

Getting every one in the picture

A snapshot of
progress midway
through the Asian
and Pacific Civil
Registration and
Vital Statistics
Decade



North and Central Asia

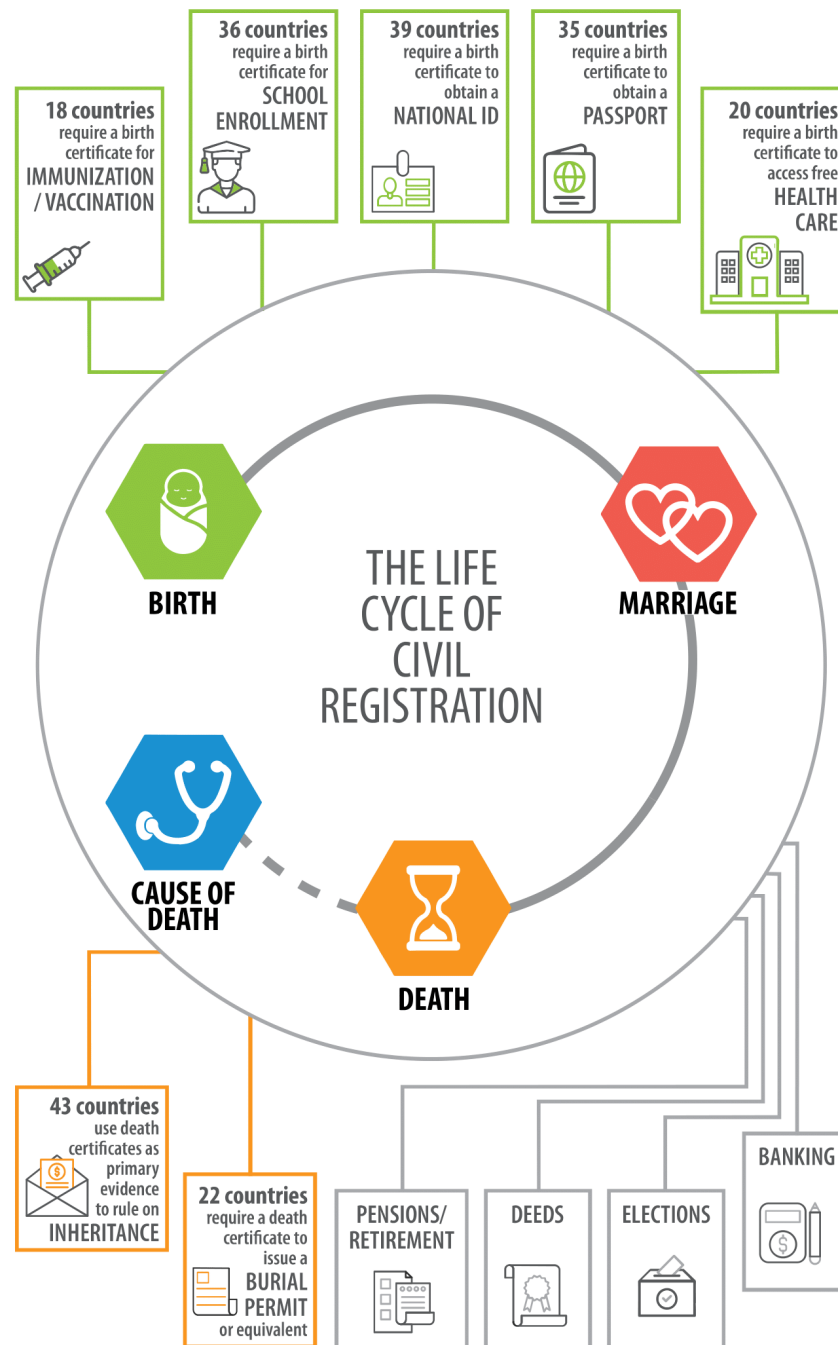
REGIONAL LAUNCH

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Civil Registration: Essential throughout one's life



