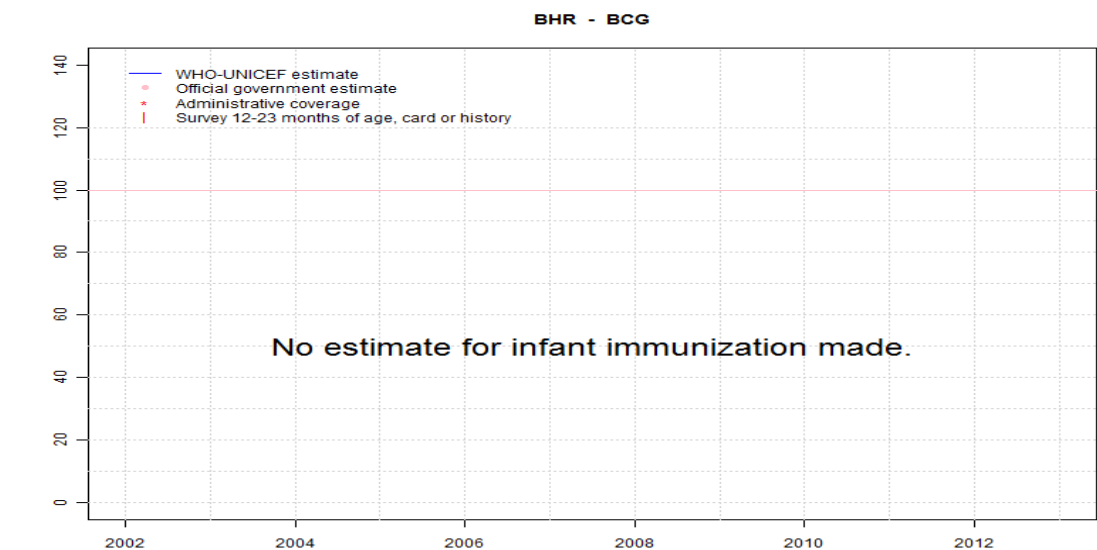


# Bahrain - BCG



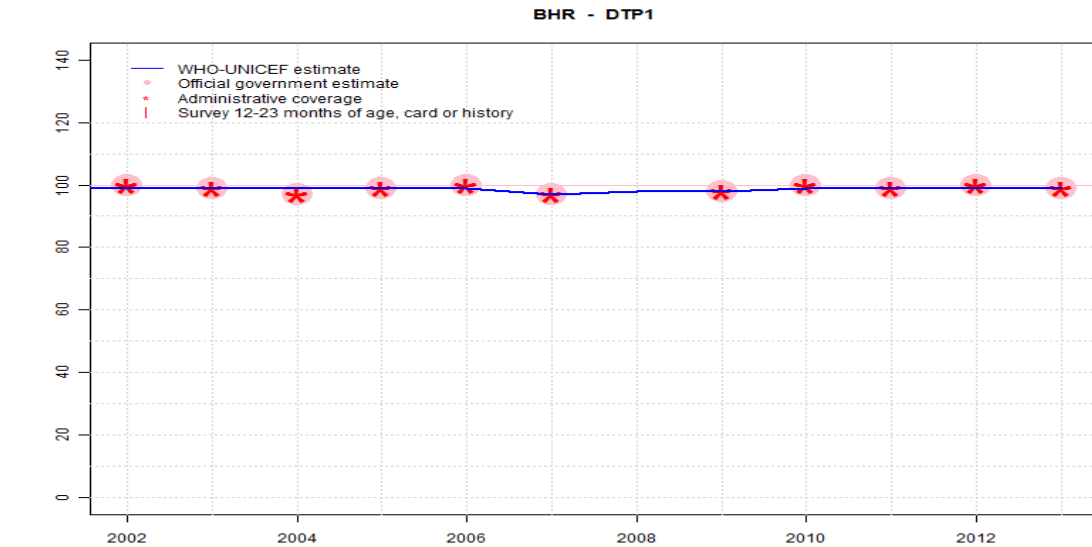
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Estimate	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Estimate GoC	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Official	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Administrative	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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- Estimate is supported by at least one data source; [R+], [S+], or [D+]; and no data source, [R-], [D-], or [S-], challenges the estimate.
- There are no directly supporting data; or data from at least one source; [R-], [D-], [S-]; challenge the estimate.

