
TABLES

Table HH.1: Results of household and individual interviews

Number of households, women and children under 5 by results of the household, women's and under-5's interviews, and household, women's and under-5's response rates, The Gambia, 2006

	Residence		LGA								
	Urban	Rural	Banjul	Kanifing	Brikama	Mansakonko	Kerewan	Kuntaur	Janjangbureh	Basse	Total
Number of households											
Sampled	2945	3230	266	1881	1691	361	760	266	418	532	6175
Occupied	2945	3226	266	1881	1687	361	760	266	418	532	6171
Interviewed	2890	3181	266	1837	1646	361	754	264	417	526	6071
Response rate	98.1	98.6	100.0	97.7	97.6	100.0	99.2	99.2	99.8	98.9	98.4
Number of women											
Eligible	4308	5944	328	2825	2445	594	1097	534	964	1465	10252
Interviewed	4189	5793	326	2731	2387	573	1090	506	958	1411	9982
Response rate	97.2	97.5	99.4	96.7	97.6	96.5	99.4	94.8	99.4	96.3	97.4
Overall response rate	95.4	96.1	99.4	94.4	95.3	96.5	98.6	94.0	99.1	95.2	95.8
Number of children under 5											
Eligible	2248	4393	167	1461	1390	404	863	441	754	1161	6641
Mother/caretaker interviewed	2202	4341	160	1425	1376	399	856	431	753	1143	6543
Response rate	98.0	98.8	95.8	97.5	99.0	98.8	99.2	97.7	99.9	98.4	98.5
Overall response rate	96.1	97.4	95.8	95.3	96.6	98.8	98.4	97.0	99.6	97.3	96.9

Table HH.2: Household age distribution by sex

Percentage distribution of the household population by five-year age groups and dependency age groups, and number of children aged 0-17 years, by sex, The Gambia, 2006

	Males		Females		Total	
	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent
Age						
0-4	3306	15.0	3173	13.9	6479	14.4
5-9	3598	16.3	3535	15.5	7134	15.9
10-14	2869	13.0	3407	14.9	6275	14.0
15-19	2518	11.4	2307	10.1	4825	10.8
20-24	1749	7.9	2044	9.0	3793	8.5
25-29	1483	6.7	1935	8.5	3417	7.6
30-34	1204	5.5	1361	6.0	2565	5.7
35-39	1147	5.2	1065	4.7	2212	4.9
40-44	948	4.3	830	3.6	1778	4.0
45-49	763	3.5	546	2.4	1308	2.9
50-54	583	2.6	1048	4.6	1630	3.6
55-59	514	2.3	485	2.1	998	2.2
60-64	484	2.2	393	1.7	877	2.0
65-69	337	1.5	196	.9	533	1.2
70+	538	2.4	463	2.0	1001	2.2
Missing/DK	32	(.1)	18	(*)	49	(.1)
Dependency age groups						
< 15	9774	44.3	10115	44.4	19888	44.3
15-64	11391	51.6	12014	52.7	23404	52.2
65 +	876	4.0	659	2.9	1535	3.4
Missing/DK	32	(.1)	18	(*)	49	(.1)
Children aged 0-17	11386	51.6	11473	50.3	22859	50.9
Adults 18+/Missing/ DK	10686	48.4	11332	49.7	22018	49.1
Total	22072	100.0	22805	100.0	44877	100.0

Table HH.3: Household composition

Percentage distribution of households by selected characteristics,
The Gambia, 2006

	Number of households		
	Weighted per cent	Weighted	Unweighted
Sex of household head			
Male	84.1	5103	5120
Female	15.9	968	951
LGA			
Banjul	5.1	308	266
Kanifing	30.9	1877	1837
Brikama	27.2	1652	1646
Mansakonko	5.9	357	361
Kerewan	11.8	718	754
Kuntaur	5.0	306	264
Janjangbureh	6.1	370	417
Basse	8.0	483	526
Residence			
Urban	48.3	2930	2890
Rural	51.7	3141	3181
Number of household members			
1	9.4	573	565
2-3	14.0	852	836
4-5	20.0	1216	1200
6-7	18.2	1104	1092
8-9	13.3	806	806
10+	25.0	1521	1572
Ethnic group of head of household			
Mandinka	33.7	2043	2068
Wolof	13.1	793	772
Fula	23.2	1409	1412
Jola	11.6	703	685
Serer	4.5	273	265
Other ethnic group	14.0	850	869
Total	100.0	6071	6071
At least one child aged < 18 years	83.6	6071	6071
At least one child aged < 5 years	57.7	6071	6071
At least one woman aged 15-49 years	83.6	6071	6071

Table HH.4: Women's background characteristics

Percentage distribution of women aged 15-49 by background characteristics,
The Gambia, 2006

	Number of women		
	Weighted per cent	Weighted	Unweighted
LGA			
Banjul	3.2	324	326
Kanifing	28.8	2872	2731
Brikama	25.5	2549	2387
Mansakonko	5.3	531	573
Kerewan	10.1	1012	1090
Kuntaur	5.5	547	506
Janjangbureh	8.9	891	958
Basse	12.6	1258	1411
Residence			
Urban	42.6	4251	4189
Rural	57.4	5731	5793
Age			
15-19	22.9	2282	2277
20-24	20.3	2023	2013
25-29	19.2	1915	1924
30-34	13.5	1352	1350
35-39	10.5	1047	1051
40-44	8.2	822	825
45-49	5.4	540	542
Marital/Union status			
Currently married/in union	68.6	6839	6904
Formerly married/in union	4.6	459	447
Never married/in union	26.8	2671	2618
Motherhood status			
Ever gave birth	67.5	6739	6774
Never gave birth	32.5	3243	3208
Education			
None	60.9	6083	6190
Primary	11.7	1173	1150
Secondary +	27.3	2726	2642
Wealth index quintiles			
Poorest	17.1	1707	1771
Second	19.0	1896	1896
Middle	20.2	2012	2020
Fourth	21.4	2139	2133
Richest	22.3	2228	2162
Ethnic group of head of household			
Mandinka	35.2	3514	3513
Wolof	13.0	1295	1279
Fula	19.9	1985	1991
Jola	10.9	1086	1015
Serer	3.9	386	379
Other ethnic group	17.2	1716	1805
Total	100.0	9982	9982

Table HH.5: Children's background characteristics

Percentage distribution of children under 5 by background characteristics,
The Gambia, 2006

	Number of under-5 children		
	Weighted per cent	Weighted	Unweighted
Sex			
Male	51.1	3346	3343
Female	48.9	3197	3200
LGA			
Banjul	3.0	196	160
Kanifing	23.0	1508	1425
Brikama	21.8	1425	1376
Mansakonko	6.2	406	399
Kerewan	12.6	826	856
Kuntaur	7.7	502	431
Janjangbureh	10.4	682	753
Basse	15.3	999	1143
Residence			
Urban	35.2	2303	2202
Rural	64.8	4240	4341
Age			
< 6 months	13.0	853	855
6-11 months	10.6	695	696
12-23 months	22.7	1486	1481
24-35 months	20.9	1369	1373
36-47 months	19.1	1247	1242
48-59 months	13.7	893	896
Mother's education			
None	75.2	4923	4975
Primary	10.8	710	690
Secondary +	13.9	911	878
Wealth index quintiles			
Poorest	23.4	1532	1575
Second	20.4	1337	1342
Middle	20.5	1344	1351
Fourth	19.1	1248	1249
Richest	16.5	1082	1026
Ethnic group of head of household			
Mandinka	34.4	2254	2244
Wolof	13.3	870	850
Fula	22.8	1494	1493
Jola	9.1	596	564
Serer	3.2	212	200
Other ethnic group	17.1	1117	1192
Total	100.0	6543	6543

Table CM.1: Child mortality

Infant and under-5 mortality rates, The Gambia, 2006

	Infant mortality rate*	Under-5 mortality rate**
Sex		
Male	99	140
Female	86	122
LGA		
Banjul & Kanifing	88	122
Brikama	76	100
Mansakonko	104	154
Kerewan	90	126
Kuntaur	124	195
Janjangbureh	109	165
Basse	121	188
Residence		
Urban	74	96
Rural	102	150
Mother's education		
None	97	140
Primary	94	133
Secondary +	54	66
Wealth index quintiles		
Poorest	106	158
Second	97	139
Middle	101	148
Fourth	88	121
Richest	58	72
Ethnic group of head of household		
Mandinka	97	140
Wolof	82	111
Fula	100	146
Jola	77	102
Serer	56	69
Other ethnic group	95	136
Total	93	131

* MICS indicator 2; MDG indicator 14

** MICS indicator 1; MDG indicator 13

Table CM.2: Children ever born and proportion dead

Mean number of children ever born and proportion dead by age of women, The Gambia, 2006

	Mean number of children ever born	Proportion dead	Number of women
Age			
15-19	.098	.086	2282
20-24	.568	.108	2023
25-29	.098	.086	2282
30-34	.568	.108	2023
35-39	1.283	.131	1915
40-44	2.081	.132	1352
45-49	2.727	.140	1047
Total	3.298	.176	822

Table NU.1: Child malnourishment

Percentage of children aged 0-59 who are severely or moderately malnourished, The Gambia, 2006

	Weight for age		Height for age		Weight for height			Number of children aged 0-59 months
	% above - 2 SD*	% above - 3 SD*	% above - 2 SD	% above - 3 SD	% above - 2 SD	% above - 3 SD	% above + 32 SD	
Sex								
Male	20.5	4.1	22.4	8.5	6.8	1.1	1.9	3276
Female	20.1	3.7	22.4	8.1	6.1	.8	2.7	3110
LGA								
Banjul	17.5	5.0	17.5	6.9	4.4	.0	.6	196
Kanifing	13.5	1.7	12.3	4.7	4.8	.4	1.8	1493
Brikama	16.8	2.8	19.9	6.5	8.1	1.2	2.9	1413
Mansakonko	27.0	6.1	29.0	9.9	7.4	1.3	1.2	404
Kerewan	23.7	5.2	32.3	15.0	7.0	1.6	5.0	823
Kuntaur	27.3	7.2	25.0	9.5	11.2	2.2	1.9	461
Janjangbureh	26.1	3.8	29.1	9.6	3.7	.3	1.3	682
Basse	23.5	5.0	25.9	8.7	5.6	.7	1.5	914
Residence								
Urban	14.7	2.2	14.6	5.8	5.0	.4	2.4	2267
Rural	23.4	4.8	26.7	9.6	7.2	1.3	2.3	4119
Age								
< 6 months	3.8	.9	7.0	2.6	3.7	.8	8.1	828
6-11 months	19.1	3.6	16.4	6.5	9.9	2.2	4.4	679
12-23 months	31.4	7.7	29.4	11.5	12.1	1.9	1.4	1455
24-35 months	24.0	4.3	25.7	9.7	4.2	.4	1.0	1323
36-47 months	17.2	2.2	25.0	8.4	3.4	.2	.6	1226
48-59 months	17.1	2.1	21.6	7.3	4.6	.4	.9	874
Mother's education								
None	21.9	4.3	24.5	9.2	6.6	1.1	2.4	4788
Primary	19.7	3.5	18.5	7.8	6.8	.8	1.6	697
Secondary +	12.4	1.6	14.6	3.8	5.4	.5	2.3	902
Wealth index quintiles								
Poorest	25.9	6.4	30.4	11.6	7.3	1.2	2.4	1492
Second	23.1	3.9	27.5	10.3	7.5	1.4	3.0	1296
Middle	21.1	3.2	21.3	7.5	7.4	1.1	2.1	1309
Fourth	15.6	2.9	18.0	5.8	4.3	.7	2.0	1220
Richest	13.5	2.2	11.5	5.0	5.2	.2	1.9	1070
Ethnic group of head of household								
Mandinka	21.3	3.9	23.6	8.4	7.1	1.3	1.7	2209
Wollof	18.7	2.5	22.7	8.4	5.5	.3	2.5	863
Fula	21.2	4.4	23.2	8.7	6.3	1.0	2.8	1440
Jola	17.8	2.9	20.5	8.3	7.9	1.5	3.4	591
Serer	21.5	4.9	22.4	8.9	5.6	.0	2.4	210
Other ethnic group	19.6	4.5	19.8	7.3	5.3	.6	2.1	1074
Total	20.3	3.9	22.4	8.3	6.4	1.0	2.3	6386