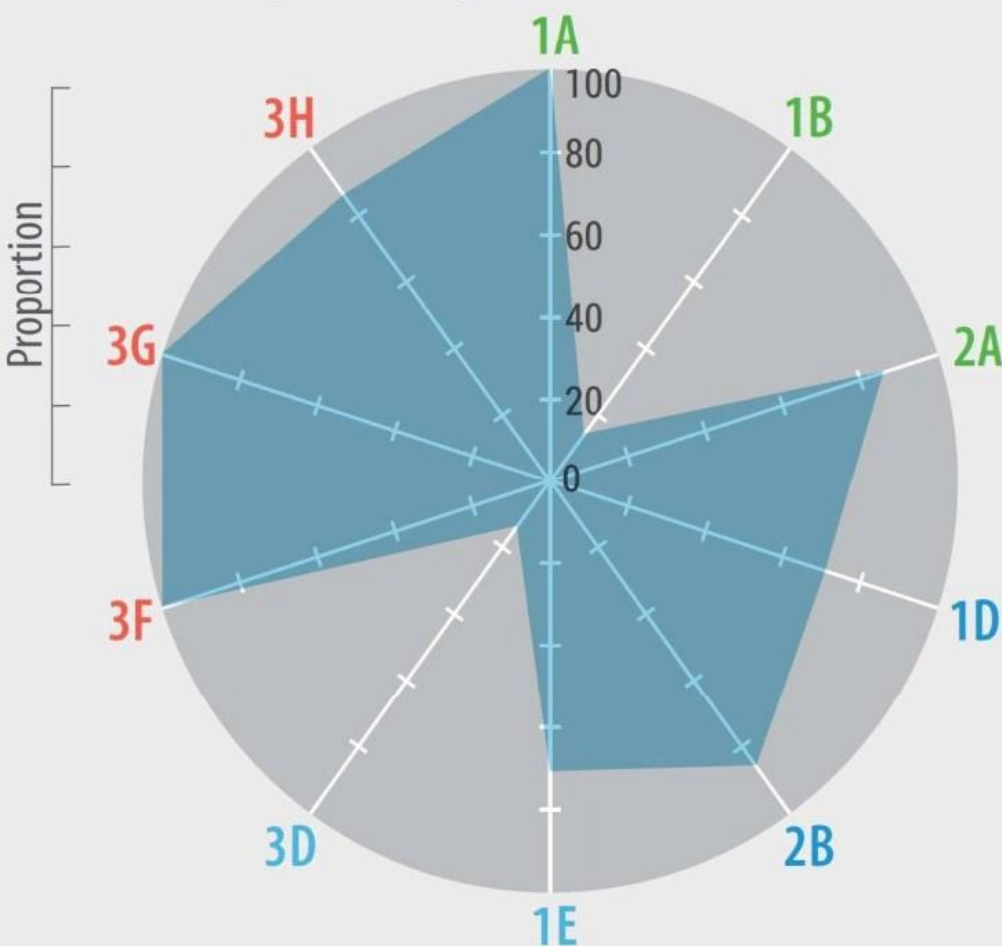
Number of countries out of the 44 countries that responded to the midterm questionnaire

“By 2024, all people in Asia and the Pacific benefit from universal and responsive CRVS systems that facilitate the realization of their rights and support good governance, health and development”

Birth Certificate

Where are we at the midterm of the Decade?

North and Central Asia
(representing 7 out of 9 countries)



