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## EQUALITY AND NON-DISCRIMINATION

1-/ Togo constitution has non-discrimination page

- Employment equality : yes
- Access to good : yes, but older persons don't have opportunities
- In Togo, there are two categories of older persons : pension older persons and non-pension older persons
- Social protection is not total in this country
- No health care specially for older persons
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- There are two institutions for pension : National caisse for social security (CNSS) for private sector and CRT for public sector.
- In case of older persons rights violation, there is, a national consultative council for older persons which support its members for justice. Other older persons groups or NGOs advocate for older persons rights promotion.
- Older persons autonomy is not fondamental because of inadequate and poorly financed programmes
- Older persons have miserable living conditions : no electricity, no water, poor travel conditions, poverty and no social assistance for many older persons, particulary in rural zones.

2-/ Older persons discrimination is not formel, but they are victims and there is no information or platform to expose the situation.

3-/ Like said, there is no public information on inequality, health care services and financial services for older persons. No humanitarian programme for them in Togo.

4-/ No valide institutions to protect and promote non-pension older persons and living conditions. No older persons data. NGO : ADET is planning data revolution in the field.

NGO : Amis des Etrangers au Togo(ADET) is engaged to collect older persons data, promote and advocate for their rigths promotion by creation in all villages and cities SDGs centers for social protection and social development with leave no one behind policy.