

# SIERRA LEONE

## FAST FACTS FROM THE 2019 SIERRA LEONE DHS

The 2019 Sierra Leone DHS (SLDHS) is designed to provide data for monitoring the population and health situation in Sierra Leone. The 2019 SLDHS is the 3rd Demographic and Health Survey conducted in Sierra Leone since 2008.

### FAMILY PLANNING

#### Trends in Family Planning Use

Percent of married women age 15-49 using family planning



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One in five women age 15-49 in Sierra Leone use a modern method of family planning. Modern method use has increased since 2008.

### CHILDHOOD MORTALITY

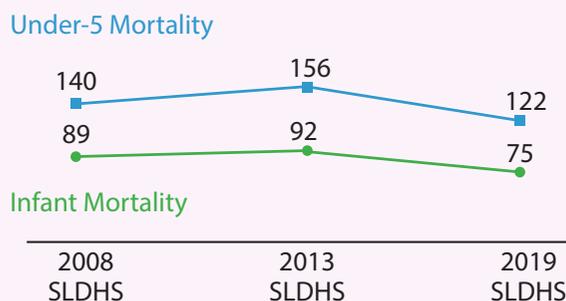


1 in 8 children in Sierra Leone does not survive until their 5th birthday.

Childhood mortality has declined since 2013.

#### Trends in Childhood Mortality

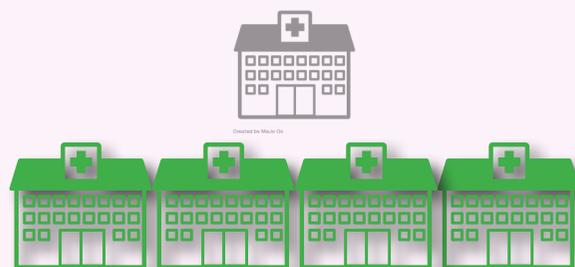
Deaths per 1,000 live births in the 5-year period before the survey



### MATERNAL HEALTH



More than 3 in 4 women age 15-49 attended 4+ antenatal care visits, as recommended.



4 in 5 births were delivered in a health facility.