Targets

1A: Birth registration within a year

1B: Birth registration of children under five

2A: Issuance of birth certificates

1D: Death registration within a year

2B: Issuance of death certificates

1E: Recording of causes of death

3D: Reduction of ill-defined causes of death codes

3F: Publication of births and deaths statistics

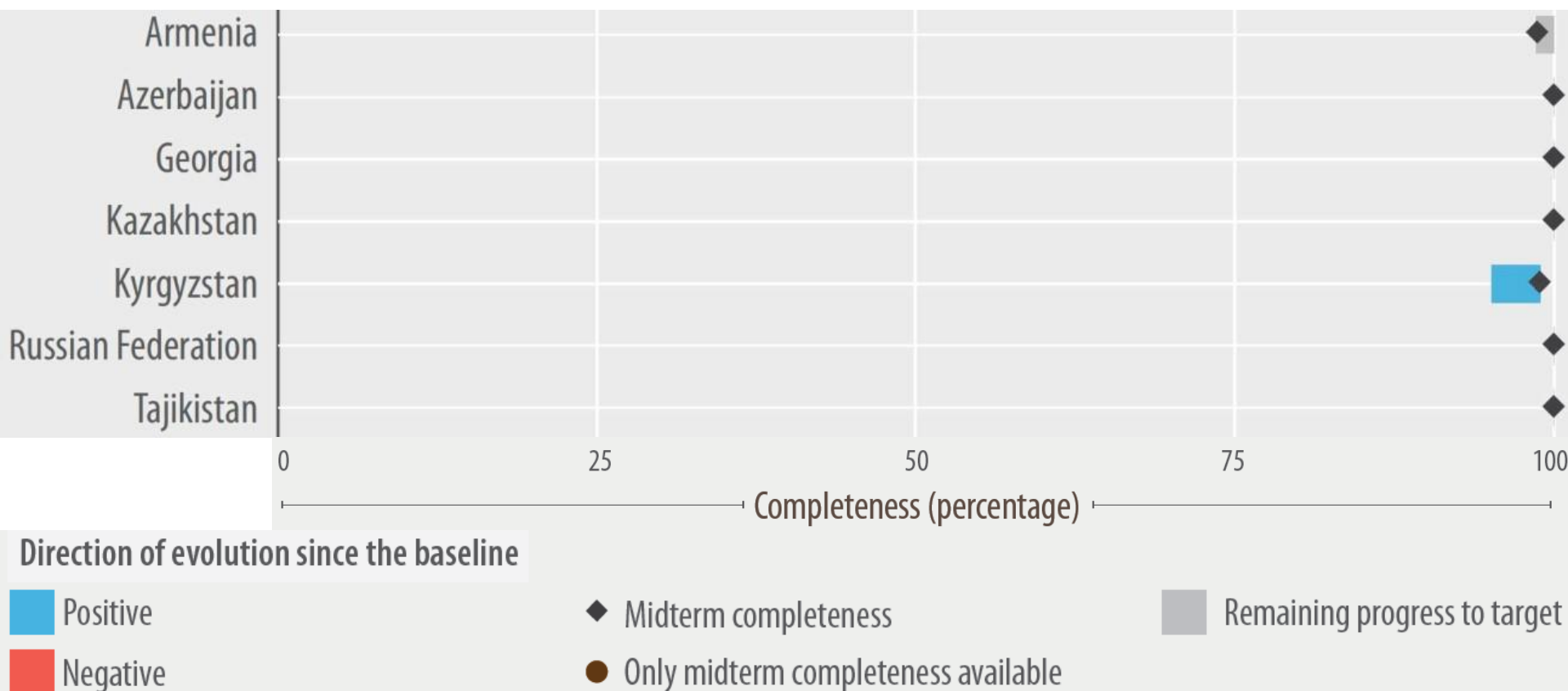
3G: Publication of causes of death statistics

