MICRONUTRIENTS

Vitamin A supplementation
Percentage of children 6-59 months old receiving two doses of vitamin A during calendar year

No Data

Iodized salt consumption trends
Percentage of households consuming adequately iodized salt
43,000 newborns are unprotected against IDD (2008)

Anaemia
Prevalence of anaemia among selected populations

ESSENTIAL NUTRITION INTERVENTIONS DURING THE LIFE CYCLE

Pregnancy
Birth
0-5 months
6-23 months
24-59 months

Use of iron-folic acid supplements
Household consumption of

Early initiation of breastfeeding (within 1 day)
Infants not weighed at birth

International Code of Marketing of Breastmilk Substitutes
Maternity protection in accordance with ILO Convention
Exclusive breastfeeding
Timely introduction of complementary
Continued breastfeeding at

Full coverage of vitamin A supplementation
National guidelines for management of severe acute malnutrition
Policy on new ORS formula and zinc for management of
Policy on community treatment of pneumonia with

MATERNAL NUTRITION/HEALTH

Maternal mortality ratio, adjusted
(2005)
(per 100,000 live births)

Maternal mortality ratio, reported
(2006)
(per 100,000 live births)

Total number of maternal deaths
(2005)

Lifetime risk of maternal deaths (1 in : 4,800)
Women with low BMI (< 18.5 kg/m²)
Anæmia, non-pregnant woman (<120 g/l)
Antenatal care (at least one visit)
Antenatal care (at least four visits)
Skilled attendant at birth
Low birthweight (<2,500 grams)
Primary school net enrolment or attendance ratio
Gender parity index (primary school net enrolment or attendance ratio)

WATER AND SANITATION

Drinking water coverage
Percentage of population by type of drinking water source, 2008

Sanitation coverage
Percentage of population by type of sanitation facility, 2008

DISPARITIES IN NUTRITION

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