UNDP Suriname along with the General Bureau of Statistics in Suriname (ABS), and the Suriname Business Forum (SBF) / Suriname Business Development Center (SBC) have organized a series of seminars on the area of social statistics. The purpose of this activity is to raise awareness on the need of a sound system of social statistics as vital for the effective development of social policy, for informed decisions - making on policy issues and for the evaluation of the impact of social and economic policy.

The calendar for the seminars is as follows:

- 14th July 2010 - Population composition and change / Human settlements, housing and geographical distribution of population
- 6th of August 2010 - Health and health services, impairment and disability, nutrition / Social security and welfare services
- 27th August 2010 - Households and families, marital status and fertility
- 29th October 2010 – Economic activity and population not economically active
- 12th November 2010 - Learning and education services / Leisure, culture and communications
- 24th November 2010 – Public order and safety
- 10th December 2010 - Socio-economic groups and social mobility / Income, consumption and wealth

The seminars are taken place at the University Guesthouse, in the University Complex, Leysweg 70, Paramaribo.