with disabilities					
d)	Promoting high education for persons with disabilities					
e)	Strengthening and extend comprehensive habilitation and rehabilitation services and programmes for					
	persons with disabilities					

2.30. Has the country conducted an assessment/situation analysis on persons with disabilities at the
national and/or subnational level in the last five (5) years? IF YES, cite the report(s).

1)	Yes \boxtimes At the national level only, cite the report(s) Analysis of Existing Labour Laws in Lithuania
	from the Viewpoint of Non-Discrimination (2007), Assessment and Comparative Analysis of
	Public Tolerance for Different Social Groups (2008).
2)	Yes At the subnational level only, cite the report(s)
3)	Yes At both the national and at the subnational level, cite the report(s)
4)	No 🗌

2.31. Name up to three (3) civil society organisations (CSOs) whom the government has partnered with in the area of persons with disabilities over the past five (5) years. Cite the type of CSO, the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Name of the CSO	Type of CSO	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the CSO	Area of CSO involvement	Activities conducte d
a) Lithuanian Welfare Society for People with Intellectual Disability "Viltis"	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Groups of persons with disabilities 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify	Department for the Affairs of Disabled under the Ministry of Social Security and Labour	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	Consultati ons were held regarding State policy in the field on integration of the disabled.
b) Lithuanian Association of the Blind and Visually Handicapped	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Groups of persons with disabilities 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify	Department for the Affairs of Disabled under the Ministry of Social Security and Labour	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	The project activities was funded. Consultations were held regarding State policy in the field on integration of the disabled. The project

				activities
				was
				funded.
c) Lithuanian	1) National NGO	Department for	1) Service Delivery	Consultati
Association of	2) International NGO	the Affairs of	2)Research and Data Collection	ons were
the Deaf	3) Groups of persons with	Disabled under	3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation	held
	disabilities	the Ministry of	4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation	regarding
	4) Academic/research	Social Security	5) Monitoring and legal counsel	State
	centers	and Labour	6) Education and training	policy in
	9) Other,		9) Other, specify	the field
	specify			on
				integration
				of the
				disabled.
				The
				project
				activities
				was
				funded.

2.32. Name up to three (3) private sector partners whom the government has partnered with in the area of persons with disabilities over the past five (5) years. Cite the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)		(4)
Name private sector partner	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the private sector	Area of involvement		Activities conducted
a) Lintel	Department for the	1) Service Delivery		Provides information
(telecommunications)	Affairs of Disabled under	2)Research and Data Collection]	in sigh languages for
	the Ministry of Social	3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation		people with
	Security and Labour	4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation		disabilities using
		5) Monitoring and legal counsel	╛	phone screen
		6) Education and training	4	
		9) Other, specify		(D. 1. 1)
b) Puntukas (technical	Department for the	1) Service Delivery	<u> </u>	"Puntukas" produces
support)	Affairs of Disabled under	2)Research and Data Collection	╛	and provides tools of
	the Ministry of Social	3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation	╛	technical support for
	Security and Labour	4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation	╛	people with
		5) Monitoring and legal counsel	╡	disabilities
		6) Education and training	4	
\ 		9) Other, specify	 	~
c) Ūla (social	Department for the	1) Service Delivery	╡	Social activity
enterprise)	Affairs of Disabled under	2)Research and Data Collection	╛	
	the Ministry of Social	3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation	╛	
	Security and Labour	4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation	╣	
		5) Monitoring and legal counsel	╛	
		6) Education and training	_	
		9) Other, specify_social enterprise	\times	

2.33. Name up to three (3) examples where the government has been engaged in international cooperation via the provision or receipt of financial and/or technical assistance in the area(s) of persons with disabilities over the past five (5) years. List the name(s) of the donor country/government unit as well as the name of the recipient country/government unit, the type of international cooperation and the activities conducted.

There are no examples where the government has been engaged in international cooperation via the provision or receipt of financial and/or technical assistance in the area(s) of persons with disabilities over the past five (5) years.

(1) Name of country and government unit providing international cooperation	(2) Name of the country and government unit receiving international cooperation	(3) Type of international cooperation	(4) Activities conducted
a)	•	1) Financial	
b)		1) Financial	
c)		1) Financial	

Addressing the needs of indigenous people

1) Yes

2) No (if no, skip to 2.36)

We don't have any indigenous people in Lithuania.

Name(s) of the primary respondent(s) an	d position(s):
Name(s) of institution(s)/department(s):	
E-mail address(es):	
Phone number(s) – Landline:	Mobile:
Fax(es):	
Interview date(s):	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	ational policy, programme and/or strategy addressing the s/are currently being drafted or implemented?

2.35. If YES, provide the name, the type, status, the main institution responsible for implementing the policy, programme and/or strategy, the targeted population groups and the implementation timeframe or the year of inception/revision.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Name of policy, programme and/or strategy addressing the needs of indigenous peoples	Туре	Status	Main responsible institution	Targeted population groups*	Implementatio n timeframe or year of inception/ revision
a)	1) Policy	1)Drafted			
b)	1) Policy	1)Drafted			
c)	1) Policy	1)Drafted			
d)	1) Policy	1)Drafted			
e)	1) Policy	1)Drafted			

^{*}See targeted population groups list in the questionnaire interviewer's guide

1) Yes	p to 2.3	38)				
2.37. If YES, indicate the name(s) of the institutional entity(ies) and the year of establishment. (1) (2) Institutional entities addressing the needs of indigenous peoples a) b) c) d) e) 2.38. Addressing ICPD issues regarding the needs of indigenous peoples in the national context during the last five (5) years.						
(1) ICPD issues regarding needs of indigeno		(2) Was this issue addressed in any	(3) Was budget allocated to this	(4) Were concrete implementation	(5) In your assessment, and based on most	
peoples		existing policy/programme/stra tegy or through an institutional entity? If yes, in which one(s)?	issue?	measures taken to address this issue?	concrete evidence at your disposal and that you may be aware of, how would you rate the overall progress of implementation of the measures adopted on a scale of 1 to 4 as follows: 1-deficient 2-behind schedule 3-on schedule 4-ahead of schedule	
a) Creating educat conditions for indigenous peop to have access t education in the own language a respecting their culture	oles o an oir nd	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗀 4 🗀	
b) Ensuring that indigenous individuals, particularly chil have access to a levels and form public education the state withou	ıll s of n of	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗀 4 🗀	

2.36. Has the country established any institutional entities to address issues regarding the needs of indigenous peoples?

discrimination				
c) Creating decent we opportunities for indigenous peoples without discrimination	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗀 4 🗀
d) Ensuring that indigenous peoples have the access to culturally appropri sexual and reproductive health care, including HI prevention service.	2) No [(Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🗀 4 🗀
e) Enabling indigeno peoples to have tenure and manage their lands	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
f) Protecting and restoring the natural ecosystems on which indigenous communities dependent for their survival a wellbeing	d 2) No (Go to the next	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
g) Instituting concrete procedures and mechanisms for indigenous peoples to participate in the planning, implementation an evaluation of development activities that have direct impact on the lives	issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🗀 4 🗀
h) Seeking free, prior and informed consent of indigenous peoples in trade agreement foreign direct investment agreements, and concessions agreements affecti	2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🗆 4 🗆

			•		1
	their lives and				
	environment				
i)	Protecting indigenous peoples from discrimination	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
j)	Collecting data on the socio-economic status of indigenous peoples disaggregated on the basis of sex, age, place of residence	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
k)	Other, specify	1) Yes \ Name 2) No \	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀

2.39. Achievements in addressing issues related to the needs of indigenous peoples.

Among the issues related to the needs of indigenous peoples that are most relevant in the national context, briefly list achievements (citing reports), and comment on facilitators and barriers. List as many issues as are deemed relevant by copying this table – each table is for one (1) identified issue.

ICI	PD issues regarding the
a)	Name of the issue
	(mentioned in
	question 2.38 above)
b)	Achievements (cite
	the reports)
c)	Facilitators*
d)	Barriers*

^{*}See list of facilitators and barriers in the questionnaire interviewer's guide

2.40. Considering the national context, what are the most relevant issues regarding the needs of indigenous peoples that are anticipated to receive further public policy priority for the next five (5) to ten (10) years? Cite up to five (5) issues.

Issues regarding the needs of indigenous peoples that are anticipated to receive further public policy priority for the next five (5) to ten (10) years

b) c) d) e)	a)	
c) d) e)	b)	
d) e)	c)	
e)	d)	
1 %	e)	

2.41. Has the country conducted an assessment/situation analysis on the needs of indigenous peoples at the national and/or subnational level in the last five (5) years? IF YES, cite the report(s).

1) Yes At the national level only, cite the report(s)	
2) Yes At the subnational level only, cite the report(s)	
3) Yes At both the national and at the subnational level, cite the report(s)	
4) No 🗌	

2.42. Name up to three (3) civil society organisations (CSOs) whom the government has partnered with in the area of indigenous peoples over the past five (5) years. Cite the type of CSO, the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Name of the CSO	Type of CSO	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the CSO	Area of CSO involvement	Activities conducte d
a)	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Indigenous peoples' groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	
b)	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Indigenous peoples' groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	
c)	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Indigenous peoples' groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	

2.43. Name up to three (3) private sector partners with whom the government has partnered with in the area of indigenous peoples over the past five (5) years. Cite the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name private sector partner	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the private sector	Area of involvement	Activities conducted
a)		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	
b)		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	
c)		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	

2.44. Name up to three (3) examples where the government has been engaged in international cooperation via the provision or receipt of financial and/or technical assistance in the area of indigenous peoples over the past five (5) years. List the name(s) of the donor country/government unit as well as the name of the recipient country/government unit, the type of international cooperation and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name of country and government unit	Name of the country	Type of	Activities
providing international cooperation	and government unit	international	conducted
	receiving international	cooperation	
	cooperation		
a)		1) Financial	

	2) Technical
	9) Other, specify
b)	1) Financial
	2) Technical
	9) Other, specify
c)	1) Financial
, ,	2) Technical
	9) Other, specify

SECTION 3: URBANIZATION AND INTERNAL MIGRATION (CHAPTER IX)

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3.1. Does the country have a national policy	, programme and/or	strategy	addressing			

3.1. Does the country have a national policy, programme and/or strategy addressing urbanization and internal migration issues that is/are currently being drafted or implemented?

3.2. If YES, provide the name, the type, status, the main institution responsible for implementing the policy, programme and/or strategy, the targeted population groups and the implementation timeframe or the year of inception/revision.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Name of policy, programme and/or strategy addressing urbanization and internal migration	Туре	Status	Main responsible institution	Targeted population groups*	Implementation timeframe or year of inception/ revision
a)National regional policy (promotion of local and urban development)	1) Policy 2) Programme 3) Strategy	1)Drafted	Ministry of the Interior	99- Inhabitants of small- medium sized cities, rural areas (especially those in indicated regional centres and problem territories) 14- Marginalize d rural	2000 (revision 2005, 2013)

^{*}See targeted population groups list in the questionnaire interviewer's guide

3.3. Has the country established	any institutional	entities to a	iddress issues	regarding	urbanization
and internal distribution?					

1)	Ves	

3.4. If YES, indicate the name(s) of the institutional entity(ies) and the year of establishment.

(1)	(2)
Other institutional entities addressing urbanization and internal distribution	Year of establishment
a)	
b)	
(c)	
d)	
e)	

3.5. Addressing ICPD issues regarding urbanization and internal migration in the national context during the last five (5) years.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
ICPD issues regarding urbanization and internal migration	Was this issue addressed in any existing policy/programme/stra tegy or through an institutional entity? If yes, in which one(s)?	Was budget allocated to this issue?	Were concrete implementation n measures taken to address this issue?	In your assessment, and based on most concrete evidence at your disposal and that you may be aware of, how would you rate the overall progress of implementation of the measures adopted on a scale of 1 to 4 as follows: 1-deficient 2-behind schedule 3-on schedule 4-ahead of schedule
a) Promoting the growth of small or medium-sized urban centres	1) Yes Programme on Reduction of Social and Economic Disparities of the Regions/Regional Economic Growth Centres Complex Development Investment Programmes/Problem Territories Development Programmes	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Actions directed to the urban areas, aimed at reconstruction and improvement of the physical urban environment: urban environmental infrastructure; regeneration of existing industrial and	1
	2) No		damaged/poluted areas; transport accessibility and mobility within the city; renovation of existing buildings; creation of local attraction centres	

				(cultural, leisure, recreation, sports). Actions implemented holistically, thus avoiding negative consequences of urban development on residential environment. In addition, actions of renovation of multi-residential buildings and improvement social housing are beeing implemented.	
developmen strategies to	decrease	ategies to decrease sh factors on	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Actions directed to the rural areas, aimed at reconstruction and improvement of the physical environment ab community inftastructure: sustainable transport accessibility (pedestrial, biking routes); renovation of existing buildings; creation of local attraction centres (cultural, leisure, recreation, sports). Actions implemented holistically.	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗀
c) Promoting decentralizat	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	omoting centralization	1) Yes	1) Yes	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗀 4 🗀

				the next issue)	
d)	Ensuring land, housing, services and livelihood of urban poor	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
e)	Facilitating the integration of rural-to-urban migrants	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
f)	Promoting environmental management of urban agglomerations	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
g)	Promoting health, education, training and employment support for IDPs (where relevant)	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
h)	Proactive planning for urban population growth	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗀 4 🗀

3.6. Achievements in addressing issues related to urbanization and internal migration.

Among the issues related to urbanization and internal migration that are most relevant in the national context, briefly list achievements (citing reports), and comment on facilitators and barriers. List as many issues as are deemed relevant by copying this table – each table is for one (1) identified issue.

