

SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Demographic indicators		
Total population (2006)	748,886,000	6,577,236,000
Population under 18 (2006)	376,047,000	2,212,024,000
Population under 5 (2006)	125,254,000	625,781,000
Survival		
Life expectancy at birth (2006)	50	68
Neonatal mortality rate (under 28 days), per 1,000 live births (2000)	44	30
Infant mortality rate (under 1), per 1,000 live births (2006)	95	49
Under-5 mortality rate, per 1,000 live births (2006)	160	72
Under-5 mortality rate, average annual rate of reduction (1990-2006)	1.0	1.6
Maternal mortality ratio, per 100,000 live births (2005, adjusted)	920	400
Health and nutrition		
Percentage of infants with low birthweight (1999-2006*)	14	15
Percentage of under-5s who are moderately or severely underweight (2000-2006*)	28	25
Percentage of population using improved drinking-water sources (2004)	55	83
Urban	81	95
Rural	41	73
Percentage of population using adequate sanitation facilities (2004)	37	59
Percentage of 1-year-old children immunized (2006) against:		
Tuberculosis (BCG)	82	87
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT1)	83	89
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT3)	72	79
Polio (polio3)	74	80
Measles	72	80
Hepatitis B (hepB3)	48	60
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (Hib3)	24	22
Education		
Percentage of primary school entrants reaching grade 5 (administrative data; 2000-2006*)	70	78 **
Net primary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	64	80
Female	60	78
Net secondary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	25	50 **
Female	22	47 **
Adult literacy rate (2000-2005*)	58	78

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Economic indicators		
GNI per capita (US\$, 2006)	851	7,406
Percentage of population living on less than \$1 a day (1995-2005*)	43	19
Percentage share of central government expenditure (1995-2005*) allocated to:		
Health	-	14
Education	-	5
Defence	-	11
Percentage share of household income (1995-2004*):		
Lowest 40 per cent	13	20
Highest 20 per cent	55	42
HIV/AIDS		
Adult prevalence rate (15-49 years, end 2005)	6.1	1.0
Estimated number of people (all ages) living with HIV (2005)	24,500,000	38,600,000
Estimated number of children (0-14 years) living with HIV (2005)	2,000,000	2,300,000
Estimated number of children (0-17 years) orphaned by AIDS (2005)	12,000,000	15,200,000
Child protection		
Birth registration [◇] (1999-2005*)	34	-
Urban	52	-
Rural	28	-
Child marriage (1987-2005*)	40	-
Urban	24	-
Rural	47	-
Child labour (5-14 years, 1999-2005*)	35	-
Male	36	-
Female	34	-
Women		
Adult literacy parity rate (females as a percentage of males, 2000-2006*)	72	86
Antenatal care coverage (percentage, 2000-2006*)	69	75
Skilled attendant at delivery (percentage, 2000-2006*)	43	63
Lifetime risk of maternal death (2005)	1 in: 22	92

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EASTERN AND SOUTHERN AFRICA

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Demographic indicators		
Total population (2006)	370,361,000	6,577,236,000
Population under 18 (2006)	183,232,000	2,212,024,000
Population under 5 (2006)	60,197,000	625,781,000
Survival		
Life expectancy at birth (2006)	50	68
Neonatal mortality rate (under 28 days), per 1,000 live births (2000)	40	30
Infant mortality rate (under 1), per 1,000 live births (2006)	83	49
Under-5 mortality rate, per 1,000 live births (2006)	131	72
Under-5 mortality rate, average annual rate of reduction (1990-2006)	1.4	1.6
Maternal mortality ratio, per 100,000 live births (2005, adjusted)	760	400
Health and nutrition		
Percentage of infants with low birthweight (1999-2006*)	14	15
Percentage of under-5s who are moderately or severely underweight (2000-2006*)	28	25
Percentage of population using improved drinking-water sources (2004)	56	83
Urban	86	95
Rural	42	73
Percentage of population using adequate sanitation facilities (2004)	38	59
Percentage of 1-year-old children immunized (2006) against:		
Tuberculosis (BCG)	85	87
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT1)	86	89
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT3)	78	79
Polio (polio3)	77	80
Measles	76	80
Hepatitis B (hepB3)	58	60
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (Hib3)	36	22
Education		
Percentage of primary school entrants reaching grade 5 (administrative data; 2000-2006*)	69	78 **
Net primary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	66	80
Female	67	78
Net secondary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	20	50 **
Female	19	47 **
Adult literacy rate (2000-2005*)	60	78

