**Demosographics**

- Total population (000) 8,926 (2008)
- Total under-five population (000) 1,611 (2008)
- Births (000) 395 (2008)
- Birth registration (%) 3 (2006)
- Under-five mortality rate (per 1000 live births) 1997
- Infant mortality rate (per 1000 live births) 119 (2008)
- Neonatal mortality rate (per 1000 live births) 61 (2008)
- Total under-five deaths (000) 76 (2008)
- Maternal mortality ratio (per 100,000 live births) 13 (2006)
- Total maternal deaths 5,200 (2005)

**Under-five mortality rate**

Deaths per 1000 live births

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**Causes of under-five deaths, 2008**

Globally one third of child deaths are attributable to undernutrition

- Diarrhoea 4%
- Measles 6%
- Pneumonia 17%
- Other 17%
- Malabsorption 8%
- Tetanus 9%
- Infection 23%
- Asphyxia 27%
- Other 5%

**Causes of neonatal deaths**

- Pneumonia 19%
- Neornatal 32%
- Measles 5%
- Injuries 2%
- Other 17%

**Intervention Coverage for Mothers, Newborns and Children**

**Nutrition**

- Stunting prevalence (moderate and severe, %) 42 (2006)
- Wasting prevalence (moderate and severe, %) 13 (2006)
- Low birthweight incidence (%) ---

**Underweight prevalence**

Percent children < 5 years underweight for age*

- 1997: 16%
- 1999: 23%
- 2006: 32%

**Exclusive breastfeeding**

Percent infants < 6 months exclusively breastfed

- 1999: 9%
- 2006: 9%

**Vitamin A supplementation**

Percent children 6-59 months receiving two doses of vitamin A during calendar year

- 2005: 14%
- 2006: 4%
- 2007: 17%
- 2008: 100%

**Child Health**

**Immunization**

- Percent of children immunised against measles
- Percent of children immunised with 3 doses DPT
- Percent of children immunised with 3 doses Hib

**Diarrhoeal disease treatment**

Percent children < 5 years with diarrhoea receiving oral rehydration therapy or increased fluids, with continued feeding

- 2006: 7%

**Malaria prevention**

Percent children < 5 years sleeping under ITNs

- 2006: 11%

**Prevention of mother to child transmission of HIV**

Percent HIV+ pregnant women receiving ARVs for PMTCT

- 2006: 1%
- 2007: 3%
- 2008: 5%

**Malaria treatment**

Percent febrile children < 5 years using antimalarials

- 2006: 8%

**Pneumonia treatment**

- Percent children < 5 years with suspected pneumonia taken to appropriate health provider
- Percent children < 5 years with suspected pneumonia receiving antibiotics

- 2006: 13%
- 2008: 32%
MATERNAL AND NEWBORN HEALTH

Adolescent birth rate (births per 1,000 women) 123 (2005)
Unmet need for family planning (%) ---
Antenatal visits for woman (4 or more visits, %) 6 (2006)
Intermittent preventive treatment for malaria (%) 1 (2006)
C-section rate (total, urban, rural, %) (Minimum target is 5% and maximum target is 15%) --- --- ---
Early initiation of breastfeeding (within 1 hr of birth, %) 26 (2006)
Postnatal visit for baby (within 2 days for home births, %) ---

Causes of maternal deaths
Regional estimates for Sub-Saharan Africa, 1997-2007

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Coverage along the continuum of care

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*Postnatal care
Exclusive breastfeeding
Measles

Source: ONS, MICS, Other NS

WATER AND SANITATION

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Percent population using improved drinking water sources

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Percent population using improved sanitation facilities

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POLICIES

International Code of Marketing of Breastmilk Substitutes No
New ORS formula and zinc for management of diarrhoea Partial
Community treatment of pneumonia with antibiotics No
IMCI adapted to cover newborns 0-1 week of age No
Costed implementation plan(s) for maternal, newborn and child health available No
Midwives be authorised to administer a core set of life saving interventions No
Maternity protection in accordance with ILO Convention 183 No
Specific notification of maternal deaths No

SYSTEMS

Financial Flows and Human Resources
Per capita total expenditure on health (US$) ---
General government expenditure on health as % of total government expenditure (%) ---
Out-of-pocket expenditure as % of total expenditure on health (%) ---
Density of health workers (per 10,000 population) 1.5 (2006)
Official Development Assistance to child health per child (US$) 10 (2007)
Official Development Assistance to maternal and neonatal health per live birth (US$) 16 (2007)
National availability of Emergency Obstetric Care services (% of recommended minimum) 56 (2005)

Somalia
Countdown to 2015
2010 Report