ICI	ICPD issues regarding urbanization and internal migration relevant to the national context	
a)	Name of the issue	Promoting the growth of small or medium-sized urban centres

	(mentioned in question 3.5 above)	
b)	Achievements (cite the reports)	By the begining of 2012, 12 complex projects were completed in four regional centers and 23 projects (including housing renovation) were completed in problem territories (projected numbers for the end of financial period are 76 and 200 respectively). On this stage (when most of the projects are not yet finalized) direct impact of the implemented projects is the continually reducing disparities of unmeployment rate (employing local workforce), other outcomes such as more balanced migration rates (as a result of improved living envinronment) and more equal distribution of private investment are projected for the period of 2013-2015.
c)	Facilitators*	99 - Equal territorial distribution of medium sized cities (stimulated via complex urban renovation measures); 99 - Targeted EU support for urban development
d)	Barriers*	10- participation from civil society and private sector

^{*}See list of facilitators and barriers in the questionnaire interviewer's guide

ICI	ICPD issues regarding urbanization and internal migration relevant to the national context		
e)	Name of the issue (mentioned in question 3.5 above)	Promoting rural development strategies to decrease push factors on urbanization	
f)	Achievements (cite the reports)	By the begginning of 2012 financing and administration contracts for 160 integrated rural community and public infrastructure development projects were signed, 12 projects already completed. On this stage (when most of the projects are not yet finalized) direct impact of the implemented projects is the continually reducing disparities of unmeployment rate (employing local workforce), other outcomes such as more balanced migration rates (as a result of improved living envinronment) and more equal distribution of private investment are projected for the period of 2013-2015.	
g)	Facilitators*	99 - Targeted EU support for rural development	
h)	Barriers*	99- Population ageing in rural communities	

3.7. Considering the national context, what are the most relevant issues regarding urbanization and internal migration that the country considers priority for public policy for the next five (5) to ten (10) years?

Issu	Issues regarding internal migration and urbanisation relevant to the national context that should be the focus		
for	for the next five (5) to ten years (10)		
a)	Promoting the sustainable growth of small or medium-sized urban centres		
b)	Regenereation of territories facing specific challenges (social isolation, envinronmental problems, etc.) in bigger		
	cities		
c)	Promoting rural development and diversification		

3.8. Are there any legal or practical restrictions on the movement of people within the country,
including the need for a work permit, proof of identity, and proof of employment or legal address at
the place of destination, based on HIV status, or, in the cases of women the need to be authorized by
the husband or a legal guardian/tutor?

2) Yes, practical	List the kind of restriction(s):
3) Yes, legal and practic	
4) No	
	onducted an assessment/ situation analysis on internal migration the national and/or subnational level in the last five (5) years? IF YES,
publication). 2) Yes At the subnation	level only, cite the report(s) Demographic yearbook (annual statistical onal level only, cite the report(s)tional and at the subnational level, cite the report(s)
-	conducted an assessment/ situation analysis on internally displaced es in the last five (5) years?
·	sment to address post-crisis/disaster population displacements isplaced persons profiling exercise
	nducted covering refugee populations
	above (if no, skip to 3.12)
	the key actions taken to protect and assist refugees and displaced

3.12. Name up to three (3) civil society organisations (CSOs) whom the government has partnered with in the area of urbanisation and internal migration over the past five (5) years. Cite the type of CSO, the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

There are no civil society organisations (CSOs) whom the government has partnered with in the area of urbanisation and internal migration over the past five (5) years.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
		Name of		
Name of the	Type of CSO	the	Area of CSO involvement	Activities
CSO		Governm		conducted
		ent unit		
		which		

		partnered with the CSO	
a)	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Migrant Networks 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify
b)	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Migrant Networks 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify
c)	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Migrant Networks 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify

3.13. Name up to three (3) private sector partners with whom the government has partnered with in the area of urbanisation and internal migration over the past five (5) years. Cite the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

There are no private sector partners with whom the government has partnered with in the area of urbanisation and internal migration over the past five (5) years.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name private sector partner	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the private sector	Area of involvement	Activities conducted
a)		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	
b)		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel	

	6) Education and training	
	9) Other, specify	
c)	1) Service Delivery	
	2)Research and Data Collection	
	3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation	
	4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation	
	5) Monitoring and legal counsel	
	6) Education and training	
	9) Other, specify	

3.14. Name up to three (3) examples where the government has been engaged in international cooperation via the provision or receipt of financial and/or technical assistance in the area of urbanization and internal migration over the past five (5) years. List the name(s) of the donor country/government unit as well as the name of the recipient country/government unit, the type of international cooperation and the activities conducted.

There are no examples where the government has been engaged in international cooperation via the provision or receipt of financial and/or technical assistance in the area of urbanization and internal migration over the past five (5) years.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name of country and government unit providing international cooperation	Name of the country and government unit receiving international cooperation	Type of international cooperation	Activities conducted
a)		1) Financial 2) Technical 9) Other, specify	
b)		1) Financial 2) Technical 9) Other, specify	
c)		1) Financial 2) Technical 9) Other, specify	

SECTION 4: INTERNATIONAL MIGRATION AND DEVELOPMENT (CHAPTER X)

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-		main responsible institution	population groups*	Implementation timeframe or year of inception/ revision	
1) Policy	1)Drafted 2)Implemented 🖂	Related National authorities	99-All immigrants	Long lasting	
•			regarding i	nternational	
	ional entity(ies) ar	nd the year o	f establishme		
, ,	1 1 11 11	1	X 7 0	(2)	
		velopment			
a) Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania Public Safety Policy Department 2009					
	name, the typogramme and/cor the year of in (2) Type 1) Policy 2) Programme 3) Strategy t in the questionnained any institutions (s) of the institutions	name, the type, status, the ogramme and/or strategy, the tror the year of inception/revision (2) (3) Type Status 1) Policy Status 1) Policy Status 2) Programme 2) Implemented 2) Implemented 3) Strategy at in the questionnaire interviewer's guidance any institutional entities to accept the institutional entity (ies) and (1) essing international migration and devices.	name, the type, status, the main institution and development that is/are currently name, the type, status, the main institution and development that is/are currently name, the type, status, the targeted poper the year of inception/revision. (2)	Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia Columbia	

4.5. Addressing ICPD issues regarding international migration and development in the national context during the last five years

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
	ICPD issues regarding international migration and development	Was this issue addressed in any existing policy/programme/strateg y or through an institutional entity? If yes, in which one(s)?	Was budget allocated to this issue?	Were concrete implementation measures taken to address this issue?	In your assessment, and based on most concrete evidence at your disposal and that you may be aware of, how would you rate the overall progress of implementation of the measures adopted on a scale of 1 to 4 as follows: 1-deficient 2-behind schedule 3-on schedule 4-ahead of schedule
a)	Addressing the root causes of migration so migration is by choice not necessity	1) Yes Name_	1) Yes 🗌	1) Yes Describe	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🗀 4 🗀
	·	2) No [(Go to the next issue)	2) No 🗆	2) No [(Go to the next issue)	
b)	Protecting migrants against human rights abuses, racism, ethnocentrism and	1) Yes 🗌 Name	1) Yes 🗌	1) Yes Describe	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🗀 4 🗀
	xenophobia	2) No [(Go to the next issue)	2) No 🗆	2) No [(Go to the next issue)	
c)	Taking gender and age into account in formulating immigration policies	1) Yes 🗌 Name	1) Yes 🗌	1) Yes Describe	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🗀 4 🗀
		2) No [(Go to the next issue)	2) No 🗆	2) No [(Go to the next issue)	
d)	Addressing the factors that contribute to forced internal displacement	1) Yes 🔲 Name	1) Yes 🗌	1) Yes Describe	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🗆 4 🗀
		2) No [(Go to the next issue)	2) No 🗌	2) No [(Go to the next issue)	

e)	Strengthening support for international activities to protect and assist refugees and displaced persons	Name The ruling of the Government of Lithuania on relocation of asylum seekers from Malta in which it is provided to accept up to 6 asylum seekers from Malta. 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes \(\sum \) 2) No \(\sum \)	1) Yes Describe Describe Contacts and actions with Malta's UNHCR officials in order to implement the ruling. 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🔀 3 🗆 4 🗆
f)	Combat trafficking and/or smuggling of migrants	1) Yes Name 2009-2012 trafficking in human beings prevention and control program (Adopted by the Government of the Republic of Lithuania 2009, September 9, Nr. 1104). 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 🔀 2) No 🔲	1) Yes \(\subseteq \) Describe Action plan 2) No \(\subseteq \) (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🖾 4 🗀
g)	Facilitate the flow and use of remittances to support development	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗀 4 🗀
h)	Strengthening of dialogue and cooperation between countries of origin, transit and destination	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
i)	Improving disaggregated data on international migration (including forced migration) taking age, sex and other equity and vulnerability variables into account	1) Yes Name Resolution of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania On the implementation of the provisions of Regulation (EC) No 862/2007 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 July 2007 on Community statistics on migration and international protection and	1) Yes 2) No 2	1) Yes Describe Preparing statistical information on migration and international protection 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🖾 4 🗀

	repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 311/76 on the compilation of statistics on foreign workers (Adopted by the Government of the Republic of Lithuania 2008, October 14, Nr. 1017).			
a) Other, specify	1) Yes \[\sum \text{Name} \] 2) No \[\sum \text{}	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗀 4 🗀

4.6. Achievements in addressing issues related to international migration and development.

Among the issues related to international migration and development that are most relevant in the national context, briefly list achievements (citing reports), and comment on facilitators and barriers. List as many issues as are deemed relevant by copying this table – each table is for one (1) identified issue.

ICI	ICPD issues regarding international migration and development relevant to the national context					
a)	Name of the issue (mentioned in question 4.5 above)	Strengthening support for international activities to protect and assist refugees and displaced persons				
b)	Achievements (cite the reports)	N.d. Project just started				
c)	Facilitators*	1. Effective partnership with stakeholders at national level				
d)	Barriers*	8. Exiting economic/political environment				

^{*}See list of facilitators and barriers in the questionnaire interviewer's guide

ICI	ICPD issues regarding international migration and development relevant to the national context				
e)	Name of the issue (mentioned in question 4.5 above)	Combat trafficking and/or smuggling of migrants			
f)	Achievements (cite the reports)	http://www.vrm.lt/go.php/lit/Prekybos-zmonemis-prevencijos-ir-kontroles- programa/246 (available in Lithuanian only)			
g)	Facilitators*	1. Effective partnership with stakeholders at national level			
h)	Barriers*	8. Exiting economic/political environment			

ICI	ICPD issues regarding international migration and development relevant to the national context						
i)	Name of the issue (mentioned in question 4.5 above)	Improving disaggregated data on international migration (including forced migration) taking age, sex and other equity and vulnerability variables into account					
j)	Achievements (cite the reports)	N.d.					
k)	Facilitators*	Effective partnership with stakeholders at national level					
1)	Barriers*	8. Exiting economic/political environment					

4.7. On a scale of 1-4, indicate to what extent the following international migration priorities are addressed in the current national context

	(1)			(2)	
	International migration priorities	Level of priority (1=low; 2=somewhat lov 3=somewhat high; 4=high)			
Seno	ling countries				
a)	Address the root causes of migration and make remaining in one's country a viable option for all people.	1 🖾	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
b)	Facilitate inflows of remittances by sound economic policies and adequate banking facilities.	1 🖾	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
c)	Make provisions for voluntary repatriation and safe return of migrants, including forced migrants	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗵
d)	Facilitating exchange of information on migration policies	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 ⊠
e)	Facilitate the reintegration of migrants	1 🗆	2 🗵	3 🗆	4 🗆
f)	Creating mechanisms for promoting diaspora investments and contributions to the communities of origin	1 🖾	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
Rec	eiving countries	L			
g)	Ensure the same treatment to documented migrants and members of their family accorded to nationals with regard to basic human rights	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🛛
h)	Protect women and children who migrate as family members from abuse and denial of their human rights.	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 ⊠
i)	Work towards integration of family reunification into national legislation	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🖾	4 🗆
j)	Prevent racist and xenophobic actions and policies.	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 ⊠	4 🗆
k)	Prevent the exploitation of undocumented migrants and protect their basic human rights	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 ⊠
1)	Prevent international trafficking in migrants; and protect them against racism, ethnocentrism and xenophobia.	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 ⊠	4 🗆

m)					
	Making potential migrants aware of the legal conditions for entry, stay and employment in host countries	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 ⊠	4 🗆
n)	Facilitate the integration of migrants, including forced migrants	1 🗆	2 🗵	3 🗆	4 🗆
o)	Preventing discrimination of migrants on the basis of age, sex, race, HIV status, religion or disability	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🔀	4 🛛
All	countries				
p)	Engaging in bilateral or multilateral negotiations on, inter alia, readmission agreements that protect the basic human rights of undocumented migrants in accordance with relevant international instruments.	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🛛
q)	Strengthen support for international activities to protect and assist refugees and displaced persons.	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 ⊠	4 🗆
r)	Provide access to health services, including sexual and reproductive health services, to migrants, IDPs and Refugees.	1 🗆	2 🗆	3⊠	4 🗆
s)	Support the data gathering and monitoring of stocks and flows of migrants	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 ⊠	4 🗆
	en (10) years?				he next five
	ues regarding international migration and development	that are a	nticipated to	receive furth	
pol	ues regarding international migration and development icy priority for the next five to ten years				
pol	ues regarding international migration and development				
4.9. deverepo	ues regarding international migration and development icy priority for the next five to ten years active and focused participation in the European Union imm	n analysi n the last Internati	olicy-making positions on internations five (5) year onal Migrati	tional migra s? IF YES,	ation and cite the

the activities conducted.

with in the area of international migration and development over the past five (5) years. Cite the type of CSO, the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Name of the CSO	Type of CSO	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the CSO	Area of CSO involvement	Activitie s conducte d
a) IOM	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Youth Groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify	Migration department	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	
b) Red cross	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Youth Groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify	Migration department	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	
c) UNHCR	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Youth Groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify specify	Migration department	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	

4.11. Name up to three (3) private sector partners with whom the government has partnered with in the area of international migration and development over the past five (5) years. Cite the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name private sector partner	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the private sector		Activities conducted
a) N.d.	N.d.	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	N.d.