* MICS indicator 6; MDG indicator 4

** MICS indicator 7

*** MICS indicator 8

Table NU.2: Initial breastfeeding

Percentage of women aged 15-49 with a birth in the two years preceding the survey who breastfed their baby within one hour of birth and within one day of birth, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage who started breastfeeding within one hour of birth*	Percentage who started breastfeeding within one day of birth	Number of women with a live birth in the two years preceding the survey
LGA			
Banjul	48.7	90.8	75
Kanifing	48.2	85.8	694
Brikama	34.1	91.1	750
Mansakonko	35.0	87.5	167
Kerewan	77.6	96.1	377
Kuntaur	49.0	86.5	232
Janjangbureh	33.3	84.2	313
Basse	58.5	92.4	463
Residence			
Urban	47.1	87.8	1037
Rural	48.1	90.3	2033
Months since birth			
< 6 months	47.9	90.0	872
6-11 months	47.8	89.8	713
12-23 months	47.6	88.9	1481
Mother's education			
None	49.0	89.9	2229
Primary	43.3	90.2	352
Secondary +	45.4	87.0	489
Wealth index quintiles			
Poorest	48.4	87.4	684
Second	49.8	92.8	647
Middle	46.3	89.9	650
Fourth	46.4	88.6	600
Richest	47.7	88.4	488
Ethnic group of head of household			
Mandinka	49.4	92.4	1048
Wolof	52.4	89.9	384
Fula	46.6	87.3	706
Jola	38.3	86.1	302
Serer	45.6	91.9	117
Other ethnic group	48.6	87.6	512
Total	47.7	89.5	3070

* MICS indicator 45

Table NU.3: Breastfeeding Percentage of living children according to breastfeeding status at each age group, The Gambia, 2006

	Children 0-3 months		Children 0-5 months		Children 6-9 months		Children 12-15 months		Children 20-23 months	
	Percentage exclusively breastfed	Number of children	Percentage exclusively breastfed*	Number of children	% receiving breast milk & solid/ mushy food**	Number of children	Percentage breastfed***	Number of children	Percentage breastfed***	Number of children
Sex										
Male	51.8	250	39.5	410	42.4	202	91.5	314	54.2	205
Female	53.1	278	42.0	443	45.2	210	93.2	302	52.2	195
LGA										
Banjul	(*)	10	(*)	17	(*)	9	(*)	23	(*)	11
Kanifing	51.6	131	42.9	193	44.9	83	90.3	163	49.3	73
Brikama	59.0	135	48.5	206	37.8	87	86.5	142	59.9	94
Mansakonko	(45.6)	33	(41.0)	49	(57.6)	29	(97.1)	37	(*)	24
Kerewan	50.2	60	34.4	107	62.6	54	97.5	80	49.7	60
Kuntaur	(36.7)	34	23.6	63	(41.2)	29	91.9	50	(39.4)	38
Janjangbureh	55.1	52	45.2	88	(52.1)	43	98.2	50	(59.8)	41
Basse	56.3	72	38.4	129	25.7	77	97.6	70	57.5	60
Residence										
Urban	54.9	199	45.1	291	55.1	140	90.3	236	44.8	121
Rural	51.0	330	38.5	561	38.0	272	93.6	380	56.9	279
Mother's education										
None	51.9	376	39.8	619	40.9	308	94.7	438	55.0	304
Primary	47.7	55	43.6	89	(48.6)	45	84.0	72	57.4	52
Secondary +	57.2	97	43.4	144	55.3	59	88.1	107	(36.4)	45
Wealth index quintiles										
Poorest	52.7	107	40.3	191	41.3	94	96.6	130	56.5	100
Second	49.5	107	41.4	183	46.1	87	93.0	117	63.4	89
Middle	53.7	111	43.3	167	40.0	97	92.7	138	57.0	91
Fourth	58.9	117	39.5	184	45.4	66	93.5	117	37.6	69
Richest	45.7	86	39.1	128	48.1	67	85.2	115	43.6	52
Ethnic group of head of household										
Mandinka	58.7	183	46.8	278	44.0	154	94.1	215	51.1	127
Wolof	34.3	71	28.4	116	(50.6)	49	87.6	83	40.0	70
Fula	52.9	139	41.3	217	44.8	96	93.8	120	66.6	96
Jola	(63.9)	39	49.1	63	(29.7)	32	90.2	66	(66.4)	39
Serer	(*)	18	(37.4)	34	(*)	11	(*)	28	(*)	12
Other ethnic group	48.0	78	35.5	145	41.5	69	92.1	104	43.6	57
Total	52.5	528	40.8	853	43.8	411	92.3	616	53.2	401

* MICS indicator 15

** MICS indicator 17

*** MICS indicator 16

Table NU.4: Adequately fed infants

Percentage of infants under 6 months of age exclusively breastfed, percentage of infants 6-11 months who are breastfed and who ate solid/semi-solid food at least the minimum recommended number of times yesterday and percentage of infants adequately fed, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of infants					
	0-5 months exclusively breastfed	6-8 months who received breast milk and complementary food at least 2 times in prior 24 hours	9-11 months who received breast milk and complementary food at least 3 times in prior 24 hours	6-11 months who received breast milk and complementary food at least the minimum recommended number of times per day*	0-11 months who were appropriately fed**	Number of infants aged 0-11 months
Sex						
Male	39.5	28.1	44.4	37.1	38.4	750
Female	42.0	37.6	43.4	40.8	41.5	797
LGA						
Banjul	(21.4)	(60.0)	(50.0)	(53.8)	(37.0)	33
Kanifing	42.9	30.9	30.8	30.8	37.8	333
Brikama	48.5	30.5	51.0	40.7	45.2	358
Mansakonko	41.0	39.2	52.6	46.2	43.4	93
Kerewan	34.4	56.3	67.8	62.9	47.7	201
Kuntaur	23.6	31.3	50.0	44.7	34.4	129
Janjangbureh	45.2	29.1	37.4	33.6	40.2	155
Basse	38.4	19.7	25.7	22.6	30.9	246
Residence						
Urban	45.1	43.9	38.1	40.6	43.1	518
Rural	38.5	27.9	46.8	38.2	38.4	1030
Mother's education						
None	39.8	30.0	44.4	38.2	39.0	1143
Primary	43.6	35.0	32.2	33.5	39.1	161
Secondary +	43.4	44.7	49.9	47.3	45.0	243
Wealth index quintiles						
Poorest	40.3	30.2	47.8	40.8	40.6	365
Second	41.4	28.8	58.1	45.3	43.2	334
Middle	43.3	28.9	37.1	32.9	38.4	315
Fourth	39.5	43.2	36.6	39.2	39.4	300
Richest	39.1	38.5	32.3	35.3	37.4	234
Ethnic group of head of household						
Mandinka	46.8	35.6	47.6	41.9	44.5	522
Wolof	28.4	36.4	53.4	46.3	36.1	203
Fula	41.3	38.6	40.6	39.7	40.6	377
Jola	49.1	8.6	51.4	35.8	42.2	132
Serer	37.4	33.0	30.4	31.1	34.8	57
Other ethnic group	35.5	28.3	31.1	29.8	33.0	257
Total	40.8	32.9	43.9	39.0	40.0	1547

* MICS indicator 18

** MICS indicator 19

Table NU.5: Iodized salt consumption

Percentage of households consuming adequately iodized salt, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of households in which salt was tested	Number of households interviewed	Percentage of households with				Number of households in which salt was tested or with no salt
			No salt	Salt test result		Total	
				< 15 PPM	15+ PPM*		
LGA							
Banjul	74.4	308	25.6	73.3	1.1	100.0	308
Kanifing	86.5	1877	12.6	84.0	3.4	100.0	1858
Brikama	92.0	1652	7.1	91.4	1.5	100.0	1636
Mansakonko	91.9	357	7.3	90.5	2.2	100.0	354
Kerewan	96.9	718	1.5	96.2	2.3	100.0	707
Kuntaur	92.8	306	6.0	77.9	16.1	100.0	302
Janjangbureh	96.5	370	3.1	86.9	10.0	100.0	368
Basse	92.0	483	4.7	54.1	41.2	100.0	466
Residence							
Urban	85.8	2930	13.4	81.3	5.3	100.0	2904
Rural	94.5	3141	4.1	88.1	7.7	100.0	3095
Wealth index quintiles							
Poorest	95.6	1089	3.0	86.9	10.2	100.0	1073
Second	95.8	1140	2.6	93.3	4.1	100.0	1121
Middle	90.8	1175	8.2	84.9	7.0	100.0	1162
Fourth	83.6	1261	15.3	79.0	5.7	100.0	1244
Richest	87.3	1406	12.2	81.7	6.2	100.0	1398
Total	90.3	6071	8.6	84.8	6.6	100.0	5999