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Economic indicators		
GNI per capita (US\$, 2006)	1,171	7,406
Percentage of population living on less than \$1 a day (1995-2005*)	34	19
Percentage share of central government expenditure (1995-2005*) allocated to:		
Health	-	14
Education	-	5
Defence	-	11
Percentage share of household income (1995-2004*):		
Lowest 40 per cent	11	20
Highest 20 per cent	58	42
HIV/AIDS		
Adult prevalence rate (15-49 years, end 2005)	8.6	1.0
Estimated number of people (all ages) living with HIV (2005)	17,500,000	38,600,000
Estimated number of children (0-14 years) living with HIV (2005)	1,400,000	2,300,000
Estimated number of children (0-17 years) orphaned by AIDS (2005)	8,700,000	15,200,000
Child protection		
Birth registration [◇] (1999-2006*)	24	-
Urban	39	-
Rural	21	-
Child marriage (1987-2005*)	36	-
Urban	20	-
Rural	44	-
Child labour (5-14 years, 1999-2005*)	36	-
Male	38	-
Female	33	-
Women		
Adult literacy parity rate (females as a percentage of males, 2000-2004*)	74	86
Antenatal care coverage (percentage, 1997-2005*)	71	75
Skilled attendant at delivery (percentage, 1997-2005*)	40	63
Lifetime risk of maternal death (2000)	1 in: 29	92

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WEST AND CENTRAL AFRICA

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Demographic indicators		
Total population (2006)	378,525,000	6,577,236,000
Population under 18 (2006)	192,816,000	2,212,024,000
Population under 5 (2006)	65,057,000	625,781,000
Survival		
Life expectancy at birth (2006)	50	68
Neonatal mortality rate (under 28 days), per 1,000 live births (2000)	48	30
Infant mortality rate (under 1), per 1,000 live births (2006)	107	49
Under-5 mortality rate, per 1,000 live births (2006)	186	72
Under-5 mortality rate, average annual rate of reduction (1990-2006)	0.7	1.6
Maternal mortality ratio, per 100,000 live births (2005, adjusted)	1,100	400
Health and nutrition		
Percentage of infants with low birthweight (1999-2006*)	14	15
Percentage of under-5s who are moderately or severely underweight (2000-2006*)	28	25
Percentage of population using improved drinking-water sources (2004)	55	83
Urban	76	95
Rural	40	73
Percentage of population using adequate sanitation facilities (2004)	36	59
Percentage of 1-year-old children immunized (2006) against:		
Tuberculosis (BCG)	79	87
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT1)	81	89
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT3)	67	79
Polio (polio3)	70	80
Measles	68	80
Hepatitis B (hepB3)	38	60
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (Hib3)	13	22
Education		
Percentage of primary school entrants reaching grade 5 (administrative data; 2000-2006*)	71	78 **
Net primary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	62	80
Female	55	78
Net secondary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	30	50 **
Female	25	47 **
Adult literacy rate (2000-2005*)	57	78