4.12. Name up to three (3) examples where the government has been engaged in international cooperation via the provision or receipt of financial and/or technical assistance in the area of international migration and development over the past five (5) years. List the name(s) of the donor country/government unit as well as the name of the

$recipient\ country/government\ unit,\ the\ type\ of\ international\ cooperation\ and\ the\ activities\ conducted.$

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name of country and government unit providing international cooperation	Name of the country and government unit receiving international cooperation	Type of international cooperation	Activities conducted
a) N.d.	N.d.	1) Financial 2) Technical 9) Other, specify	N.d.

SECTION 5: FAMILY, WELLBEING OF INDIVIDUALS AND SOCIETIES (CHAPTER V)

Mobile:

5.1. Does the country have a national policy, programme and/or strategy addressing the needs of the family and the wellbeing of individuals that is/are currently being drafted or

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implemented?						
1) Yes ⊠ 2) No ☐ (If no, skip to 5.3)						
5.2. If YES, provide the name, the type, status, the main institution responsible for implementing the policy, programme and/or strategy, the targeted population groups and the implementation timeframe or the year of inception/revision.						
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	
Name of policy, programme and/or strategy addressing the needs the family and the wellbeing of individuals	Туре	Status	Main responsible institution	Targeted population groups*	Implementation timeframe or year of inception/ revision	
a) National Demographic (Population) Policy Strategy	1) Policy	1)Drafted 2)Implemented 🗵	Ministry of Social Security and Labour of the Republic of Lithuania	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 11	2004-2015	
*See targeted population groups list in the questionnaire interviewer's guide 5.3. Has the country established any institutional entities to address issues regarding the needs of the family and the wellbeing of individuals? 1) Yes 2) No [(If no, skip to 5.5)] 5.4. If YES, indicate the name(s) of the institutional entity(ies) and the year of establishment.						
	(1)				(2)	

Other institutional entities addressing the needs of the family and the wellbeing of individuals	Year of establishment
a) Department for Family and Communities at the Ministry of Social Security and	2009
Labour of the republic of Lithuania	

5.5. Addressing ICPD issues regarding the needs of the family and the wellbeing of individuals in the national context during the last five (5) years.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
ICPD issues regarding the needs of the family and the wellbeing of individuals	Was this issue addressed in any existing policy/programme/strategy or through an institutional entity? If yes, in which one(s)?	Was budget allocated to this issue?	Were concrete implementation measures taken to address this issue?	In your assessment, and based on most concrete evidence at your disposal and that you may be aware of, how would you rate the overall progress of implementation of the measures adopted on a scale of 1 to 4 as follows: 1-deficient 2-behind schedule 3-on schedule 4-ahead of schedule
a) Increasing efforts to ensure health, education and welfare services function collaboratively and effectively	1) Yes ⊠ Name National Demographic (Population) Policy Strategy 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	A special order of the Minister of Social Security and labour was passed to form a special commission for family policy. The commission consists from the representatives of ministries of Social security and labour, Health, Education and key NGO's working in the area of family policy. The main task of the commission is coordination of efforts in the field of family	1 \[2 \[3 \] 4 \[\]

			policy. For detailed information please refer also to the "Social report 2010-2011" and previous years. Internet website: http://www.socm in.lt/index.php?1 322685527	
b) Facilitating compatibility between labour force participation and parental responsibilities	1) Yes ☑ Name National Demographic (Population) Policy Strategy, Operational Programme for the Development of Human Resources 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes⊠ 2) No □	2) No (Go to the next issue) 1) Yes The measures were targeted at increasing the employment of youth and helping family members balance their family and professional responsibilities. With a view to achieving this aim, services provided in preschool education establishments and active labour market policy measures were developed, and the Operational Programme for the Development of Human Resources financed from the European Social Fund was implemented. Non-formal training	1 □ 2 □ 3 ⋈4 □

			programmes were developed in order to provide assistance to parents seeking to return to the labour market after a child care leave and help young persons more actively integrate in the labour market. For detailed information please refer to the "Social report 2010- 2011" and previous years. Internet website: http://www.socm in.lt/index.php?1 322685527 2) No (Go to the next issue)	
c) Providing financial and social protection schemes to single parent families	1) Yes ☑ Name National Demographic (Population) Policy Strategy 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 🔀 2) No 🗖	1) Yes Children and families receive financial and social protection based on the income levels implementing the provisions of the Law on Cash Social Assistance for Poor Families and Single Residents of the Republic of Lithuania and other relevant legal acts. For detailed information please refer to the "Social report 2010-2011" and previous years. Internet website: http://www.socm in.lt/index.php?1	1 □ 2 □ 3 ⋈ 4 □

				322685527 2) No (Go to the next issue)	
d)	Developing the capacity to monitor the impact of policies on the wellbeing of families	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗔 4 🔲
e)	Providing effective assistance to families and the individuals within them who are affected by specific problems	1) Yes 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes 2 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗔 4 🔲
f)	Preventing children's abuse and neglect and provide assistance to children victims of abuse, neglect or abandonment, including orphans	1) Yes ⊠ Name National Programme for the Prevention of Abuse of Children and Assistance to Children 2011–2015 2) No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	I) Yes With a view to reducing the incidence of abuse of children, among children and in their families, Order No. A1-2 of the Minister of Social Security and Labour of 3 January 2011 approved the National Programme for the Prevention of Abuse of Children and Assistance to Children 2011–2015 (here in after referred to as the Programme) and the Plan of Measures for the Implementation of the Programme basically continues the implementation of the activities	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗔

g) Assisting families caring for family members with disabilities, and family members living with HIV	1) Yes ⊠Name Projects of Services for the Disabled in the Community 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	and measures of the National Programme for the Prevention of Abuse of Children and Assistance to Children 2008–2010. For detailed information please refer to the "Social report 2010-2011" and previous years. Internet website: http://www.socm in.lt/index.php?1 322685527 2) No (Go to the next issue) 1) Yes (assisting families caring for family members with disabilities) When implementing the Projects of Services for the Disabled in the Community, according to the nature of disability and problems of disabled people represented by associations, the rights of the disabled were represented, information and consultation services for disabled people were provided,	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗀
			consultation services for disabled people	

h) Ensuring good quality early childhood care and education for working families, including extended day programs 1) Yes Name Programme for the Development of Preschool and Pre-primary Education 2011–2013 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	For detailed information please refer to the "Social report 2010-2011" and previous years. Internet website: http://www.socm in.lt/index.php?1 322685527 2) No (Go to the next issue) 1) Yes Seeking to improve accessibility of pre-school education and child care services, increase the diversity of curricula and services, as well as choice of opportunities for parents, the Programme for the Development of Pre-school and Pre-primary Education 2011–2013 was approved in March 2011. The implementation of this programme should significantly contribute to the creation of a family-friendly environment and strengthening of positive parenthood. For detailed information please refer to the "Social report 2010-2011" and previous years. Internet website: http://www.socm	1 \[2 \[3 \] 4 \[\]
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			2) No [(Go to	
			the next issue)	
i) Supporting and			1) Yes 🖂	
assisting			The	
vulnerable			implementation	
families (very			of the provisions	
			of the Law on	
poor, victims of			Cash Social	
humanitarian			Assistance for	
crisis, drought,			Poor Families	
etc.)			and Single	
			Residents of the	
			Republic of	
			Lithuania	
			involves the	
			application of the	
			common scheme	
			of social	
			assistance in	
			cash on the basis	
	1) Yes ⊠ Name		of income and	
	1) Tes 🖂 Ivalie		property	
	The Law on Cash		evaluation in	
			Lithuania. The	
	Social Assistance for		disadvantaged	
	Poor Families and	_	layer of the	
	Single Residents of	1) Yes 🔀	population	
	the Republic of		receive social	1 🗌 2 🔲 3 🖾 4 🗍
	Lithuania	2) No 🗌	benefits in order	
			to ensure	
			minimum funds	
			to meet their	
	2) No [(Go to the next		basic	
	issue)		physiological	
	issue)		needs as well as	
			compensations	
			covering heating	
			and hot and cold	
			water expenses	
			(hereinafter	
			referred to as	
			compensations)	
			as partial	
			reimbursement	
			for dwelling	
			maintenance.	
			For detailed	
			information	
			please refer to	
			the "Social	
			report 2010-	
			2011" and	
			previous years.	
			Internet website:	

j) Supporting educational programmes concerning parental roles, parental skills and child development	1) Yes National Demographic (Population) Policy Strategy Name National Demographic (Population) Policy Strategy 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	http://www.socm in.lt/index.php?1 322685527 2) No (Go to the next issue) 1) Yes Seeking to create a family-friendly environment and family welfare, joint responsibility of the community and institutions for children's education was encouraged, information forming a positive attitude towards marriage and families raising children was prepared and disseminated through mass media, awareness about the changes and relevant issues of monetary support for families and social services was raised; the programme of preparing for a family and sexual education aimed at educating a mature and moral personality and preparing young people for family life was implemented; For detailed	1 \[2 \[3 \] 4 \[\]
			life was implemented;	

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2011" and
previous years.
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2) No [(Go to
the next issue)

5.6. Achievements in addressing issues related to the needs of families and the wellbeing of individuals.

Among the issues related to the needs of families and the wellbeing of individuals that are most relevant in the national context, briefly list achievements (citing reports), and comment on facilitators and barriers. List as many issues as are deemed relevant by copying this table – each table is for one (1) identified issue.

ICI	ICPD issues regarding the needs of the family and the wellbeing of individuals relevant to the national context			
a)	Name of the issue	Increasing efforts to ensure health, education and welfare services function		
	(mentioned in	collaboratively and effectively		
	question 5.5 above)			
b)	Achievements (cite	A special commission consisting of government representatives and NGO's was		
	the reports)	established		
c)	Facilitators*	1, 99 - family as a priority issue in the Government programme		
d)	Barriers*	11, 99 - administrative culture		

^{*}See list of facilitators and barriers in the questionnaire interviewer's guide

ICPD is	ssues regarding the	needs of the family and the wellbeing of individuals relevant to the national context
a)	Name of the issue (mentioned in question 5.5 above)	Facilitating compatibility between labour force participation and parental responsibilities
b)	Achievements (cite the reports)	Improvements in the Labour Code facilitating reconciliation of family and work obligations, EU funded projects on this issue. For detailed information please refer to the "Social report 2010-2011" and previous years. Internet website: http://www.socmin.lt/index.php?1322685527
c)	Facilitators*	1, 99 - family as a priority issue in the Government programme
d)	Barriers*	11, 99 - general economic enviroment
ICPD is	ssues regarding the	needs of the family and the wellbeing of individuals relevant to the national context
a)	Name of the issue (mentioned in question 5.5	Preventing children's abuse and neglect and provide assistance to children victims of abuse, neglect or abandonment, including orphans

ahova)	
above) b) Achievements	Adoption of the National Draggement for the Draggertion of Abyza of Children and
b) Achievements (cite the reports)	Adoption of the National Programme for the Prevention of Abuse of Children and Assistance to Children 2011–2015
c) Facilitators*	99 - family as a priority in the program of the Government
d) Barriers*	137 Idininy as a priority in the program of the Government
d) Barriers	
	e needs of the family and the wellbeing of individuals relevant to the national context
a) Name of the	
issue (mentioned	Ensuring good quality early childhood care and education for working families,
in question 5.5 above)	including extended day programs
b) Achievements	Programme for the Development of Pre-school and Pre-primary Education 2011–
(cite the reports)	2013 was approved in March 2011
c) Facilitators*	1, 4, 99 - family as a priority in the program of the Government
d) Barriers*	9, 11
	e needs of the family and the wellbeing of individuals relevant to the national context
a) Name of the	
issue (mentioned	Supporting and assisting vulnerable families (very poor, victims of humanitarian crisis,
in question 5.5	drought, etc.)
above)	
b) Achievements (cite the reports)	 The implementation of the provisions of the Law on Cash Social Assistance for Poor Families and Single Residents of the Republic of Lithuania, families and single permanent residents of the Republic of Lithuania who receive per capita income not higher than the amount of SSI established by the Government are entitled to a social benefit. Families or single residents are compensated for the heating of a dwelling where they have declared their place of residence. The portion of the expenses for cold water exceeding 2 per cent of the income of a family or a single resident and the portion of the expenses for hot water exceeding 5 per cent are compensated. Municipalities have the right to replace cash social assistance provided to families and single residents who fail to perform their obligations with another type of social assistance (by purchasing foodstuffs, organising free meals, providing clothing and goods, cards designed for purchasing foodstuffs, etc.), to inspect living conditions, owned property and employment, to draw up a living conditions inspection report and use it as the basis for making a decision on the entitlement of a family or a single resident to cash social assistance.
c) Facilitators*	2, 4
d) Barriers*	9, 11
ICPD issues regarding the	e needs of the family and the wellbeing of individuals relevant to the national context
a) Name of the	Supporting educational programmes concerning parental roles, parental skills and
issue (mentioned	child development

	in question 5.5	
	above)	
b)	Achievements	
	(cite the reports)	Implementation of special programs and projects aimed at increasing the number of
	•	foster families, promotion of family values
c)	Facilitators*	1,2,4
d)	Barriers*	9,11

5.7. Does the country provide special support (monetary or in kind) through social protection programmes/schemes to disadvantaged families and individuals?

