Birth Registration - South Asia region

Percentage of children less than five years old who were registered at the moment of the survey, by countries in the South Asia region

Source: State of the World's Children 2011, based on data from MICS, DHS, other national surveys and vital registration systems, 2000-2006/07.
Child Labour - South Asia region

Percentage of children 5-14 years involved in child labour at the moment of the survey, by countries in the South Asia region

- Nepal (y): 34
- Bhutan (y): 19
- Afghanistan (y): 13
- Bangladesh: 13
- India: 12
- Sri Lanka: 8
- South Asia: 12

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Definition of child labour: A child is considered to be involved in child labour under the following conditions: (a) children 5-11 years old who, during the week preceding the survey, did at least one hour of economic activity or at least 28 hours of household chores, or (b) children 12-14 years old who, during the week preceding the survey, did at least 14 hours of economic activity or at least 28 hours of household chores.
Child Marriage - South Asia region

Percentage of women 20-24 years old who were first married or in union before they were 18 years old, by countries in the South Asia region

Attitudes towards domestic violence - South Asia region

Percentage of women 15-49 years old who consider a husband to be justified in hitting or beating his wife for at least one of the specified reasons, * by countries in the South Asia region

* Women were asked whether a husband is justified in hitting or beating his wife under a series of circumstances, i.e., if his wife burns the food, argues with him, goes out without telling him, neglects the children or refuses sexual relations.

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