



World Health Organization

Mortality Country Fact Sheet 2006

Guinea

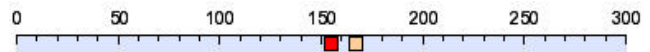


Summary

	Year	Males	Females	Both sexes
Population (millions)	2005	4.8	4.6	9.4
Life expectancy (years)	2004	52	55	53
Under-5 mortality (per 1 000 live births)	2004	160	150	155
Adult mortality (per 1 000)	2004	364	319	
Maternal mortality (per 100 000 live births)	2000		740	

Source: World Health Statistics 2006

Under-5 mortality rate (per 1 000 live births)
Guinea, 2004



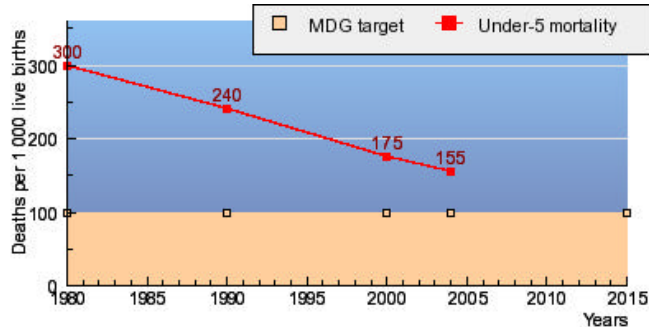
Legend:

- WHO African Region
- Guinea

Source: World Health Statistics 2006

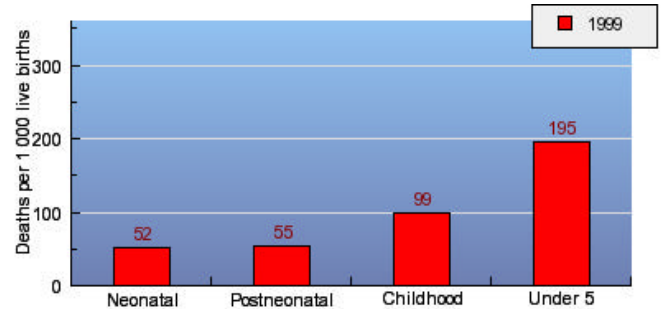
Under-5 mortality

Under-5 mortality: Estimated trend and MDG goal
Guinea, 1980-2004



Source: i) WHO mortality database ii) World Health Statistics 2006

Under-5 mortality: Age-specific mortality rates
Guinea, DHS 1999



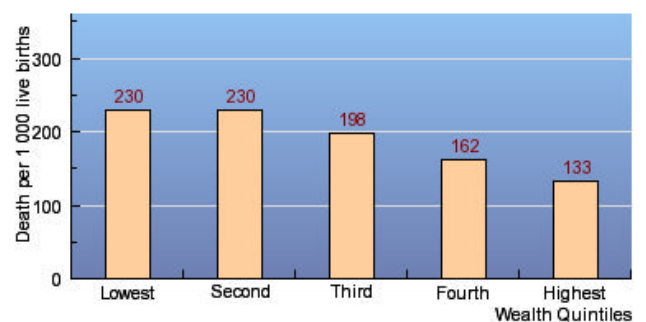
Note: rate for 5 years preceding the survey
Source: DHS 1999

Under-5 mortality: for highest and lowest quintiles
Guinea, DHS 1999

Category	Lowest	Highest	Ratio
Wealth/assets quintiles	230	133	1.7
Sex	Males	Females	Ratio
	202	188	1.1
Urban/Rural	Rural	Urban	Ratio
	211	149	1.4
Mother's education quintiles	None	Higher	Ratio
	204	104	2.0

Note: rate per 1 000 live births for 10-year period preceding the survey
Source: DHS 1999

Under-5 mortality rates by wealth quintile
Guinea, DHS 1999



Note: rate for 10-year period preceding the survey
Source: DHS 1999

Causes of death in children under-5

Distribution of causes of death among children under 5 years of age Guinea, 2000-2003			Annual estimated proportions of death by cause for neonates Guinea, 2000		
Causes	Deaths ^b	Regional average	Causes	Deaths ^c	Regional average ^c
	(%)	(%)		(%)	(%)
Total neonatal deaths	100	100	Total neonatal deaths	100	100
Neonatal causes ^a	29	26	Neonatal tetanus	11	9
HIV/AIDS	2	7	Severe infection ^a	31	27
Diarrhoeal diseases	17	17	Birth asphyxia	23	24
Measles	6	4	Diarrhoeal diseases	3	3
Malaria	25	17	Congenital anomalies	5	6
Pneumonia	21	21	Preterm birth ^b	20	23
Injuries	1	2	Others	7	7
Others	0	6			

a. Includes diarrhoea during neonatal period

b. Sum of individual proportions may not add up to 100% due to rounding.

a. Includes deaths from pneumonia, meningitis, sepsis/septicaemia and other infections during the neonatal period.

b. Includes only deaths directly attributed to prematurity and to specific complications of preterm birth such as surfactant deficiency, but not all deaths in preterm infants.

c. Sum of individual proportions may not equal 100% due to rounding.

Causes of Death

Top ten causes of death, all ages Guinea, 2002				Life expectancy at birth among males (years) Guinea, 2004	
Causes	Deaths		Years of Life Lost	Guinea, 2004	
	(000)	(%)		WHO African Region	Guinea
All causes	114	100	100	50	50
Malaria	16	15	18	50	50
Perinatal conditions	11	10	13	50	50
Diarrhoeal diseases	9	8	10	50	50
Measles	9	8	11	50	50
HIV/AIDS	8	7	8	50	50
Lower respiratory infections	4	4	4	50	50
Cerebrovascular disease	4	4	2	50	50
Ischaemic heart disease	4	4	1	50	50
Tuberculosis	3	3	3	50	50
Road traffic accidents	2	3	3	50	50

Life expectancy at birth among females (years) Guinea, 2004	
WHO African Region	Guinea
50	50

Maternal mortality ratio (per 100 000 live births) Guinea, 2000	
WHO African Region	Guinea
1000	1000

Legend:
 WHO African Region
 Guinea

Source: World Health Statistics 2006

Source: <http://www.who.int/entity/healthinfo/statistics/bodgbddeathdalyestimates.xls>