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name of social protection programme/scheme	Targeted groups*	Monetary support	In kind support
a) The implementation of the provisions of the Law on Cash Social Assistance for Poor Families and Single Residents of the Republic of Lithuania, families and single permanent residents of the Republic of Lithuania who receive per capita income not higher than the amount of SSI established by the Government are entitled to a social benefit. • Families or single residents are compensated for the heating of a dwelling where they have declared their place of residence. • The portion of the expenses for cold water exceeding 2 per cent of the income of a family or a single resident and the portion of the expenses for hot water exceeding 5 per cent are compensated. • Municipalities have the right to replace cash social assistance provided to families and single residents who fail to perform their obligations with another type of social assistance (by purchasing foodstuffs, organising free meals, providing clothing and goods, cards designed for purchasing foodstuffs, etc.), to inspect living conditions, owned property and employment, to draw up a living conditions inspection report and use it as the basis for making a decision on the entitlement of a family or a single resident to cash social assistance.	99 - disadvantaged families and individuals	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □

	nformation please refer to the "Soc			
		cial report		
Internet wake	and previous years.			
ment webs	ite:			
http://www.so	ocmin.lt/index.php?1322685527			
*See targete	ed population groups list in th	he auestionnaire int	erviewer's quide	
Issues regapolicy prid a) Develo b) Collabo c) Other in materi 5.9. Has to composition cite the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the region of the reg	pority for the next five (5) to oppment of the network of chicoration between various institutes are related to better related to better related leaves, conditions) the country conducted on / structure at the national level of the port (s). At the national level of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of the port of th	vellbeing of individual ten (10) years Id care facilities itutions in ensuring conciliation of family an assessment/ ational and/or surely, cite the reportance Institute of I	situation analysis on the family, its bnational level in the last five (5) years	needs and
changes 2013). A 2) Yes [3) Yes [4) No [5.10. Nan partnered years. Cit	Annual press releases on the Annual press releases on the Annual press releases on the At the subnational level At both the national are the up to three (3) civil with in the area of the te the type of CSO, the	onsequences and family formation a led only, cite the read at the subnation will society orgate family and the name of the	nisations (CSOs) whom the govern e wellbeing of individuals over the pa government unit which partnered v	ament has ast five (5)
changes 2013). A 2) Yes [3) Yes [4) No [5.10. Nan partnered years. Cit	s, their determinants, co Annual press releases on the Annual press releases on the At the subnational level At both the national are the up to three (3) civil with in the area of the	onsequences and family formation a led only, cite the read at the subnation will society orgate family and the name of the	on the project "Fertility and family potentials for fertility increase" (2010-and dissolve	ament has ast five (5)
changes 2013). A 2) Yes [3) Yes [4) No [5.10. Nan partnered years. Cit area(s) of	Annual press releases on fannual press relea	onsequences and family formation and consequences and family formation and at the subnation will society organe family and the name of the activities condu	on the project "Fertility and family potentials for fertility increase" (2010-and dissolve	ament has ast five (5) with it, its
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changes 2013). A 2) Yes [3) Yes [4) No [5.10. Nan partnered years. Cit area(s) of	Annual press releases on fannual press relea	onsequences and family formation a el only, cite the re nd at the subnation vil society orga e family and the ne name of the activities condu (3) Name of the Government unit which	on the project "Fertility and family potentials for fertility increase" (2010-and dissolve	ament has ast five (5) with it, its (5) Activities s conducted
changes 2013). A 2) Yes [3) Yes [4) No [5.10. Nan partnered years. Cit area(s) of (1) me of the CSO	Annual press releases on fannual press relea	onsequences and family formation a el only, cite the re nd at the subnation vil society orga e family and the ne name of the activities condu (3) Name of the Government unit which partnered	on the project "Fertility and family potentials for fertility increase" (2010-and dissolve	ment has ast five (5) with it, its (5) Activities conduct d

	9) Other,	5) Monitoring and legal counsel
	specify	6) Education and training
		9) Other, specify
b) Association	1) National NGO 🛛	1) Service Delivery
of large families	2) International NGO	2)Research and Data Collection
	4) Academic/research	3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation
	centers	4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation
	9) Other,	5) Monitoring and legal counsel
	specify	6) Education and training
		9) Other, specify
c) Center for	1) National NGO 🛛	1) Service Delivery
assistance for	2) International NGO	2)Research and Data Collection
divorced	4) Academic/research	3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation
families	centers	4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation
"Bendrakeleiviai	9) Other,	5) Monitoring and legal counsel
"	specify	6) Education and training
		9) Other, specify

5.11. Name up to three (3) private sector partners with whom the government has partnered with in the area of the family and the well-being of individuals over the past five (5) years. Cite the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name priva sector partner	Name of t Government which partn with the pri sector	unit Area of invo	Activities conducted
a) UA Vie ųjų ryš par eria	š Security and L of the Republic Lithuania	abour 2)Research and Data Collection	lation good good practice
b) UA Sm t loo	ar Security and L of the Republic	abour 2)Research and Data Collection	lation good good practice

			on of family and work obligation
c) UAB ADK	Ministry of Social Security and Labour	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection	Activities
ADK	of the Republic of Lithuania	3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	promoting good practice examples in the area of reconciliati on of family and work obligation

5.12. Name up to three (3) examples where the government has been engaged in international cooperation via the provision or receipt of financial and/or technical assistance in the area of the needs of the family and wellbeing of individuals over the past five (5) years. List the name(s) of the donor country/government unit as well as the name of the recipient country/government unit, the type of international cooperation and the activities conducted.

There no examples where the government has been engaged in international cooperation via the provision or receipt of financial and/or technical assistance in the area of the needs of the family and wellbeing of individuals over the past five (5) years.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name of country and government unit	Name of the country	Type of	Activities
providing international cooperation	and government unit	international	conducted
	receiving international	cooperation	
	cooperation		
a)		1) Financial	
		2) Technical	
		9) Other, specify	
(b)		1) Financial	
		2) Technical	
		9) Other, specify	
c)		1) Financial	
		2) Technical	
		9) Other, specify	

SECTION 6: REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH (CHAPTERVII) AND HEALTH, MORBIDITY AND MORTALITY (CHAPTER VIII)

Name(s) of the primary respondent(s) and position(s): Kristina Vasiliauskaitė, Chief Specialist				
Name(s) of institution(s)/department(s): Ministry of Health of the Republic of Lithuania/Department of				
Health Care/Family Health Division				
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Fax(es): +370 5 2661402				
Interview date(s): 27 September 2012				

6.1. Does the country have a national policy, programme and/or strategy addressing sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights that is/are currently being drafted or implemented?

1) Yes	
2) No	\square (if no, skip to 6.4)

6.2. If YES, provide the name, the type, status, the main institution responsible for implementing the policy, programme and/or strategy, the targeted population groups and the implementation timeframe or the year of inception/revision.

(1) Name of policy, programme and/or strategy addressing sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights	(2) Type	(3) Status	(4) Main responsible institution	(5) Targeted population groups*	(6) Implementation timeframe or year of inception/ revision
a) National HIV/AIDS and STI Programme	1) Policy 2) Programme 3) Strategy	1)Drafted 2)Implemented 🖂	Ministry of Health, Centre for Communic able Diseases and AIDS	99 Adolescent and youth, HIV positive, prisoners and other detained person, injecting drug users, migrants, blood and organ donors, pregnant women	2010-2012

6.3. If YES, indicate whether the national policy, programme and or strategy addressing sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights include the following HIV prevention, treatment, care and support issues?

1	provention, treatment, care and support issues.					
н	HIV prevention, treatment, care and support issues					
a)	VCT within family planning	Yes No 🗌				
b)	BCC on HIV within SRH services	Yes 🛛 No 🗌				
c)	PMTCT within maternal health services	Yes No 🗌				
d)	HIV treatment for people living with HIV					
		Yes No 🗌				
e)	STI and HIV prevention services	Yes 🛛 No 🗌				

6.4. Has the country established any institutional entities to address issues regarding sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights?

1) Yes	
2) No	\boxtimes (If no, skip to 6.6)

6.5. If YES, indicate the name(s) of the institutional entity(ies).

(1)	(2)
Other institutional entities addressing sexual and reproductive health and	Year of establishment
reproductive rights	
(a)	
b)	
(c)	
(d)	
e)	

6.6. Addressing ICPD issues regarding sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights in the national context during the last five (5) years

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
ICPD issues regarding	Was this issue included in	Was budget	Were concrete	In your assessment,
sexual and	any	allocated to this	implementation	and based on most
reproductive health	policy/programme/strateg	issue?	measures taken	concrete evidence at
and reproductive	y or addressed through an		to address this	your disposal and that
rights	existing institutional		issue?	you may be aware of,
	arrangement? If yes, in			how would you rate
	which one(s)?			the overall progress of
				implementation of the
				measures adopted on a
				scale of 1 to 4 as
				follows:
				1-deficient
				2-behind schedule
				3-on schedule

					4-ahead of schedule
a)	Increasing women's accessibility to information and counselling on sexual and reproductive health	1) Yes ⊠ Name: National HIV / AIDS and STI Programme 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ☐ 2) No ⊠	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗀 4 🗀
b)	Increasing women's access to comprehensive sexual and reproductive health services, regardless of marital status and age	1) Yes □ Name 2) No ☒ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
c)	Increasing indigenous people's and cultural minorities' access to comprehensive sexual and reproductive health services, regardless of marital status and age, including access to contraception	1) Yes ☐ Name 2) No ☒ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
d)	Increasing access of persons with disability to comprehensive sexual and reproductive health services, regardless of marital status and age, including access to contraception Increasing	1) Yes ☐ Name 2) No ☒ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
	men's access to sexual and reproductive health information, counselling, and services	1) Yes ⊠ Name National HIV / AIDS and STI Programme 2) No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	Describe 2) No	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🗆 4 🗆

f) Provision of adequate food and nutrition to pregnant women (including nutrition supplementation)	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
g) Referrals to essential and comprehensive emergency obstetric care (EmOC)	1) Yes ⊠ name_Procedure of health care of pregnant women, parturients and neonates, approved by the Order of the Minister of Health in 1999 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	DescribeAll health care institutions providing obstetric and neonatology services were divided into three levels in accordance with the levels of obstetric and neonatology medical treatment, the scale of activities and quality indicators. Depending on pregnancy risk, a woman is referred to health care institution of respective level.	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
h) Access to antenatal care	1) Yes ⊠ Name Antenatal care is regulated by the Order of the Minister of Health, approved in 2006 2) No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	Describe Two additional tests were included into the list of examinations of pregnant women (screening for asymptomatic bacteriuria with urine culture and Group b streptococcus test) in 2011 2) No	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
i) Increasing access to comprehensive sexual and reproductive health services for adolescents	1) Yes ☐ Name 2) No ☒ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀

j)	Providing social protection and medical support for adolescent pregnant women	1) Yes ⊠ Name Law on Health Insurance of the Republic of Lithuania, approved in 1996 2) No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	Describe_According to the Law, women who are granted a maternity leave and unemployed women during the period of pregnancy 70 days before child birth (after 28 pregnancy weeks and further) and 56 days after child birth and persons under the age of 18 years are insured by Obligatory Health Insurance from state budget 2) No [Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
k)	Increasing access to STI/HIV prevention, treatment and care services for vulnerable population groups and populations at risk	1) Yes ⊠ Name National HIV / AIDS and STI Programme 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
1)	Increasing access to voluntary and confidential HIV testing	1) Yes ⊠ Name_National HIV / AIDS and STI Programme 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🗆 4 🗆
m)	Eliminating mother-to-child transmission of HIV and treatment for improving the life expectancy of HIV-positive mothers	1) Yes Name Law on Health Insurance of the Republic of Lithuania, approved in 1996 Order of the Minister of Health on Antenatal care, approved in 2006 Order of the Minister of Health on Prevention of mother-to-child transmission of HIV, approved in 2011 National HIV / AIDS and STI Programme	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	DescribeAll HIV- positive citizens are insured by Obligatory Health Insurance from state budget. They receive treatment and medicines free of charge. According to the Order on Antenatal care, pregnant women should be tested for HIV twice during the	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🗆 4 🗅

		2) No		pregnancy. The Order assures available and free of charge voluntary HIV testing and counselling to all pregnant women. 2) No (Go to the next issue)	
n)	Integration of SRH and HIV services	1) Yes ⊠ Name_National HIV / AIDS and STI Programme 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗀 4 🗔
0)	Breast cancer screening and treatment	1) Yes ⊠ Name Breast Cancer Prevention Programme (since 2005) 2) No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	Describe The Programme covers women from 50 to 69 years. Women are invited for checks every two years. The expenses of the checks are covered from the budget of the Compulsory Health Insurance (for women insured by Obligatory Health Insurance) 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🖾 4 🗀
p)	Prevention and management of the consequences of unsafe abortion	1) Yes □ Name 2) No ☒ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🗀 4 🗀
q)	Cervical cancer screening and treatment	1) Yes ⊠Name Cervical Cancer Prevention Programme (since 2004) 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	Describe The Programme covers women from 25 to 60 years. Women are invited for checks every three years. The expenses of the checks are covered from the budget of the Compulsory	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🖾 4 🗀

			Health Insurance (for women insured by Obligatory Health Insurance) 2) No [(Go to the next issue)	
r) Access to safe abortion services to the extent of the law	1) Yes ⊠ Name Order of the Minister of Health on Approval of the Procedure of Abortion, approved in 1994 2) No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes □ 2) No ⊠	Describe	1

6.7. Achievements in addressing issues related to sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights.

Among the issues related to sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights that are most relevant in the national context, briefly list achievements (citing reports), and comment on facilitators and barriers. List as many issues as are deemed relevant by copying this table – each table is for one (1) identified issue.

