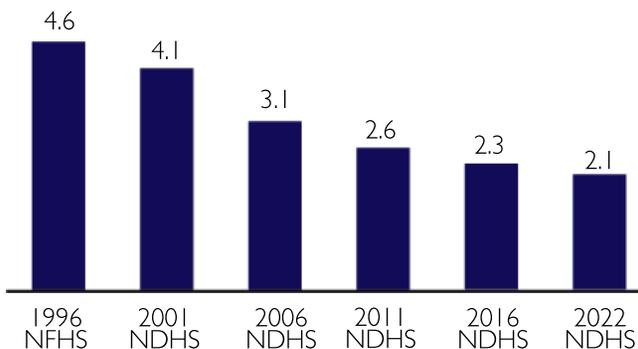


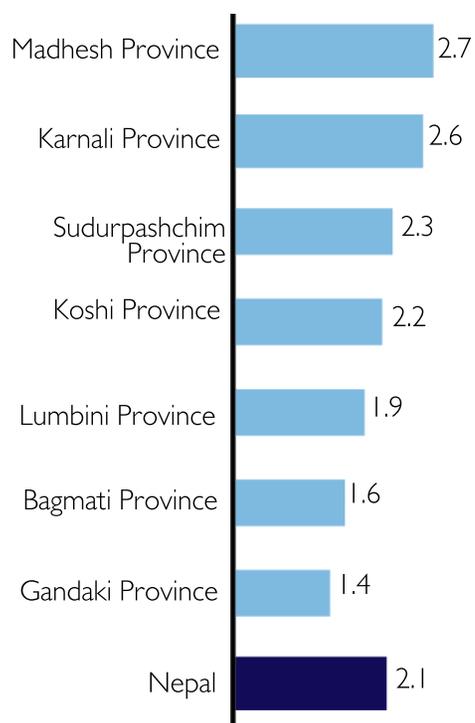
Trends in Total Fertility Rate

Births per woman for the three-year period before the survey



Total Fertility Rate by Province

Births per woman for the three-year period before the survey



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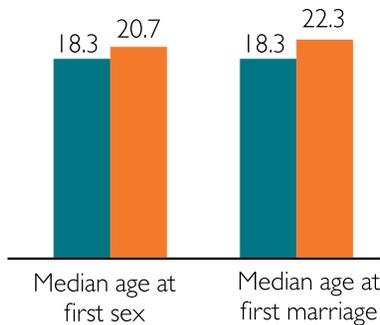
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	Number interviewed	Response rate
Households	13,786	>99%
Women 15-49	14,845	97%
Men 15-49	4,913	95%