* MICS indicator 41

Table NU.6: Children's Vitamin A supplementation

Percentage distribution of children aged 6-59 months by whether they have received a high dose of Vitamin A supplement in the last 6 months, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of children who received Vitamin A:			Not sure if received Vitamin A	Never received Vitamin A	Total	Number of children aged 6-59 months
	Within last 6 months*	Prior to last 6 months	Not sure if received Vitamin A				
Sex							
Male	80.1	3.6	8.3	.8	7.1	100.0	2936
Female	80.0	4.3	8.3	.6	6.8	100.0	2755
LGA							
Banjul	74.7	4.1	17.8	.7	2.7	100.0	178
Kanifing	76.7	3.9	8.1	2.0	9.3	100.0	1315
Brikama	89.5	4.8	1.3	.3	4.0	100.0	1219
Mansakonko	76.0	4.9	13.2	.6	5.3	100.0	356
Kerewan	72.4	8.3	2.5	.1	16.6	100.0	719
Kuntaur	87.3	1.8	7.5	.0	3.4	100.0	439
Janjangbureh	74.6	1.5	18.8	.8	4.4	100.0	594
Basse	81.3	1.5	12.3	.2	4.8	100.0	869
Residence							
Urban	77.2	4.2	8.6	1.5	8.6	100.0	2012
Rural	81.7	3.8	8.1	.3	6.1	100.0	3679
Age							
6-11 months	75.6	1.0	6.1	.5	16.9	100.0	695
12-23 months	84.3	4.0	5.3	.4	6.0	100.0	1486
24-35 months	79.9	6.3	8.3	.3	5.1	100.0	1369
36-47 months	80.3	3.0	10.6	1.0	5.1	100.0	1247
48-59 months	76.4	3.9	11.7	1.6	6.4	100.0	893
Mother's education							
None	80.0	3.8	8.5	.7	7.1	100.0	4303
Primary	79.6	3.5	9.8	.7	6.4	100.0	620
Secondary +	80.6	5.4	6.1	1.1	6.8	100.0	767
Wealth index quintiles							
Poorest	77.0	4.8	10.7	.4	7.2	100.0	1341
Second	81.7	5.2	4.8	.1	8.3	100.0	1153
Middle	82.7	3.0	7.3	.6	6.3	100.0	1177
Fourth	81.9	3.1	9.0	.7	5.4	100.0	1064
Richest	77.1	3.6	9.6	2.1	7.7	100.0	955
Ethnic group of head of household							
Mandinka	79.9	5.1	6.9	.7	7.3	100.0	1976
Wollof	79.4	3.3	9.3	.6	7.3	100.0	754
Fula	82.2	3.4	8.0	.4	6.1	100.0	1277
Jola	81.1	4.4	5.3	.8	8.3	100.0	533
Serer	75.1	2.8	9.8	1.2	11.2	100.0	178
Other ethnic group	78.4	2.8	12.1	1.1	5.6	100.0	972
Total	80.1	3.9	8.3	.7	7.0	100.0	5690

* MICS indicator 42

Table NU.7: Post-partum mothers' Vitamin A supplementation

Percentage of women aged 15-49 with a live birth in the two years preceding the survey by whether they received a high dose of Vitamin A supplement before the infant was eight weeks old, The Gambia, 2006

	Received Vitamin A supplement*	Not sure if received Vitamin A	Number of women aged 15-49
LGA			
Banjul	84.2	1.3	75
Kanifing	67.4	1.1	694
Brikama	83.6	1.4	750
Mansakonko	85.4	.0	167
Kerewan	77.3	.7	377
Kuntaur	82.8	.5	232
Janjangbureh	71.7	.6	313
Basse	83.1	.0	463
Residence			
Urban	71.5	1.0	1037
Rural	81.3	.7	2033
Education			
None	78.2	.8	2229
Primary	78.4	.0	352
Secondary +	76.3	1.3	489
Wealth index quintiles			
Poorest	80.6	.6	684
Second	81.6	.5	647
Middle	74.7	.6	650
Fourth	78.8	1.2	600
Richest	72.8	1.1	488
Ethnic group of head of household			
Mandinka	76.2	.7	1048
Wolof	78.1	.5	384
Fula	78.8	.6	706
Jola	81.1	1.1	302
Serer	76.1	.8	117
Other ethnic group	78.8	1.3	512
Total	78.0	.8	3070

*MICS indicator 43

Table NU.8: Low birth weight infants

Percentage of live births in the two years preceding the survey that weighed below 2500 grams at birth, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of live births		Number of live births
	Below 2500 grams*	Weighed at birth**	
LGA			
Banjul	16.9	93.4	75
Kanifing	20.2	78.2	694
Brikama	19.4	59.5	750
Mansakonko	16.7	38.2	167
Kerewan	20.3	49.3	377
Kuntaur	23.9	24.5	232
Janjangbureh	17.8	30.9	313
Basse	20.9	27.5	463
Residence			
Urban	19.7	74.1	1037
Rural	20.0	40.4	2033
Mother's education			
None	20.2	44.5	2229
Primary	18.9	59.5	352
Secondary +	19.2	79.3	489
Wealth index quintiles			
Poorest	20.1	27.7	684
Second	20.4	44.8	647
Middle	20.4	50.7	650
Fourth	18.9	63.5	600
Richest	19.4	81.8	488
Ethnic group of head of household			
Mandinka	19.8	52.3	1048
Wollof	21.7	49.0	384
Fula	20.0	45.4	706
Jola	18.4	67.2	302
Serer	20.2	75.6	117
Other ethnic group	19.4	47.1	512
Total	19.9	51.8	3070

* MICS indicator 9

** MICS indicator 10

Table CH.1: Vaccinations in first year of life

Percentage of children aged 12-23 months immunized against childhood diseases at any time before the survey and before the first birthday, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of live births											Number of children
	BCG*	DPT1	DPT2	DPT3**	Polio0	Polio1	Polio2	Polio3 ***	Measles ****	All *****	None	
Vaccinated at any time before the survey												
According to:												
Vaccination card	89.7	87.7	86.0	81.6	86.3	86.6	86.6	84.1	83.8	71.9	.0	1486
Mother's report	9.0	8.3	7.2	5.2	6.5	8.9	6.6	3.6	8.6	2.5	.4	1486
Either	98.7	96.1	93.2	86.8	92.8	95.5	93.2	87.6	92.4	74.5	.4	1486
Vaccinated by 12 months of age	97.6	93.1	90.4	82.4	91.9	92.8	90.7	83.3	84.9	55.3	.4	1486

* MICS indicator 25

** MICS indicator 27

*** MICS indicator 26

**** MICS indicator 28; MDG indicator 15

***** MICS indicator 31

Table CH.1c: Vaccinations in first year of life (continued)

Percentage of children aged 12-23 months immunized against childhood diseases at any time before the survey and before the first birthday, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of children who received:				Number of children
	HepB1	HepB2	HepB3*	Yellow fever**	
Vaccinated at any time before the survey					
According to:					
Vaccination card	85.5	84.3	79.0	83.5	1486
Mother's report	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1486
Either	85.6	84.3	79.0	83.5	1486
Vaccinated by 12 months of age	83.8	81.4	75.4	76.9	1486

* MICS indicator 29

** MICS indicator 30

Table CH.2: Vaccinations by background characteristics

Percentage of children aged 12-23 months currently vaccinated against childhood diseases, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of children who received:											Percentage with health card	Number of children aged 12-23 months
	BCG	DPT1	DPT2	DPT3	Polio0	Polio1	Polio2	Polio3	Measles	All	None		
Sex													
Male	98.6	95.6	92.3	84.7	92.5	95.1	92.0	85.6	91.2	72.7	.6	89.7	757
Female	98.9	96.6	94.0	89.0	93.1	95.9	94.5	89.8	93.7	76.3	.1	91.3	729
LGA													
Banjul	729	100.0	97.6	95.2	95.3	100.0	92.9	88.1	90.7	78.6	.0	86.0	53
Kanifing	98.0	95.0	91.2	85.9	92.0	93.3	92.2	84.7	89.0	69.7	1.3	90.0	318
Brikama	98.0	96.3	94.0	88.9	88.7	94.4	90.0	83.6	91.8	72.5	.2	88.3	347
Mansakonko	100.0	98.7	96.4	91.4	94.0	96.4	96.3	90.3	98.8	86.7	.0	91.5	85
Kerewan	99.0	90.4	85.7	78.1	90.3	95.4	92.3	84.7	93.3	67.7	.0	90.3	191
Kuntaur	100.0	100.0	97.3	92.8	99.1	99.1	98.2	94.6	96.4	83.7	.0	96.4	127
Janjangbureh	100.0	97.6	95.1	91.5	97.6	96.4	94.5	92.1	92.7	81.2	.0	93.9	150
Basse	98.8	96.9	95.0	81.9	95.0	96.5	95.8	92.7	93.1	74.5	.4	89.6	214
Residence													
Urban	97.5	95.5	91.5	87.0	91.4	93.6	91.1	85.4	90.7	71.3	1.0	88.4	496
Rural	99.3	96.3	94.0	86.7	93.6	96.4	94.3	88.7	93.3	76.0	.1	91.5	990
Mother's education													
None	98.4	96.0	93.2	86.8	94.1	96.0	94.2	88.1	92.2	74.9	.5	91.0	1094
Primary	99.5	96.1	92.5	85.0	89.3	91.2	90.5	86.7	90.8	68.7	.0	90.8	175
Secondary +	99.6	96.1	93.7	88.2	89.1	96.6	90.3	86.0	94.5	76.8	.0	87.4	217
Wealth index quintiles													
Poorest	99.4	96.7	94.0	89.2	96.1	97.4	95.8	91.1	94.6	82.8	.0	95.8	346
Second	99.5	95.0	92.3	85.3	88.8	95.3	94.6	88.5	91.4	72.5	.3	88.6	295
Middle	97.9	96.6	92.9	84.1	92.5	94.3	91.3	86.8	91.0	71.8	.9	90.6	340
Fourth	98.3	94.6	92.8	85.8	94.0	94.6	90.8	82.5	93.4	70.2	.8	87.9	277
Richest	98.7	97.3	93.9	90.5	92.0	96.0	93.3	88.7	91.4	73.5	.0	87.8	227
Ethnic group of head of household													
Mandinka	98.7	96.6	94.1	88.3	95.2	95.5	94.3	89.7	94.3	77.0	.0	92.5	498
Wolof	99.5	96.2	93.6	89.0	93.2	96.4	93.9	87.2	90.4	74.6	.5	89.7	199
Fula	98.7	96.4	92.5	86.6	93.8	95.5	92.4	86.6	89.9	73.7	.8	89.9	336
Jola	98.6	94.9	92.1	87.8	84.8	94.9	92.3	85.8	91.4	74.3	1.4	93.0	149
Serer	97.9	91.6	85.8	82.1	85.3	90.8	89.3	80.5	91.0	66.1	.0	82.3	59
Other ethnic group	98.6	96.2	94.1	82.9	93.1	96.5	93.3	88.2	94.5	72.3	.0	88.3	245
Total	98.7	96.1	93.2	86.8	92.8	95.5	93.2	87.6	92.4	74.5	.4	90.5	1486

Table CH.2c: Vaccinations by background characteristics (continued)

