### Algeria

#### Country indicators

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<td>Per capita total health expenditure (PPP Int $)</td>
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#### National policy on health technology

Health technology (medical device) national policy: Yes, but is not part of the National Health Program

Web site: —
Language(s): Français
MOH responsible for health technology policy implementation: Direction Générale de la pharmacie

#### Regulatory agency

Authority responsible for implementing and enforcing regulations in your country: Yes

Name of principal institution: Ministère de la santé, de la Population et de la Réforme Hospitalière

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#### National health technology assessment unit

Unit/department: —
Web site: —
Contact: —
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#### National health technology management units

National health technology unit(s): Yes

**Development of technical specifications for procurement process:**

Unit/department: Cabinet of Minister, MoH.
Web site: —
Contact: —
Email: —

**Other:** Autorisation d’importation par les opérateurs privés
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**Other:** —
Unit/department: —
Web site: —
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#### Medical device nomenclature system

Official nomenclature system for medical devices: No
Type: None
Use: No
Nomenclature system name: —
Web site: —

#### Medical device incorporation

**Procurement**

Policy or guideline: Yes
Web site: —
National level procurement: Yes
Web site: —

**Donations**

Policy or guideline: No
Web site: —

**Technical specifications**

Technical specifications to support procurement or donations: No
Web site: —

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Medical device incorporation comments: —
Inventory and maintenance
Type of inventories available: —
Comments: —
Medical equipment management unit: No
Management software: No
Software and comments: —

Lists of medical devices
LISTS OF APPROVED MEDICAL DEVICES FOR PUBLIC PROCUREMENT OR REIMBURSEMENT:
Lists available: No
Unit: —
Web site: —

NATIONAL LISTS OF MEDICAL DEVICES FOR DIFFERENT TYPES OF HEALTHCARE FACILITIES OR SPECIFIC PROCEDURES:
Lists available: —
Web site - facilities: —
Web site - procedures: —

NATIONAL LIST FOR DISEASES AND SITUATIONS:
Lists available: —
Web site: —

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Additional information and comments:
Le MoH fait spécial attention aux dispositifs médicaux, comme il peut s’apprécier dans les arrêtés du 30/10/2008 sur l’importation et leur correspondant conditions techniques des dispositifs médicaux.

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* UNPD as of 1 July 2012 (2013 update)
β WHO 2012 data
α WHO 2012 classification
δ WHO 2012 data
γ WB 2013 data (2014 update)
ζ WB 2013 classification
θ WB 2013 (2014 update)
n/a not applicable
λ The full text can be found at www.who.int/medical_devices/countries/full_text.xls