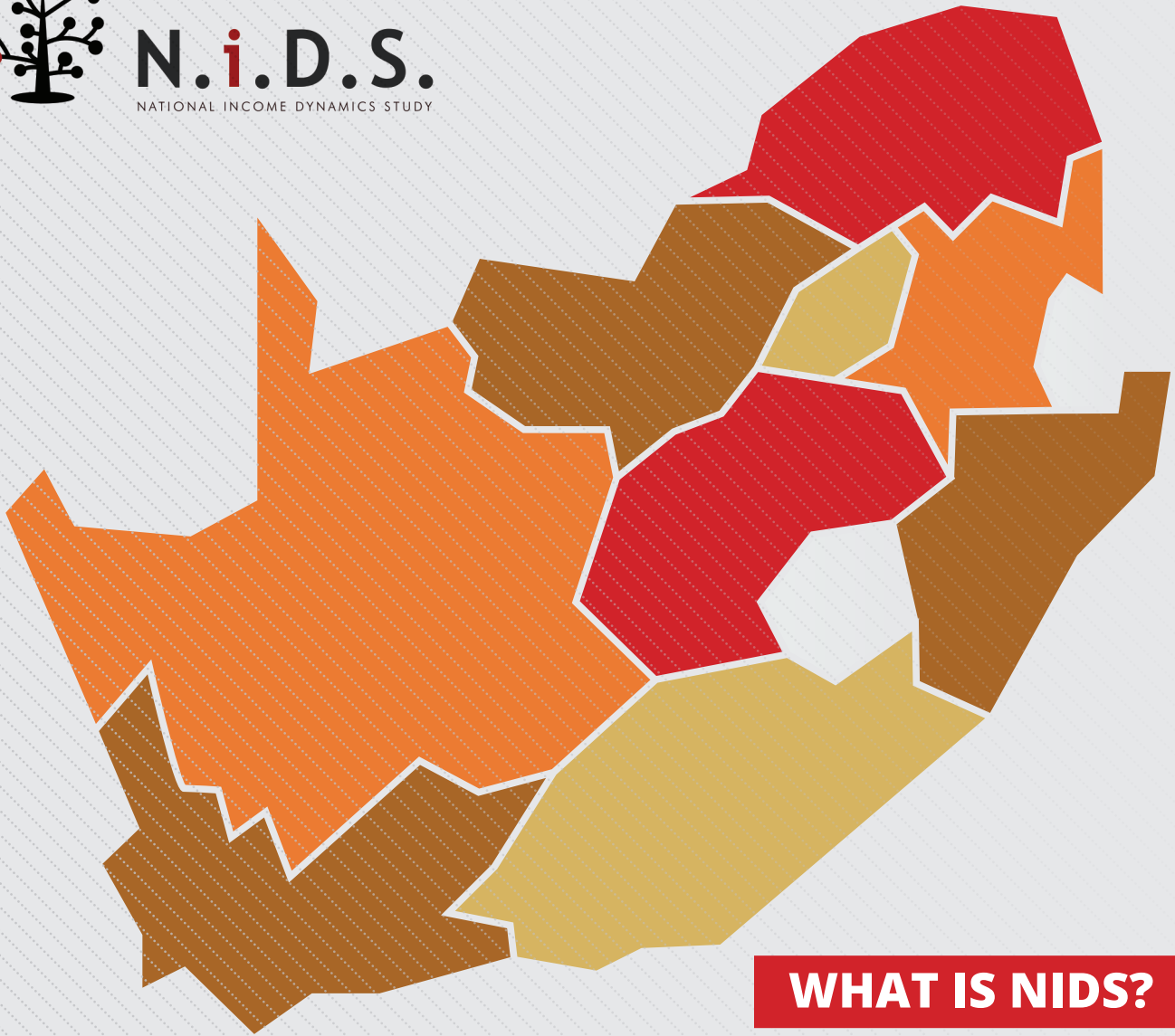




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NATIONAL INCOME DYNAMICS STUDY



WHAT IS NIDS?



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SALDRU
Southern Africa Labour and
Development Research Unit

WHAT IS NIDS?



A record of
28,000 South
Africans since
2008, and the
people they
live with.



An initiative
of the
Department
of Planning,
Monitoring &
Evaluation.



First nationally
representative
panel
(longitudinal)
study in
South Africa.

