**Fiji**

**SOURCE**

**Name of source:** 2007 *Population Census*

**Institution responsible for the statistics:** Fiji Bureau of Statistics P O Box 2221, Government Buildings, Suva, Fiji Islands, Tel: (679) 3315822, Fax: (679) 3303656, e-mail: mariam@statsfiji.gov.fj

**Type of source:** Population census

**Periodicity:** Every 10 years

**Objectives:** The census advisory committee had agreed to have questions on disability included in the questionnaire for the purpose of getting a count.

**COVERAGE**

**Disabilities:** All types (seeing difficulties, hearing difficulties, speaking difficulties, moving/mobility difficulties, body movement difficulties, gripping/holding difficulties, learning difficulties, behavioural difficulties, personal care difficulties)

**Population groups:** All age groups

**Total population covered:** Na

**Economic activities:** All economics activities

**Sectors covered:** All sectors

**Labour force status:** Employed persons, unemployed persons, persons not in labor force

**Status in Employment:** Employees, employers, own-account workers, contributing family workers, members of producers’ cooperatives

**Geographic areas:** Whole country

**Establishments:** NR

**Other limitations:** Not an in-depth inquiry

**TERMS AND DEFINITIONS**

**Term used to denote ‘disability’:** ‘Person with difficulty seeing, hearing, speaking, learning, behaviour, mobility, personal care, etc.’

**Definition of this term:** Person who suffered some form of longstanding mental or physical disability and cannot work.

**Source of this definition:** Census instructions to enumerators
Questions used to identify persons with disabilities: ‘Does anyone in this household have difficulty with seeing, hearing, speaking, learning, behaviour, mobility, personal care, etc. If yes, what type of difficulty does this person(s) have?’

Minimum duration to be considered as a person with disability: No

CLASSIFICATION

Classifications: Na

Cross-classifications: Na

REFERENCE PERIOD: Census year

DISSEMINATION

National publications: No

Website: No