



European Monitoring Centre
for Drugs and Drug Addiction

Progress on Assessment of Indicator Implementation

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Background

- To provide a better understanding on the implementation of 5 KI, with common tool, facilitating the implementation in the MS, supporting NFPs
- To contribute to the EU Action Plan evaluation
- Procedure makes distinction between **PROCESS** and **DATA QUALITY**



Key Indicator assessment of implementation

Based on:

- Data 2010, reported to EMCDDA 2011
 - Activities at national level reported by NFPs in 2011
 - 30 countries
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- **October - November 2012:** NFPs consulted on the assessment EMCDDA
 - **December 2012:** final report on the 5 Key Epidemiological Indicators



Process: operational definitions

National activities	Working group in place
	Organisation of national meetings by indicator
Respect of deadlines	Respect of deadlines as requested by the EMCDDA: a) On time/b) Within one month from deadlines/c) After one month from deadlines
Resources (staff, fund.)	Staff directly dedicated to the indicator implementation at national level (full time equivalent)
	Financial resources directly dedicated to the indicator implementation at national level
Assessment data quality	Existence of structured activities or system for the control of data quality
Legislation/ Legal basis	Existence of a legal basis for data collection at national level (especially referred to indicators for which a routine national data collection system is required)
	Existence of a National Plan to implement the Key Indicators
Progress on-going	Major progress obtained in the last 5 years
	Major obstacles to the further the Key Indicator implementation
	Recent efforts made to further implement the indicator



Working group & deadlines

23 countries have a working group in place;

21 countries had a meeting at least once during the year

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By deadline	25
Within one month	2
After one month	3

Planned activities

- New SMR
- Pilot studies such as linkage with other database e.g. police, treatment,...
- Cohort studies to be started, large cohort studies to be continued
- Improvement of data quality
- Analysis of data in the light of special groups



Categories: DATA QUALITY

- Data availability at national level
- Harmonisation with guidelines
- Timeliness
- Coverage
- Consistency



Data availability at national level

- General Mortality Register (GMR)
- Special Mortality Register (SMR)
- Mortality cohort studies in drug users conducted



Harmonisation with EMCDDA guidelines

- National definition matches selection B in GMR
- National definition matches selection D in SR
- National cohort protocol follows EMCDDA mortality cohort guidelines
- % or ratio of information provided/not provided compared to the guidelines for ST 5 and ST 6 including breakdown by sex, substances and age-band



Timeliness

- Data on the reporting year according to EMCDDA guidelines

Coverage

- Information on coverage for GMR; SMR; cohorts studies (national, regional or local accordingly)

Consistency

- For methods for investigation of deaths over time
- For methods of reporting over time

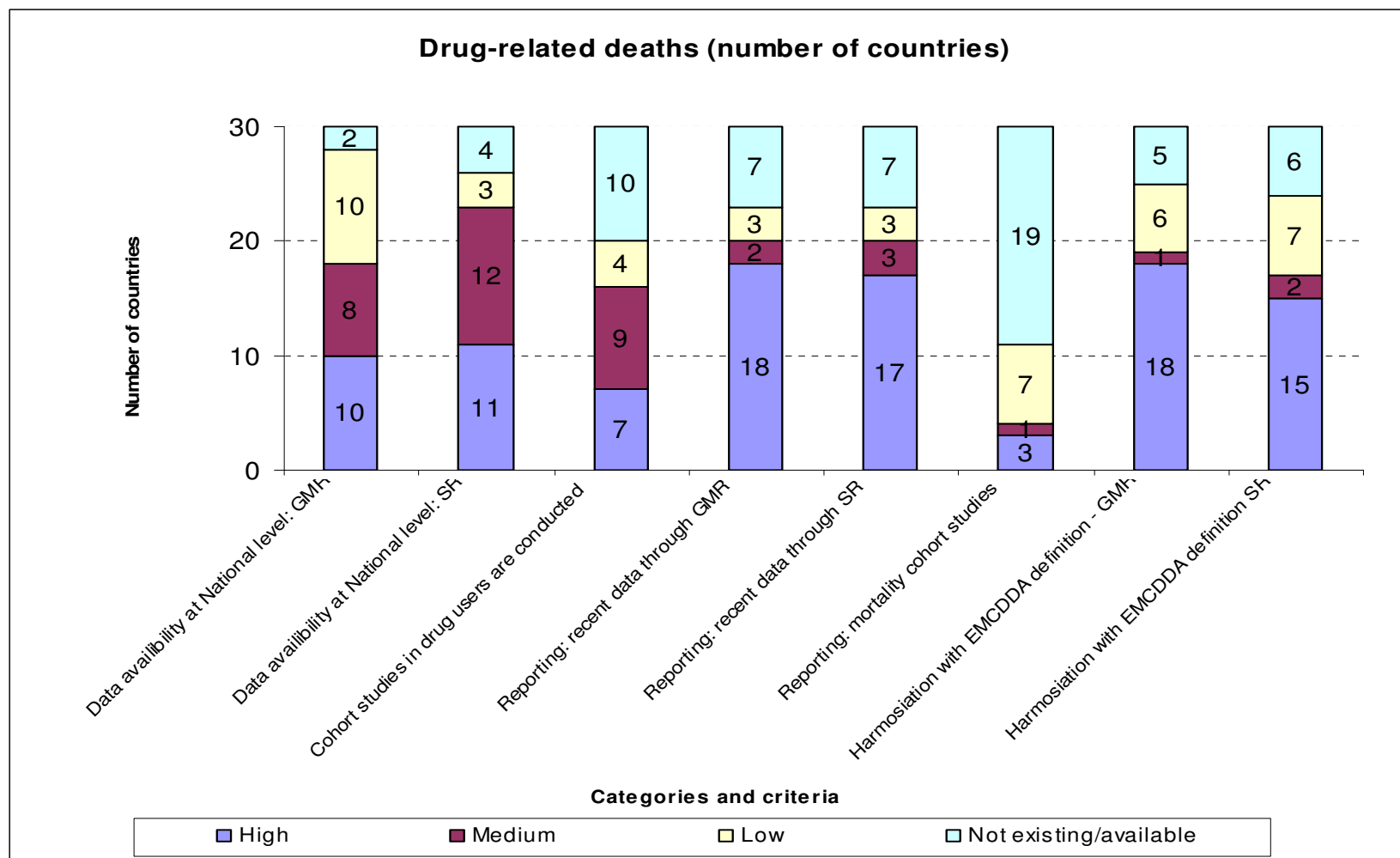


Ratings

- If desirable implementation met = HIGH
- If minimum requirements met = MEDIUM
- If minimum requirement not met = LOW
- If info not available = NOT EXISTING/NOT KNOWN



Overall assessment 2009 and improvements 2012



THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

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