Appendix figure: Age-gender distribution of Irish Travellers and the general population in the population and survey data. The figure displays horizontal bar charts by gender of the age distribution of the Irish Traveller population in 2008, the general population in 2006, the All-Ireland Traveller Health Study (AITHS) adult health status survey sample, and the Survey of Lifestyle, Attitude and Nutrition (SLAN) in 2002, Republic of Ireland. The Traveller population had a triangular population structure with children under-five years of age forming the largest population group. The population size declines steadily in the older age groups. The general population had a different pattern with a relatively small population in the age groups less than 20 years old, and a larger population aged between 20 and 34 years, declining steadily in older age groups. The survey sample for each group more or less mirrors the pattern observed in its respective population.