

# **Cameroon: WHO statistical profile**

#### **Basic statistics**

Indicators	Statistics	Year
Population (thousands)	22254	2013
Population aged under 15 (%)	43	2013
Population aged over 60 (%)	5	2013
Median age (years)	18	2013
Population living in urban areas (%)	53	2013
Total fertility rate (per woman)	4.8	2013
Number of live births (thousands)	830.6	2013
Number of deaths (thousands)	240.2	2013
Birth registration coverage (%)	61	2011
Cause-of-death registration coverage (%)	•••	
Gross national income per capita (PPP int \$)	2660	2013
WHO region	African	2013
World Bank income classification	Lower middle	2013

... Data from 2007 onwards not available.

#### Source: Country statistics and global health estimates by WHO and UN partners

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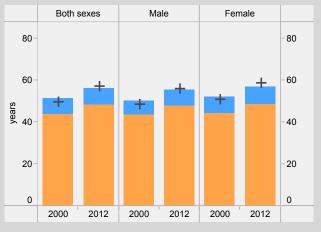
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## Life expectancy (years), 2012

		Country	WHO region	World Bank income group
Life expectancy	At birth	56	58	66
***	At age 60	16	17	17
Healthy life expectancy	At birth	48	50	57

Life expectancy at birth for both sexes increased by 5 year(s) over the period of 2000-2012; the WHO region average increased by 7 year(s) in the same period.

In 2012, healthy expectancy in both sexes was 8 year(s) lower than overall life expectancy at birth. This lost healthy life expetancy represents 8 equivalent year(s) of full health lost through years lived with morbidity and disability.



WHO regional life expectancy at birth

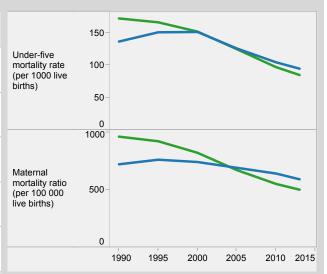
Healthy life expectancy at birth

Lost healthy life expectancy

## **Millennium Development Goals (MDGs)**

	Statistics		
Indicators	Baseline*	Latest**	
Under-five mortality rate (per 1000 live births)	136	95	
Maternal mortality ratio (per 100 000 live births)	720	590	
Deaths due to HIV/AIDS (per 100 000 population)	145.1	147.7	
Deaths due to malaria (per 100 000 population)	131.5	55.6	
Deaths due to tuberculosis among HIV-negative people (per 100 000 population)	72	35	

<sup>\*1990</sup> for under-five mortality and maternal mortality; 2000 for other indicators



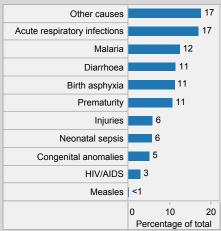


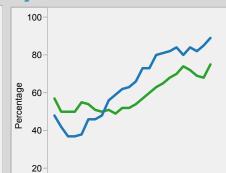
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#### Distribution of causes of deaths DTP3 immunization among in children under-5, 2013 1-year-olds

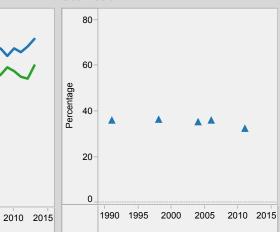




2000

1990 1995

# **Children aged under-5** stunted



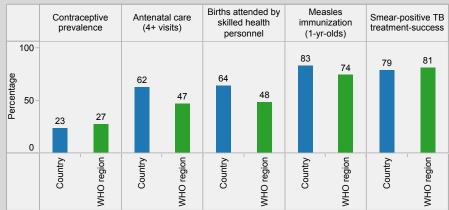
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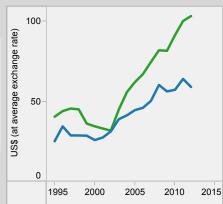
2005

#### **Utilisation of health services\***

\*Data refer to the latest year available from 2007.



## Per capita total expenditure on health

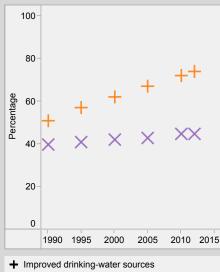


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#### **Adult risk factors**

#### Raised blood glucose Raised blood pressure Obesity (aged 20+), Tobacco use (aged 15+), (aged 25+), 2008 (aged 25+), 2008 Male Female Male Female Male Female Male Female 80 60 Percentage 38.1 40 35.6 35.5 29.8 22 20 15.1 10.4 11.1 9.5 8.3 0 Country Country WHO region WHO region WHO region WHO region WHO region Country **WHO region** Country Country WHO region Country WHO region Country Country

# **Population using improved** water and sanitation



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### Top 10 causes of death

 $\mbox{HIV/AIDS}$  was the leading cause of death, killing 32.1 thousand people in 2012



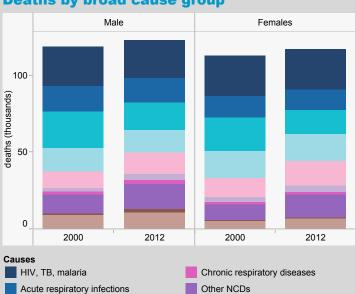
#### **Deaths by broad cause group**

Other infectious diseases

Cancers

Maternal neonatal nutritional

Cardiovascular diseases and diabetes



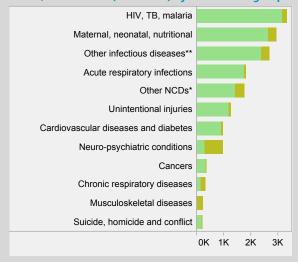
Suicide, homicide and conflict

Unintentional injuries

### **Burden of disease, 2012**

Disability-adjusted life years (DALYs) are the sum of years of life lost due to premature mortality (YLL) and years of healthy life lost due to disability (YLD).

#### DALYs, YLL and YLD (thousands) by broad cause group



\*Other noncommunicable diseases (NCDs) including non-malignant neoplasms; endocrine, blood and immune disorders; sense organ, digestive, genitourinary, and skin diseases; oral conditions; and congenital anomalies.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Infectious diseases other than acute respiratory diseases, HIV, TB and malaria.



### **Probability of dying, 2012**

Probability of dying between relevant exact ages, for a person experiencing the 2012 age-specific mortality risks throughout their life.

Before age 15, all causes	Male	34%
	Female	29%
Before age 70, all causes	Male	77%
	Female	72%
Between ages 15 and 49, from maternal causes	Female	35%
Between ages 30 and 70, from 4 major noncommunicable diseases (NCDs)~	Both sexes	20%

~Cancers, cardiovascular diseases, chronic respiratory diseases and diabetes

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