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Economic indicators		
GNI per capita (US\$, 2006)	553	7,406
Percentage of population living on less than \$1 a day (1995-2005*)	52	19
Percentage share of central government expenditure (1995-2005*) allocated to:		
Health	-	14
Education	-	5
Defence	-	11
Percentage share of household income (1995-2005*):		
Lowest 40 per cent	16	20
Highest 20 per cent	49	42
HIV/AIDS		
Adult prevalence rate (15-49 years, end 2005)	3.5	1.0
Estimated number of people (all ages) living with HIV (2005)	6,900,000	38,600,000
Estimated number of children (0-14 years) living with HIV (2005)	650,000	2,300,000
Estimated number of children (0-17 years) orphaned by AIDS (2005)	3,300,000	15,200,000
Child protection		
Birth registration [◇] (1999-2006*)	41	-
Urban	58	-
Rural	35	-
Child marriage (1987-2006*)	44	-
Urban	27	-
Rural	53	-
Child labour (5-14 years, 1999-2006*)	34	-
Male	33	-
Female	34	-
Women		
Adult literacy parity rate (females as a percentage of males, 2000-2006*)	69	86
Antenatal care coverage (percentage, 2000-2006*)	67	75
Skilled attendant at delivery (percentage, 2000-2006*)	46	63
Lifetime risk of maternal death (2005)	1 in: 17	92

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MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Demographic indicators		
Total population (2006)	382,048,000	6,577,236,000
Population under 18 (2006)	152,632,000	2,212,024,000
Population under 5 (2006)	44,126,000	625,781,000
Survival		
Life expectancy at birth (2006)	69	68
Neonatal mortality rate (under 28 days), per 1,000 live births (2000)	26	30
Infant mortality rate (under 1), per 1,000 live births (2006)	36	49
Under-5 mortality rate, per 1,000 live births (2006)	46	72
Under-5 mortality rate, average annual rate of reduction (1990-2006)	3.4	1.6
Maternal mortality ratio, per 100,000 live births (2005, adjusted)	210	400
Health and nutrition		
Percentage of infants with low birthweight (1999-2006*)	16	15
Percentage of under-5s who are moderately or severely underweight (2000-2006*)	17	25
Percentage of population using improved drinking-water sources (2004)	88	83
Urban	95	95
Rural	78	73
Percentage of population using adequate sanitation facilities (2004)	74	59
Percentage of 1-year-old children immunized (2006) against:		
Tuberculosis (BCG)	92	87
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT1)	95	89
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT3)	91	79
Polio (polio3)	91	80
Measles	89	80
Hepatitis B (hepB3)	88	60
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (Hib3)	24	22
Education		
Percentage of primary school entrants reaching grade 5 (administrative data; 2000-2006*)	88	78 **
Net primary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	89	80
Female	86	78
Net secondary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	54	50 **
Female	52	47 **
Adult literacy rate (2000-2005*)	73	78

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Economic indicators		
GNI per capita (US\$, 2006)	2,104	7,406
Percentage of population living on less than \$1 a day (1995-2005*)	4	19
Percentage share of central government expenditure (1995-2005*) allocated to:		
Health	5	14
Education	13	5
Defence	15	11
Percentage share of household income (1995-2004*):		
Lowest 40 per cent	17	20
Highest 20 per cent	46	42
HIV/AIDS		
Adult prevalence rate (15-49 years, end 2005)	0.2	1.0
Estimated number of people (all ages) living with HIV (2005)	510,000	38,600,000
Estimated number of children (0-14 years) living with HIV (2005)	33,000	2,300,000
Estimated number of children (0-17 years) orphaned by AIDS (2005)	-	15,200,000
Child protection		
Birth registration [◇] (1999-2006*)	-	-
Urban	-	-
Rural	-	-
Child marriage (1987-2006*)	17	-
Urban	11	-
Rural	19	-
Child labour (5-14 years, 1999-2006*)	9	-
Male	10	-
Female	8	-
Women		
Adult literacy parity rate (females as a percentage of males, 2000-2006*)	77	86
Antenatal care coverage (percentage, 2000-2006*)	72	75
Skilled attendant at delivery (percentage, 2000-2006*)	79	63
Lifetime risk of maternal death (2005)	1 in: 140	92