Percentage of children aged 12-23 months currently vaccinated against childhood diseases,
The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of children who received:				Percentage with health card	Number of children aged 12-23 months
	HepB1	HepB2	HepB3	Yellow Fever		
Sex						
Male	84.7	83.4	77.4	81.8	89.7	757
Female	86.5	85.2	80.7	85.2	91.3	729
LGA						
Banjul	86.0	86.0	81.4	74.4	86.0	53
Kanifing	82.7	81.4	75.7	80.6	90.0	318
Brikama	86.3	85.4	81.4	81.8	88.3	347
Mansakonko	90.4	90.3	86.7	89.0	91.5	85
Kerewan	72.2	71.2	67.6	84.1	90.3	191
Kuntaur	93.7	90.0	83.7	91.9	96.4	127
Janjangbureh	93.9	93.3	91.5	86.6	93.9	150
Basse	88.0	85.7	74.9	82.6	89.6	214
Residence						
Urban	82.0	81.1	76.1	80.2	88.4	496
Rural	87.4	85.8	80.5	85.1	91.5	990
Mother's education						
None	86.1	84.6	79.6	83.8	91.0	1094
Primary	85.1	83.9	76.6	81.7	90.8	175
Secondary +	83.6	82.7	77.7	83.3	87.4	217
Wealth index quintiles						
Poorest	91.0	89.5	84.4	90.3	95.8	346
Second	84.1	82.4	76.7	81.0	88.6	295
Middle	83.9	83.3	76.6	83.4	90.6	340
Fourth	83.6	80.5	76.5	81.3	87.9	277
Richest	84.3	84.7	80.3	78.9	87.8	227
Ethnic group of head of household						
Mandinka	87.0	85.9	81.6	87.4	92.5	498
Wollof	84.9	83.6	79.7	80.0	89.7	199
Fula	85.7	84.4	77.4	81.3	89.9	336
Jola	88.7	88.7	81.6	85.1	93.0	149
Serer	68.8	67.1	63.5	74.0	82.3	59
Other ethnic group	85.3	82.7	77.7	82.6	88.3	245
Total	85.6	84.3	79.0	83.5	90.5	1486

Table CH.3: Neonatal tetanus protection

Percentage of mothers with a birth in the last 24 months protected against neonatal tetanus,
The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of mothers with a birth in the last 24 months who:						Number of mothers
	Received at least 2 doses during last pregnancy	Received at least 2 doses, the last within prior 3 years	Received at least 3 doses, last within prior 5 years	Received at least 4 doses, last within prior 10 years	Received at least 5 doses during lifetime	Protected against tetanus*	
LGA							
Banjul	38.2	13.2	.0	.0	.0	51.3	75
Kanifing	46.1	12.1	.2	.2	.0	58.5	694
Brikama	60.6	19.9	.3	.0	.0	80.7	750
Mansakonko	69.9	19.6	.0	.0	.0	89.6	167
Kerewan	74.4	6.2	.0	.0	.0	80.5	377
Kuntaur	49.1	26.4	.9	.5	.0	76.8	232
Janjangbureh	48.8	26.2	.0	.0	.0	75.0	313
Basse	59.4	26.7	.9	.7	.0	87.7	463
Residence							
Urban	49.7	14.4	.1	.1	.0	64.3	1037
Rural	60.3	20.5	.4	.2	.0	81.4	2033
Mother's education							
None	57.0	19.0	.2	.2	.0	76.5	2229
Primary	53.8	20.7	1.0	.0	.0	75.6	352
Secondary +	57.3	14.1	.2	.0	.0	71.6	489
Wealth index quintiles							
Poorest	61.3	19.4	.7	.3	.0	81.7	684
Second	60.3	18.8	.0	.1	.0	79.1	647
Middle	55.2	21.6	.6	.3	.0	77.7	650
Fourth	53.5	18.2	.0	.1	.0	71.9	600
Richest	51.4	12.5	.2	.0	.0	64.1	488
Ethnic group of head of household							
Mandinka	58.2	18.2	.2	.0	.0	76.6	1048
Wollof	56.3	18.6	.0	.0	.0	74.9	384
Fula	53.3	19.6	.5	.3	.0	73.6	706
Jola	57.6	14.1	.0	.0	.0	71.7	302
Serer	56.7	9.6	.0	.0	.0	66.3	117
Other ethnic group	58.3	21.5	.9	.7	.0	81.3	512
Total	56.7	18.4	.3	.2	.0	75.6	3070

* MICS indicator 32

Table CH.4: Oral rehydration treatment

Percentage of children aged 0-59 months with diarrhoea in the last two weeks and treatment with oral rehydration solution (ORS) or other oral rehydration treatment (ORT), The Gambia, 2006

	Had diarrhoea in last two weeks	Number of children aged 0-59 months	Children with diarrhoea who received					Number of children aged 0-59 months with diarrhoea
			Fluid from ORS packet	Recommended homemade fluid	Pre-packaged ORS fluid	No treatment	ORT Use Rate *	
Sex								
Male	20.2	3346	39.6	11.0	2.6	50.0	50.0	675
Female	18.0	3197	37.7	8.7	1.3	53.9	46.1	576
LGA								
Banjul	14.4	196	(26.1)	(4.3)	(17.4)	(52.2)	(47.8)	28
Kanifing	15.8	1508	33.3	5.8	2.7	60.4	39.6	238
Brikama	15.5	1425	41.3	10.4	3.8	48.0	52.0	221
Mansakonko	13.2	406	54.7	13.6	5.5	31.7	68.3	54
Kerewan	20.4	826	58.8	5.1	.6	38.3	61.7	169
Kuntaur	31.9	502	22.2	10.0	.0	67.7	32.3	160
Janjangbureh	21.1	682	49.5	15.1	.0	38.5	61.5	144
Basse	23.8	999	29.9	13.6	.7	57.9	42.1	238
Residence								
Urban	15.7	2303	36.8	6.4	4.8	55.2	44.8	361
Rural	21.0	4240	39.5	11.3	.9	50.4	49.6	890
Age								
< 6 months	15.6	853	34.3	7.4	1.5	59.1	40.9	133
6-11 months	30.2	695	41.4	13.1	2.1	47.6	52.4	210
12-23 months	28.5	1486	41.5	9.2	2.6	48.9	51.1	424
24-35 months	20.3	1369	37.0	11.2	.6	52.5	47.5	278
36-47 months	11.7	1247	34.3	6.4	2.3	58.9	41.1	146
48-59 months	6.9	893	38.0	12.0	4.7	50.1	49.9	61
Mother's education								
None	19.9	4923	38.2	9.7	1.4	53.1	46.9	981
Primary	18.3	710	41.7	14.0	3.2	44.0	56.0	130
Secondary +	15.4	911	39.5	7.4	5.3	50.1	49.9	140
Wealth index quintiles								
Poorest	21.2	1532	37.0	12.9	.6	51.8	48.2	324
Second	19.4	1337	49.0	9.7	2.0	42.8	57.2	260
Middle	20.5	1344	36.2	7.5	.9	57.0	43.0	276
Fourth	18.5	1248	32.3	11.0	3.0	57.1	42.9	231
Richest	14.8	1082	39.2	6.9	5.6	49.7	50.3	160
Ethnic group of head of household								
Mandinka	17.4	2254	39.8	9.3	2.0	51.6	48.4	393
Wolof	21.0	870	40.4	10.2	1.2	51.0	49.0	183
Fula	20.6	1494	39.6	8.8	1.5	52.2	47.8	308
Jola	13.7	596	32.6	11.9	2.6	55.5	44.5	82
Serer	21.8	212	(42.7)	(6.8)	(12.4)	(42.5)	(57.5)	46
Other ethnic group	21.4	1117	35.9	12.0	1.2	52.7	47.3	239
Total	19.1	6543	38.7	9.9	2.0	51.8	48.2	1251

* MICS indicator 33

Table CH.5: Home management of diarrhoea

Percentage of children aged 0-59 months with diarrhoea in the last two weeks who took increased fluids and continued to feed during the episode, The Gambia, 2006

	Had diarrhoea in last two weeks	Number of children aged 0-59 months	Children with diarrhoea who:				Home management of diarrhoea*	Received ORT or increased fluids and continued feeding	Number of children aged 0-59 months with diarrhoea
			Drank more	Drank the same or less	Ate somewhat less, same or more	Ate much less or none			
Sex									
Male	20.2	3346	53.3	45.1	53.8	45.4	29.5	38.5	675
Female	18.0	3197	52.3	45.2	51.7	46.3	29.1	37.3	576
LGA									
Banjul	14.4	196	(60.9)	(39.1)	(60.9)	(39.1)	(34.8)	(43.5)	28
Kanifing	15.8	1508	41.8	55.1	54.2	44.4	21.3	29.8	238
Brikama	15.5	1425	49.3	46.2	52.0	45.1	29.6	40.4	221
Mansakonko	13.2	406	40.1	59.9	43.3	54.9	11.6	28.5	54
Kerewan	20.4	826	35.9	62.9	30.3	69.1	15.3	25.1	169
Kuntaur	31.9	502	49.1	49.5	60.6	38.7	33.3	39.1	160
Janjangbureh	21.1	682	60.3	37.8	49.8	47.3	28.2	38.4	144
Basse	23.8	999	79.1	20.6	65.9	33.8	48.5	53.3	238
Residence									
Urban	15.7	2303	45.5	51.5	53.6	44.3	23.5	31.9	361
Rural	21.0	4240	55.8	42.6	52.5	46.4	31.7	40.4	890
Age									
0-11 months	22.1	1547	40.9	54.9	53.5	43.2	22.5	34.3	342
12-23 months	28.5	1486	57.5	41.7	48.5	51.0	29.6	38.0	424
24-35 months	20.3	1369	58.2	39.9	57.2	41.7	37.9	44.6	278
36-47 months	11.7	1247	52.8	45.8	54.2	45.8	26.8	31.4	146
48-59 months	6.9	893	63.1	36.9	55.3	42.9	33.2	42.8	61
Mother's education									
None	19.9	4923	53.2	44.6	53.3	45.3	30.2	38.4	981
Primary	18.3	710	51.2	48.8	52.8	46.5	27.7	40.3	130
Secondary +	15.4	911	51.7	45.4	49.5	48.6	25.0	32.8	140
Wealth index quintiles									
Poorest	21.2	1532	48.7	50.3	46.8	52.4	26.5	34.4	324
Second	19.4	1337	52.8	44.8	50.2	48.3	25.7	37.2	260
Middle	20.5	1344	55.9	41.5	59.1	38.2	36.0	42.8	276
Fourth	18.5	1248	55.7	43.2	58.3	40.9	32.7	41.0	231
Richest	14.8	1082	51.9	44.3	50.5	48.3	24.8	33.3	160
Ethnic group of head of household									
Mandinka	17.4	2254	53.3	44.1	53.6	44.5	30.9	38.2	393
Wollof	21.0	870	42.4	56.6	51.0	48.6	24.5	35.0	183
Fula	20.6	1494	48.7	49.4	50.9	46.5	25.8	35.3	308
Jola	13.7	596	46.5	48.2	53.4	46.6	27.1	39.0	82
Serer	21.8	212	(49.6)	(50.4)	(57.0)	(43.0)	(30.9)	(40.8)	46
Other ethnic group	21.4	1117	68.2	30.6	54.2	45.1	35.4	42.3	239
Total	19.1	6543	52.8	45.2	52.8	45.8	29.4	37.9	1251