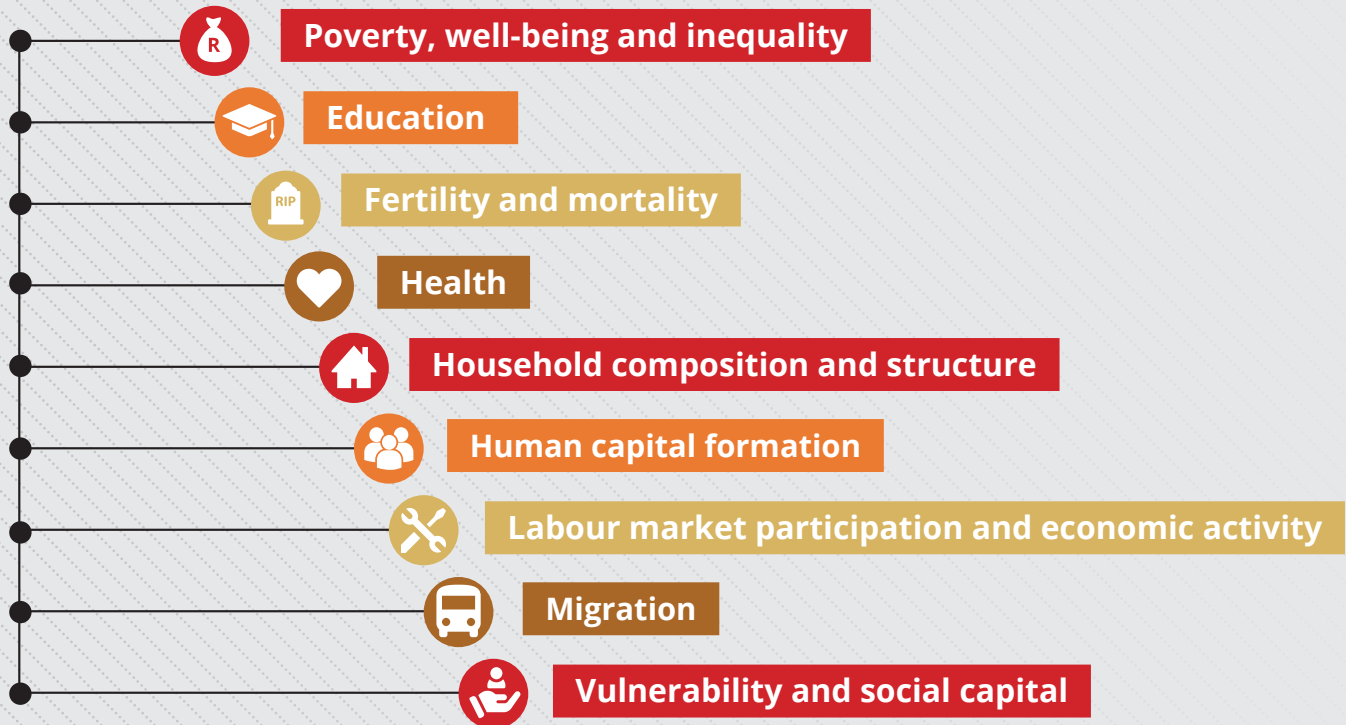


Designed to
facilitate the
development
of evidence-
based policy
making.



WHAT THEMES DOES THE NIDS DATA COVER?

NIDS examines the livelihoods of individuals and households over time and provides information about changes in these broad themes:



HOW DOES NIDS WORK?

These individuals
give their time to be

**INTERVIEWED,
WEIGHED AND
MEASURED.**

**ANY BABIES
BORN**

to the females we
are tracking, are
added to those that
NIDS is tracking
over time.

We also interview

**PEOPLE THEY
LIVE WITH**

at the time.

**EVERY TWO
YEARS**

the same people
are tracked and
we attempt to
re-interview them.

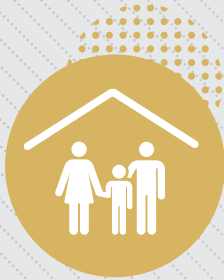
**EVEN IF
THEY MOVE**

from where we last
interviewed them, we
work hard to find them.

The study began in
2008 with a nationally
representative sample of
approximately 28,000
individuals in **7,300**
households across
the country.



HOW IS NIDS DATA COLLATED?



The data is collected with questionnaires for households, adults, children and proxies*.



NIDS then checks, compiles and anonymises this data.



The data is made freely downloadable through DataFirst's Data Portal**.

*Where someone answers for an adult not available for direct interview.

**NIDS secure data is hosted at DataFirst's Secure Research Data Centre.



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HOW CAN NIDS BE ACCESSED?



FREELY

DOWNLOADABLE

DATA

for analysis*.



A range of

RESOURCES

to help you
get started on
analysing
the data.



Papers on

EXAMPLE

FINDINGS

from the data.



A set of

SHORT VIDEOS

to highlight
some important
findings.



A series of

TRAINING

COURSES

on how to use
the data
effectively.



INTERNSHIPS AND

SCHOLARSHIPS

to develop the
policymakers and
influencers of
tomorrow.

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Telling the stories of the people of South Africa.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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