



# Global and regional immunization profile



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## African Region

Next overall update June 2018  
Next WHO UNICEF estimates July 2018

### Population data in thousands <sup>1</sup>

	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2000	1990	1980
<b>Total population</b>	1'019'920	993'163	966'878	941'090	915'853	665'570	510'543	384'359
<b>Live births</b>	36'575	36'067	35'548	35'012	34'456	26'857	21'948	17'746
<b>Surviving infants</b>	34'571	34'033	33'481	32'911	32'321	24'363	19'550	15'663
<b>Pop. less than 5 years</b>	164'016	160'832	157'757	154'653	151'430	112'783	91'073	70'956
<b>Pop. less than 15 years</b>	431'847	421'827	412'199	402'469	392'682	291'490	231'641	173'591
<b>Female 15-49 years</b>	243'007	236'235	229'533	223'061	216'824	155'497	114'965	86'245

### Number of reported cases

<b>Diphtheria</b>	2'870	1'654	1	128	27	4'038	2'588	8'771
<b>Japanese encephalitis</b>	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
<b>Measles</b>	36'269	52'754	73'914	171'178	108'004	520'102	481'204	1'240'993
<b>Mumps</b>	100'576	28'492	7	8'147	2'401	38'713	-	-
<b>Pertussis</b>	1'435	7'565	10'098	9'930	16'839	52'008	89'515	367'961
<b>Polio</b>	5	18	51	92	168	1'863	4'228	5'126
<b>Rubella</b>	4'157	5'300	7'402	13'739	10'850	865	-	-
<b>Rubella (CRS)</b>	14	78	14	3	69	0	-	-
<b>Tetanus (neonatal)</b>	1'183	1'289	835	1'449	2'049	5'175	7'029	2'265
<b>Tetanus (total)</b>	5'787	3'529	2'900	5'149	4'737	5'835	12'281	17'241
<b>Yellow fever</b>	1'040	35	31	268	246	593	4'248	24

### Percentage of target population vaccinated, by antigen

*based on WHO-UNICEF estimates*

*TT2plus is based on reported coverage*

<b>BCG</b>	81	80	82	79	80	69	75	9
<b>DTP1</b>	83	83	84	82	81	66	77	8
<b>DTP3</b>	74	74	74	73	72	52	57	5
<b>HepB_BD</b>	10	9	9	9	9	0	-	-
<b>HepB3</b>	74	74	74	72	71	5	0	-
<b>Hib3</b>	74	74	74	69	65	3	0	-
<b>IPV1</b>	41	19	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>MCV1</b>	72	72	72	71	71	53	58	6
<b>MCV2</b>	24	18	11	7	6	5	-	-
<b>PCV3</b>	65	59	50	35	21	-	-	-
<b>Pol3</b>	73	73	74	72	72	55	58	6
<b>RCV1</b>	13	12	9	4	0	0	0	0
<b>RotaC</b>	43	39	29	12	4	-	-	-
<b>TT2plus</b>	71	69	68	68	69	44	37	2
<b>YFV</b>	45	45	45	40	36	9	-	-

Most countries have standard recommendations regarding which vaccines should be offered and at what ages they should be given. In general, vaccines are recommend for the youngest age group at risk for developing the disease whose members are known to respond to the immunization without adverse effects.

*Unless otherwise specified, data provided by Member States through WHO-UNICEF Joint Reporting Form and WHO Regional offices.*

1) "United Nations, Population Division. The World Population Prospects - the 2017 revision". New York, 2017.