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FP2030 Indicator Summary Sheet: 2022 Measurement Report

Modern Contraceptive Use and Need

All Women

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Total users of modern methods of contraception*											
	190,000	200,000	220,000	240,000	250,000	260,000	270,000	290,000	300,000	320,000	330,000
Modern contraceptive prevalence rate (mCP)											
	18.7%	19.9%	20.9%	21.9%	22.8%	23.3%	23.9%	24.4%	25.0%	25.5%	26.0%
Percentage of women estimated to have an unmet need for modern methods of contraception (mUN)											
	30.0%	29.3%	29.2%	29.0%	28.7%	28.6%	28.6%	28.4%	28.1%	27.6%	27.2%
Percentage of women estimated to have their demand for family planning met with a modern method of contraception (mDS)											
	38.4%	40.4%	41.7%	43.1%	44.1%	44.9%	45.5%	46.2%	47.1%	47.9%	48.9%

Married Women

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Total users of modern methods of contraception											
	100,000	110,000	120,000	130,000	140,000	140,000	150,000	160,000	170,000	170,000	180,000
Modern contraceptive prevalence rate (mCP)											
	17.1%	18.6%	19.8%	21.1%	22.1%	22.8%	23.5%	24.1%	24.9%	25.5%	26.3%
Percentage of women estimated to have an unmet need for modern methods of contraception (mUN)											
	33.4%	32.6%	32.8%	32.9%	33.1%	33.4%	33.7%	34.0%	33.5%	32.9%	32.5%
Percentage of women estimated to have their demand for family planning met with a modern method of contraception (mDS)											
	33.9%	36.3%	37.7%	39.1%	40.1%	40.6%	41.1%	41.4%	42.7%	43.6%	44.7%

Unmarried Women

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Total users of modern methods of contraception											
	87,000	94,000	100,000	100,000	110,000	110,000	120,000	120,000	130,000	140,000	140,000
Modern contraceptive prevalence rate (mCP)											
	20.8%	21.7%	22.4%	22.9%	23.4%	23.9%	24.4%	24.7%	24.9%	25.2%	25.3%
Percentage of women estimated to have an unmet need for modern methods of contraception (mUN)											
	25.1%	24.5%	24.0%	23.4%	22.8%	22.2%	21.8%	21.2%	21.2%	21.0%	20.6%
Percentage of women estimated to have their demand for family planning met with a modern method of contraception (mDS)											
	45.5%	47.1%	48.2%	49.4%	50.4%	51.8%	52.7%	53.7%	53.9%	54.5%	55.1%

Impacts of Modern Contraceptive Use among All Women

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Number of unintended pregnancies averted due to modern contraceptive use											
	73,000	79,000	85,000	91,000	97,000	100,000	100,000	110,000	110,000	120,000	120,000
Number of unsafe abortions averted due to modern contraceptive use											
	26,000	28,000	30,000	32,000	34,000	36,000	37,000	39,000	41,000	43,000	46,000
Number of maternal deaths averted due to modern contraceptive use											
	310	330	360	380	410	430	450	470	490	520	540

Couple Years of Protection (CYPs)										*Calculated from routine service provision data*	
Source	**2012**	**2013**	**2014**	**2015**	**2016**	**2017**	**2018**	**2019**	**2020**	**2021**	
DHIS2	89,041	143,492	107,316	162,381	239,773	171,038	186,017	194,784	189,126	---	

Fertility Outcomes

	Value	Source
Adolescent birth rate *(per 1000 women 15-19)*		
	128	2019-20 DHS
Percent of births that are unintended		
	42%	2019-20 DHS

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Estimated Number of Unintended Pregnancies											
	150,000	150,000	140,000	140,000	140,000	140,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000

Contraceptive Use, Availability, and Discontinuation by Method

Modern Contraceptive Method Mix

Long-Acting and Permanent Methods	Sterilization (female)	0.4%	*Source*
	Sterilization (male)	0.0%	2019-20 DHS
	IUD	0.4%	
	Implant	19.7%	
Short-Term Methods	Injectable	59.8%	
	Pill	12.2%	*Population*
	Condom (Male)	5.9%	All Women
	Condom (Female)	0.0%	
	LAM	0.4%	
	Standard Days method	0.4%	
	Other Modern Methods	0.8%	

Percentage of facilities stocked out, by method offered, on the day of assessment

Long-Acting and Permanent Methods	Sterilization (female)	n/a	*Source*
	Sterilization (male)	n/a	USAID : GHSCP
	IUD	26.0%	
	Implant	19.0%	
Short-Term Methods	Injectable	18.0%	
	Pill	9.0%	*Year*
	Condom (Male)	9.0%	2021 (May)
	Condom (Female)	18.0%	
	Emergency Contraception	---	
	Other modern methods	22.0%	

	Value	Source	Year
Percentage of primary SDPs that have at least 3 modern methods of contraception available on day of assessment			
	82%	UNFPA SDP Survey	2020
Percentage of secondary/tertiary SDPs with at least 5 modern methods of contraception available on day of assessment			
	69%	UNFPA SDP Survey	2020

Contraceptive Discontinuation Rates and Method Switching (first 12 months)**

	IUD	Implant	Injectable	Pill	Condom (male)	Source
Discontinuation while in need	---	9.4%	36.2%	34.8%	---	
Discontinuation while not in need	---	2.1%	8.5%	8.7%	---	2019 DHS
Total discontinuation (all reasons)	---	12.4%	46.3%	47.0%	---	
Switching to a different method	---	0.9%	1.1%	3.5%	---	

Contraceptive Services and Decision-Making

	Value	Source	Population
Method Information Index**			
	49%	2019-20 DHS	All Women
Percentage of women who received family planning information during a contact with a health service provider **			
	37%	2019-20 DHS	All Women
Percent of current modern contraceptive users who last obtained their family planning method from each source (All Methods)			
Public	57%		
Private Medical	37%	2019-20 DHS	---
Other	6%		
Percentage of women who decided to use family planning alone or jointly with their husbands/partners			
	87%	2019-20 DHS	---

Investment in Family Planning

	Value	Source	Year
Annual expenditure on family planning from government domestic budget (USD $)			
	$ 5,498,935	WHO	2019

Traditional Contraceptive Use

Source : Family Planning Estimation Tool (FPET)

Traditional Contraceptive Use did not meet the reporting threshold (tCP among Married Women >5% in 2022) and so is not reported for this country.

2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
All Women										
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Married Women										
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Unmarried Women										
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Notes
--- indicates no data post 2012 was available
* Total Users among Married Women and Unmarried Women will not sum exactly to the Total Users among All Women
** Additional diaggregation or details available in the full data set.

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