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Workshop on Tracking and Monitoring Food Security for Palestine 19-21 July 2022, Sheraton Amman Al Nabil Hotel, 5th Circle, Amman, Jordan

AGENDA

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Day 1: Tuesday, 19 July 2022		
09:30 - 10:00	Registration	
	Participant registration (if applicable kindly bring your passport, receipt of bridge crossing fee, PCR test receipt, visa stamp and ticket stub).	
10:00 - 11:00	Opening and Introductory Session:	
	Moderator: Fidele Byiringiro, ESCWA	
	• Welcoming remarks,	

- Reem Nejdawi, Chief, Food and Environment Policies, CCNRS/ESCWA Hasan H.H. Ashqar, Ministry of Agriculture (MoA), Palestine
- Tour de table
- Expectations of participants
- Food security in the Arab region: Overview *Fidele Byiringiro, ESCWA*

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee Break

11:30 – 13:30 Session I: Arab Food Security Monitoring Framework: Concept

Moderator: Fidele Byiringiro, ESCWA

• Update on food security and food systems Rami Zreik, Professor, ESCWA consultant

 Food Security in The Arab Region: Towards a Common Monitoring Framework, *Rami Zreik, Professor, ESCWA consultant* Group discussions: Identification of food security indicators

13:30 – 14:30 Lunch Break

14:30 – 15:30 Session II: Arab Food Security Monitoring Framework: Indicators

Moderator: Rami Zreik, Professor, ESCWA consultant

- Outcome of group discussions
- Monitoring framework indicators and sources of data: Core & Availability *Fidele Byiringiro, ESCWA* and *Layale Gedeon, ESCWA*

15:30 - 16:00Coffee break16:00 - 17:30Session II: Arab Food Security Monitoring Framework: Indicators (Continued)

• Monitoring framework indicators and sources of data (continued): Access, Utilization & Stability

Fidele Byiringiro, ESCWA and Layale Gedeon, ESCWA

• 2016 Palestinian dashboard *Rami Zreik, Professor, ESCWA consultant* General discussions

End of Day 1

Day 2: Wednesday, 20 July 2022		
9:30 - 11:00	Session III: Practical Application Lead: Rami Zreik, Professor, ESCWA consultant and ESCWA Team	
	 Recap and follow-up discussions from Day 1 Building the Country Dashboard <i>Layale Gedeon, ESCWA</i> Group discussions: Updating the Palestinian framework 	
11:00 - 11:30	Coffee Break	
11:30 - 13:00	Session III: Practical Application (Continued) Group discussions: Updating the Palestinian framework (continued)	
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch Break	
14:00 - 17:00	 Session IV: Analysis of Country Dashboards Interactive presentation of the Palestinian doughnut and dashboard by groups Analysis of the dashboard results <i>Rami Zreik, Professor, ESCWA consultant</i> General discussions 	
	Coffee served (during afternoon session)	
End of Day 2		
	Day 3: Thursday, <i>21 July 2022</i>	
09:30 – 11:00	Session V: Follow-up and Review of the 2030 Agenda: VNR preparation Moderator: Reem Nejdawi	
	 Guiding principles and review process to report on the 2030 Agenda, <i>Jana El-Baba, ESCWA</i> and <i>Mona Fattah, ESCWA</i> Overview on the Preparation of the Jordan 2022 VNR <i>Lamia Al-Zou'bi, Director, MoPIC, Jordan</i> 	

 Overview on the Preparation of the Jordan 2022 VNR – food security Nada Al Fraihat, MoA, Jordan General discussions

11:00 – 11:30 *Coffee Break*

11:30–13:00 Session VI: Regional Support for Enhanced Food Security

- Overview of SDGs on Food Security and status in Palestine *Firas Yassin, FAO-ESS, Rome*
- Regional data collection and analysis *Fidaa Rawabdeh, Head of the regional office of the AOAD in the Mashreq region* General discussions

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch Break

14:00 – 16:30 Session VII: Palestine Follow-up and Review of the 2030 Agenda

- Overview on First VNR report of Palestine Hasan H.H. Ashqar, Ministry of Agriculture (MoA), Palestine
- Reporting best practices *Fidele Byiringiro, ESCWA*
- General discussions

Coffee served (during afternoon session)

16:30 – 17:00 Session VIII: Closing Session

- Evaluation
- Certificate distribution
- Wrap-up and way forward

End of workshop