3H: Publication of a vital statistics report



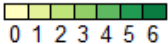
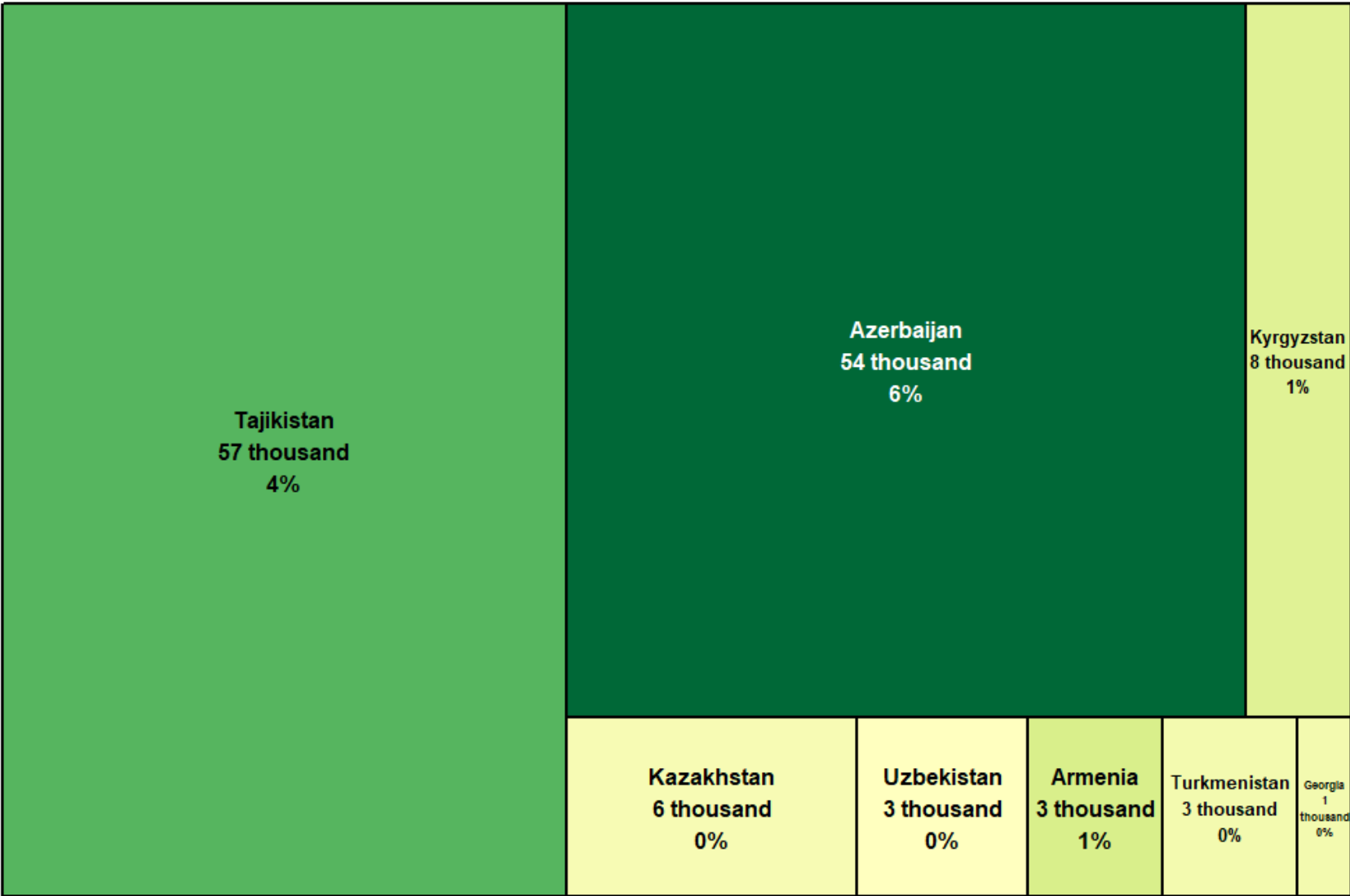
Birth registration:

High registration rates since the beginning of the Decade



Unregistered children under five

Number of unregistered children under five (NCA = 140 thousand)

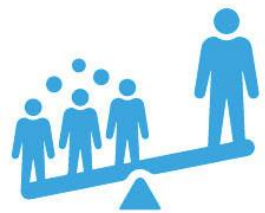


Proportion of unregistered children in each country

Marginalized populations:

