

Appendix A: Locally defined criteria of a poor household

| Very Poor | Poor | Less Poor |
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| <p>It is a person who does not have any possessions in his household;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Does not possess any animals; - Often does not have enough to eat, or skips meals; - Does not have money to provide for necessities; - Cannot take care of himself; - Does not possess savings or access to credit; - Has never been consulted in decision-making; - Is never able to resolve his difficulties; - Does not have healthy arms; - Does not have access to care; - Does not have cultivable land; - Is poorly lodged and poorly dressed. | <p>-It is a person who does not have any possession in his household;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Possesses no more than a few animals in his household; -At certain times does not have enough to eat; -Consumes the grain stocks which are being saved for the upcoming season; -Does not possess any money to provide for necessities; -Cannot properly take care of himself; -Does not possess any savings; -Does not have access to credit; -Has never been consulted in decision-making; -Is never able to resolve his difficulties; -Is poorly lodged and poorly dressed. | <p>-It is a person who has but a few possessions in his household;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Possesses no more than a few animals in his household; -Has enough to eat, but not the desired foods; -Can register some of his children in school; -Cannot have access to primary care; -Has cultivable lands; -Has healthy arms; -Is consulted in decision-making; -He is sometimes able to resolve his difficulties. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -It is a person who has neither shoes nor clothes; -Does not have anything to eat; -Does not have money; -Has frail health; -Is marginalized; -Does not have a bicycle; -A person who begs; -Is not able to give birth | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - It is a person who is better off than the very poor person; -The roof of his house is made of straw and is not practical; -Who survives; -Does not own any cows, but might have birds; -Who has a hard time having a bicycle. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -It is a person who can resolve his own problems but not those of others; -Has healthy skin; -Has a good house; -Eats when he is hungry; -Is properly dressed; -Is able to send his children to school; -Is able to own cows. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -It is a person who does not have a house to sleep in; -Does not have anything to eat; -Makes a recourse to others to meet his needs; -Does not have any chickens; -Is not able to send his children to school. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -It is a person who does not eat whenever he is hungry; -Does not eat every day; -Has an uncertain environment; -Can partially school his children; -Does not have money to suitably provide for his needs. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -It is a person who is able to have food to eat; -Is able to take care of himself; -Is able to send his children to school; -Is able to have a house to sleep in; -Is able to buy a bicycle; -Is able to own poultry; -Is better than the other two categories. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -It is a person who cannot eat whenever he is hungry, nor is able to address his basic needs (caring for himself, paying for schooling or clothing) -Does not own small ruminant animals -No means of travel | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -It is a person who has only 1-2 meals per day; -Does not possess large ruminant animals; -Does not have farming tools -Does not have workhands (a/k/a persons who can help with the work) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - It is a person who can eat when he is hungry (3 meals per day); -Can address his primary needs; -Possesses livestock (large and small ruminant animals); -Possesses a means of travel |