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SOUTH ASIA

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Demographic indicators		
Total population (2006)	1,542,571,000	6,577,236,000
Population under 18 (2006)	612,647,000	2,212,024,000
Population under 5 (2006)	174,830,000	625,781,000
Survival		
Life expectancy at birth (2006)	64	68
Neonatal mortality rate (under 28 days), per 1,000 live births (2000)	44	30
Infant mortality rate (under 1), per 1,000 live births (2006)	62	49
Under-5 mortality rate, per 1,000 live births (2006)	83	72
Under-5 mortality rate, average annual rate of reduction (1990-2006)	2.5	1.6
Maternal mortality ratio, per 100,000 live births (2005, adjusted)	500	400
Health and nutrition		
Percentage of infants with low birthweight (1999-2006*)	29	15
Percentage of under-5s who are moderately or severely underweight (2000-2006*)	42	25
Percentage of population using improved drinking-water sources (2004)	85	83
Urban	94	95
Rural	81	73
Percentage of population using adequate sanitation facilities (2004)	37	59
Percentage of 1-year-old children immunized (2006) against:		
Tuberculosis (BCG)	82	87
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT1)	82	89
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT3)	63	79
Polio (polio3)	66	80
Measles	65	80
Hepatitis B (hepB3)	25	60
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (Hib3)	-	22
Education		
Percentage of primary school entrants reaching grade 5 (administrative data; 2000-2006*)	72	78 **
Net primary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	81	80
Female	79	78
Net secondary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	55	50 **
Female	50	47 **
Adult literacy rate (2000-2005*)	58	78

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Economic indicators		
GNI per capita (US\$, 2006)	777	7,406
Percentage of population living on less than \$1 a day (1995-2005*)	32	19
Percentage share of central government expenditure (1995-2005*) allocated to:		
Health	2	14
Education	3	5
Defence	14	11
Percentage share of household income (1995-2004*):		
Lowest 40 per cent	19	20
Highest 20 per cent	46	42
HIV/AIDS		
Adult prevalence rate (15-49 years, end 2005)#	0.7	1.0
Estimated number of people (all ages) living with HIV (2005)#	5,900,000	38,600,000
Estimated number of children (0-14 years) living with HIV (2005)	130,000	2,300,000
Estimated number of children (0-17 years) orphaned by AIDS (2005)	-	15,200,000
Child protection		
Birth registration [◇] (1999-2006*)	36	-
Urban	52	-
Rural	30	-
Child marriage (1987-2006*)	45	-
Urban	30	-
Rural	53	-
Child labour (5-14 years, 1999-2006*)	13	-
Male	-	-
Female	-	-
Women		
Adult literacy parity rate (females as a percentage of males, 2000-2006*)	66	86
Antenatal care coverage (percentage, 2000-2006*)	65	75
Skilled attendant at delivery (percentage, 2000-2006*)	41	63
Lifetime risk of maternal death (2005)	1 in: 59	92

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The revised adult HIV prevalence data for India were not available at the time of publication; India's most recent data on the 'Estimated number of people (all ages) living with HIV' are excluded from the regional summaries.

EAST ASIA AND PACIFIC

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Demographic indicators		
Total population (2006)	1,968,675,000	6,577,236,000
Population under 18 (2006)	566,804,000	2,212,024,000
Population under 5 (2006)	144,870,000	625,781,000
Survival		
Life expectancy at birth (2006)	72	68
Neonatal mortality rate (under 28 days), per 1,000 live births (2000)	20	30
Infant mortality rate (under 1), per 1,000 live births (2006)	23	49
Under-5 mortality rate, per 1,000 live births (2006)	29	72
Under-5 mortality rate, average annual rate of reduction (1990-2006)	4.0	1.6
Maternal mortality ratio, per 100,000 live births (2005, adjusted)	150	400
Health and nutrition		
Percentage of infants with low birthweight (1999-2006*)	6	15
Percentage of under-5s who are moderately or severely underweight (2000-2006*)	14	25
Percentage of population using improved drinking-water sources (2004)	79	83
Urban	92	95
Rural	70	73
Percentage of population using adequate sanitation facilities (2004)	51	59
Percentage of 1-year-old children immunized (2006) against:		
Tuberculosis (BCG)	91	87
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT1)	92	89
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT3)	89	79
Polio (polio3)	89	80
Measles	89	80
Hepatitis B (hepB3)	86	60
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (Hib3)	2	22
Education		
Percentage of primary school entrants reaching grade 5 (administrative data; 2000-2006*)	84**	78 **
Net primary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	91	80
Female	92	78
Net secondary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	60**	50 **
Female	63**	47 **
Adult literacy rate (2000-2005*)	91	78

