



Since 1984, The Demographic and Health Surveys Program

has provided technical assistance to more than 300 surveys in over 90 countries. The DHS Program has earned a worldwide reputation for collecting and disseminating accurate, nationally representative data on topics such as fertility, family planning, maternal and child health, gender, HIV/AIDS, malaria, nutrition, and environmental health. Health information is collected through interviews with women and men, as well as collection of biological samples to test for HIV and other STIs, malaria, vitamin deficiencies, and many other health conditions.



The DHS Program implements Demographic and Health Surveys (DHS), AIDS Indicator Surveys (AIS), Malaria Indicator Surveys (MIS), and Service Provision Assessment (SPA) surveys. The DHS Program is implemented by ICF International and partners Blue Raster, The Futures Institute, The Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health Center for Communication Programs (JHUCCP), PATH, and Vysnova, and two new partner organizations in 2013—EnCompass and Kimetrica.

The DHS Program also provides:

Capacity Strengthening: The DHS Program builds local skills on all areas of survey design, implementation, and data analysis through on-the-job mentoring, classroom training, curriculum development, eLearning, and blended approaches.

Increased Access to and Use of DHS Results: The DHS Program makes survey results and datasets available through web-based tools, mobile apps, print materials, video/films, media training, and organized workshops.

Data Analysis: A team of researchers and consultants for The DHS Program publishes a total of about 15 Analytical Reports, Comparative Studies, Methodological Reports, Spatial Analysis Reports, Qualitative Research Studies, and Occasional Papers annually.

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