NEXT STEPS

Points for discussion

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WDDPII commitments

- Final project report
- Meeting report
- Scientific publication
- Update of the FAO Guidelines for measuring household and individual dietary diversity (2010)

Wider stakeholder participation - documentation

Users' manuals and documentation

- Use for assessment in large-scale surveys
- Use for programmatic purposes (i.e. M&E, sample size, seasonality issues)
- Update the food group classification tables

Wider stakeholder participation - dissemination

- Communities of practice such as Agriculture to Nutrition (Ag2Nut) and the Food Security
 Information Network
- Blogs / tweets
- Websites such as SecureNutrition

Wider stakeholder participation

Data collection opportunities in nationally representative surveys

Promotion for use in broader initiatives -

- Post 2015 SDG monitoring framework
- Integrated Food Security Phase Classification (IPC)

Future research needs

Operational research for field administration

- Capturing minimum quantities of food groups
- List-based vs. open recall
- Degree of country adaptation needed

Other areas of research

validation of use for global tracking once data comes in

Partnerships

- Need both resource and technical partners
- Should we develop a WDD coalition for collaboration and sharing information on the indicator?











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