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Economic indicators		
GNI per capita (US\$, 2006)	2,371	7,406
Percentage of population living on less than \$1 a day (1995-2005*)	9	19
Percentage share of central government expenditure (1995-2005*) allocated to:		
Health	1	14
Education	7	5
Defence	11	11
Percentage share of household income (1995-2004*):		
Lowest 40 per cent	17	20
Highest 20 per cent	46	42
HIV/AIDS		
Adult prevalence rate (15-49 years, end 2005)	0.2	1.0
Estimated number of people (all ages) living with HIV (2005)	2,300,000	38,600,000
Estimated number of children (0-14 years) living with HIV (2005)	50,000	2,300,000
Estimated number of children (0-17 years) orphaned by AIDS (2005)	-	15,200,000
Child protection		
Birth registration [◇] (1999-2006*)	72**	-
Urban	80**	-
Rural	67**	-
Child marriage (1987-2006*)	19**	-
Urban	12**	-
Rural	25**	-
Child labour (5-14 years, 1999-2006*)	10**	-
Male	11**	-
Female	10**	-
Women		
Adult literacy parity rate (females as a percentage of males, 2000-2006*)	92	86
Antenatal care coverage (percentage, 2000-2006*)	89	75
Skilled attendant at delivery (percentage, 2000-2006*)	87	63
Lifetime risk of maternal death (2005)	1 in: 350	92

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LATIN AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Demographic indicators		
Total population (2006)	559,525,000	6,577,236,000
Population under 18 (2006)	197,134,000	2,212,024,000
Population under 5 (2006)	55,715,000	625,781,000
Survival		
Life expectancy at birth (2006)	73	68
Neonatal mortality rate (under 28 days), per 1,000 live births (2000)	15	30
Infant mortality rate (under 1), per 1,000 live births (2006)	22	49
Under-5 mortality rate, per 1,000 live births (2006)	27	72
Under-5 mortality rate, average annual rate of reduction (1990-2006)	4.4	1.6
Maternal mortality ratio, per 100,000 live births (2005, adjusted)	130	400
Health and nutrition		
Percentage of infants with low birthweight (1999-2006*)	9	15
Percentage of under-5s who are moderately or severely underweight (2000-2006*)	7	25
Percentage of population using improved drinking-water sources (2004)	91	83
Urban	96	95
Rural	73	73
Percentage of population using adequate sanitation facilities (2004)	77	59
Percentage of 1-year-old children immunized (2006) against:		
Tuberculosis (BCG)	96	87
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT1)	96	89
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT3)	92	79
Polio (polio3)	92	80
Measles	93	80
Hepatitis B (hepB3)	89	60
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (Hib3)	90	22
Education		
Percentage of primary school entrants reaching grade 5 (administrative data; 2000-2006*)	85	78 **
Net primary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	90	80
Female	91	78
Net secondary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	-	50 **
Female	-	47 **
Adult literacy rate (2000-2005*)	90	78

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Economic indicators		
GNI per capita (US\$, 2006)	4,847	7,406
Percentage of population living on less than \$1 a day (1995-2005*)	9	19
Percentage share of central government expenditure (1995-2005*) allocated to:		
Health	7	14
Education	15	5
Defence	4	11
Percentage share of household income (1995-2004*):		
Lowest 40 per cent	12	20
Highest 20 per cent	56	42
HIV/AIDS		
Adult prevalence rate (15-49 years, end 2005)	0.6	1.0
Estimated number of people (all ages) living with HIV (2005)	1,900,000	38,600,000
Estimated number of children (0-14 years) living with HIV (2005)	54,000	2,300,000
Estimated number of children (0-17 years) orphaned by AIDS (2005)	-	15,200,000
Child protection		
Birth registration [◇] (1999-2006*)	89	-
Urban	93	-
Rural	83	-
Child marriage (1987-2006*)	26	-
Urban	24	-
Rural	31	-
Child labour (5-14 years, 1999-2006*)	11	-
Male	12	-
Female	10	-
Women		
Adult literacy parity rate (females as a percentage of males, 2000-2006*)	99	86
Antenatal care coverage (percentage, 2000-2006*)	94	75
Skilled attendant at delivery (percentage, 2000-2006*)	-	63
Lifetime risk of maternal death (2005)	1 in: 280	92

