NAMIBIA

KEY DEMOGRAPHIC INDICATORS

Under 5 Mortality Indicator bubble

45
PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS

Under 5 Mortality Indicator bubble

2,459,000
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<th>TRENDS IN UNDER-FIVE MORTALITY RATE</th>
<th>DISPARITIES BY HOUSEHOLD WEALTH</th>
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| **Under-five mortality rate** | **Oral Rehydration:**  
Children under five with diarrhoea receiving ORS (%) |
| **Deaths per 1,000 live births** | **Secondary education:**  
Net attendance ratio in secondary education (%) |
|                                      | **Birth Registration:**  
Children under age 5 whose births are registered (%) |

Visit childmortality.org for complete data

Visit devinfo.org/unicefdata for complete database

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<td>Proportion of children under five years old with diarrhoea receiving oral rehydration salts (%)</td>
<td>Number of under-five deaths</td>
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<td>72</td>
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<td>Proportion of children under five sleeping under insecticide-treated nets (%)</td>
<td>Infant mortality rate (IMR), deaths per 1,000 live births</td>
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<td>Proportion of households owning at least one insecticide-treated net (ITN) (%)</td>
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<td>Prevalence of moderate and severe stunting (%)</td>
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<td>Vitamin A supplementation (full) (%)</td>
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<td>Proportion of households consuming iodized salt (%)</td>
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<td><strong>Nutrition</strong></td>
<td>Proportion of women aged 15-49 who received postnatal care within 2 days after giving birth (%)</td>
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<td>Antenatal care coverage for at least one visit (%)</td>
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<td>Proportion of births attended by skilled health personnel (%)</td>
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<td><strong>Maternal Health</strong></td>
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### EARLY CHILDHOOD

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<td>Attendance in early childhood education (%)</td>
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<td>Support for learning (any household member) (%)</td>
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<td>Learning materials at home – children's books (%)</td>
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<td>Children left in inadequate care (%)</td>
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<td>Net attendance ratio in primary education (NAR) (%)</td>
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<td>Proportion of pupils starting grade 1 who reach grade 5 (%)</td>
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<td>Proportion of out-of-school children of primary school age (%)</td>
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<td>Net attendance ratio in secondary education (%)</td>
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<td>Literacy rate (15-24 years) (%)</td>
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### HIV/AIDS

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<td><strong>Estimated number of new HIV infections among children 0-14 years</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Children under age 5 whose birth is registered (%)</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Women aged 20-24 years who were first married or in union by age 18 (%)</strong></td>
<td>7</td>
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<td><strong>Children aged 5-14 years engaged in child labour (%)</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Children aged 2 to 14 years who experienced any violent discipline (psychological aggression and/or physical punishment) in the past month (%)</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Justification of wife beating (female) (%)</strong></td>
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<td>Proportion of population using another improved drinking water source (%)</td>
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<td>Proportion of population using other unimproved sanitation facilities (%)</td>
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<td>Proportion of population practicing open defecation (%)</td>
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<td>Proportion of population using an unimproved drinking water source other than surface water (%)</td>
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