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# Bahrain - DTP1



	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Estimate	99	99	99	99	99	97	98	98	99	99	99	99
Estimate GoC	●	●●	●	●	●	●	●●	●●	●●	●	●●	●●
Official	100	99	97	99	100	97	NA	98	100	99	100	99
Administrative	100	99	97	99	100	97	NA	98	100	99	100	99
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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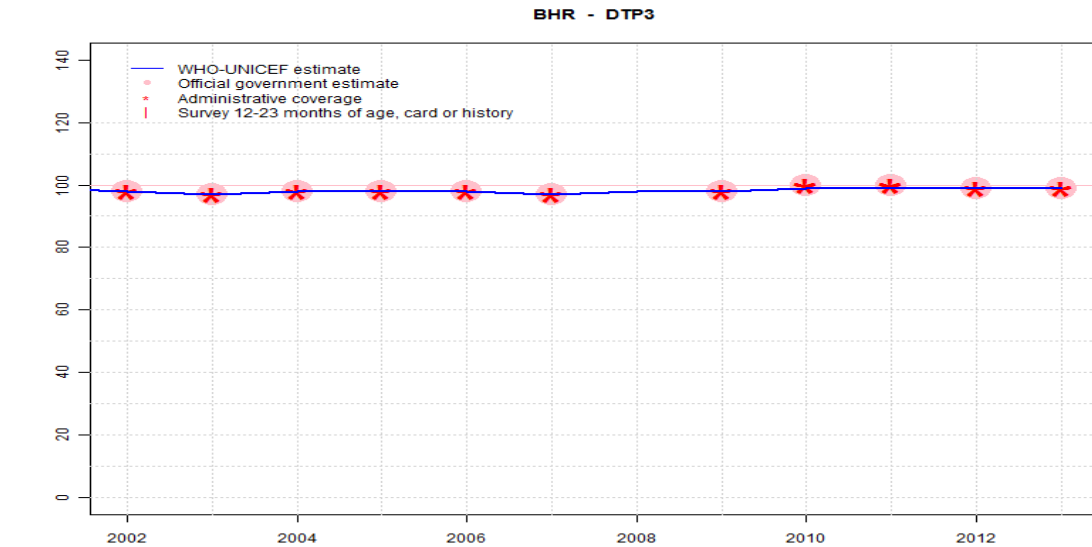
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## Description:

- 2002: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2003: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2004: DTP1 coverage estimated based on DTP3 coverage of 98. Estimate challenged by: D-R-
- 2005: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2006: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2007: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2008: Estimate based on interpolation between data reported by national government. GoC=D+
- 2009: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2010: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2011: DTP1 coverage estimated based on DTP3 coverage of 100. Estimate challenged by: D-R-
- 2012: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2013: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. No nationally representative household survey within the last 5 years. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high-quality survey to confirm reported levels of coverage. GoC=R+ D+