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Demographic indicators		
Total population (2006)	405,584,000	6,577,236,000
Population under 18 (2006)	101,837,000	2,212,024,000
Population under 5 (2006)	26,218,000	625,781,000
Survival		
Life expectancy at birth (2006)	68	68
Neonatal mortality rate (under 28 days), per 1,000 live births (2000)	18	30
Infant mortality rate (under 1), per 1,000 live births (2006)	24	49
Under-5 mortality rate, per 1,000 live births (2006)	27	72
Under-5 mortality rate, average annual rate of reduction (1990-2006)	4.2	1.6
Maternal mortality ratio, per 100,000 live births (2005, adjusted)	46	400
Health and nutrition		
Percentage of infants with low birthweight (1999-2006*)	6	15
Percentage of under-5s who are moderately or severely underweight (2000-2006*)	5	25
Percentage of population using improved drinking-water sources (2004)	91	83
Urban	98	95
Rural	79	73
Percentage of population using adequate sanitation facilities (2004)	84	59
Percentage of 1-year-old children immunized (2006) against:		
Tuberculosis (BCG)	95	87
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT1)	96	89
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT3)	95	79
Polio (polio3)	95	80
Measles	97	80
Hepatitis B (hepB3)	92	60
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (Hib3)	3	22
Education		
Percentage of primary school entrants reaching grade 5 (administrative data; 2000-2006*)	97	78 **
Net primary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	93	80
Female	91	78
Net secondary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	80	50 **
Female	78	47 **
Adult literacy rate (2000-2005*)	97	78

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Economic indicators		
GNI per capita (US\$, 2006)	4,264	7,406
Percentage of population living on less than \$1 a day (1995-2005*)	2	19
Percentage share of central government expenditure (1995-2005*) allocated to:		
Health	7	14
Education	6	5
Defence	9	11
Percentage share of household income (1995-2004*):		
Lowest 40 per cent	20	20
Highest 20 per cent	42	42
HIV/AIDS		
Adult prevalence rate (15-49 years, end 2005)	0.6	1.0
Estimated number of people (all ages) living with HIV (2005)	1,500,000	38,600,000
Estimated number of children (0-14 years) living with HIV (2005)	9,000	2,300,000
Estimated number of children (0-17 years) orphaned by AIDS (2005)	-	15,200,000
Child protection		
Birth registration [◇] (1999-2006*)	-	-
Urban	-	-
Rural	-	-
Child marriage (1987-2006*)	11	-
Urban	7	-
Rural	9	-
Child labour (5-14 years, 1999-2006*)	5	-
Male	5	-
Female	5	-
Women		
Adult literacy parity rate (females as a percentage of males, 2000-2006*)	96	86
Antenatal care coverage (percentage, 2000-2006*)	90	75
Skilled attendant at delivery (percentage, 2000-2006*)	95	63
Lifetime risk of maternal death (2005)	1 in: 1,300	92