Stateless people and other groups

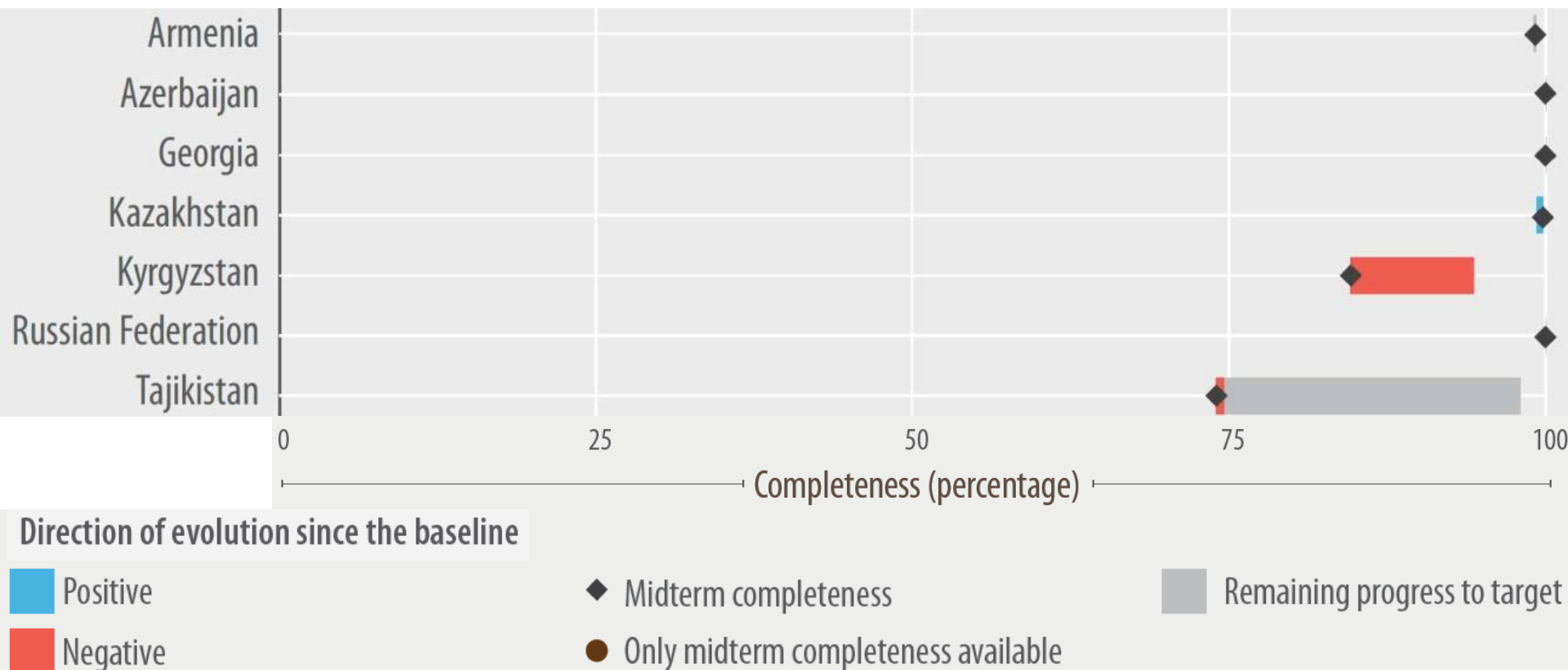
- **Stateless people**: common to most countries in the region
- As part of the **#IBelong** campaign and with the help of UNHCR, many countries have taken on tackling this challenge



- Other groups remain uncounted, and **no country** has formally **assessed inequalities** related to CRVS

Death registration:

Less incentives,
lower completeness
Increased attention due
to COVID-19



Causes of death recording:

Increased attention due to COVID-19

- Countries are **registering a cause of death** for almost **all deaths** occurring
- The **quality** of codes for those causes is relatively **low, and progressing slowly**
- **COVID-19** has brought more attention to quality of cause of death data: **CRVS systems** can be critical monitoring tools for crises if they produce **accurate and timely data**



THE SECOND MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE ON CRVS IN ASIA AND THE PACIFIC

WHEN

16-19
NOVEMBER 2021

WHERE

BANGKOK
& VIRTUALLY

WHY

- Review the progress made toward meeting the goals of the CRVS Decade
- Promote civil registration systems as the foundation for legal identity management
- Emphasize the importance of civil registration and vital statistics for achievement of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development
- Focus on the essential role of CRVS systems in the response to pandemics and the recovery from COVID-19

WHO

Heads of Government

Ministers of Interior, Health, Planning and Justice

Senior officials from civil registration; health and statistics

Media

Academia

International development partners

Civil society and non-governmental organizations

SESSIONS ON

Picture of progress

Health & COVID-19

Vital Statistics

Legal identity

Gender

Economics of CRVS

Leaving no one behind

To lead to a Ministerial Declaration



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