

Disability Data Collection & Analysis: The Washington Group on Disability Statistics & the Short Set of Questions



Handicap International and the Washington Group on Disability Statistics (WG) collaborated in 2015 to produce a set of six videos, presented by Mitchell Loeb, active representative of the WG.

General objective of this initiative: To provide the basic elements to understanding the WG approach to disability measurement through one of the tools they designed: the Short Set of Questions. This 6-question questionnaire seeks to identify persons who are at greater risk than the general population of experiencing restrictions in participation because of activity limitations.

Target Audience: Anyone interested in disability data collection (for national censuses, others national surveys, disability-specific research and studies...): Government Actors, Statisticians, Representatives from Non-Governmental Organizations and Disability Persons Organizations, Academics and Researchers...

Videos are divided in three parts:

- **Part 1** (2 videos) introduces the WG and presents the principles guiding their work.
- **Part 2** (3 videos) focuses on the Short Set of Questions (tool presentation, data collection and analysis).
- **Part 3** (1 video) sums up methodological concerns to consider when using WG tools.

Part 1: Meet the Washington Group on Disability Statistics

Video 1- Washington Group presentation

[Click here to see the video](https://youtu.be/Vag15o3h76o) (in English) <https://youtu.be/Vag15o3h76o>

Video 2- Presentation of the approach developed by the Washington Group

[Click here to see the video](https://youtu.be/Jnq9XTvrQSI) (in English) <https://youtu.be/Jnq9XTvrQSI>

Part 2: Understand the Washington Group Short Set of Questions

Video 3- Short Set de questions: Tool presentation

[Click here to see the video](https://youtu.be/nZT2JbWSGb4) (in English) <https://youtu.be/nZT2JbWSGb4>

Video 4- Short Set de questions: Data collection

[Click here to see the video](https://youtu.be/8SOzXeYDhAw) (in English) <https://youtu.be/8SOzXeYDhAw>

Video 5- Short Set de questions: Data analysis

[Click here to see the video](https://youtu.be/xtuKsTpkJh0) (in English) <https://youtu.be/xtuKsTpkJh0>

Part 3: Methodological concerns using WG tools

Video 6- Presentation of the methodology to implement WG tools

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Good viewing!