# Bahrain - DTP3



	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Estimate	98	97	98	98	98	97	98	98	99	99	99	99
Estimate GoC	•	••	•	••	•	•	••	••	••	•	••	••
Official	98	97	98	98	98	97	NA	98	100	100	99	99
Administrative	98	97	98	98	98	97	NA	98	100	100	99	99
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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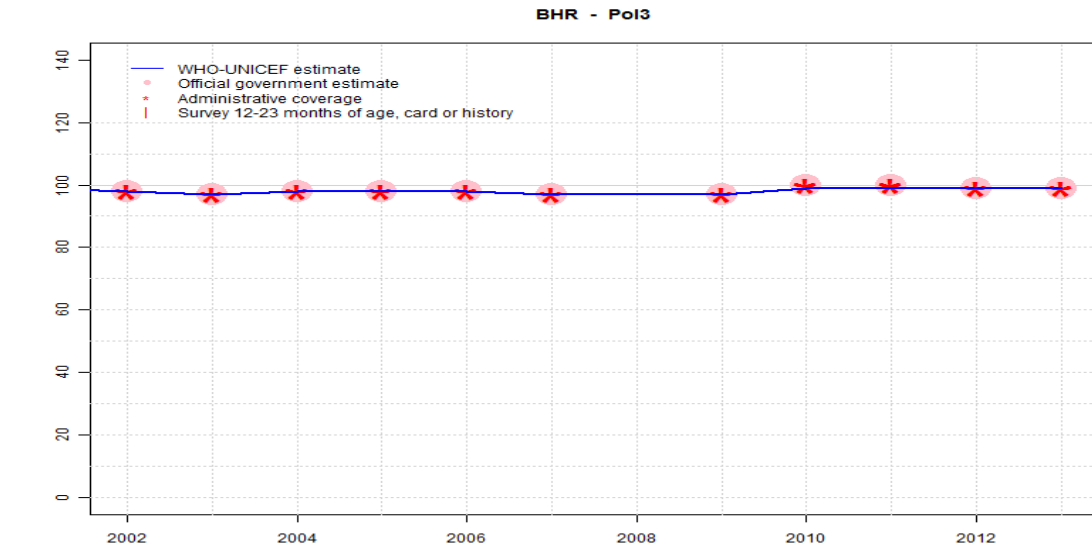
- Estimate is supported by reported data [R+], coverage recalculated with an independent denominator from the World Population Prospects: 2012 revision from the UN Population Division (D+), and at least one supporting survey within 2 years [S+]. While well supported, the estimate still carries a risk of being wrong.
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## Description:

- 2002: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2003: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2004: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2005: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2006: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2007: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2008: Estimate based on interpolation between data reported by national government. GoC=D+
- 2009: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2010: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2011: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2012: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2013: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. No nationally representative household survey within the last 5 years. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high-quality survey to confirm reported levels of coverage. GoC=R+ D+

# Bahrain - Pol3



	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Estimate	98	97	98	98	98	97	97	97	99	99	99	99
Estimate GoC	•	••	•	••	•	•	••	••	••	•	••	••
Official	98	97	98	98	98	97	NA	97	100	100	99	99
Administrative	98	97	98	98	98	97	NA	97	100	100	99	99
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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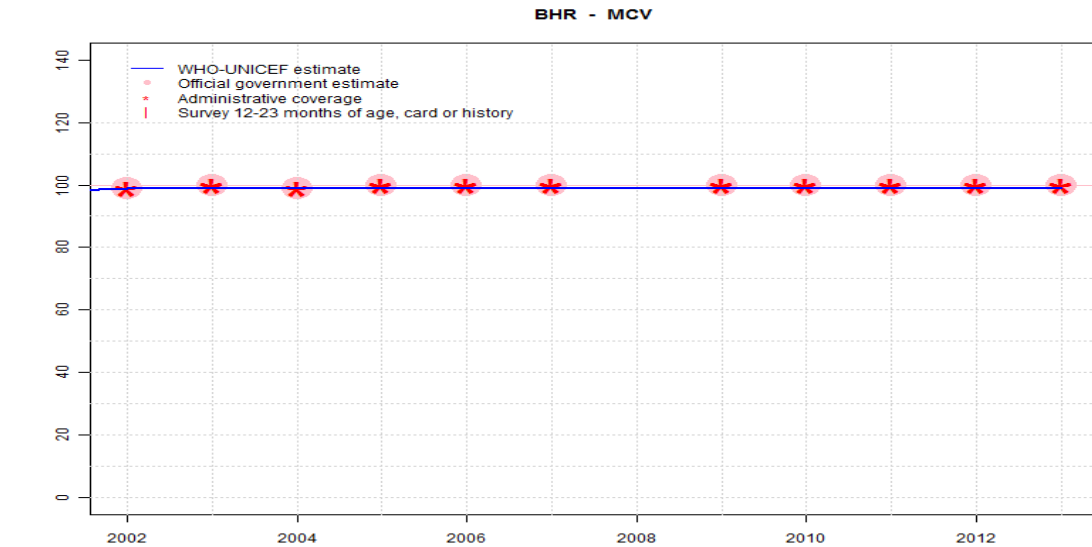
- Estimate is supported by reported data [R+], coverage recalculated with an independent denominator from the World Population Prospects: 2012 revision from the UN Population Division (D+), and at least one supporting survey within 2 years [S+]. While well supported, the estimate still carries a risk of being wrong.
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## Description:

