**Maternal Death Surveillance and Response (MDSR) Implementation**

**Country Profile for MDSR Implementation**

### Demographics

- **Total Population** (in thousand): 10787
- **Total Births** (in thousand): 471
- **Total Fertility Rate**: 6.4
- **Total Maternal Deaths**: 3400

**Maternal Mortality Ratio (MMR)**

- **Per 100,000 live births**
  - 1990: 1210
  - 2000: 1080
  - 2015: 732

### National Policy

**Maternal Death Notification**

- National policy to notify all maternal deaths: No
- Year of adoption: Not Applicable
- Zero reporting: No
- Mechanism for reporting maternal deaths: Individual Reporting (hotline or other mechanism)

**Maternal Death Review**

- National policy to review all maternal deaths: No
- Year of adoption: Not Applicable
- Level of implementation (national/subnational): Nil
- Involvement of civil society: Yes

### Implementation

- Existence of a national death review committee: No
- How often does the national committee meet? Not Applicable
- Production of annual report with recommendations (national): Not Applicable
- Existence of a sub-national committee: No
- Production of annual report with recommendations (sub-national): Not Applicable
- Community representation in sub-national death review committee: Not Applicable
- Existence of a national MDSR plan: No

### Global Estimates of Maternal Deaths

- **1990**: 532,000
- **2015**: 303,000

**Sources:**
- WHO Global MDSR Implementation Survey 2015

*For demographics, the reference year is 2015*