Median Age at First Sex and Marriage

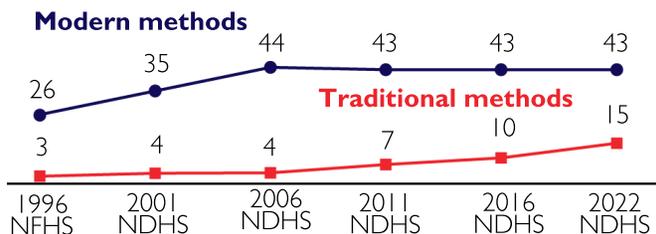
Among women and men age 25-49

■ Women ■ Men



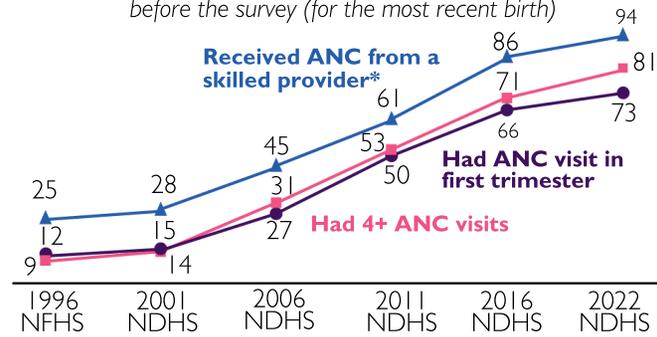
Trends in Family Planning Use

Percent of married women age 15-49 using family planning



Trends in Antenatal Care Coverage

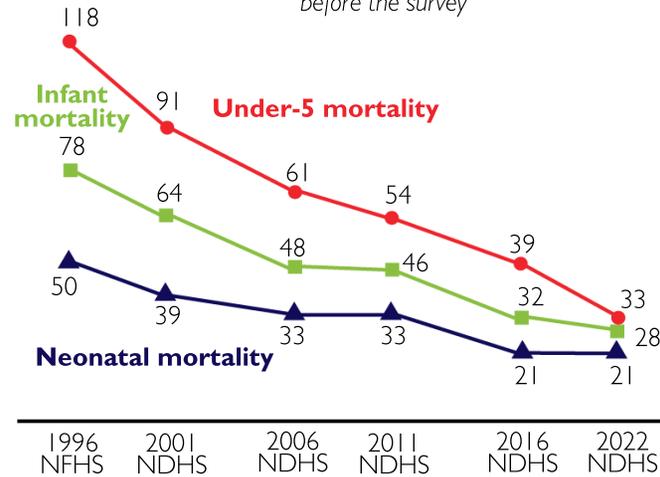
Percent of women age 15-49 who had a live birth in the two years before the survey (for the most recent birth)



*Skilled provider includes doctor, nurse, and auxiliary nurse midwife.

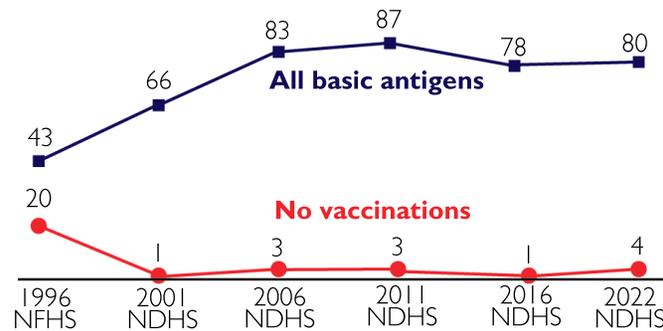
Trends in Childhood Mortality

Deaths per 1,000 live births for the five-year period before the survey



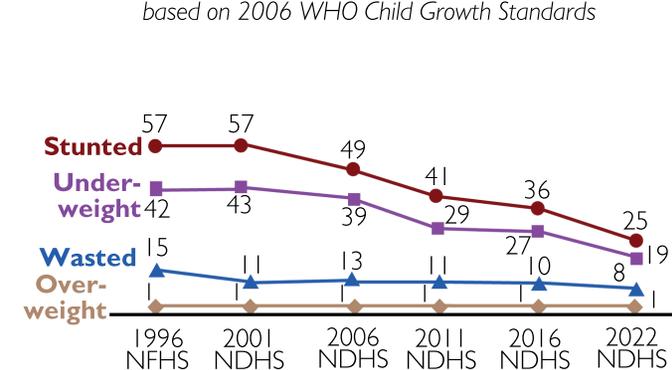
Trends in Childhood Vaccinations

Percent of children age 12-23 months who received all basic antigens at any time before the survey



Trends in Child Growth Measures

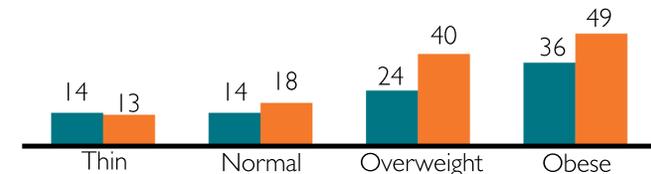
Percent of children under five who are malnourished, based on 2006 WHO Child Growth Standards



Prevalence of Hypertension by Nutritional Status

Percent of women and men 15 and older

■ Women ■ Men



Note: Hypertension = SBP >140 mmHg or DBP >90 mmHg or taking antihypertensive medication.

Having Experienced Violence by Current/Most Recent Husband/Intimate Partner

Percent of women age 15-49 who are married/living together and have ever experienced violence by their current or most recent husband/intimate partner