* MICS indicator 34

Table CH.6: Care seeking for suspected pneumonia

Percentage of children aged 0-59 months with suspected pneumonia in the last two weeks taken to a health provider, The Gambia, 2006

	Had acute respiratory infection	No. of children aged 0-59 months	Children with suspected pneumonia who were taken to:															Any appropriate provider*	No. of children 0-59 months with suspected pneumonia
			Public sources					Private sources					Other source						
			Govt. hospital	Govt. health centre	Govt. health post	Village health worker	Mobile/ outreach clinic	Other public	Private hospital/ clinic	Private physician	Pharmacy	Mobile clinic	Other private medical	Relative / friend	Shop	Trad. Practitioner			
Sex																			
Male	6.1	3346	8.8	46.5	.9	2.9	1.1	.0	8.4	1.7	15.0	.5	.5	.0	.0	1.0	67.3	203	
Female	5.1	3197	10.3	49.6	2.9	1.7	2.1	.0	3.0	1.2	5.8	.0	.6	3.2	.0	1.9	70.8	163	
LGA																			
Banjul	.6	196	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	1	
Kanifing	5.9	1508	7.1	40.5	1.2	.0	.0	.0	11.9	1.2	17.9	1.2	1.2	1.2	.0	.0	60.7	89	
Brikama	4.4	1425	8.7	53.1	1.7	1.7	1.7	.0	5.2	1.7	10.2	.0	.0	1.7	.0	.0	72.3	62	
Mansakonko	4.0	406	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	16	
Kerewan	6.4	826	25.8	45.2	1.8	3.6	.0	.0	3.6	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	78.1	53	
Kuntaur	8.8	502	(5.2)	(46.7)	(.0)	(2.6)	(10.4)	(.0)	(.0)	(5.2)	(7.8)	(.0)	(.0)	(.0)	(.0)	(.0)	(70.1)	44	
Janjangbureh	6.5	682	(10.1)	(51.2)	(2.1)	(2.1)	(.0)	(.0)	(10.1)	(.0)	(10.1)	(.0)	(2.1)	(.0)	(.0)	(2.1)	(73.4)	44	
Basse	5.5	999	4.4	53.6	4.5	4.5	.0	.0	3.0	1.5	11.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	70.0	55	
Residence																			
Urban	5.5	2303	11.6	42.1	.8	.0	.0	.0	8.9	.8	19.0	.8	.8	1.6	.0	.0	63.5	128	
Rural	5.6	4240	8.3	51.1	2.3	3.6	2.4	.0	4.4	1.8	6.6	.0	.4	1.3	.0	2.2	71.8	238	
Age																			
0-11 months	6.3	1547	11.1	47.2	2.7	2.0	1.1	.0	8.9	.8	19.0	.8	.8	.0	.0	.0	72.5	98	
12-23 months	5.4	1486	10.2	53.7	1.4	1.2	2.9	.0	4.4	1.8	6.6	.0	.4	1.3	.0	1.3	71.8	80	
24-35 months	5.6	1369	11.4	52.3	.0	3.5	.0	.0	8.9	.8	19.0	.8	.8	.0	.0	1.4	69.8	77	
36-47 months	5.0	1247	8.0	43.5	1.5	.0	3.7	.0	4.4	1.8	6.6	.0	.4	3.2	.0	1.7	63.0	63	
48-59 months	5.4	893	3.9	38.6	3.9	6.1	.0	.0	(8.9)	(.8)	(19.0)	(.8)	(.8)	(4.4)	(.0)	(4.1)	(63.2)	48	
Mother's education																			
None	5.3	4923	10.3	47.9	1.8	2.6	1.8	.0	7.9	2.3	6.9	.0	.0	1.6	.0	.8	68.8	259	
Primary	7.8	710	7.6	46.9	1.5	3.5	2.0	.0	3.6	.0	12.7	.0	2.5	1.9	.0	5.5	67.9	55	
Secondary +	5.7	911	7.6	48.9	2.0	.0	.0	.0	6.9	1.1	10.7	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	70.8	52	
Wealth index quintiles																			
Poorest	5.8	1532	8.7	48.3	3.9	3.5	1.3	.0	5.0	1.2	12.1	.4	.0	3.5	.0	1.2	68.2	88	
Second	5.1	1337	14.4	46.3	3.0	6.9	3.3	.0	4.8	.0	5.5	.0	1.7	.0	.0	1.3	73.9	68	
Middle	6.5	1344	7.2	56.1	.0	.0	1.3	.0	11.9	4.1	10.7	.0	2.0	.0	.0	1.2	71.2	87	
Fourth	5.3	1248	15.4	39.7	.0	1.3	1.7	.0	5.0	1.2	12.1	.4	.0	3.2	.0	3.2	62.3	66	
Richest	5.2	1082	1.4	46.3	1.9	.0	.0	.0	4.8	.0	5.5	.0	1.7	.0	.0	.0	68.1	56	
Ethnicity																			
Mandinka	6.1	2254	14.4	46.1	.8	3.4	2.5	.0	1.0	2.6	6.0	.0	.0	1.5	.0	2.2	71.8	137	
Wolof	7.3	870	9.4	39.8	.0	1.8	.0	.0	5.7	.0	4.2	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	59.4	64	
Fula	4.3	1494	3.1	58.2	2.9	1.7	.0	.0	4.7	2.8	19.0	.0	1.6	1.5	.0	.0	72.0	Fula	
Jola	3.8	596	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	22	
Serer	7.8	212	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	17	
Other ethnic group	5.5	1117	6.2	48.9	4.0	2.7	1.9	.0	1.0	2.6	6.0	.0	.0	3.5	.0	3.4	71.5	62	
Total	5.6	6543	9.5	47.9	1.8	2.4	1.6	.0	6.0	1.4	10.9	.3	.5	1.4	.0	1.4	68.9	366	

* MICS indicator 23

Table CH.7: Antibiotic treatment of pneumonia

Percentage of children aged 0-59 months with suspected pneumonia who received antibiotic treatment, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of under 5 with suspected pneumonia who received antibiotics in the last two weeks*	Number of children with suspected pneumonia in the two weeks prior to the survey
Sex		
Male	64.1	203
Female	57.9	163
LGA		
Banjul	(*)	1
Kanifing	57.1	89
Brikama	63.6	62
Mansakonko	(*)	16
Kerewan	72.8	53
Kuntaur	(42.9)	44
Janjangbureh	(77.2)	44
Basse	61.2	55
Residence		
Urban	59.7	128
Rural	62.2	238
Age		
0-11 months	60.7	98
12-23 months	62.5	80
24-35 months	64.1	77
36-47 months	55.1	63
48-59 months	64.6	48
Mother's education		
None	64.9	259
Primary	58.7	55
Secondary +	46.3	52
Wealth index quintiles		
Poorest	64.6	88
Second	65.6	68
Middle	63.1	87
Fourth	51.1	66
Richest	60.4	56
Ethnic group of head of household		
Mandinka	63.4	137
Wolof	58.4	64
Fula	69.2	64
Jola	(*)	22
Serer	(*)	17
Other ethnic group	56.1	62
Total	61.3	366

* MICS indicator 22

Table CH.7A: Knowledge of the two danger signs of pneumonia

Percentage of mothers/caretakers of children aged 0-59 months by knowledge of types of symptoms for taking a child immediately to a health facility, and percentage of mothers/caretakers who recognize fast and difficult breathing as signs for seeking care immediately, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of mothers/caretakers of children aged 0-59 months who think that a child should be taken immediately to a health facility if the child								Mothers/caretakers who recognize the two danger signs of pneumonia	Number of mothers/ caretakers of children aged 0-59 months
	Is not able to drink or breastfeed	Becomes sicker	Develops a fever	Has fast breathing	Has difficult breathing	Has blood in stool	Is drinking poorly	Has other symptoms		
LGA										
Banjul	.6	23.8	69.4	.6	1.9	8.8	.0	50.0	.6	196
Kanifing	7.9	21.7	71.9	7.1	8.4	7.1	4.9	31.5	3.5	1508
Brikama	3.5	35.2	70.9	5.1	8.8	4.8	4.5	25.5	2.1	1425
Mansakonko	5.0	30.8	68.7	6.1	11.7	9.5	7.8	14.4	3.2	406
Kerewan	20.4	44.9	70.2	24.5	28.7	18.1	12.6	16.5	14.3	826
Kuntaur	4.3	34.6	58.3	7.3	4.8	4.1	6.1	40.8	2.1	502
Janjangbureh	4.8	12.4	65.9	3.6	8.1	23.0	10.8	26.4	1.3	682
Basse	6.3	22.9	59.5	6.8	7.2	4.6	3.3	32.7	3.7	999
Residence										
Urban	7.5	24.8	70.7	6.9	8.9	7.8	5.1	31.9	3.2	2303
Rural	7.1	30.4	65.9	8.9	11.5	10.0	6.9	26.1	4.7	4240
Mother's education										
None	7.6	29.2	66.0	8.6	10.9	9.1	6.5	27.1	4.4	4923
Primary	6.4	24.6	71.2	5.9	7.6	9.9	5.3	27.1	2.6	710
Secondary +	6.1	26.9	73.8	7.9	11.3	9.3	5.6	34.5	4.3	911
Wealth index quintiles										
Poorest	7.1	32.1	64.2	7.9	10.4	12.4	8.3	25.6	4.1	1532
Second	6.8	35.8	68.3	10.0	12.0	9.8	6.4	23.3	4.3	1337
Middle	8.4	25.2	67.1	9.0	11.7	7.4	5.8	26.2	5.1	1344
Fourth	7.6	23.8	68.6	8.1	10.4	8.2	6.2	31.1	4.5	1248
Richest	6.4	23.3	71.2	5.7	7.9	7.5	3.8	36.8	2.6	1082
Ethnic group of head of household										
Mandinka	7.4	29.4	67.8	9.0	11.4	8.2	6.2	26.2	4.7	2315
Wolof	7.8	28.4	66.2	11.9	13.7	14.7	9.8	32.0	6.7	935
Fula	8.1	27.3	66.1	6.3	9.6	9.1	5.9	28.8	3.1	1465
Jola	5.9	37.0	74.9	7.2	9.6	7.1	5.8	23.3	2.4	590
Serer	9.8	26.7	73.6	11.6	11.8	10.0	3.7	35.3	6.2	165
Other ethnic group	5.5	22.7	65.6	6.1	7.8	8.0	4.5	29.8	2.9	1051
Total	7.3	28.4	67.6	8.2	10.6	9.2	6.3	28.2	4.1	6543

