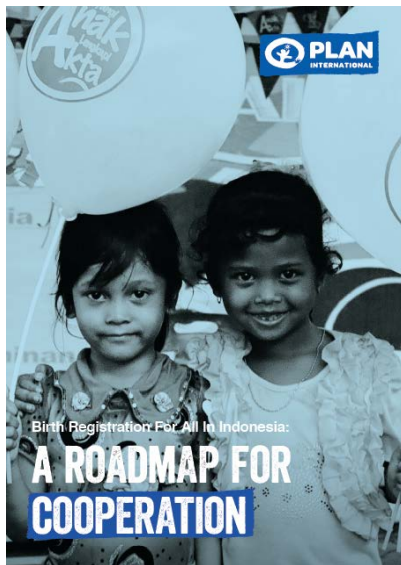


## CRVS INSIGHT - ASIA PACIFIC



### New report highlights ways to improve birth registration in Indonesia

In Indonesia, the Plan International Birth Registration Innovation Team is working with the Ministry of Home Affairs (MoHA) to identify ways to increase the number of individuals who have a birth certificate. This collaboration began in 2015 and the newly published Roadmap for Cooperation outlines possible areas of engagement with MoHA and other partners in Indonesia.

[The report](#) describes the commitment to improving birth registration in Indonesia's Medium Term Development Plan and outlines the current status of birth registration in Indonesia as well as the national targets, recent developments and key challenges to improve this. In addition to this, the report highlights some of the opportunities for collaboration with private sector philanthropists as well as the national Zakat Board Funds.



### Cambodia develops a national strategic plan of identification with CRVS focus

The [National Strategic Plan](#) aims to achieve a long-term vision for Cambodia — that every person has a legal identity. This will require building a modern, permanent, universal civil registration system (CRVS) that will generate reliable vital statistics and an integrated population identification system (IPIS). Building these systems will eliminate the necessity to develop parallel systems for population identification, thus ensuring the efficient use of resources. Cambodia is currently looking to revise their legislation related to CRVS and is reaching out to development partners for advice on this matter.



### The CRVS team at ESCAP is looking for an intern

The ESCAP CRVS team is looking for an intern to support the work to 'Get Every One in the Picture'. To learn more about ESCAP and how the internship programme works, please look [here](#). For the description of the role and how to apply, go to the UN recruitment system [Inspira](#). The specific assignments of the internship will reflect the skills, experiences and interest of the intern.

## Events & Media

### [Workshop for Pacific country CRVS teams](#)

21-24 February  
Auckland, New Zealand

### [Expert Group Meeting on Management and Evaluation of CRVS systems](#)

20-24 February 2017  
New York

### [Johannesburg Colloquium on the Future of Legal Identity](#)

14-16 February 2017,  
Johannesburg

## A Call For Contributions

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