- 2002: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2003: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2004: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2005: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2006: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2007: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2008: Estimate based on interpolation between data reported by national government. GoC=D+
- 2009: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2010: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2011: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2012: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2013: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. No nationally representative household survey within the last 5 years. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high-quality survey to confirm reported levels of coverage. GoC=R+ D+

# Bahrain - MCV



	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Estimate	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99
Estimate GoC	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●●	●●	●	●●	●●
Official	99	100	99	100	100	100	NA	100	100	100	100	100
Administrative	99	100	99	100	100	100	NA	100	100	100	100	100
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

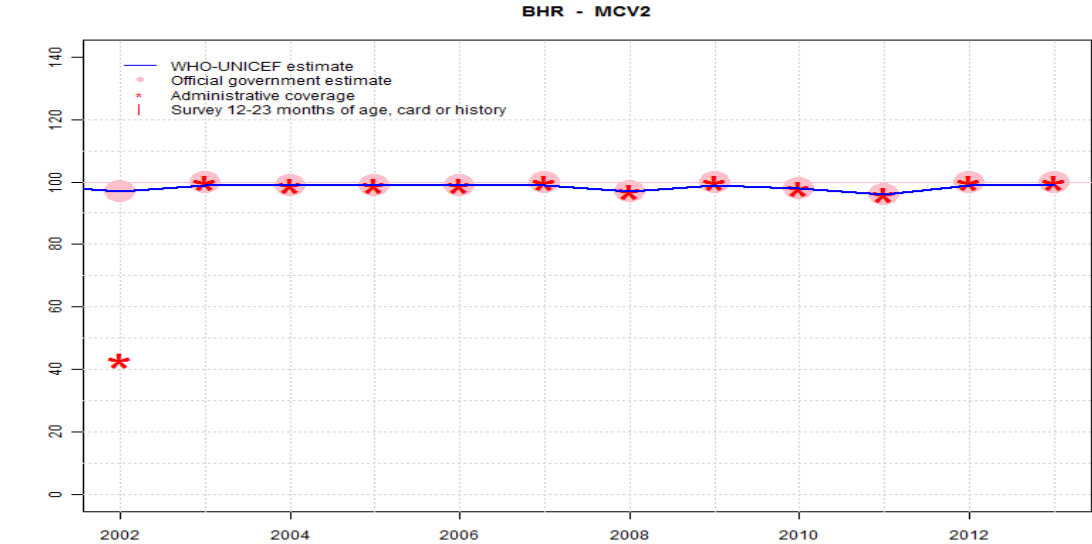
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- Estimate is supported by reported data [R+], coverage recalculated with an independent denominator from the World Population Prospects: 2012 revision from the UN Population Division (D+), and at least one supporting survey within 2 years [S+]. While well supported, the estimate still carries a risk of being wrong.
- Estimate is supported by at least one data source; [R+], [S+], or [D+]; and no data source, [R-], [D-], or [S-], challenges the estimate.
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## Description:

- 2002: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2003: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2004: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2005: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2006: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2007: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2008: Estimate based on interpolation between data reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2009: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2010: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2011: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2012: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2013: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. No nationally representative household survey within the last 5 years. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high-quality survey to confirm reported levels of coverage. GoC=R+ D+