Percentage distribution of households according to type of cooking fuel, and percentage of households using solid fuel for cooking, The Gambia, 2006

* MICS indicator 24; MDG indicator 29

Table CH.9: Solid fuel use by type of stove or fire

Percentage of households using solid fuel for cooking by type of stove or fire,
The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of households using solid fuel for cooking:						Number of households using solid fuel for cooking
	Closed stove	Open stove or fire	Open stove or fire	Other stove	Missing	Total	
LGA							
Banjul	1.6	2.6	95.3	.0	.5	100.0	220
Kanifing	30.0	6.5	63.0	.4	.1	100.0	1576
Brikama	36.4	1.2	61.9	.5	.0	100.0	1538
Mansakonko	1.4	13.3	85.3	.0	.0	100.0	344
Kerewan	1.8	2.2	96.0	.0	.0	100.0	692
Kuntaur	2.6	17.6	79.8	.0	.0	100.0	304
Janjangbureh	2.5	1.0	96.5	.0	.0	100.0	365
Basse	4.9	15.4	79.7	.0	.0	100.0	477
Residence							
Urban	23.5	6.0	70.2	.2	.1	100.0	2468
Rural	16.9	5.6	77.3	.2	.0	100.0	3048
Education of household head							
None	17.6	5.8	76.4	.2	.0	100.0	4109
Primary	22.9	5.2	71.5	.4	.0	100.0	275
Secondary +	27.4	5.9	66.3	.3	.1	100.0	1133
Poorest	1.3	5.6	93.1	.1	.0	100.0	1085
Second	14.1	4.7	81.2	.1	.0	100.0	1119
Middle	24.5	5.3	69.9	.4	.0	100.0	1117
Fourth	31.7	6.0	62.1	.3	.0	100.0	1088
Richest	27.6	7.3	64.5	.4	.2	100.0	1108
Ethnic group of head of household							
Mandinka	22.7	6.4	70.5	.3	.1	100.0	1942
Wollof	18.9	6.2	74.9	.0	.0	100.0	705
Fula	15.9	5.0	79.0	.2	.0	100.0	1270
Jola	23.1	2.8	73.6	.5	.0	100.0	654
Serer	19.3	5.2	74.6	.5	.5	100.0	234
Other ethnic group	17.3	7.9	74.6	.1	.0	100.0	710
Total	19.9	5.8	74.1	.2	.0	100.0	5516

Table CH.10: Availability of insecticide treated nets

Percentage of households with at least one insecticide treated net (ITN), The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of households with at least one mosquito net	Percentage of households with at least one insecticide treated net (ITN)*	Number of households
LGA			
Banjul	41.0	28.6	308
Kanifing	43.7	30.4	1877
Brikama	64.9	56.2	1652
Mansakonko	83.1	76.4	357
Kerewan	61.1	56.9	718
Kuntaur	74.9	66.6	306
Janjangbureh	75.1	67.7	370
Basse	71.7	58.5	483
Residence			
Urban	48.5	34.0	2930
Rural	69.6	64.0	3141
Education of household head			
None	62.7	53.0	4350
Primary	58.6	45.8	313
Secondary +	49.4	39.7	1407
Wealth index quintiles			
Poorest	77.6	65.8	1089
Second	73.9	66.7	1140
Middle	60.4	52.0	1175
Fourth	53.7	42.6	1261
Richest	37.9	27.0	1406
Ethnic group of head of household			
Mandinka	69.3	61.7	2043
Wolof	44.0	35.9	793
Fula	59.1	45.4	1409
Jola	61.7	53.3	703
Serer	49.5	39.1	273
Other ethnic group	51.9	39.8	850
Total	59.4	49.5	6071

*MICS indicator 36

Table CH.11: Children sleeping under bednets

Percentage of children aged 0-59 months who slept under an insecticide treated net during the previous night, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of children who:						Number of women who gave birth in prior two years
	Slept under a bednet*	Slept under an insecticide treated net**	Slept under an untreated net	Slept under a net but don't know if treated	Don't know if slept under a net	Don't know	
Sex							
Male	62.5	48.5	6.1	2.9	.1	37.4	3346
Female	63.5	49.6	6.2	3.4	.1	36.4	3197
LGA							
Banjul	53.1	42.5	2.5	2.5	.0	46.9	196
Kanifing	49.2	34.3	6.8	4.6	.0	50.8	1508
Brikama	71.9	62.3	2.6	2.3	.4	27.7	1425
Mansakonko	84.6	66.6	7.5	4.6	.0	15.4	406
Kerewan	63.4	54.0	4.9	2.1	.1	36.5	826
Kuntaur	74.5	56.8	10.7	4.0	.0	25.5	502
Janjangbureh	77.8	54.0	9.8	2.7	.0	22.2	682
Basse	48.0	35.0	6.4	2.3	.0	52.0	999
Residence							
Urban	54.6	38.2	7.5	4.8	.0	45.4	2303
Rural	67.6	54.9	5.4	2.2	.1	32.3	4240
Age							
0-11 months	67.2	52.3	6.1	4.7	.1	32.7	1547
12-23 months	63.2	48.6	6.8	2.5	.1	36.8	1486
24-35 months	64.2	50.7	5.3	3.3	.1	35.7	1369
36-47 months	61.3	47.4	6.8	2.7	.2	38.6	1247
48-59 months	55.9	43.9	5.4	1.8	.0	44.1	893
Wealth index quintiles							
Poorest	68.0	53.5	6.6	2.5	.1	32.0	1532
Second	73.7	62.7	4.9	1.4	.1	26.2	1337
Middle	64.8	49.6	6.7	3.3	.2	35.0	1344
Fourth	59.8	44.9	6.8	4.2	.1	40.1	1248
Richest	44.1	29.8	5.4	4.8	.0	55.9	1082
Ethnic group of head of household							
Mandinka	74.4	61.3	5.1	2.5	.1	25.4	2254
Wolof	46.3	33.8	4.1	3.1	.0	53.7	870
Fula	63.4	46.6	9.2	4.3	.0	36.6	1494
Jola	68.0	57.3	3.4	2.4	.3	31.7	596
Serer	54.4	45.6	4.3	2.4	.0	45.6	212
Other ethnic group	51.3	35.6	7.5	3.5	.1	48.6	1117
Total	63.0	49.0	6.1	3.1	.1	36.9	6543

* MICS indicator 38

** MICS indicator 37; MDG indicator 22

Table CH.12: Treatment of children with anti-malarial drugs

Percentage of children aged 0-59 months who were ill with fever in the last two weeks who received anti-malarial drugs, The Gambia, 2006

			Children with a fever in the last two weeks who were treated with:														
Had a fever in last two weeks	Number of children aged 0-59 months	Other medications															
		Anti-malarials:								Other medications							
		SP/ Fansidar	Chloro- quine	Amodia- quine	Quinine	Artemis- inin based combin- ations	Other anti- malarial	Any appro- priate anti- malarial drug	Paracet-amol/ Panadol/ Acetamin- ophen	Aspirin	Ibuprofen	Other	Don't know	Any appro- priate anti- malarial drug within 24 hours of onset of symptoms*	Number of children with fever in last two weeks		
Sex																	
Male	8.7	3346	15.1	55.9	2.0	3.9	.3	2.8	61.4	65.6	3.1	.4	8.3	2.7	50.2	290	
Female	8.1	3197	11.4	59.5	1.2	1.5	.0	2.9	64.0	64.9	2.0	.8	9.4	2.1	54.8	259	
LGA																	
Banjul	15.6	196	(8.0)	(28.0)	(.0)	(.0)	(.0)	(.0)	(28.0)	(84.0)	(.0)	(.0)	(24.0)	(.0)	(28.0)	31	
Kanifing	9.0	1508	14.1	57.0	2.3	.8	.0	3.9	60.2	67.2	1.6	2.3	17.2	3.1	54.7	135	
Brikama	7.7	1425	14.3	64.3	1.0	.0	.0	1.0	66.9	68.2	2.0	.0	11.7	4.7	65.0	110	
Mansakonko	3.4	406	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	14	
Kerewan	9.7	826	16.8	56.7	4.8	9.6	.0	.0	65.1	40.1	6.0	.0	4.9	1.2	52.0	80	
Kuntaur	11.2	502	15.3	54.1	.0	4.1	.0	6.1	64.3	54.0	4.1	.0	2.0	4.1	43.9	56	
Janjangbureh	6.5	682	(10.3)	(77.5)	(2.1)	(1.8)	(1.8)	(4.1)	(79.6)	(89.7)	(2.1)	(.0)	(.0)	(.0)	(69.2)	44	
Basse	7.9	999	4.1	50.5	.0	4.2	.0	5.2	56.8	68.4	1.1	.0	.0	1.1	32.6	79	
Residence																	
Urban	9.5	2303	14.7	54.6	1.5	2.1	.4	3.9	59.3	70.4	1.0	1.5	16.4	2.3	53.7	218	
Rural	7.8	4240	12.5	59.6	1.8	3.2	.0	2.2	64.8	61.9	3.6	.0	3.9	2.5	51.5	331	
Age in months																	
0-11	7.9	1547	9.4	52.9	.9	2.9	.0	2.6	57.1	60.6	5.1	.0	5.8	.9	52.2	123	
12-23	10.5	1486	10.7	57.4	1.3	3.3	.0	2.6	62.7	61.7	1.9	1.4	8.9	3.3	55.7	155	
24-35	9.7	1369	16.5	59.6	2.1	1.6	.0	3.6	63.9	73.7	.6	.0	10.7	1.6	49.3	133	
36-47	5.9	1247	10.2	58.6	1.5	5.9	1.1	3.8	67.2	66.4	2.7	1.4	11.4	3.9	50.0	73	
48-59	7.1	893	24.2	61.9	3.1	.0	.0	1.4	65.0	64.1	3.4	.0	7.8	3.5	54.1	64	
Mother's education																	
None	7.7	4923	12.1	56.1	2.1	3.2	.0	3.1	62.8	62.1	2.6	.6	4.9	2.5	49.6	380	
Primary	10.3	710	11.2	57.7	1.4	1.6	.0	2.7	57.7	72.8	4.4	.0	17.8	2.9	54.8	73	
Secondary +	10.6	911	19.9	63.4	.0	1.8	.8	2.2	65.6	72.2	1.1	1.1	17.8	1.9	61.3	96	
Wealth index quintiles																	
Poorest	7.7	1532	10.5	56.6	1.6	2.6	.0	1.0	61.1	61.3	4.9	.0	1.7	1.7	48.2	119	
Second	7.7	1337	15.9	54.0	2.9	5.3	.0	2.0	62.8	52.7	2.0	.0	4.0	3.3	49.5	103	
Middle	8.6	1344	15.7	57.8	.0	1.6	.0	5.9	63.3	58.9	.8	.0	8.6	4.1	52.4	116	
Fourth	7.6	1248	9.2	60.3	1.0	2.9	.0	2.6	65.2	76.0	3.3	.0	12.4	.0	55.6	95	
Richest	10.7	1082	15.0	59.3	2.7	1.6	.7	2.7	61.2	78.0	1.9	2.7	17.7	2.8	56.6	116	
Ethnic group of head of household																	
Mandinka	7.0	2254	15.5	57.1	3.1	3.2	.0	3.0	65.3	61.0	4.7	.0	7.8	2.8	54.7	157	
Wolof	9.6	870	19.2	62.0	1.1	3.4	.0	1.1	65.5	55.5	1.1	.0	5.0	3.7	60.8	84	
Fula	7.5	1494	9.0	57.2	1.8	2.6	.0	1.0	61.8	64.5	.9	1.9	7.7	2.9	44.3	112	
Jola	9.9	596	10.8	48.4	.0	1.3	1.3	5.4	53.8	63.9	.0	1.8	16.0	1.8	53.8	59	
Serer	14.8	212	(21.4)	(51.1)	(.0)	(3.2)	(.0)	(.0)	(54.4)	(77.4)	(.0)	(.0)	(15.0)	(.0)	(54.4)	31	
Other ethnic group	9.5	1117	9.1	62.4	1.0	2.3	.0	5.4	64.7	77.3	4.6	.0	8.8	1.5	49.5	106	
Total	8.4	6543	13.3	57.6	1.6	2.8	.1	2.9	62.6	65.3	2.6	.6	8.8	2.4	52.4	549	

