

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (CPI)

PROPOSED DATES | November 11-15, 2024

TARGET GROUP | Mid-level government officials from central banks, ministries of economy and finance, revenue authority, and other agencies involved in compilation of Consumer Price Index (CPI). Participants are expected to have a degree in economics/finance or work experience in price statistics.

DESCRIPTION | The five-day workshop, delivered by the IMF's Statistics Department in cooperation with the Caucasus, Central Asia, and Mongolia Regional Capacity Development Center, will focus on the CPI calculation methods, price collection methods, developing weights, updating a sample of outlets, and CPI data dissemination. Participants are expected to actively contribute to presentations on country practices and exercises. Peer learning will be an essential element of the workshop.

OBJECTIVE | Upon completion of this workshop, participants should be able to:

- Develop CPI weights.
- Update a sample of outlets.
- Calculate the aggregated index.

LANGUAGE | The workshop will be delivered in English language, with simultaneous interpretation to Russian.