	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Estimate	97	99	99	99	99	99	97	99	98	96	99	99
Estimate GoC	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Official	97	100	99	99	99	100	97	100	98	96	100	100
Administrative	43	100	99	99	99	100	97	100	98	96	100	100
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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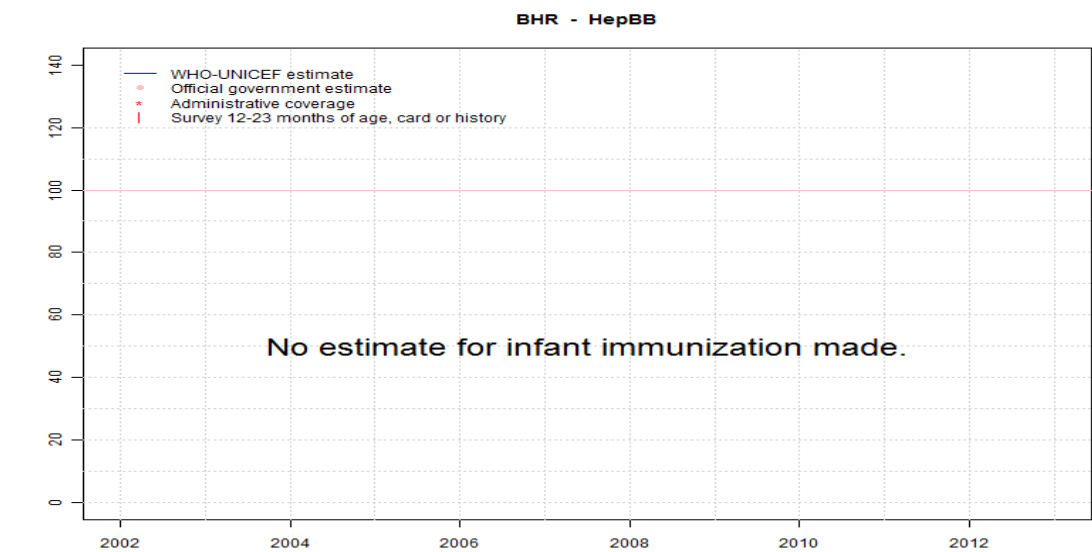
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Description:

Coverage estimates for the second dose of measles containing vaccine are for children by the nationally recommended age.

- 2002: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2003: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2004: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2005: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2006: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
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- 2011: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2012: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2013: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. No nationally representative household survey within the last 5 years. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high-quality survey to confirm reported levels of coverage. Estimate challenged by: D-



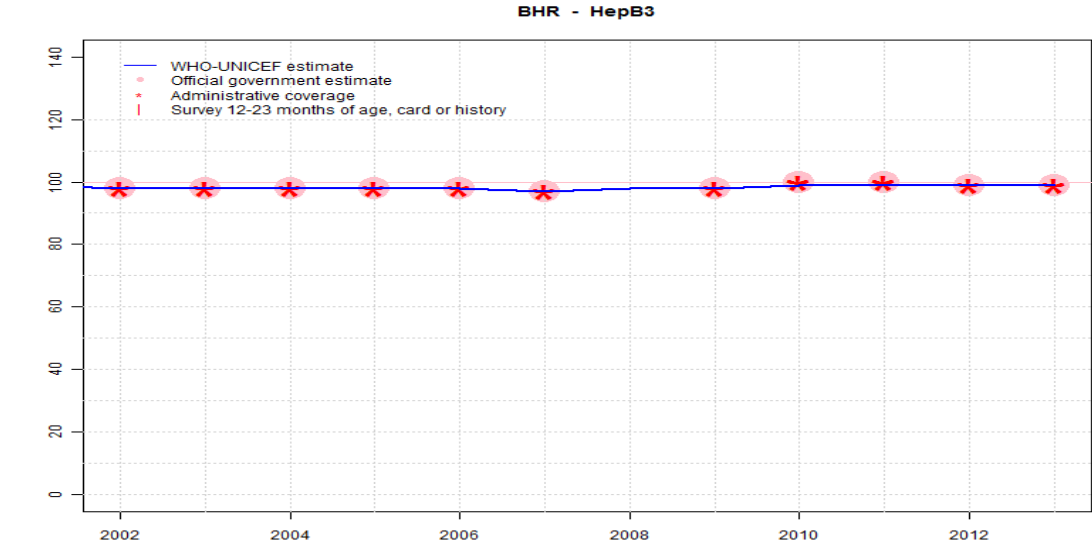
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Estimate	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Estimate GoC	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Official	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Administrative	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Estimate	98	98	98	98	98	97	98	98	99	99	99	99
Estimate GoC	•	••	•	••	•	•	••	••	••	•	••	••
Official	98	98	98	98	98	97	NA	98	100	100	99	99
Administrative	98	98	98	98	98	97	NA	98	100	100	99	99
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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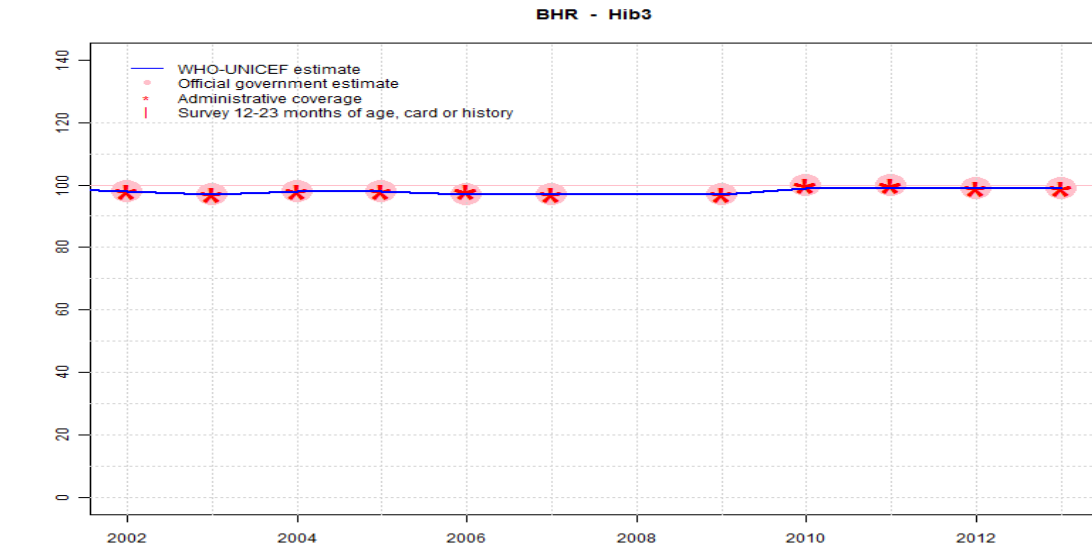
- Estimate is supported by reported data [R+], coverage recalculated with an independent denominator from the World Population Prospects: 2012 revision from the UN Population Division (D+), and at least one supporting survey within 2 years [S+]. While well supported, the estimate still carries a risk of being wrong.
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Description:

- 2002: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2003: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2004: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2005: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2006: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2007: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2008: Estimate based on interpolation between data reported by national government. GoC=D+
- 2009: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2010: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2011: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2012: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2013: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. No nationally representative household survey within the last 5 years. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high-quality survey to confirm reported levels of coverage. GoC=R+ D+

# Bahrain - Hib3



	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Estimate	98	97	98	98	97	97	97	97	99	99	99	99
Estimate GoC	•	••	••	••	•	•	••	••	••	•	••	••
Official	98	97	98	98	97	97	NA	97	100	100	99	99
Administrative	98	97	98	98	98	97	NA	97	100	100	99	99
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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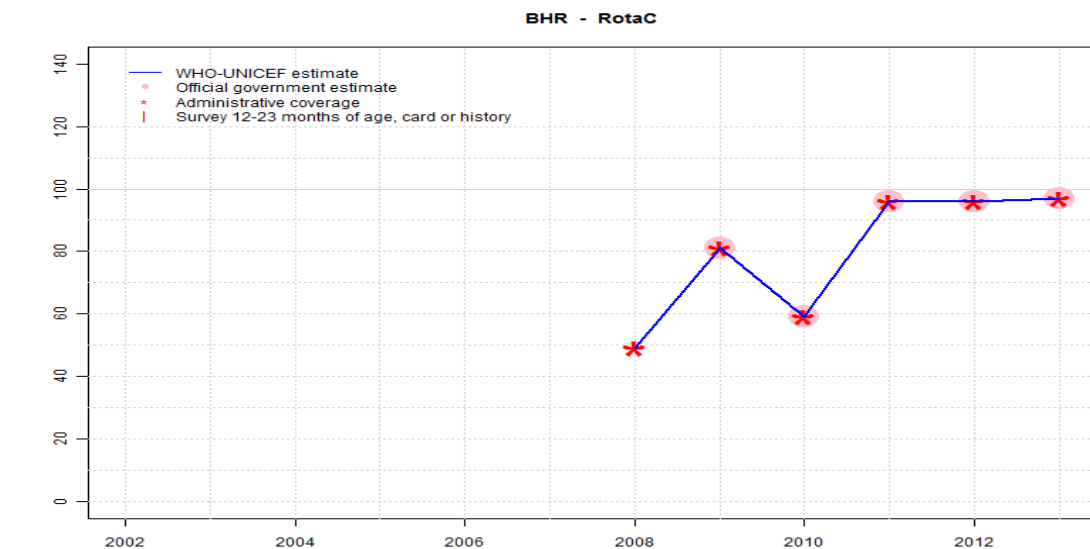
- Estimate is supported by reported data [R+], coverage recalculated with an independent denominator from the World Population Prospects: 2012 revision from the UN Population Division (D+), and at least one supporting survey within 2 years [S+]. While well supported, the estimate still carries a risk of being wrong.
- Estimate is supported by at least one data source; [R+], [S+], or [D+]; and no data source, [R-], [D-], or [S-], challenges the estimate.
- There are no directly supporting data; or data from at least one source; [R-], [D-], [S-]; challenge the estimate.