* MICS indicator 39; MDG indicator 22

Table CH.13: Intermittent preventive treatment for malaria

Percentage of women aged 15-49 who gave birth during the two years preceding the survey and who received intermittent preventive therapy (IPT) for malaria during pregnancy, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of pregnant women who took:							Number of women who gave birth in prior two years
	Medicine to prevent malaria during pregnancy	SP/Fansidar only one time	SP/Fansidar two or more times*	SP/Fansidar, number unknown	Chloro-quine	Other medicines	Don't know	
LGA								
Banjul	35.5	6.6	21.1	6.6	3.9	.0	1.3	75
Kanifing	52.4	12.0	31.8	1.7	11.1	2.4	2.6	694
Brikama	69.1	22.4	41.7	1.6	7.1	.6	1.1	750
Mansakonko	66.3	19.6	42.3	.0	10.7	.0	2.2	167
Kerewan	44.1	6.2	29.1	1.0	23.6	.5	.7	377
Kuntaur	59.2	26.4	26.4	.0	12.0	2.3	.0	232
Janjangbureh	77.4	49.4	27.7	.0	12.5	.0	.0	313
Basse	53.9	25.8	26.0	.4	9.1	1.3	.2	463
Residence								
Urban	53.1	14.8	30.5	1.7	10.2	1.7	2.0	1037
Rural	62.2	24.3	33.5	.8	12.0	.8	.7	2033
Education								
None	58.3	22.4	31.0	.9	11.5	.7	.9	2229
Primary	60.6	17.3	37.6	1.2	10.3	1.8	1.2	352
Secondary +	61.6	17.9	35.6	2.1	11.5	2.4	1.8	489
Wealth index quintiles								
Poorest	61.3	26.9	30.3	.4	12.3	.5	.4	684
Second	62.0	23.0	33.2	.8	11.8	.5	1.6	647
Middle	57.5	21.3	30.8	.5	10.8	1.7	1.2	650
Fourth	57.9	18.5	35.1	1.1	9.6	.6	.5	600
Richest	55.7	13.2	33.6	3.4	12.5	2.6	1.9	488
Ethnic group of head of household								
Mandinka	63.2	21.7	36.0	.6	12.6	1.5	1.5	1048
Wollof	55.3	20.8	29.4	1.3	9.5	.5	.5	384
Fula	58.0	23.6	28.4	1.1	11.8	.7	1.0	706
Jola	59.3	16.7	35.1	2.2	9.5	1.4	1.8	302
Serer	50.6	10.7	33.1	1.7	9.4	.9	1.8	117
Other ethnic group	56.8	21.6	31.6	1.2	11.1	1.3	.4	512
Total	59.1	21.1	32.5	1.1	11.4	1.1	1.1	3070

* MICS indicator 40

Table CH.15: Source and cost of supplies for antimalarials

Percentage distribution of children with fever aged 0-59 months who took antimalarials in the two weeks preceding the survey by source of antimalarials, percentage of children for whom antimalarials were obtained for free, and median cost of antimalarials for those paying for antimalarials, The Gambia, 2006

	Source of antimalarials				Number of children with fever in prior 2 weeks who were treated with antimalarials	Percentage free		Median cost for those not free (in dalasis)	
	Public*	Private	Other	Total		Public	Private	Public**	Private**
Sex									
Male	70.3	19.2	10.5	100.0	178	79.6	13.8	20.1	90.0
Female	63.3	21.9	14.7	100.0	166	89.7	15.5	25.0	80.2
LGA									
Banjul	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	9	(*)	.	20.0	.
Kanifing	50.6	45.5	3.9	100.0	81	76.9	2.9	27.5	87.5
Brikama	72.8	15.8	11.4	100.0	73	93.9	9.3	35.0	79.8
Mansakonko	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	12	(*)	.	25.0	.
Kerewan	70.5	12.8	16.7	100.0	52	86.9	.0	62.5	49.4
Kuntaur	(68.3)	(3.2)	(28.5)	(100.0)	36	(95.4)	(.0)	50.0	150.0
Janjangbureh	(69.1)	(23.4)	(7.4)	(100.0)	35	(100.0)	(100.0)	.	.
Basse	(72.2)	(12.9)	(14.9)	(100.0)	45	(64.0)	(.0)	15.0	122.1
Residence									
Urban	63.3	30.5	6.2	100.0	129	79.1	2.7	28.5	89.7
Rural	69.1	14.5	16.4	100.0	215	87.0	30.0	23.1	60.0
Mother's education									
None	68.9	16.4	14.7	100.0	238	85.0	16.3	20.0	81.6
Primary	(74.3)	(14.1)	(11.5)	(100.0)	42	(82.2)	(15.3)	27.7	121.7
Secondary +	54.7	40.2	5.1	100.0	63	82.2	12.1	41.1	88.5
Wealth index quintiles									
Poorest	79.7	7.7	12.6	100.0	73	85.7	48.9	17.3	35.6
Second	62.9	15.3	21.7	100.0	65	87.7	18.4	32.7	74.1
Middle	71.3	15.2	13.5	100.0	74	86.4	26.1	20.0	48.0
Fourth	70.7	17.5	11.8	100.0	62	86.3	16.8	25.0	75.0
Richest	49.7	46.6	3.8	100.0	71	71.9	3.2	55.8	130.0
Ethnic group of head of household									
Mandinka	72.8	18.8	8.4	100.0	102	86.7	5.6	36.9	56.4
Wollof	60.8	19.3	20.0	100.0	55	87.3	.0	35.8	119.9
Fula	74.7	14.0	11.3	100.0	69	86.1	20.4	17.1	87.4
Jola	(69.1)	(13.4)	(17.5)	(100.0)	32	(90.4)	(.0)	17.5	90.1
Serer	(75.9)	(18.5)	(5.6)	(100.0)	17	(91.9)	(.0)	25.0	477.0
Other ethnic group	52.0	34.5	13.6	100.0	68	66.9	31.0	24.8	71.6
Total	66.9	20.5	12.6	100.0	344	84.2	14.7	25.0	85.4

* MICS indicator 96

** MICS indicator 97

Table CH.16: Source and cost of supplies for antibiotics

Percentage distribution of children aged 0-59 months with suspected pneumonia during the two weeks preceding the survey by source of antibiotics for treatment of pneumonia, percentage of children aged 0-59 months with suspected pneumonia during the two weeks preceding the survey for whom antibiotics were obtained for free, and median cost of antibiotics for those paying for the antibiotics, by type of source of antibiotics, The Gambia, 2006

	Source of antibiotics				Number of children with suspected pneumonia in prior 2 weeks who received antibiotics	Percentage free		Median cost for those not free (in Dalasis)	
	Public*	Private	Other	Total		Public	Private	Public**	Private**
Sex									
Male	59.7	32.7	7.6	100.0	131	79.8	27.1	50.0	66.4
Female	72.3	21.4	6.3	100.0	94	77.4	13.9	27.4	77.8
LGA									
Banjul	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kanifing	35.4	62.5	2.1	100.0	51	76.5	16.7	105.0	100.0
Brikama	(72.2)	(11.8)	(16.0)	(100.0)	41	92.6	22.7	20.0	75.0
Mansakonko	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	8	100.0	.0	.	50.0
Kerewan	(80.1)	(4.9)	(14.9)	(100.0)	39	72.3	100.0	7.5	.
Kuntaur	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	19	66.7	.0	50.0	62.0
Janjangbureh	(68.6)	(28.7)	(2.7)	(100.0)	34	96.1	45.3	15.0	32.8
Basse	(73.1)	(22.0)	(4.9)	(100.0)	34	56.6	22.3	40.9	66.1
Residence									
Urban	47.1	50.1	2.7	100.0	76	83.7	15.9	81.4	100.0
Rural	74.1	16.6	9.3	100.0	149	77.0	33.6	25.0	50.0
Mother's education									
None	67.6	27.2	5.2	100.0	169	76.0	23.6	30.0	65.0
Primary	(60.7)	(24.0)	(15.3)	(100.0)	32	(95.8)	(21.9)	50.0	55.8
Secondary +	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	24	(*)	(*)	106.2	155.0
Wealth index quintiles									
Poorest	83.9	14.4	1.7	100.0	57	77.9	11.1	31.3	50.0
Second	72.7	18.5	8.9	100.0	45	(82.5)	(45.6)	12.2	35.8
Middle	63.6	26.1	10.3	100.0	55	89.2	48.2	5.0	68.6
Fourth	(58.8)	(32.1)	(9.1)	(100.0)	35	(54.7)	(17.9)	58.5	75.0
Richest	(31.5)	(62.0)	(6.4)	(100.0)	34	(82.3)	(3.8)	156.4	107.6
Ethnic group of head of household									
Mandinka	71.7	20.3	8.0	100.0	87	90.1	39.3	50.6	57.9
Wollof	54.0	40.8	5.2	100.0	37	(58.4)	(6.0)	29.3	50.0
Fula	(61.7)	(31.7)	(6.6)	(100.0)	46	(77.3)	(19.6)	14.6	80.0
Jola	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	12	(*)	(*)	155.0	75.0
Serer	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	9	(*)	(*)	.	90.0
Other ethnic group	(67.4)	(27.1)	(5.5)	(100.0)	35	(64.7)	(39.5)	35.9	71.3
Total	65.0	27.9	7.1	100.0	225	78.7	22.8	34.6	68.1