ICI	ICPD issues regarding sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights relevant to the national				
con	ntext				
a)	Name of the issue				
	(mentioned in	Breast cancer and cervical cancer screening and treatment			
	question 6.6 above)				
b)	Achievements (cite				
	the reports)				
	_	Improved cancer detection at early stages.			
c)	Facilitators*	1,2,3			
d)	Barriers*	20			

^{*}See list of facilitators and barriers in the questionnaire interviewer's guide

6.8. Considering the national context, what are the most relevant issues regarding sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights that are anticipated to receive further public policy priority for the next five (5) to ten (10) years? Cite up to five (5) issues.

Issues regarding sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights that are anticipated to receive

furth	er public policy priority for the next five (5) to ten (10) years
a)	Introduction of Human Papiloma Virus vaccine in the National Immunization Schedule
b)	Increasing participation in Cervical cancer and Breast cancer prevention programmes
c)	Approval of the Law on Assisted Reproduction;

6.9. Have the following accountability mechanisms been used to address peoples' claims on sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights?

Accountability mechanisms	Response
a) Judiciary	1) Yes 🛛 2) No 🗌
b) National Human Rights Institutions	1) Yes 🔀 2) No 🗌
c) Parliamentary commissions	1) Yes 2) No
d) Administrative mechanisms of protection	1) Yes 2) No
e) Other, specify	

6.10. If YES to 6.9, explain what issues have been dealt with and what different kinds of remedies have they provided? (if no to 6.9, skip to 6.11)

Claims on sexual and reproductive health services (commonly delivery health care services)
can be submitted to the Commission on Evaluation of the Damage Caused to the Health of
Patients operating under the Ministry of Health. The patient, disagreeing with the decision of
the Commission, has the right to apply to the court.

Human Rights Monitoring Institute initiates strategic litigation seeking for improvements in legislation intended to ensure and protect human rights (for example the Case of "L" v. Lithuania at the European Court of Human Rights).

6.11. Has the country conducted an assessment/ situation analysis on sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights at the national and/or subnational level in the last five (5) years? IF YES, cite the report(s).

1) Yes At the national level only, cite the report(s)	
2) Yes At the subnational level only, cite the report(s)	
3) Yes At both the national and at the subnational level, cite the report(s)	
4) No 🔀	

6.12. Has the country conducted an assessment of unmet needs for family planning at the national and/or subnational level in the last five (5) years? IF YES, cite the report(s).

	, <u> </u>	and/or enforced national laws respon	_
	'D priority areas related to sexu	al and reproductive health and reprod	(3)
	PD Priority area	Promulgation (2)	Enforcement
	National law protecting the right to the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health, including sexual and reproductive health	1) Yes Name_ Law on the rights of patients and compensation for the damage to their health (1996) 2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	1) Yes 2) No 🗆
	Access to safe abortion	1) Yes Name_ Order of the Minister of Health on Approval of the Procedure of Abortion (1994) 2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	1) Yes 2) No
	Non-discrimination in access to comprehensive sexual and reproductive health services, including HIV services	1) Yes Name_ Law on the rights of patients and compensation for the damage to their health (1996) 2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	1) Yes 2) No
	Protection against coercion, including forced sterilization, forced marriage, etc.	1) Yes Name_ Civil Code of the Republic of Lithuania (2000) 2) No ☐(Go the next ICPD priority area)	1) Yes 2) No
	Protecting the rights of people living with HIV	1) Yes Name Law on the rights of patients and compensation for the damage to their health (1996)	1) Yes 2) No
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į	ng offered through the primary	g sexual and reproductive health servi health care system in the public sector	r.
i	ng offered through the primary	g sexual and reproductive health servi health care system in the public sector	•
i	ng offered through the primary ervice ontraceptive Services	g sexual and reproductive health serving health care system in the public sector Responses	oonse
ei Se	ervice ontraceptive Services a. Counseling	g sexual and reproductive health serving health care system in the public sector Response 1) Y	es 🔀 2) No 🗌
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f. Access to female condoms	1) Yes 2) No 2
Maternity Care	
g. Information about maternity care, including delivery with a skilled attendant	1) Yes 2) No
h. Prenatal care	1) Yes 2) No
i. Essential obstetric care	1) Yes 2) No
j. Emergency obstetric care	1) Yes 2) No 2
(Emergency obstetric care is provided through the secondary and tertiary health care system. Primary health care system includes antenatal care of the healthy woman with an uncomplicated pregnancy.)	
k. Post-natal care including contraceptive services.	1) Yes 2) No
l. Infertility Services (including prevention, diagnosis, treatment and referral)	1) Yes 2) No
m. Safe abortion to the extent of the law	1) Yes 2) No
n. Post-abortion counseling	1) Yes 2) No
o. Post abortion care	1) Yes 2) No
Sexually Transmitted Infections	
p. Prevention	1) Yes 2) No
q. Detection/testing	1) Yes 2) No
r. Treatment and care	1) Yes 2 2) No
HIV	
s. Prevention	1) Yes 2) No
t. Voluntary counseling and testing	1) Yes 🛛 2) No 🗌
u. Treatment	1) Yes 2) No
v. Care and support	1) Yes 2) No
w. Prevention of mother-to-child transmission and treatment for improving	1) Yes 🔀 2) No 🗌
the life expectancy of HIV-positive mothers x. Contraceptives services for people living with HIV	1) Yes 🛛 2) No 🗌
Reproductive cancers: (including breast, cervical and prostate)	, , , , , , ,
y. Prevention	1) Yes 2) No
z. Detection/testing	1) Yes 2) No [
aa. Treatment and care	1) Yes 2) No 🖂
bb. HPV vaccination	1) Yes 2) No 🔀
cc. Services to detect and treat the consequences of sexual violence	1) Yes 2) No 2
Obstetric fistula services	
dd. Prevention	1) Yes 2) No 2
ee. Detection	1) Yes 2) No 2
ff. Referral for treatment	1) Yes 2) No
gg. Reintegration for women who undergo fistula repairs	1) Yes 2) No
Adolescent sexual and reproductive health, including HIV	
hh. Information and counseling	1) Yes 2) No
ii. Services (including access to contraceptives)	1) Yes 🛛 2) No 🗌
 jj. Adolescent and youth friendly comprehensive SRH services (that are confidential, private and affordable by adolescents and youth) 	1) Yes 2) No

Female Genital Mutilation/Cutting	1) Yes 2) No 🛛
kk. Prevention	1) Yes 2) No 🛛
ll. Treatment and care) Yes 2) No
mm. Other (specify)	1) Yes 2) No 2

6.16. Indicate the existence and availability of the following to address sexual and reproductive health as an integral part of primary health care system

Strategies/actions	Response
a) Standards for SRH service delivery, including maternity care, family planning and STIs/HIV	1) Yes 2) No
b) Guidelines for SRH service delivery, including maternity care, family planning and STIs/HIV	1) Yes X 2) No
c) Existence of an SRH costed package integrated into primary health care provision	1) Yes 2) No
d) Referral mechanisms for SRH services	1) Yes 2) No
e) Health information system disaggregated by age	1) Yes 2) No
f) Health information system disaggregated by sex	1) Yes 2) No
g) Health personnel trained in SRH, including midwifery skills	1) Yes 2) No
h) Health personnel trained in HIV/AIDS counselling	1) Yes 🛛 2) No 🗌
i) Health personnel trained in reproductive rights	1) Yes 2) No
j) Health personnel trained in GBV screening (including FGM/C)	1) Yes 2) No
k) Mechanisms to monitor quality of SRH service delivery	1) Yes 2) No
l) Health personnel trained in elimination of stigma and discrimination towards key populations, including young people, people living with HIV, sex workers and clients, men having sex with men, transgender people and people who use drugs	1) Yes 🔀 2) No
m) Mechanisms to guarantee participation of community-based organizations	1) Yes 🔀 2) No
n) Standards, guidelines and training for health care providers on informed contraceptive choice and provision of non-coercive services	1) Yes 🔀 2) No
o) Other, specify	

6.17. Does the national essential medicine list include the full range of sexual and reproductive health medicines defined by WHO?

There isn't any national essential medicine list in Lithuania.

1) Yes 2) No		
6.18. Are there special sexual and re	productive health pro	ogrammes and initiatives, including
those related to HIV, to reach the be	low listed groups?	
Group	Response	Type of service provided*
a) Adolescents and youth	1) Yes 2) No 🛛	Type of service provided
b) Extremely poor	1) Yes 2) No 2	
c) Indigenous people	1) Yes 2) No 2	
d) Ethnic minorities	1) Yes 2) No 2	
e) Documented migrants	1) Yes 2) No 2	
f) Undocumented migrants	1) Yes 2) No 2	
g) IDPs	1) Yes 2) No 2	
h) Refugees	1) Yes 2) No 2	
i) People living with HIV	1) Yes 2) No 🔀	
j) Key populations at higher risk of HIV	1) Yes [2) No [
k) Persons with disabilities	1) Yes 2) No 2	
1) Older persons	1) Yes 2) No 2	
m) Other, specify *See type of service provided in the questionna		
6.19. Which of the following strategic policy/programme on sexual and rep	_	
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Strategies		Response
a) Cross-subsidization		Response 1) Yes 2) No 2
a) Cross-subsidizationb) Government taxation (tobacco, alco		Response
a) Cross-subsidization		Response 1) Yes 2) No 2
a) Cross-subsidizationb) Government taxation (tobacco, alco		Response 1) Yes 2) No
 a) Cross-subsidization b) Government taxation (tobacco, alco c) Targeted pro-poor subsidies d) Social marketing 		Response 1) Yes □ 2) No □ 1) Yes □ 2) No □ 1) Yes □ 2) No □
 a) Cross-subsidization b) Government taxation (tobacco, alco c) Targeted pro-poor subsidies d) Social marketing e) Community-based services 		Response 1) Yes □ 2) No □
 a) Cross-subsidization b) Government taxation (tobacco, alco c) Targeted pro-poor subsidies d) Social marketing e) Community-based services f) Peer outreach 	ohol)	Response 1) Yes □ 2) No □
 a) Cross-subsidization b) Government taxation (tobacco, alco c) Targeted pro-poor subsidies d) Social marketing e) Community-based services f) Peer outreach g) Demand creation (e.g. conditional 	ohol)	Response 1) Yes □ 2) No □
 a) Cross-subsidization b) Government taxation (tobacco, alco c) Targeted pro-poor subsidies d) Social marketing e) Community-based services f) Peer outreach g) Demand creation (e.g. conditional h) National health insurance 	ohol)	Response 1) Yes □ 2) No □
 a) Cross-subsidization b) Government taxation (tobacco, alco c) Targeted pro-poor subsidies d) Social marketing e) Community-based services f) Peer outreach g) Demand creation (e.g. conditional h) National health insurance i) Community insurance schemes 	ohol)	Response 1) Yes 2) No
 a) Cross-subsidization b) Government taxation (tobacco, alco c) Targeted pro-poor subsidies d) Social marketing e) Community-based services f) Peer outreach g) Demand creation (e.g. conditional h) National health insurance i) Community insurance schemes j) Free services at point of care 	ohol)	Response 1) Yes □ 2) No □ 1) Yes □ 2) No □
 a) Cross-subsidization b) Government taxation (tobacco, alco c) Targeted pro-poor subsidies d) Social marketing e) Community-based services f) Peer outreach g) Demand creation (e.g. conditional h) National health insurance i) Community insurance schemes j) Free services at point of care k) Universal free care 	ohol)	Response 1) Yes
 a) Cross-subsidization b) Government taxation (tobacco, alco c) Targeted pro-poor subsidies d) Social marketing e) Community-based services f) Peer outreach g) Demand creation (e.g. conditional h) National health insurance i) Community insurance schemes j) Free services at point of care 	ohol)	Response 1) Yes □ 2) No □ 1) Yes □ 2) No □
 a) Cross-subsidization b) Government taxation (tobacco, alco c) Targeted pro-poor subsidies d) Social marketing e) Community-based services f) Peer outreach g) Demand creation (e.g. conditional h) National health insurance i) Community insurance schemes j) Free services at point of care k) Universal free care 	cash transfers)	Response 1) Yes 2) No
 a) Cross-subsidization b) Government taxation (tobacco, alcomorphisms) c) Targeted pro-poor subsidies d) Social marketing e) Community-based services f) Peer outreach g) Demand creation (e.g. conditional h) National health insurance i) Community insurance schemes j) Free services at point of care k) Universal free care l) Cross-subsidization 	cash transfers) programmes to ensuralth information and	Response
a) Cross-subsidization b) Government taxation (tobacco, alco c) Targeted pro-poor subsidies d) Social marketing e) Community-based services f) Peer outreach g) Demand creation (e.g. conditional h) National health insurance i) Community insurance schemes j) Free services at point of care k) Universal free care l) Cross-subsidization 6.20. Does the country have specific pout to sexual and reproductive heaprivacy, confidentiality and informed	cash transfers) programmes to ensuralth information and	Response

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6.21. If YES, in which of the following areas?

Area	Response
a) Contraceptives	1) Yes
b) Sexual violence/sexual exploitation	1) Yes 2) No
c) STIs, including HIV	1) Yes
d) Gender-based violence and harmful traditional practices	1) Yes
e) Respect, tolerance and non-discrimination of sexual minorities	1) Yes 2) No
f) Intimate partner violence	1) Yes
g) Safer sex	1) Yes [2) No [
h) Other, specify	

6.22. Does the country have any official legislation and/or regulation to promote ethical standards in research design in the area of sexual and reproductive health?

