Connecting for health

Country statistics
WHO region: Africa
Total population: 10,812,000
GDP per capita (Intl $, 2002): 865
Life expectancy at birth m/f (years): 39.0/39.0
Healthy life expectancy at birth m/f (years, 2002): 34.8/35.0
Child mortality m/f (per 1000): 191/173
Adult mortality m/f (per 1000): 719/685
Total health expenditure per capita (Intl $, 2002): 51
Total health expenditure as % of GDP (2002): 5.8
Figures are for 2003 unless indicated.

Mortality stratum
E: High child, very high adult
Countries in regional mortality stratum

Causes of death, African Region
Stratum E
Injuries 7%
Communicable diseases (including maternal causes) 34%
HIV, TB, malaria 40%
Noncommunicable conditions 20%

Selected demographic indicators


Selected country expenditure (% GDP)


Country ICT trends
(per 1,000 people)


Country ICT access indicators

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<td>GDP per capita, PPP (current international $)</td>
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Source:

See explanatory notes for sources and methods.
(…) data not available.

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