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Changes in the sex and age structure of the population of the Kyrgyz Republic 2000-2020
(at the end of the year, persons)
Main indicators

Demographic indicators

According to the Law on Senior Citizens in the Kyrgyz Republic, retirement ages are considered as: 63 for men 58 for women.
Main achievements

- National Development Strategy of the Kyrgyz Republic 2018-2040
- Action Plan to Improve the Quality of Life of Older Citizens in the Kyrgyz Republic 2019-2025
- State social order
- Law of the Kyrgyz Republic "On Senior Citizens in the Kyrgyz Republic" (26 July 2011 No. 133)
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- Ensuring well-being at all stages of the life cycle of older citizens. Poverty reduction among older citizens.
- Ensure access for older citizens to public and municipal services by developing the market for social services and expanding with collaboration of NPOs.
Main indicators

GOAL: Raise awareness of the active longevity concept, guarantee implementation of the state programmes, make monitoring of the existing programmes, develop and promote legislation regarding “Active Longevity in the Kyrgyz Republic”
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Experiences with national reviews and evaluations of the implementation of the 2021 MIPAA

Law on Senior Citizens of the Kyrgyz Republic

According to the results of the inventory due to ongoing reforms, the recommendations from the MIPAA will be applied in the development of legal acts.

The results of the 2017 survey led to the development of an Action Plan to Improve the Quality of Life of Older Citizens.

Based on the results of the 2021 survey, it is possible to develop a national Active Longevity Programme, the development of which is planned for 2021-2023, because the deadline for the Government's Action Plan on Improving the Quality of Life of Older People is in 2025.
Key challenges in conducting national reviews

COVID-19 pandemic has significantly worsened the situation of older people around the world.

The COVID-19 pandemic is very much and permanently reshaping the nature of ageing.

The pandemic has also highlighted other weaknesses in care for the elderly, including, for example, inadequate monitoring of service providers, lack of funding for the sector.

The MIPAA includes different sectors of health, economic, social, cultural, digital, even environmental.

Older people are not a priority for both donor and civil society programmes and government bodies, so it is very hard to find funding.
Thank you!