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INDUSTRIALIZED COUNTRIES

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Demographic indicators		
Total population (2006)	969,949,000	6,577,236,000
Population under 18 (2006)	204,920,000	2,212,024,000
Population under 5 (2006)	54,768,000	625,781,000
Survival		
Life expectancy at birth (2006)	79	68
Neonatal mortality rate (under 28 days), per 1,000 live births (2000)	4	30
Infant mortality rate (under 1), per 1,000 live births (2006)	5	49
Under-5 mortality rate, per 1,000 live births (2006)	6	72
Under-5 mortality rate, average annual rate of reduction (1990-2006)	3.2	1.6
Maternal mortality ratio, per 100,000 live births (2005, adjusted)	8	400
Health and nutrition		
Percentage of infants with low birthweight (1999-2006*)	7	15
Percentage of under-5s who are moderately or severely underweight (2000-2006*)	-	25
Percentage of population using improved drinking-water sources (2004)	100	83
Urban	100	95
Rural	100	73
Percentage of population using adequate sanitation facilities (2004)	100	59
Percentage of 1-year-old children immunized (2006) against:		
Tuberculosis (BCG)	-	87
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT1)	98	89
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT3)	96	79
Polio (polio3)	94	80
Measles	93	80
Hepatitis B (hepB3)	64	60
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (Hib3)	82	22
Education		
Percentage of primary school entrants reaching grade 5 (administrative data; 2000-2006*)	-	78 **
Net primary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	-	80
Female	-	78
Net secondary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	-	50 **
Female	-	47 **
Adult literacy rate (2000-2005*)	-	78

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Economic indicators		
GNI per capita (US\$, 2006)	37,217	7,406
Percentage of population living on less than \$1 a day (1995-2005*)	-	19
Percentage share of central government expenditure (1995-2005*) allocated to:		
Health	18	14
Education	4	5
Defence	12	11
Percentage share of household income (1995-2004*):		
Lowest 40 per cent	21	20
Highest 20 per cent	40	42
HIV/AIDS		
Adult prevalence rate (15-49 years, end 2005)	0.4	1.0
Estimated number of people (all ages) living with HIV (2005)	2,000,000	38,600,000
Estimated number of children (0-14 years) living with HIV (2005)	13,000	2,300,000
Estimated number of children (0-17 years) orphaned by AIDS (2005)	-	15,200,000
Child protection		
Birth registration [◇] (1999-2006*)	-	-
Urban	-	-
Rural	-	-
Child marriage (1987-2006*)	-	-
Urban	-	-
Rural	-	-
Child labour (5-14 years, 1999-2006*)	-	-
Male	-	-
Female	-	-
Women		
Adult literacy parity rate (females as a percentage of males, 2000-2006*)	-	86
Antenatal care coverage (percentage, 1997-2006*)	-	75
Skilled attendant at delivery (percentage, 2000-2006*)	99	63
Lifetime risk of maternal death (2005)	1 in: 8,000	92

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DEVELOPING COUNTRIES

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Demographic indicators		
Total population (2006)	5,358,223,000	6,577,236,000
Population under 18 (2006)	1,958,948,000	2,212,024,000
Population under 5 (2006)	559,069,000	625,781,000
Survival		
Life expectancy at birth (2006)	66	68
Neonatal mortality rate (under 28 days), per 1,000 live births (2000)	33	30
Infant mortality rate (under 1), per 1,000 live births (2006)	54	49
Under-5 mortality rate, per 1,000 live births (2006)	79	72
Under-5 mortality rate, average annual rate of reduction (1990-2006)	1.7	1.6
Maternal mortality ratio, per 100,000 live births (2005, adjusted)	450	400
Health and nutrition		
Percentage of infants with low birthweight (1999-2006*)	16	15
Percentage of under-5s who are moderately or severely underweight (2000-2006*)	26	25
Percentage of population using improved drinking-water sources (2004)	80	83
Urban	92	95
Rural	70	73
Percentage of population using adequate sanitation facilities (2004)	50	59
Percentage of 1-year-old children immunized (2006) against:		
Tuberculosis (BCG)	86	87
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT1)	88	89
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT3)	78	79
Polio (polio3)	79	80
Measles	78	80
Hepatitis B (hepB3)	59	60
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (Hib3)	17	22
Education		
Percentage of primary school entrants reaching grade 5 (administrative data; 2000-2006*)	77**	78 **
Net primary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	80	80
Female	78	78
Net secondary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	50**	50 **
Female	46**	47 **
Adult literacy rate (2000-2005*)	76	78

