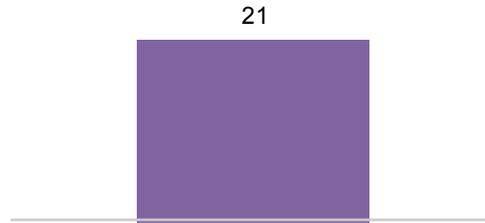# Fertility, Family Planning Use, Under-Five Mortality and Maternal and Child Health
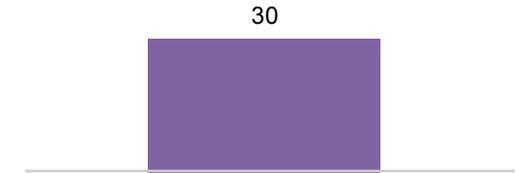
The 2013 National Demographic and Health Survey (NDHS) provides up-to-date information on the population and health situation in the Philippines. It is the tenth demographic and health survey conducted in the country.

The survey is based on a nationally representative sample. It provides estimates for rural and urban areas of the country and for each of the 17 regions.

Fertility Rate
Total wanted fertility rate and total fertility rate

- Total wanted fertility rate: 3
- Total fertility rate: 4

Family Planning Use
Percent of currently married women age 15-49 by family planning method used

- Male condom: 1
- IUD: 2
- Injectables: 6
- Female sterilization: 6
- Pill: 24
- Any modern method: 40
- Any method: 51

Unmet Need for Family Planning
Percentage of currently married women age 15-49 with unmet need for family planning

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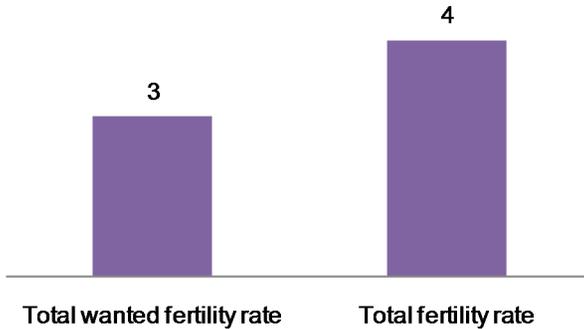
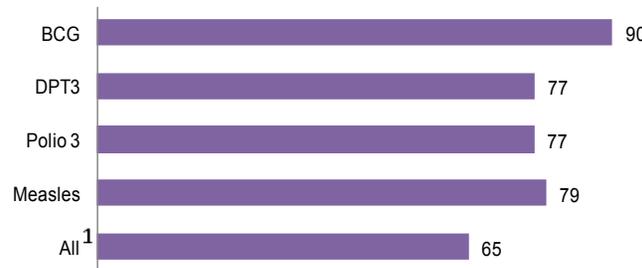## Vaccination Coverage
Percent of children age 12-23 months who received specific vaccines at any time before

- BCG: 90
- DPT3: 77
- Polio 3: 77
- Measles: 79
- All [1]: 65

[1] Includes BCG, measles and three doses each of DPT, polio and Hepa-B vaccine

Childhood Mortality
Deaths per 1,000 live births

- Neonatal mortality: 17
- Infant mortality: 36
- Under-five mortality: 43

Perinatal Mortality
Perinatal mortality rate for the five-year period preceding the survey

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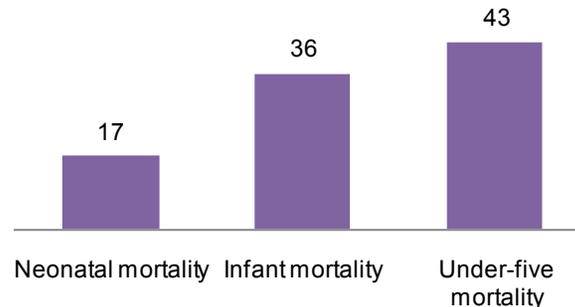## Place of Delivery
Percent distribution of live births in the five years preceding the survey by place of delivery

- Public sector: 31
- Private sector: 6
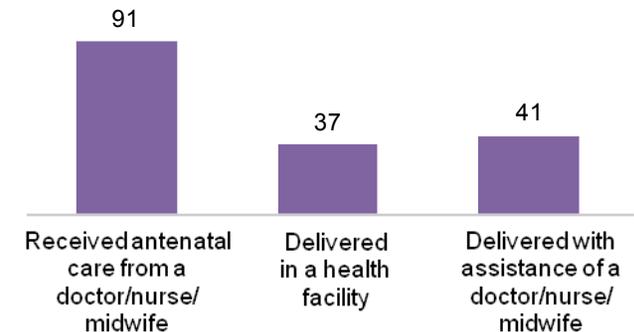- Home: 64

Maternal Health Care
Percent of women age 15-49 with a live birth in the five years before the survey who:

- Received antenatal care from a doctor/nurse/midwife: 91
- Delivered in a health facility: 37
- Delivered with assistance of a doctor/nurse/midwife: 41

Micronutrient Intake
*Percentage of all children 6-59 months by micronutrient intake*
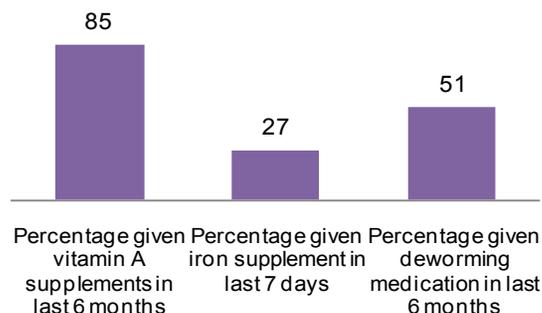
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Prevalence of Diarrhea
Percentage of children under age five who had diarrhea in the two weeks preceding the survey
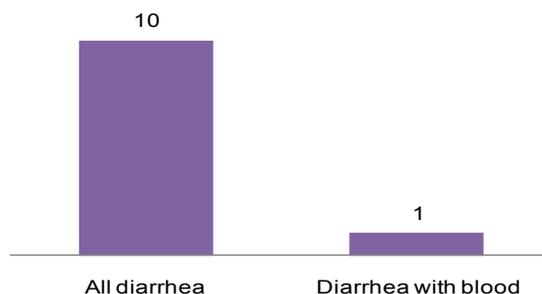
Definition of Terms:

Total Wanted Fertility Rate– represents the level of fertility that theoretically would result if all unwanted births were prevented.

Total Fertility Rate– average number of births per woman.

Unmet Need for Family Planning– refers to fecund women who are not using contraception but who wish to postpone the next birth or stop childbearing altogether.

Perinatal Death- refers to death of a fetus or neonate.

Early Neonatal Mortality– refers to a death of a live-born baby within the first seven days of life.

Late Neonatal Mortality– refers to a death that covers the time after seven days until before 28 days.

Infant Mortality– refers to death of a child less than one year of age.

Under-five Mortality– refers to death of infants and children under the age of five.

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