

ILAB TECHNICAL COOPERATION PROJECT SUMMARY

PROJECT TITLE	STATISTICAL INFORMATION AND MONITORING PROGRAM ON CHILD LABOR IN GHANA
ILAB PROGRAM	International Child Labor Technical Assistance/Statistical Information and Monitoring Program on Child Labor (SIMPOC)
REGION/COUNTRY	AFRICA/Ghana
PROJECT DURATION	September 2000 – August 2003
FISCAL YEAR & FUNDING LEVEL	FY1999: \$397,617
PROBLEM TO BE ADDRESSED	Lack of standardized data in Ghana to support effective interventions against child labor.
PROJECT OBJECTIVES	<p>Development Objective: The program will contribute to the collection of reliable data to support effective interventions against child labor.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. At the end of the program, quantitative and qualitative data on child labor will have been produced, processed, analyzed and disseminated.
SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES	<p>Research design: Module of quarterly labor force survey.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Obtain comprehensive national statistical data and establish a database on child labor;• Analyze data and determine priority target groups, patterns, conditions and effects of work, and the extent of child labor; and• Enhance Ghana Statistical Service's ability to produce and analyze child labor data.
PARTNER ORGANIZATIONS	<p>Implementing Agency International Labor Organization's International Program on the Elimination of Child Labor (ILO-IPEC)</p> <p>Collaborating Agencies Ghana Statistical Service (GSS); Ministry of Employment and Social Welfare (MESW); The National Commission on Children.</p>
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