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Economic indicators		
GNI per capita (US\$, 2006)	1,967	7,406
Percentage of population living on less than \$1 a day (1995-2005*)	20	19
Percentage share of central government expenditure (1995-2005*) allocated to:		
Health	3	14
Education	9	5
Defence	10	11
Percentage share of household income (1995-2004*):		
Lowest 40 per cent	15	20
Highest 20 per cent	50	42
HIV/AIDS		
Adult prevalence rate (15-49 years, end 2005)	1.1	1.0
Estimated number of people (all ages) living with HIV (2005)	35,100,000	38,600,000
Estimated number of children (0-14 years) living with HIV (2005)	2,300,000	2,300,000
Estimated number of children (0-17 years) orphaned by AIDS (2005)	-	15,200,000
Child protection		
Birth registration [◇] (1999-2006*)	49**	-
Urban	64**	-
Rural	37**	-
Child marriage (1987-2006*)	34**	-
Urban	23**	-
Rural	45**	-
Child labour (5-14 years, 1999-2006*)	16**	-
Male	19**	-
Female	17**	-
Women		
Adult literacy parity rate (females as a percentage of males, 2000-2006*)	83	86
Antenatal care coverage (percentage, 2000-2006*)	75	75
Skilled attendant at delivery (percentage, 2000-2006*)	59	63
Lifetime risk of maternal death (2005)	1 in: 76	92

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LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Demographic indicators		
Total population (2006)	785,444,000	6,577,236,000
Population under 18 (2006)	376,727,000	2,212,024,000
Population under 5 (2006)	122,114,000	625,781,000
Survival		
Life expectancy at birth (2006)	55	68
Neonatal mortality rate (under 28 days), per 1,000 live births (2000)	43	30
Infant mortality rate (under 1), per 1,000 live births (2006)	90	49
Under-5 mortality rate, per 1,000 live births (2006)	142	72
Under-5 mortality rate, average annual rate of reduction (1990-2006)	1.5	1.6
Maternal mortality ratio, per 100,000 live births (2005, adjusted)	870	400
Health and nutrition		
Percentage of infants with low birthweight (1999-2006*)	17	15
Percentage of under-5s who are moderately or severely underweight (2000-2006*)	35	25
Percentage of population using improved drinking-water sources (2004)	59	83
Urban	79	95
Rural	51	73
Percentage of population using adequate sanitation facilities (2004)	36	59
Percentage of 1-year-old children immunized (2006) against:		
Tuberculosis (BCG)	85	87
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT1)	87	89
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT3)	77	79
Polio (polio3)	77	80
Measles	74	80
Hepatitis B (hepB3)	50	60
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b (Hib3)	17	22
Education		
Percentage of primary school entrants reaching grade 5 (administrative data; 2000-2006*)	67	78 **
Net primary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	65	80
Female	63	78
Net secondary school attendance ratio (2000-2006*)		
Male	26	50 **
Female	24	47 **
Adult literacy rate (2000-2005*)	55	78

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Economic indicators		
GNI per capita (US\$, 2006)	438	7,406
Percentage of population living on less than \$1 a day (1995-2005*)	38	19
Percentage share of central government expenditure (1995-2005*) allocated to:		
Health	5	14
Education	14	5
Defence	14	11
Percentage share of household income (1995-2004*):		
Lowest 40 per cent	15	20
Highest 20 per cent	50	42
HIV/AIDS		
Adult prevalence rate (15-49 years, end 2005)	2.7	1.0
Estimated number of people (all ages) living with HIV (2005)	11,700,000	38,600,000
Estimated number of children (0-14 years) living with HIV (2005)	1,100,000	2,300,000
Estimated number of children (0-17 years) orphaned by AIDS (2005)	-	15,200,000
Child protection		
Birth registration [◇] (1999-2006*)	30	-
Urban	43	-
Rural	24	-
Child marriage (1987-2006*)	49	-
Urban	37	-
Rural	57	-
Child labour (5-14 years, 1999-2006*)	29	-
Male	31	-
Female	28	-
Women		
Adult literacy parity rate (females as a percentage of males, 2000-2006*)	68	86
Antenatal care coverage (percentage, 2000-2006*)	61	75
Skilled attendant at delivery (percentage, 2000-2006*)	38	63
Lifetime risk of maternal death (2005)	1 in: 24	92

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