

MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA

INDICATOR	REGION	WORLD
Demographic indicators		
Total population (2005)	378,532,000	6,449,371,000
Population under 18 (2005)	154,130,000	2,183,143,000
Population under 5 (2005)	44,711,000	616,219,000
Survival		
Life expectancy at birth (2005)	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 (2005)	43	52
Under-5 mortality rate, per 1,000 live births (2005)	54	76
Under-5 mortality rate, average annual rate of reduction (1990-2005)	2.7	1.5
Maternal mortality ratio, per 100,000 live births (2000, adjusted)	220	400
Health and nutrition		
Percentage of infants with low birthweight (1998-2005*)	15	15
Percentage of under-5s who are moderately or severely underweight (1996-2005*)	16	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 (2005) against:		
Tuberculosis (BCG)	89	83
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT1)	96	88
Diphtheria/pertussis/tetanus (DPT3)	89	78
Polio (polio3)	90	78
Measles	89	77
Hepatitis B (hepB3)	88	55
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> (Hib3)	-	-
Education		
Percentage of primary school entrants reaching grade 5 (administrative data; 2000-2004*)	91	83
Net primary school attendance ratio (1996-2005*)		
Male	83	78
Female	77	75
Net secondary school attendance ratio (1996-2005*)		
Male	50	46 **
Female	44	43 **
Adult literacy rate (2000-2004*)	72	80

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Economic indicators		
GNI per capita (US\$, 2005)	2,627	7,002
Percentage of population living on less than \$1 a day (1994-2004*)	4	21
Percentage share of central government expenditure (1994-2004*) allocated to:		
Health	5	13
Education	14	6
Defence	17	12
Percentage share of household income (1994-2004*):		
Lowest 40 per cent	16	20
Highest 20 per cent	47	42
HIV/AIDS		
Adult prevalence rate (15+ 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 (1999-2005*)	-	-
Urban	-	-
Rural	-	-
Child marriage (1987-2005*)	-	-
Urban	-	-
Rural	-	-
Child labour (5-14 years, 1999-2005*)	10	-
Male	12	-
Female	9	-
Women		
Adult literacy parity rate (females as a percentage of males, 2000-2004*)	77	86
Antenatal care coverage (percentage, 1997-2005*)	70	71
Skilled attendant at delivery (percentage, 1997-2005*)	76	63
Lifetime risk of maternal death (2000)	1 in...100	74

NOTES:

* Data refer to the most recent year available during the period specified.

** Excludes China.

- Data not available.