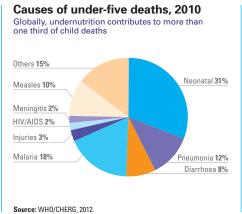
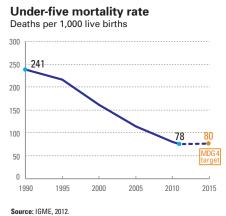
# **LIBERIA**

# **DEMOGRAPHICS AND BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Total population (000)	4,129	(2011)
Total under-five population (000)	696	(2011)
Total number of births (000)	157	(2011)
Under-five mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	78	(2011)
Total number of under-five deaths (000)	12	(2011)
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	58	(2011)
Neonatal mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	27	(2011)
HIV prevalence rate (15–49 years old, %)	1.0	(2011)
Population below international poverty line of US\$1.25 per day (%)	84	(2007)
GNI per capita (US\$)	240	(2011)
Primary school net attendance ratio (% female, % male)	28, 32	(2007)





### **NUTRITIONAL STATUS**

#### **Burden of malnutrition (2011)**

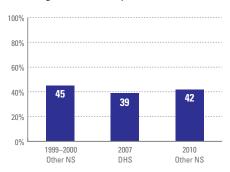
Stunting country rank	49
Share of world stunting burden (%)	<1%

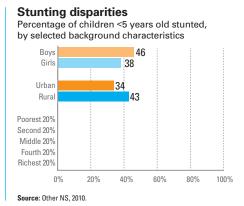
Stunted (under-fives, 000)	291
Wasted (under-fives, 000)	19
Severely wasted (under-fives, 000)	1

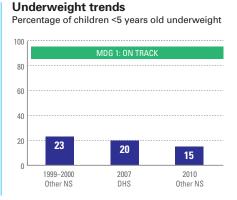
MDG 1 progress	On track
Underweight (under-fives, 000)	104
Overweight (under-fives, 000)	27

#### Stunting trends

Percentage of children <5 years old stunted



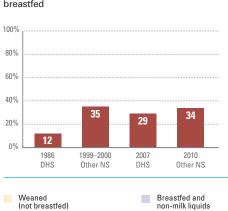




# **INFANT AND YOUNG CHILD FEEDING**

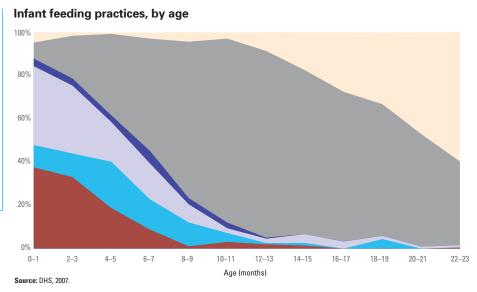
#### **Exclusive breastfeeding trends**

Percentage of infants <6 months old exclusively breastfed



Breastfed and plain water only

Exclusively breastfed



Breastfed and solid/semi-solid foods

Breastfed and other milk/formula

#### **ESSENTIAL NUTRITION PRACTICES AND INTERVENTIONS DURING THE LIFE CYCLE**



#### **MICRONUTRIENTS**

#### **Anaemia**

Prevalence of anaemia among selected populations

**NO DATA** 

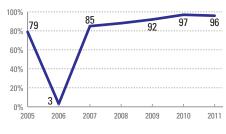
#### lodized salt trends\*

Percentage of households with adequately iodized salt

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# Vitamin A supplementation

Percentage of children 6–59 months old receiving two doses of vitamin A during calendar year (full coverage)

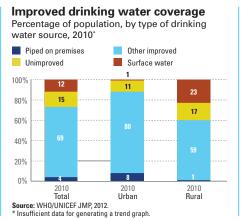


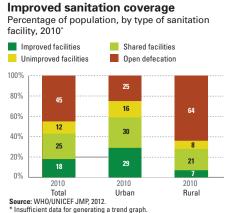
Source: UNICEF, 2012

# MATERNAL ——— NUTRITION AND HEALTH

Maternal mortality ratio, adjusted (per 100,000 live births)	770	(2010)
Maternal mortality ratio, reported (per 100,000 live births)	990	(2007)
Total number of maternal deaths	1,200	(2010)
Lifetime risk of maternal death (1 in : )	24	(2010)
Women with low BMI (<18.5 kg/m², %)	8	(2010)
Anaemia, non-pregnant women (<120g/l, %)	-	_
Antenatal care (at least one visit, %)	79	(2007)
Antenatal care (at least four visits, %)	66	(2007)
Skilled attendant at birth (%)	46	(2007)
Low birthweight (<2,500 grams, %)	14	(2007)
Women 20–24 years old who gave birth before age 18 (%)	38	(2009)

# **WATER AND SANITATION**





# **DISPARITIES IN NUTRITION**

	Gender			Residence			Wealth quintile							
Indicator	Male	Female	Ratio of male to female	Urban	Rural	Ratio of urban to rural	Poorest	Second	Middle	Fourth	Richest	Ratio of richest to poorest	Equity chart	Source
Stunting prevalence (%)	46	38	1.2	34	43	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-		Other NS, 2010
Underweight prevalence (%)	17	13	1.3	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		Other NS, 2 010
Wasting prevalence (%)	8	7	1.0	9	7	1.3	7	8	10	5	8	1.1		Other NS, 2010
Women with low BMI (<18.5 kg/m <sup>2</sup> , %)	-	8	_	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		Other NS, 2010
Women with high BMI (≥25 kg/m², %)	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		Other NS, 2010