1) Yes X Name_	Law on Ethics of Biomedical Research	
2) No 🔲		

6.23. Is the geographic distribution of emergency obstetric care facilities adequate*?

1)	Yes	\boxtimes
2)	No	

6.24. What mechanisms does the country have in place to ensure implementation of policies and programmes to monitor maternal morbidity and mortality?

	Monitoring mechanisms	Response
a)	National health information system	1) Yes 2 2) No
b)	Direct obstetric case fatality rate monitoring	1) Yes 2) No
c)	Mandatory notification of maternal deaths	1) Yes \(\sum 2 \) No
1		
d)	Routine maternal death reports at the national level	1) Yes 🔀 2) No 🗌
	If YES, provide date of last report 2012-08-01	
e)	Routine data collection on obstetric fistula (indicators collected in	1) Yes 2) No
	national health information system)	
f)	Routine data collection on post-partum care	1) Yes 2) No [
g)	Public independent inquiries (by National Human Rights Institutions,	1) Yes 2) No [
	Parliamentary Commissions, Commissions on Women, etc)	
h)	Policy and budget monitoring surveys (PETS, QSDS, CSCs, social	1) Yes 2 No 1
	audits, etc)	

^{*} Adequate: All subnational areas have at least five emergency obstetric care facilities (including at least one comprehensive facility) for every 500 000 population

i)	National health information system	1) Yes 2 2) No

6.25. Does the national health strategy/plan include training curricula for health care workers to prevent and treat/manage obstetric fistula?

6.26. Name up to three (3) civil society organisations (CSOs) whom the government has partnered with in the area of sexual reproductive health and reproductive rights over the past five (5) years. Cite the type of CSO, the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Name of the CSO	Type of CSO	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the CSO	Area of CSO involvement	Activitie s conducte d
a) Family Planning and Sexual Health Association	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Youth Groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify	Ministry of Health of the Republic of Lithuania	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	Seminars and training of young CSO lectors on cervical cancer preventio n

6.27. Name up to three (3) private sector partners with whom the government has partnered with in the area of sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights over the past five (5) years. Cite the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

There are no private sector partners with whom the government has partnered with in the area of sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights over the past five (5) years.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name private sector partner	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the private sector	Area of involvement	Activities conducted
a)		1) Service Delivery	

	2)Research and Data Collection	
	3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation	
	4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation	
	5) Monitoring and legal counsel	
	6) Education and training	
	9) Other, specify	
b)	1) Service Delivery	
	2)Research and Data Collection	
	3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation	
	4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation	
	5) Monitoring and legal counsel	
	6) Education and training	
	9) Other, specify	
c)	1) Service Delivery	
	2)Research and Data Collection	
	3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation	
	4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation	
	5) Monitoring and legal counsel	
	6) Education and training	
	9) Other, specify	

6.28 Name up to three (3) examples where the government has been engaged in international cooperation via the provision or receipt of financial and/or technical assistance in the area of sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights over the past five (5) years. List the name(s) of the donor country/government unit as well as the name of the recipient country/government unit, the type of international cooperation and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name of country and government unit	Name of the country	Type of international	Activities
providing international cooperation	and government unit	cooperation	conducted
	receiving international		
	cooperation		
a) Switzerland The Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation	Republic of Lithuania The Ministry of Health of the Republic of Lithuania	1) Financial 2) Technical 9) Other, specify	Implementation of the Programme "Improvement of perinatal neonatal health care service in Lithuania" has just started. Planned activities: (1) Procurement of modern medical equipment and
			vehicles with special equipment for safe transportation of neonates;

		(2) Repair of health care institutions' premises; (3) Health care specialists' competence improvement; (4) Development of diagnostics and treatment guidelines and protocols in obstetrics and neonatology; (5) Development and installation of computer database of pregnant, delivering women and neonates health records.
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6.29. On a scale from 1-4, indicate the level of priority of the following ICPD issues regarding HIV in national programming

(1)			(2)	
ICPD issues regarding HIV	Level of priority 1-4 (1= low; 2=somewhat low; 3=somewhat high; 4= high)			low;
a) Protection and promotion of the human rights of individuals:				
 People living with HIV Key populations at higher risk* Adolescents and youth 	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 ⊠
4) HIV orphans 5) People with disabilities,	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 ⊠
6) Racial, religious, ethnic, linguistic or other minorities	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 ⊠	4 🗆
7) Indigenous people 8) Prisoners and other detained persons,	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
9) Migrants/ un-documented migrants / mobile populations	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
10) Refugees	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
11) Internally displaced persons	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🖾	4 🗆

		1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
		1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
		1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
b)	Voluntary and confidential HIV testing and counselling	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 ⊠	4 🗆
c)	Increase of female condom access and use	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
d)	Increase of male condom access and use	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🖾	4 🗆
e)	Elimination of mother-to-child transmission of HIV and improving the life expectancy of HIV-positive women	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🛛
f)	Provision of antiretroviral therapy for adults	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 ⊠
g)	Provision of antiretroviral therapy for children in paediatric formulation	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🖂
h)	HIV prevention services, primary healthcare services and other health services, provide non-judgemental, non-stigmatizing and relevant services for people living with HIV, key populations at higher risk and young people	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 ⊠
i)	Provision of services for the comprehensive management of sexually transmitted infections (STIs)	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 ⊠
j)	Access to user-friendly prevention, treatment, care and support services for key populations at higher risk	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 ⊠	4 🗆
k)	Management of TB/HIV co-infection	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 ⊠
1)	Outreach to key populations at higher risk	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
m)	Support community-led organizations of key populations at higher risk of HIV, young people, people living with HIV and people affected by HIV are partners in HIV programming	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 ⊠	4 🗆
n)	Prevention of stigma and discrimination towards people living with HIV and people affected by HIV through awareness raising	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 ⊠

^{*}categories to include; : sex workers and clients, men who have sex with men, transgender people and injecting drug users.

6.30. Name up to three civil society organisations (CSOs) whom the government has partnered with in the area of HIV over the past five (5) years. Cite the type of CSO, the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
		Name of the		
Name	Type of CSO	Government	Area of CSO involvement	Activities
of the		unit which		conducted
CSO		partnered		

		with the CSO		
		CSO		
a) "Posit ive life"	1) National NGO	Ministry of Health	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 7) Design, planning, implementation and monitoring of HIV programmes 9) Other specify	
b) "Can Live"	1) National NGO	Ministry of Health	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 7) Design, planning, implementation and monitoring of HIV programmes 9) Other specify	
c)	1) National NGO		1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 7) Design, planning, implementation and monitoring of HIV programmes 9) Other specify	

6.31. Name up to three (3) private sector partners with whom the government has partnered with in the area of HIV over the past five (5) years. Cite the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

There are no private sector partners with whom the government has partnered with in the area of HIV over the past five (5) years.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name private sector partner	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the private sector	Area of involvement	Activities conducted

a)	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training
	9) Other, specify
b)	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify
c)	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify

6.32. Which of the following areas on health, morbidity and mortality are considered priorities in the country's national health policy framework or strategy?

(1)	(2)	(3)
Area	Response	Targeted group(s)*
a) Prevention of maternal mortality	1) Yes 2) No (go to next issue)	
b) Prevention of maternal morbidity	1) Yes 2 2) No (go to next issue)	
c) STIs	1) Yes 2 2) No (go to next issue)	
d) HIV	1) Yes 2 2) No (go to next issue)	
e) Prevention/elimination of gender-based	1) Yes	
violence	2) No [(go to next issue)	
f) Child mortality	1) Yes \(\sum_2 \) No \(\sum_2 \) (go to next issue)	
g) Immunization	1) Yes 2) No (go to next issue)	
h) Malaria	1) Yes 2 2) No (go to next issue)	
i) Tuberculosis	1) Yes 2 2) No (go to next issue)	
j) Communicable diseases	1) Yes 2 2) No (go to next issue)	

k) Non-communicable diseases	1) Yes 🔀
	2) No (go to next issue)
l) Neglected tropical diseases	1) Yes
	2) No [(go to next issue)
m) Nutrition	1) Yes
	2) No 🔀 (go to next issue)
n) Obesity	1) Yes
	2) No 🔀 (go to next issue)
o) Mental health	1) Yes 🔀
	2) No [(go to next issue)
p) Other, specify	1) Yes

^{*}See targeted population groups list in the questionnaire interviewer's guide

SECTION 7: GENDER EQUALITY, EQUITY AND EMPOWERMENT OF WOMEN (CHAPTER IV)

Name(s) of the primary respondent(s) and position(s): Lina Pivoraitė				
Name(s) of institution(s)/department(s): Ministry of Social Security and Labour Equality between women				
and men division				
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Fax(es):				
Interview date(s): 2012/10/02				

7.1. Does the country have a national policy, programme and/or strategy addressing gender equality and empowerment of women that are currently being implemented?

1) Yes	
2) No	\square (if no, skip to 7.3)

7.2. If YES, provide the name, the type, status, the main institution responsible for implementing the policy, programme and/or strategy, the targeted population groups and the implementation timeframe or the year of inception/revision.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Name of policy, programme	Type	Status	Main	Targeted	Implementation
and/or strategy addressing			responsible	population	timeframe or
gender equality and			institution	groups*	year of
empowerment of women					inception/
National Decreases English	1) D-1:	1)D4	T1	00 11/	revision
a) National Programme on Equal	1) Policy 2)Programme \(\sum \)	1)Drafted	Implementa tion - All	99-Women	a) National
Opportunities for Women and Men 2010-2014	3) Strategy	2)Implemented 🔼		and men,	Programme on
Men 2010-2014	3) Strategy		ministries Coordinatio	NGO, Social	Equal Opportunities for
			n –	Partners,	Women and Men
			Interinstitut	scientists,	2010-2014
			ional	specialists	2010-2014
			Commissio	in the	
			n on Equal;	number of	
			Opportuniti	different	
			es for	fields,	
			women and	entire	
			men	society	
a) National Programme on Equal	1) Policy	1)Drafted	Implementa	99-Women	a) National
Opportunities for Women and	2)Programme	2)Implemented	tion - All	and men,	Programme on
Men 2010-2014	3) Strategy		ministries	NGO,	Equal
			Coordinatio	Social	Opportunities for
			n –	Partners,	Women and Men
			Interinstitut	scientists,	2010-2014
			ional	specialists	
			Commissio	in the	
			n on Equal;	number of	
			Opportuniti	different	
			es for	fields,	

	women and	entire	
	men	society	

^{*}See targeted population groups list in the questionnaire interviewer's guide

7.3. Has the country established any institutional entities to address issues regarding gender equality and empowerment of women?

Yes ⊠
 No ☐ (if no, skip to 7.5)

7.4. If YES, indicate the name(s) of the institutional entity(ies).

(1)	(2)
Other institutional entities addressing gender equality and empowerment of women	Year of establishment
a) Ministry of Social Security and Labour:	Since 1999
It's Gender Equality division	2007-2010
It's Equality between women and men division	2012
b) The Office of Equal Opportunities Ombudsperson	1999

7.5. Addressing ICPD issues regarding gender equality and empowerment of women in the national context during the last five (5) years

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
ICPD issues regarding gender equality and empowerment of women	Was this issue included in any policy/programme /strategy or addressed through an existing institutional arrangement? If yes, in which one(s)?	Was budget allocated to this issue?	Were concrete implementation measures taken to address this issue?	In your assessment, and based on most concrete evidence at your disposal and that you may be aware of, how would you rate the overall progress of implementation of the measures adopted on a scale of 1 to 4 as follows: 1-deficient 2-behind schedule 3-on schedule 4-ahead of schedule
a) Increasing women's participation in the formal and informal economy	1)Yes Name See 7.2 a) 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1)Yes X 2) No	1)Yes \(\subseteq \) Describe 2) No \(\subseteq \) (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗔
b) Increasing women's representation in political	1)Yes Name	1)Yes 🔀	1)Yes ⊠	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖂 4 🗔

processes and public life	See 7.2 a)	2) No 🗌	Describe	
	2) No [(Go to the next issue)		2) No [(Go to the next issue)	
a) Ending gender based violence	1)Yes ⊠ Name National Strategy for the elimination of Violence against Women 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes The law on protection against domestic violence was passed by the Parliament of the Republic of Lithuania in May 2011. http://www3.lrs.l t/pls/inter3/dokp aieska.susije_l?p_id=400334&p_r ys_id=14 Currently a set of new special programs and legal acts are prepared and implemented as a consequence of the approval of this law 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 _ 2 _ 3 _ 4 _
d) Improving the collection, analysis, dissemination and use of sex and age disaggregated data	1)Yes Name See 7.2 a) 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes \(\sum \) 2) No \(\sum \)	1)Yes \(\subseteq \) Describe 2) No \(\subseteq \) (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖂 4 🗍
e) Collection and analysis of data on the social and economic staus of women	1) Yes Name See 7.2 a) 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1)Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1)Yes \(\subseteq \) Describe 2) No \(\subseteq \) (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗔

f) Ending child marriage/forced	1) V. 🗆 V		1) Yes 🗌	
marriage	1) Yes Name	_	Describe	
		1) Yes 🗌		1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗀 4 🗀
	2) N. 🗖 (C.) 4	2) No 🔲		
	2) No (Go to the next issue)	, –	2) No [(Go to the	
	nem issue)		next issue)	
			1) 1/2	
g) Preventing trafficking and smuggling in persons,	1) Yes \[\] Name		1) Yes \square	
particularly girls and women	,	1) Yes 🔲	Describe	
7.8		1) 163 🗖		1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🔲 4 🔲
	2) No [(Go to the	2) No 🗌		
	next issue)		2) No [(Go to the	
			next issue)	
h) Improving the welfare of the			1) Yes	
girl child, especially with regards	1) Yes Name		Describe	
to health, nutrition and education		1) Yes 🗌	Describe	
	_	2) No 🗆		1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🗀 4 🗀
	2) No 🛛 (Go to the next issue)	2)110 🗀	2) No [(Go to the	
	Heat issue)		next issue)	
i) Improving the situation of and	1) Yes X Name See 7.2		1)Yes 🖂	
addressing the needs of rural women	a) Name See 7.2	1) V 🔽	Describe	
Women		1) Yes 🛚		1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🖂
		2) No 🔲		
	2) No [(Go to the		2) No (Go to the next issue)	
	next issue)		next issue)	
j) Engaging men and boys to	1)Yes ⊠ Name See 7.2		1)Yes 🛛	
promote male participation, equal	a)	_	Describe	
sharing of responsibilities such as		1)Yes 🛛		1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗀
care work		2) No 🔲		
	2) No [Go to the		2) No [Go to the	
	next issue)		next issue)	
k) Ending Female Genital	_		1) Yes 🗌	
Mutilation/Cutting	1) Yes Name		Describe	
		1) Yes 🗌	Describe	10202040
	0 V	2) No 🔲		1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗀 4 🗀
	2) No (Go to the next issue)		2) No [] (Go to the	
	next issue)		next issue)	
D 0.1	1) Yes Name See 7.2			
l) Other, specify	a) Name See 7.2		1) Yes 🗌	
	,	1) Yes 🔲	Describe	
				1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🗔 4 🗔
	2) No 🗌	2) No 🗆		
			2) No 🗆	

7.6. Achievements in addressing issues related to gender equality and empowerment of women.

Among the issues related to gender equality and empowerment of women that are most relevant in the national context, briefly list achievements (citing reports), and comment on facilitators and barriers. List as many issues as are deemed relevant by copying this table – each table is for one (1) identified issue.