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## Description:

- 2002: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2003: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2004: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2005: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2006: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2007: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2008: Estimate based on interpolation between reported values. GoC=D+
- 2009: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2010: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2011: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2012: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2013: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. No nationally representative household survey within the last 5 years. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high-quality survey to confirm reported levels of coverage. GoC=R+ D+

# Bahrain - RotaC



	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Estimate	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	49	81	59	96	96	97
Estimate GoC	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	•	••	••	•	••	••
Official	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	81	59	96	96	97
Administrative	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	49	81	59	96	96	97
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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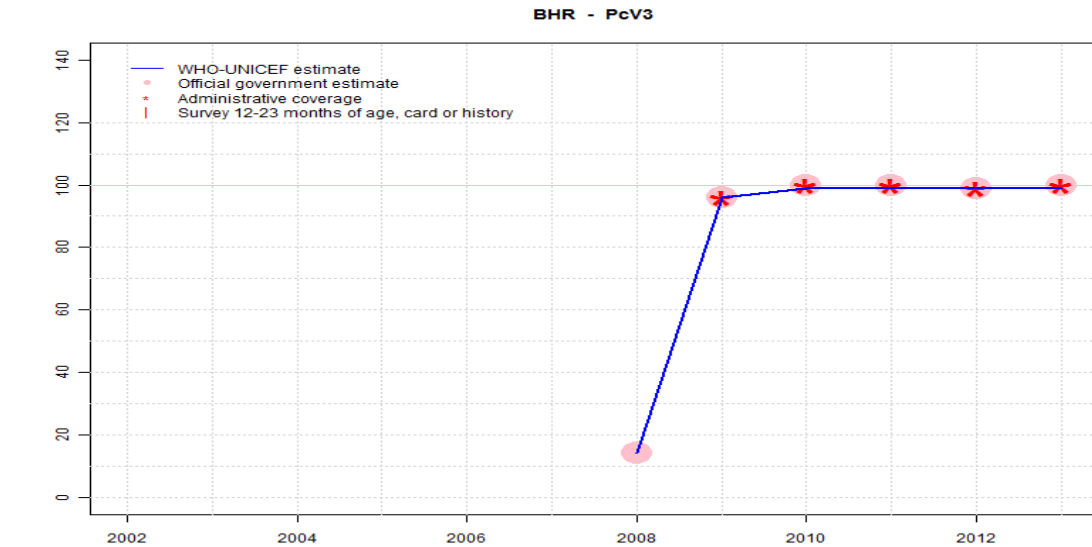
- Estimate is supported by reported data [R+], coverage recalculated with an independent denominator from the World Population Prospects: 2012 revision from the UN Population Division (D+), and at least one supporting survey within 2 years [S+]. While well supported, the estimate still carries a risk of being wrong.
- Estimate is supported by at least one data source; [R+], [S+], or [D+]; and no data source, [R-], [D-], or [S-], challenges the estimate.
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## Description:

- 2008: Estimate based on reported administrative estimate. Rotavirus vaccine introduced in 2008 Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2009: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Rapid increase to routine levels of other vaccines following introduction. GoC=R+ D+
- 2010: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Rotavirus vaccine was suspended from March to June. GoC=R+ D+
- 2011: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2012: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2013: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. No nationally representative household survey within the last 5 years. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high-quality survey to confirm reported levels of coverage. GoC=R+ D+

# Bahrain - PcV3



	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Estimate	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	14	96	99	99	99	99
Estimate GoC	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●
Official	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	14	96	100	100	99	100
Administrative	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	96	100	100	99	100
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

The WHO and UNICEF estimates of national immunization coverage (wuenic) are based on data and information that are of varying, and, in some instances, unknown quality. Beginning with the 2011 revision we describe the grade of confidence (GoC) we have in these estimates. As there is no underlying probability model upon which the estimates are based, we are unable to present classical measures of uncertainty, e.g., confidence intervals. Moreover, we have chosen not to make subjective estimates of plausibility/certainty ranges around the coverage. The GoC reflects the degree of empirical support upon which the estimates are based. It is not a judgment of the quality of data reported by national authorities.

- Estimate is supported by reported data [R+], coverage recalculated with an independent denominator from the World Population Prospects: 2012 revision from the UN Population Division (D+), and at least one supporting survey within 2 years [S+]. While well supported, the estimate still carries a risk of being wrong.
- Estimate is supported by at least one data source; [R+], [S+], or [D+]; and no data source, [R-], [D-], or [S-], challenges the estimate.
- There are no directly supporting data; or data from at least one source; [R-], [D-], [S-]; challenge the estimate.

In all cases these estimates should be used with caution and should be assessed in light of the objective for which they are being used.

## Description:

- 2008: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Pneumococcal conjugate vaccine introduced in 2008. GoC=R+ D+
- 2009: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Pneumococcal conjugate vaccine introduced in 2008, reporting started in 2009. GoC=R+ D+
- 2010: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2011: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2012: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2013: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. No nationally representative household survey within the last 5 years. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high-quality survey to confirm reported levels of coverage. GoC=R+ D+

Further information and estimates prior to 2002 are available at:

<http://www.data.unicef.org/child-health/immunization>

[http://www.who.int/immunization/monitoring\\_surveillance/routine/coverage/en/index4.html](http://www.who.int/immunization/monitoring_surveillance/routine/coverage/en/index4.html)

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### WHO/UNICEF Estimates of Protection at Birth (PAB) against tetanus

In countries where tetanus is recommended for girls and women coverage is usually reported as "TT2+", i.e. the proportion of (pregnant) women who have received their second or superior TT dose in a given year. TT2 + coverage, however, can under-represent the actual proportion of births that are protected against tetanus as it does not include women who have previously received protective doses, women who received one dose without documentation of previous doses, and women who received doses in TT (or Td) supplemental immunization activities (SIA). In addition, girls who have received DTP in their childhood and are entering childbearing age, may be protected with TT booster doses.

WHO and UNICEF have developed a model that takes into account the above scenarios, and calculates the proportion of births in a given year that can be considered as having been protected against tetanus - "Protection at Birth".

In this model, annual cohorts of women are followed from infancy through their life. A proportion receive DTP in infancy (estimated based on the WHO-UNICEF estimates of DTP3 coverage). In addition some of these women also receive TT through routine services when they are pregnant and may also receive TT during SIAs. The model also adjusts reported data, taking into account coverage patterns in other years, and/or results available through surveys. The duration of protection is then calculated, based on WHO estimates of the duration of protection by doses ever received. The proportion of births that are protected against tetanus as a result of maternal immunization reflects the tetanus immunization received by the mother throughout her life rather than simply the TT immunizations received during the current pregnancy.

Year	PAB coverage estimate (%)
2002	94
2003	91
2004	97
2005	97
2006	93
2007	96
2008	99
2009	94
2010	94
2011	94
2012	94
2013	94

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<sup>1</sup> This model is described in: Griffiths U., Wolfson L., Quddus A., Younus M., Hafiz R.. Incremental cost-effectiveness of supplementary immunization activities to prevent neo-natal tetanus in Pakistan. Bulletin of the World Health Organization 2004; 82:643-651.