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Current progress report on recommendation from Activity B1

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It's All in the Numbers

Establishment of working group

- Creation of an internal committee to:

  – To follow up on the current situation

  – To keep updated

  – To plan for future needs

Improving the accessibility to the research room

- Research Room opened in Tel Aviv

    – Training the staff about the research room, including:
    - Data Security
    - Work process
    - Working with the researchers

    – Adding users

    – Adding hours

    – In the process of acquiring 2 additional research computers

Improving the accessibility to the research room (cont'd)

- Improved research room in Haifa

  – Additional Users

  – Additional Hours

  – Expanding the physical area of the Research Room

  – In the process of acquiring 2 additional research computers

Workflow Improvements

- Requirements defined for a system that will follow up on:

  – Initial requests of researchers

  – Research Details

  – Researcher details

  – Time and workflow

  – Forms and bureaucracy

  – Computer Administration (programs, scheduling, backups, updates, anti-viruses, etc.)

Defining Researcher Needs

- Meetings with researchers to:

    – Hear user comments about the

      current system

    – To present plans for future

    – To hear recommendations and

      reactions

Defining Researcher Needs

- Meetings with the people that are responsible for Access to micro data in National Insurance Institute, and planning a meeting with education Ministry.

Data Security

- Several meetings with the Head of Security to:

  – Explain the researcher requests

  – Explain our plans for Researcher Remote Access

  – To request a security requirement to enable development of the system

Financing

- Meeting with internal stakeholders to elaborate a new pricing policy.

- Meeting planned with The Council for Higher Education Committee to persuade them to financially support the project

Questions?

Thank you!