ICI	ICPD issues regarding gender equality and empowerment of women relevant to the national context						
a)	Name of the issue (mentioned in question 7.5 above)	The National Programme on Equal Opportunities for Women and Men 2010-2014 seeks to address problems in relation to equal opportunities of women and men in the following areas of priority: employment, education and science, health-care, environmental protection, national defence, decision-making, and implementation of EU and international commitments for gender equality. A special section in the Programme is dedicated to the development of mechanisms and methods of implementation of equal opportunities for women and men with a view to ensuring better management and efficiency. Ending gender based violence. The law on protection against domestic violence was passed by the Parliament of the Republic of Lithuania in May 2011. http://www3.lrs.lt/pls/inter3/dokpaieska.susije_1?p_id=400334&p_rys_id=14 Currently a set of new special programs and legal acts are prepared and implemented as a consequence of the approval of this law.					
b)	Achievements (cite the reports)	Fifth Report on the Implementation in the Republic of Lithuania of the United Nations Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women http://www2.ohchr.org/english/bodies/cedaw/cedaws_future.htm Report of National Programme on Equal Opportunities for Women and Men 2010-2014 the implementation of measures in 2010 Report of National Programme on Equal Opportunities for Women and Men 2005-2009 the implementation of measures in 2008 Report of National Programme on Equal Opportunities for Women and Men 2005-2009 the implementation of measures in 2007 Report of National Programme on Equal Opportunities for Women and Men 2005-2009 the implementation of measures in 2006 Report of National Programme on Equal Opportunities for Women and Men 2005-2009 the implementation of measures 2005 http://www.socmin.lt/index.php?-543313708					
c)	Facilitators*	1,2,4					
d)	Barriers*	99 – lack of human resources					

^{*}See list of facilitators and barriers in the questionnaire interviewer's guide

7.7. Considering the national context, what are the most relevant issues regarding gender
equality and empowerment of women that are anticipated to receive further public policy
priority for the next five to ten years? Cite up to five issues.

Issues regarding gender equality and empowerment of women relevant to the national context that should be the focus for the next five to ten years			
a)	All issues of gender equality related to employment and the labour market		
b)	Balanced participation in decision making		
c)	Gender equality in the EU and international cooperation		
d)	Gender pay gap		
e)	Promotion of women's entrepreneurship		

7.8. What monitoring mechanisms are in place in the country to ensure the implementation of policies and programmes promoting gender equality and empowerment of women and addressing gender based violence?

(1)	(2)
Mechanisms	Gender equality and empowerment of women (including gender-based violence)
a) National commissions on women	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □
National commission on equal opportunities for women and men	
b) National human rights institutions	1) Yes 2) No 2
c) Parliamentary commissions	1) Yes 2) No 2
d) Social accountability mechanisms and/or administrative mechanisms	1) Yes 2) No 2
e) Gender statistics dissemination and publications/gender statistics	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □
integrated into management information systems	
f) Conducting periodic population-based surveys	1) Yes 2) No 2
g) Other mechanisms, specify	1) Yes 🛛 2) No 🗌
The Office of Equal Opportunities Ombudsperson	

7.9. Has the country conducted an assessment/situation analysis on gender equality and empowerment of women at the national and/or subnational level in the last five (5) years? IF YES, cite the report(s).

1) Yes \(At the national level only, cite the report(s) Women and men in Lithuania society-2009.
Women and Men situation changes in all areas extend analysis and evaluation
http://www.socmin.lt/index.php?1606775163
2) Yes At the subnational level only, cite the report(s)
3) Yes At both the national and at the subnational level, cite the report(s)
4) No

7.10. Has the country promulgated and/or enforced national laws responding to the following ICPD priority areas related to gender equality and the empowerment of women?

(1)	(2)	(3)
ICPD Priority area	Promulgation	Enforceme
		nt

a)	Women's	1) Yes Name	1) Yes 2)
	property rights,	2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	No 🗌
	including right to		
	own, buy, and		
	sell properties or		
	other assets		
	equally with men		
b)	Access to	1) Yes Name	1) Yes 2)
	financial	2) No [(Go the next ICPD priority area)	No 🗌
	services,		
	including credit		
	and negotiation		
	of contracts in		
	woman's own		
	name		
c)	Legal equal	1) Yes Name Civil Code (states equal rights, they do not differ	1) Yes \(\subseteq 2)
	rights for women	between men and women)	No 🗌
-	to inheritance	2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	. 5
d)	Protection of	1) Yes Name Civil Code (states equal rights, they do not differ	1) Yes \(\sum 2)
	women's	between men and women)	No 📙
	property through	2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	
	harmonized laws		
	on marriage,		
	divorce, succession and		
	inheritance		
e)	Provision against	1) Yes ⊠ Name: Labour code, Law on equal opportunities between	1) V 🔽 (1)
()	gender	men and women.	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □
	discrimination at	2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	NO 🗀
	work (in hiring,	2) 110 (Go the lext let b priority theu)	
	wages, benefits,		
	etc.)		
f)	Provision against	1) Yes Name Criminal Code (Art. 152)	1) Yes 🛛 2)
,	sexual	2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	No \square
	harassment		
g)	Measures against	1) Yes Name Criminal Code (Art. 147, equal for women and girls)	1) Yes 🔀 2)
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	trafficking and	2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	No 🗌
	smuggling of		
	persons,		
	particularly		
	women and girls		
h)	Provision for	1) Yes Name	1) Yes 2)
	paid maternity	2) No [(Go the next ICPD priority area)	No 🗌
	leave		
i)	Provision for	1) Yes Name	1) Yes [2)
	paid paternity	2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	No 🗌
	leave		
j)	Criminalization	1) Yes Name Criminal Code (Art. 149-153)	1) Yes \(\subseteq 2)
	of rape and other	2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	No 🗌
	forms of sexual		
1 \	exploitation	1) W N	1) ** -
k)	Criminalization	1) Yes Name	1) Yes [2)
1\	of marital rape	2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	No 🗌
1)	Criminalization	1) Yes Name The law on protection against domestic violence was	1) Yes \(\sum 2)
l	of intimate	passed by the Parliament of the Republic of Lithuania in May 2011.	No 🗌

	partner violence	http://www3.lrs.lt/pls/inter3/dokpaieska.susije_1?p_id=400334&p_rys	
		_id=14 Currently a set of new special programs and legal acts are prepared	
		and implemented as a consequence of the approval of this	
		law	
		2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	
m)	Ensuring men's	1) Yes Name	1) Yes [2)
111)	financial support	2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	No 🗌
	to their children	, and the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second of the second	110
n)	Provision	1) Yes Name Civil Code (Art. 3.14, age equal for males and	1) Yes [2)
ĺ	regarding	females)	No 🗆
	minimum legal	2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	
	age at marriage		
	for females of		
	less than 18		
o)	Criminalization	1) Yes Name Criminal Code (Art. 149-151(1), 153)	1) Yes 2)
	of sexual	2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	No 🗌
	exploitation of		
	young people,		
	particularly girls	1) X M X (1) 1 (1) (1) (1)	. –
p)	Preventing the	1) Yes Name Criminal Code (Ar. 162)	1) Yes [2)
	use of children in	2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	No 🗌
	pornography Protecting the	1) Vas Nama	1) 17
q)	girl child against	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	1) Yes [2)
	harmful	2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	No 🗌
	practices,		
	including FGM/C		
r)	Day-care centres	1) Yes Name	1) Yes [2)
1)	/facilities for	2) No (Go the next ICPD priority area)	No \square
	breast-feeding	= y = v = (e v = v = v = v = e v = v = v = v = v =	110
	mothers (public		
	sector)		
s)	Day-care centres	1) Yes Name	1) Yes [2)
	/facilities breast-	2) No [(Go the next ICPD priority area)	No 🗌
	feeding mothers		
	(private sector)		
t)	Discourage	1) Yes Name	1) Yes 2)
	polygamy	2) No	No 🗌

7.11. On a scale of 1-4, indicate to what extent the following priorities on gender equality and empowerment of women are addressed in the current national context

(1)	(2)			
Priorities on gender equality and empowerment of women	Level of priority (1=low; 2=somewhat low 3=somewhat high; 4=high)			
a) Increasing women's access to banking and credit	1 🖂	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
b) Institutionalizing gender responsive budgeting	1 🗆	2 🗵	3 🗆	4 🗆

c) Eliminating discrimination against working women, including pregnant working women	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🛛
d) Increasing provisions to enable both spouses to take family leave	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 ⊠
e) Promoting equal access and control over household resources	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
f) Increasing participation of men and boys in promoting gender equality and empowerment of women (including prevention of GBV and FGM/C)	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
g) Promoting policies to encourage involved fatherhood including for care work	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
h) Addressing skewed sex ratios	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆
 Promoting grass roots and community-based participation in the implementation of policies/programmes on gender equality 	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 ⊠
j) Informing communities about the consequences of child marriage and early childbearing	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆

7.12. Name up to three civil society organisations (CSOs) whom the government has partnered with in the area of gender equality and empowerment of women over the past five (5) years. Cite the type of CSO, the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Name of the CSO	Type of CSO	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the CSO	Area of CSO involvement	Activitie s conducte d
a) Women's	1) National NGO 🗵	-	1) Service Delivery	-
issues	2) International NGO		2)Research and Data Collection	
informatikon	3) Women's Groups		3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation	
centre	4) Academic/research		4)Awareness Raising and social mobilisation	
	centers		5) Monitoring and legal counsel	
	9) Other,		6) Education and training	
	specify		9) Other, specify	
b) Social	1) National NGO 🖂	-	1) Service Delivery	-
innovation Fund	2) International NGO		2)Research and Data Collection	
(SIF)	3) Women's Groups		3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation	
	4) Academic/research		4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation	
	centers		5) Monitoring and legal counsel	
	9) Other,		6) Education and training	
	specify		9) Other, specify	
c) Kauno	1) National NGO 🖂	=	1) Service Delivery	-
Women's	2) International NGO		2)Research and Data Collection	
employment	3) Women's Groups		3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation	
issues	4) Academic/research		4)Awareness Raising and social mobilisation	
informatikon	centers		5) Monitoring and legal counsel	
centre	9) Other,		6) Education and training	
	specify		9) Other, specify	

7.13. Name up to three (3) private sector partners with whom the government has partnered with in the area of gender equality and the empowerment of women over the past five (5) years. Cite the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name private sector partner	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the private sector	Area of involvement	Activities conducted
a) Lithuanian	-	1) Service Delivery	-
Labour		2)Research and Data Collection	
Federation		3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation	
Women		4)Awareness Raising and social mobilisation	
Committee		5) Monitoring and legal counsel	
		6) Education and training	
		9) Other, specify	
b) Lithuanian	=	1) Service Delivery	-
Trade Union		2)Research and Data Collection	
Confederation		3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation	
(LPSK)		4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation	
Women's		5) Monitoring and legal counsel	
Centre		6) Education and training	
		9) Other, specify	
c) Lithuanian	-	1) Service Delivery	-
Women's		2)Research and Data Collection	
Trade Union		3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation	
"Solidarity"		4)Awareness Raising and social mobilisation	
		5) Monitoring and legal counsel	
		6) Education and training	
		9) Other, specify	

7.14. Name up to three (3) examples where the government has been engaged in international cooperation via the provision or receipt of financial and/or technical assistance in the area of gender equality and empowerment of women over the past five (5) years. List the name(s) of the donor country/government unit as well as the name of the recipient country/government unit, the type of international cooperation and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name of country and government unit providing international cooperation	Name of the country and government unit receiving international cooperation	Type of international cooperation	Activities conducted

a) Gender mainstreaming of Lithuanian chairmanship to OECE programme	-	1) Financial ☐ 2) Technical ☐ ☐ 9) Other, specify ☐	-
b) Establishment of Gender Equality working group in framework in Lithuanian chairmanship permanent working group	-	1) Financial	-
c) Gender Equality activities in the framework on ENBT	-	1) Financial 2) Technical 9) Other, specify	-

SECTION 8: POPULATION, DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATION (CHAPTER XI)

Name(s) of the primary respondent(s) a	and position(s):
Name(s) of institution(s)/department(s)	: Ministry of Education and Science of the Republic of Lithuania
E-mail address(es):	
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Fax(es): +370 5 2 61 20 77	
Interview date(s):	

8.1. Does the country have a national policy, programme and/or strategy addressing education issues that is/are currently being drafted or implemented?

