

Table 4: Mortality and Reproductive Health

DMC	Life Expectancy at Birth (Years)				Infant Mortality Rate (Per 1,000 Live Births)		Total Fertility Rate (Births Per Woman)	
	1990		2000		1990	2000	1990	2000
	Female	Male	Female	Male				
Central Asia								
Azerbaijan	75	67	69	62	74	74	2.7	1.7
Kazakhstan	73	64	68	58	54	60	2.8	2.1
Kyrgyz Republic	73	64	69	60	69	53	3.7	2.6
Mongolia	64	61	67	61	77	62	4.1	2.5
Tajikistan	72	67	65	60	57	54	4.9	3.3
Turkmenistan	70	63	65	60	56	52	4.3	3.4
Uzbekistan	72	66	68	62	47	51	4.0	2.6
East Asia								
China, People's Rep. of	70	67	73	69	38	32	2.2	1.8
Hong Kong, China	80	75	82	77	6	3 ^a	1.3	1.0
Korea, Rep. of	74	67	78	71	8	5	1.7	1.5
Taipei, China	77	71	78	73	5	6	1.8	1.7
Mekong								
Cambodia	52	49	59	53	80	95	5.6	5.1
Lao PDR	51	49	56	52	120	90	6.1	5.1
Myanmar	58	55	61	56	91	78	4.0	3.1
Thailand	71	66	72	66	34	25	2.3	2.1
Viet Nam	69	64	71	67	36	30	3.7	2.4
Pacific								
Cook Islands	73	69	72	69	25	20	4.2	3.3
Fiji Islands	73	69	71	67	25	18	3.5	3.1
Kiribati	59	55	65	60	65	52	4.4	4.6
Marshall Islands	63 ^a	61 ^a	68	63	63 ^a	37 ^{a, b}	5.6	5.9
Micronesia, Fed. States of	66	62	68	64	26	20	4.8	5.1
Nauru	69	64	67	59	41	25	4.3	4.6
Papua New Guinea	56	54	58	55	79	79	5.2	4.5
Samoa	68	65	73	67	33	21	4.8	4.4
Solomon Islands	71	67	71	67	29	21	5.9	5.5
Tonga	71	67	73	67	23	17	4.8	3.8
Tuvalu	70 ^a	64 ^a	68	64	38	38	3.5	2.8
Vanuatu	62	61	68	64	52	35	4.9	4.5
South Asia								
Afghanistan	43	42	45	44	164	165	7.1	6.9
Bangladesh	55	55	61	60	91	54	4.6	3.7
Bhutan	59 ^a	57 ^a	63	60	75 ^a	77	5.9	5.3
India	60	59	63	60	80	69	3.9	3.2
Maldives	61	62	64	65	60	59	6.4	5.6
Nepal	53	54	58	59	101	72	5.2	4.7
Pakistan	60	58	61	60	111	85	6.0	5.3
Sri Lanka	74	69	75	68	19	17	2.6	2.1
Southeast Asia								
Indonesia	64	60	67	63	63	35	3.3	2.5
Malaysia	73	68	74	68	16	8	3.8	3.1
Philippines	67	64	71	65	45	30	4.4	3.4
Singapore	77	72	80	75	7	4	1.8	1.6

a Refers to available data nearest the year/period indicated in the column heading.

b Based on 1999 Census of Population and Housing. UNICEF's IMR estimate for 2000 is 55.

c Data referring to 1990 and 1995 are estimates done by WHO, UNICEF and UNFPA. The estimates may be used as alternative data in countries with no MMR estimates. However, comparison between 1990 and 1995 data should be done with caution since the methodology used to derive the estimates are not exactly the same. Cross-country comparison should be done with caution due to the estimates' large margin of uncertainty. Data referring to 1985-1999 are based on national sources.

d Refers to data other than the period specified in the column heading, differ from standard definition or refer to only part of a country.

Table 4: Mortality and Reproductive Health (Continued)

Maternal Mortality Ratio ^c (Per 100,000 Live Births)			Contraceptive Prevalence Rate (% of Married Women 15-49 years)		Births Attended by Skilled Health Staff (%)		DMC
1990	1995	1996-2000 ^a	1990 ^a	1995-2001 ^a	1985-1990 ^a	1995-2000 ^a	
Central Asia							
22	37	43	...	55	...	88	Azerbaijan
80	80	59	...	66	...	99	Kazakhstan
110	80	63	...	60	...	98	Kyrgyz Republic
65	65	150	...	42	100	93	Mongolia
130	120	67	...	34	...	71	Tajikistan
55	65	44	...	62	...	97	Turkmenistan
55	60	28	...	67	...	96	Uzbekistan
East Asia							
95	60	56	71	91	94	70	China, People's Rep. of
7	...	3	81	50 ^d	100	100	Hong Kong, China
130	20	20	77	81	89	100	Korea, Rep. of
12	8	8	...	...	...	...	Taipei, China
Mekong							
900	590	473	...	38	47	34	Cambodia
650	650	650	...	19	...	21	Lao PDR
580	170	...	5	33	94	56	Myanmar
200	44	...	66	72	71	95	Thailand
160	95	95	58	74	95	70	Viet Nam
Pacific							
...	...	0	40	53	...	100	Cook Islands
90	20	38	38	40	96	99	Fiji Islands
...	...	0	19	28	...	85	Kiribati
...	...	0	...	37 ^d	...	97	Marshall Islands
...	...	274	...	25	...	93	Micronesia, Fed. States of
...	...	0 ^d	...	...	...	...	Nauru
930	390	370	4	26	40	53 ^d	Papua New Guinea
35	...	43	18	30	52	...	Samoa
...	60	...	...	19	84	85	Solomon Islands
...	...	81	...	32	81	92	Tonga
...	...	0	...	40	...	99	Tuvalu
280	32	...	...	15	70	89	Vanuatu
South Asia							
1700	820	...	...	2 ^d	9	...	Afghanistan
850	600	390	31	54	7	13	Bangladesh
1600	500	...	...	31	16	12 ^d	Bhutan
570	440	...	45	48	44	42	India
...	390	...	...	32	55	90 ^d	Maldives
1500	830	539	15	27	6	12	Nepal
340	200	...	14	28	40	20	Pakistan
140	60	...	62	69	85	95	Sri Lanka
Southeast Asia							
650	470	...	50	55	47	56	Indonesia
80	39	20	56	55 ^d	87	96	Malaysia
280	240	172	44	47	55	56	Philippines
10	9	2	74	74 ^d	100	100	Singapore

Sources: Country sources.

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