1) Yes	\boxtimes	
2) No	[] (if no, skip to	o 8.3)

8.2. If YES, provide the name, the type, status, the main institution responsible for implementing the policy, programme and/or strategy, the targeted population groups and the implementation timeframe or the year of inception/revision.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Name of policy, programme	Туре	Status	Main	Targeted	Implementation timeframe or
and/or strategy addressing education			responsible institution	population groups*	year of
cudention				groups	inception/
					revision
a) National Education Strategy	1) Policy	1)Drafted	Ministry of	1, 2, 3, 4, 5,	2003-2012
2003-2012	2) Programme	2)Implemented 🛛	Education	6, 7, 8, 9,	Approved by the
	3) Strategy		and Science	10, 11, 12,	Parliament of the
			of the	13, 14, 15,	Republic of
			Republic of	16.	Lithuania on 4
			Lithuania		July 2003
b) National Education Strategy	1) Policy	1)Drafted	Ministry of	1, 2, 3, 4, 5,	2013-2022
2013-2022	2) Programme	2)Implemented	Education	6, 7, 8, 9,	
	3) Strategy		and Science	10, 11, 12,	
			of the	13, 14, 15,	
			Republic of	16.	
			Lithuania		
c) Law on Education	1) Policy	1)Drafted		1, 2, 3, 4, 5,	17 March 2011
	2) Programme	2)Implemented ⊠		6, 7, 8, 9,	
	3) Strategy			10, 11, 12,	
				13, 14, 15,	
				16.	

^{*}See targeted population groups list in the questionnaire interviewer's guide

8.3. Has the country established any institutional entities to address issues regarding education?

1) Yes 🖂

2) No		(if no,	skip	to 8.5)
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8.4. If YES, indicate the name(s) of the institutional entity(ies).

(1)	(2)
Other institutional entities addressing education	Year of establishment
a) Ministry of Education and Science	1990
b) Committee on Education, Science and Culture of the Parliament of the Republic of	1990
Lithuania	
c) Lithuanian Education Council	1991
d) General Education Council	2003
e) Lithuanian Vocational Training Council	2003

8.5. Addressing ICPD issues regarding education in the national context during the last five (5) years

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
ICPD issues regarding education	Was this issue included in any policy/programme/ strategy or addressed through an existing institutional arrangement? If yes, in which one(s)?	Was budget allocated to this issue?	Were concrete implementation measures taken to address this issue?	In your assessment, and based on most concrete evidence at your disposal and that you may be aware of, how would you rate the overall progress of implementation of the measures adopted on a scale of 1 to 4 as follows: 1-deficient 2-behind schedule 3-on schedule 4-ahead of schedule
Keeping more girls and adolescents in secondary schools	1) Yes Name Law on Education 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes \(\sum_{\text{Describe}} \) Describe 2) No \(\sum_{\text{(Go to the next issue)}} \)	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🖾 4 🗆
b) Ensuring equal access of girls to education at all levels (primary, secondary and tertiary)	1) Yes Name Law on Education 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes \(\sum_{\text{Describe}} \) Describe 2) No \(\sum_{\text{(Go to the next issue)}} \)	1 □ 2 □ 3 ⊠ 4 □
c) Improving educational infrastructure, such as separate toilet facilities and adequate transportation	1) Yes Name Law on Education 2) No (Go to the next	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes \(\sum_{\text{loop}} \) Describe The World Bank's project - Education Improvement Project	1 □ 2 □ 3 ⊠ 4 □

	issue)		2002-2006	
			2) No (Go to the	
			next issue)	
d) Facilitating school	1) Yes Name_		1) Yes 🛛	
completion for pregnant	Law on Education		Describe	
girls	Law on Education	1) Yes 🛛	Describe	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🔯 4 🗔
		2) No 🔲		
	2) No [] (Go to the next		2) No Go to the	
	issue)		next issue)	
-> T			1) Yes 🛛	
e) Improving the safety of pupils, especially girls,			1) 163 🖂	
in and on their way to	DV M		Describe	
school	1) Yes 🛛 Name		Yellow school bus	
	Law on Education	1) Yes 🛛	programme 2009-2012;	
			Yellow school bus	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗔
		2) No 🗌	programme 2013-2017	
	2) No Go to the next			
	issue)			
			2) No [(Go to the	
			next issue)	
f) Revising the contents of	1) Yes 🛛 Name		1) Yes 🛛	
curricula to make them	General Curriculum		Describe	
more gender-sensitive		1) Yes 🛛	Describe	1 🗆 2 🗆 2 🖂 4 🗆
		2) No 🔲		1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗔
	2) No [Go to the next	_	2) No [(Go to the	
	issue)		next issue)	
a) Davising the contents of			1) Yes 🛛	
g) Revising the contents of curricula to incorporate	1) Yes 🛛 Name		1) 1es 🖂	
population issues,	0 10 11	1) Yes 🛛	Describe	
where appropriate	General Curriculum	0 N - 🗖		1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗔
	2) No [(Go to the next	2) No 🗌		
	issue)		2) No (Go to the next issue)	
h) Promoting non-formal	1) Yes Name		1) Yes 🛛	
opportunities for education and literacy			Describe	
oddeadon and nicracy	Laman Ed.	1) 37 🔽		
	Law on Education	1) Yes 🛛	Special projects financed by the	1 🗆 2 🗔 3 🖾 4 🗔
	Concept of Non-formal	2) No 🔲	European Structural	
	Education		Funds (ESF)	
	2) No [(Go to the next		2) No [(Go to the	
	2) INO [(GO tO the next		∠) NO □ (GO tO the	1

	issue)		next issue)	
i) Providing training and employment opportunities to out-of-school girls and illiterate adults	1) Yes Name Programme of inclusion of drop-outs Life Long Learning Strategy 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Describe Special projects financed by the European Structural Funds (ESF) 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🖾 4 🗀
j) Promoting age- appropriate sexuality education and counselling in schools	1) Yes Name General Curriculum Preparation for Family Life and Sexuality Education Programme General Health Education Programme 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗀 3 🖾 4 🗀
k) Incorporating population and SRH information into the teachers' training curricula	1) Yes Name General Curriculum Preparation for Family Life and Sexuality Education Programme General Health Education Programme General Human Safety Programme 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Describe Special projects drafted for funding by the European Structural Funds (ESF) 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 □ 2 □ 3 ⊠ 4 □
Conducting information campaigns on population issues in the context of a national population policy	1) Yes Name 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 2) No	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1 🗆 2 🗆 3 🗀 4 🗀
m) Addressing gender- based violence and bullying in schools	1) Yes ⊠ Name Law on	1) Yes Name Law on	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes 🖂 Describe

	Education General Curriculum Specialised programmes implemented by schools, eg., Zippy's Friends; Olweus Bullying Prevention Programme; Second Step Programme etc. 2) No (Go to the next issue)	Education General Curriculum Specialised programmes implemented by schools, eg., Zippy's Friends; Olweus Bullying Prevention Programme; Second Step Programme etc. 2) No (Go to the next issue)		Various awareness raising campaigns and events addressing these issues; Teachers' pre-service and inservice training; Publications 2) No (Go to the next issue)
n) Incorporating comprehensive sexuality education into young people's formal education	1) Yes ⊠ Name General Curriculum Preparation for Family Life and Sexuality Education Programme General Health Education Programme General Human Safety Programme 2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes Name General Curriculum Preparation for Family Life and Sexuality Education Programme General Health Education Programme General Human Safety Programme	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)
		2) No [(Go to the next issue)		
o) Incorporating life planning skills into young people's formal education	1) Yes ⊠ Name General Curriculum Preparation for Family Life and Sexuality Education Programme General Health Education Programme General Human Safety	1) Yes Name General Curriculum Preparation for Family Life and Sexuality Education Programme General Health Education	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)

	Programme	Programme		
	2) No ☐ (Go to the next issue)	General Human Safety Programme 2) No (Go to the next issue)		
p) Incorporating sexual and reproductive health and life planning skills into non-formal education and vocational training for young people	1) Yes ⊠ Name Concept of Non- formal Education General Curriculum Preparation for Family Life and Sexuality Education Programme General Health Education Programme General Human Safety Programme 2) No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes \Box Name Concept of Nonformal Education General Curriculum Preparation for Family Life and Sexuality Education Programme General Health Education Programme General Human Safety Programme 2) No \Box (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes ⊠ 2) No □	1) Yes Describe 2) No (Go to the next issue)
q) Reaching out-of-school youth with SRH information and services	1) Yes ⊠ Name Programme of inclusion of dropouts 2) No □ (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes Name Programme of inclusion of dropouts 2) No (Go to the next issue)	1) Yes 🖂 2) No 🗆	1) Yes Describe Describe Out-of-school activities in this area done by governmental and non-governmental organisations 2) No (Go to the next issue)

8.6. Achievements in addressing issues related to education.

Among the issues related to education that are most relevant in the national context, briefly list achievements (citing reports), and comment on facilitators and barriers. List as many issues as are deemed relevant by copying this table – each table is for one (1) identified issue.

ICPD issues regarding	education relevant to the national context
a) Name of the issue (mentioned in question 8.5 above	In improving the Lithuanian educational system, considerable attention is paid to the non-formal education. After classes, pupils can choose various leisure activities provided in schools free of charge or attend separate sports, music, fine arts, art, aviation, and choreography schools, and children's clubs. The latter activities are partially paid; professional artists, sportsmen, and teachers work with children.
b) Achievements (cite the reports)	
c) Facilitators*	1, 2, 3.
d) Barriers*	 99 - Limited funds; Great demand to adapt school infrastructure to the needs of non-formal education activities; Lack of competences and qualifications of service providers of non-formal education establishments.
-	further public policy priority for the next five (5) to ten (10) years? Cite up
ive (5) issues.	ation that are anticipated to receive further public policy priority for the next five (5) to
ive (5) issues. Issues regarding educten (10) years	ntion that are anticipated to receive further public policy priority for the next five (5) to
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8.11. Name up to three (3) civil society organisations (CSOs) whom the government has partnered with in the area of education over the past five (5) years. Cite the type of CSO, the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Name of the CSO	Type of CSO	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the CSO	Area of CSO involvement	Activities conducted
a) Lithuanian School Student Union	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Youth Groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify It is a voluntary, non-profit association, uniting Lithuanian school student's councils.	Ministry of Education and Science – Non- Formal Education and Education Support Division	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	Represents school students by forming Education and Youth policies, educating school students with urgent issues, joining them in common activities by cooperating with governmental and nongovernmental institutions, creating a perfect community for schools and their students.
b) Lithuanian School Student Parliament	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Youth Groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify This School Students organisation defends the Lithuanian students' opinion, rights and interests	Ministry of Education and Science – Non- Formal Education and Education Support Division	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	
c) "Vaiko Labui" (For the Good of Child)	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Youth Groups	Ministry of Education and Science – Non- Formal	Service Delivery One of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the	Specialised early prevention programmes

	4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify	Education and Education Support Division	3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	and projects, eg., Zippy's Friends and other
d) "Paramos vaikams centras" (Children Support Centre)	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Youth Groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify	Ministry of Education and Science – Non- Formal Education and Education Support Division	5) Monitoring and legal counsel	The Center provides social, psycholo gical and legal assistanc e and offers training program mes (eg. Big Brothers Big Sisters) to specialist s, children and families.
e) "Vaikų linija" (Children Line)	1) National NGO 2) International NGO 3) Youth Groups 4) Academic/research centers 9) Other, specify	Ministry of Education and Science – Non- Formal Education and Education Support Division	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	Provides emotiona l support

		events and
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8.12. Name up to three (3) private sector partners with whom the government has partnered with in the area of education over the past five (5) years. Cite the name of the government unit which partnered with it, its area(s) of involvement, and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name private sector partner	Name of the Government unit which partnered with the private sector	Area of involvement	Activities conducted
a) Private banks	Ministry of Education and Science – Department of General Education and Vocational Training	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	Various education and training programme s in the field of financial literacy education, eg., "Pinigenai"
b) Telecommuni cations companies	Ministry of Education and Science – Non- Formal Education and Education Support Division; Centre of Information Technologies in Education	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	Various education and training programme s on the issues of safer internet and on-line environmen t, eg., "Safer Internet"
c) IT companies	Ministry of Education and Science - Centre of Information Technologies in Education	1) Service Delivery 2)Research and Data Collection 3)Advocacy and Policy Formulation 4) Awareness Raising and social mobilisation 5) Monitoring and legal counsel 6) Education and training 9) Other, specify	Various education and training programme s in the field of

	ICT

8.13. Name up to three (3) examples where the government has been engaged in international cooperation via the provision or receipt of financial and/or technical assistance in the area of education over the past five (5) years. List the name(s) of the donor country/government unit as well as the name of the recipient country/government unit, the type of international cooperation and the activities conducted.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Name of country and government unit providing international cooperation	Name of the country and government unit receiving international cooperation	Type of international cooperation	Activities conducted
a) The European Social Fund (ESF)	Ministry of Education and Science	1) Financial	Support for violence and bullying prevention programmes; non-formal education; teacher inservice training etc.
b) The Norwegian Financial Mechanism	Ministry of Education and Science	1) Financial	Scholarships' programme for students of higher education institutions.