* MICS indicator 96

** MICS indicator 97

Table CH.17: Source and cost of supplies for oral rehydration salts

Percentage distribution of children aged 0-59 months with diarrhoea during the two weeks preceding the survey by source of oral rehydration salts for treatment of diarrhoea, percentage of children aged 0-59 months with diarrhoea during the two weeks preceding the survey for whom oral rehydration salts were obtained for free, and median cost of oral rehydration salts for those paying for the oral rehydration salts, by type of source of oral rehydration salts, The Gambia, 2006

	Source of oral rehydration salts				Number of children with diarrhoea in prior 2 weeks who received oral rehydration salts	Percentage free		Median cost for those not free (in Dalasis)	
	Public*	Private	Other	Total		Public	Private	Public**	Private**
Sex									
Male	83.7	12.3	4.0	100.0	267	93.1	28.4	10.3	12.7
Female	81.5	14.5	4.1	100.0	217	93.3	41.0	11.6	8.8
LGA									
Banjul	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	7	(*)	(*)	.	5.0
Kanifing	49.3	44.0	6.7	100.0	79	91.9	21.2	5.0	13.5
Brikama	90.3	8.8	.8	100.0	91	92.1	27.0	10.0	10.0
Mansakonko	92.8	3.6	3.6	100.0	29	100.0	100.0	.	.
Kerewan	91.3	2.9	5.8	100.0	99	94.7	33.3	7.6	10.0
Kuntaur	(90.3)	(.0)	(9.7)	(100.0)	36	(96.4)	.	25.0	.
Janjangbureh	88.5	11.5	.0	100.0	71	100.0	88.9	.	15.0
Basse	86.0	9.3	4.7	100.0	71	81.0	50.0	15.0	9.6
Residence									
Urban	66.2	29.3	4.6	100.0	133	95.2	19.0	5.0	10.0
Rural	89.0	7.2	3.9	100.0	351	92.6	58.6	12.0	10.0
Mother's education									
None	86.8	9.8	3.4	100.0	375	94.2	47.4	10.0	10.0
Primary	72.7	22.0	5.3	100.0	54	92.5	23.0	100.0	19.6
Secondary +	64.7	27.8	7.5	100.0	55	85.1	12.9	10.0	10.0
Wealth index quintiles									
Poorest	93.7	2.2	4.1	100.0	120	94.1	68.8	10.0	.
Second	89.4	6.2	4.4	100.0	127	95.3	47.8	17.1	7.3
Middle	86.3	12.0	1.7	100.0	100	88.9	53.0	34.3	13.9
Fourth	80.2	18.5	1.3	100.0	75	95.9	44.7	23.8	10.0
Richest	45.5	44.2	10.3	100.0	63	88.8	14.5	7.6	10.7
Ethnic group of head of household									
Mandinka	81.3	12.5	6.2	100.0	156	96.2	42.4	30.0	9.3
Wollof	77.3	15.6	7.1	100.0	74	93.1	17.1	7.6	13.0
Fula	91.0	7.6	1.5	100.0	122	94.7	31.9	25.0	15.4
Jola	(96.0)	(4.0)	(.0)	(100.0)	27	(95.8)	.0	.	70.0
Serer	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	20	(*)	(*)	.	10.0
Other ethnic group	77.3	19.3	3.4	100.0	86	82.7	48.5	7.6	13.5
Total	82.7	13.2	4.0	100.0	484	93.2	34.6	10.0	10.0

* MICS indicator 96

** MICS indicator 97

Table EN.1: Use of improved water sources

Percentage distribution of household population according to main source of drinking water and percentage of household members using improved drinking water sources, The Gambia, 2006

Main source of drinking water															Total	Improved source of drinking water	Number of household members				
Improved sources															Unimproved sources						
Piped into dwelling	Piped into yard or plot	Public tap/stand-pipe	Tubewell/borehole	Protected well	Rainwater collection	Bottled water	Unprotected well	Tanker-truck	Surface water	Other	Missing										
LGA																					
Banjul	10.9	66.5	2.8	.0	.0	.5	.0	.0	.0	17.8	1.5	100.0	80.8	1507							
Kanifing	16.6	43.7	28.7	.3	1.4	.3	1.3	.0	.0	7.7	.1	100.0	91.0	11383							
Brikama	4.7	8.2	38.1	19.4	8.6	.2	19.5	.0	.0	1.2	.1	100.0	79.2	11132							
Mansakonko	1.1	2.0	35.4	30.0	14.2	.0	16.8	.2	.0	.3	.0	100.0	82.6	2965							
Kerewan	1.8	3.6	49.1	16.5	17.9	.2	10.7	.0	.0	.2	.0	100.0	89.1	5139							
Kuntaur	.8	2.0	6.8	64.0	9.9	.0	16.6	.0	.0	.0	.0	100.0	83.4	3028							
Janjangbureh	1.7	1.8	10.4	53.1	14.8	.0	18.3	.0	.0	.0	.0	100.0	81.7	3861							
Basse	.9	1.9	52.9	28.3	3.6	.0	12.4	.0	.0	.0	.0	100.0	87.6	5861							
Area																					
Urban	13.4	38.0	36.1	1.9	1.6	.2	1.9	.0	.0	6.7	.2	100.0	91.2	17448							
Rural	1.9	2.7	31.1	33.7	11.9	.1	18.1	.0	.0	.5	.0	100.0	81.4	27429							
Education of head of household																					
None	3.9	12.3	34.8	24.4	8.7	.1	13.2	.0	.0	2.5	.1	100.0	84.2	35143							
Primary	6.9	29.7	28.0	17.7	2.8	.0	9.3	.0	.0	5.0	.5	100.0	85.2	1892							
Secondary	17.3	31.9	26.5	8.5	5.5	.2	6.2	.0	.0	4.0	.0	100.0	89.8	7842							
Wealth index quintiles																					
Poorest	.0	.0	16.4	51.7	14.4	.0	17.3	.1	.0	.1	.0	100.0	82.5	9054							
Second	.0	.7	36.4	31.6	10.7	.1	19.3	.0	.0	1.1	.1	100.0	79.5	8910							
Middle	.9	4.4	53.4	14.4	8.1	.5	14.6	.0	.0	3.6	.1	100.0	81.7	8914							
Fourth	6.5	19.8	46.9	8.5	5.4	.1	6.6	.0	.0	6.1	.0	100.0	87.3	8948							
Richest	24.2	56.8	12.6	.4	.8	.1	1.4	.0	.0	3.5	.2	100.0	94.9	9050							
Ethnic group of head of household																					
Mandinka	6.0	14.6	36.1	22.1	7.0	.1	11.6	.0	.0	2.3	.2	100.0	85.9	15889							
Wolof	10.3	22.4	28.2	12.2	9.7	.0	14.2	.0	.0	3.0	.0	100.0	82.9	5747							
Fula	3.0	15.2	22.5	33.9	9.5	.2	12.5	.0	.0	3.2	.0	100.0	84.3	9186							
Jola	4.2	13.4	35.9	20.9	7.0	.1	14.1	.1	.0	3.9	.2	100.0	81.6	4834							
Serer	9.2	31.3	28.5	4.5	6.9	.1	9.1	.0	.0	10.5	.0	100.0	80.4	1588							
Other ethnic group	8.9	16.0	42.2	15.3	7.2	.1	8.7	.0	.0	1.6	.1	100.0	89.7	7632							
Total	6.3	16.4	33.0	21.3	7.9	.1	11.8	.0	.0	2.9	.1	100.0	85.2	44877							

Table EN.2: Household water treatment

Percentage distribution of household population according to drinking water treatment method used in the household, and percentage of household population that applied an appropriate water treatment method, The Gambia, 2006

Water treatment method used in the household																
None		Boil	Add bleach/ chlorine	Strain through a cloth	Use water filter	Solar disinfection	Let it stand and settle	Other	Don't know	All drinking water sources		Improved drinking water sources		Unimproved drinking water sources		
										Appropriate water treatment method*	Number of household members	Appropriate water treatment method	Number of household members	Appropriate water treatment method	Number of household members	
LGA																
Banjul	94.2	.2	3.5	2.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	3.7	1507	3.0	1217	6.4	290	
Kanifing	91.9	.7	3.9	3.2	.6	.0	.2	.1	.0	5.0	11383	4.3	10348	12.1	1035	
Brikama	71.0	.1	2.2	27.7	.2	.0	.4	.0	.0	2.5	11132	1.2	8793	7.2	2340	
Mansakonko	75.4	.0	3.9	20.7	.0	.0	.5	.0	.0	3.9	2965	2.0	2450	13.0	515	
Kerewan	83.6	.0	.9	15.6	.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.0	5139	1.1	4578	.0	561	
Kuntaur	60.5	.3	5.7	34.2	.0	.0	2.6	.0	.0	5.7	3028	3.9	2525	14.6	503	
Janjangbureh	64.2	.0	.9	34.5	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.9	3861	.3	3154	3.8	707	
Basse	73.8	.0	1.2	25.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.2	5861	1.2	5133	.8	728	
Residence																
Urban	92.1	.4	3.1	4.1	.4	.0	.1	.1	.0	3.8	17448	3.3	15909	9.4	1538	
Rural	68.8	.1	2.3	29.2	.1	.0	.5	.0	.0	2.5	27429	1.5	22289	6.6	5140	
Education of household head																
None	76.1	.1	2.3	21.7	.1	.0	.4	.0	.0	2.5	35143	1.7	29548	6.7	5595	
Primary	82.2	.1	5.1	10.6	1.2	.0	.0	.0	.0	6.4	1892	5.8	1611	9.9	281	
Secondary +	84.7	.6	3.5	11.6	.4	.0	.2	.1	.0	4.2	7842	3.6	7040	10.0	802	
Wealth index quintiles																
Poorest	67.8	.1	1.2	30.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.2	9054	1.2	7472	1.6	1581	
Second	67.4	.0	2.2	31.0	.0	.0	.4	.0	.0	2.2	8910	1.4	7082	5.6	1828	
Middle	77.9	.1	2.0	20.1	.2	.0	.3	.0	.0	2.3	8914	1.4	7249	6.5	1665	
Fourth	83.3	.5	4.6	12.2	.2	.0	1.0	.0	.0	5.2	8948	3.1	7811	19.7	1138	
Richest	92.8	.4	3.2	3.1	.5	.0	.0	.1	.0	3.9	9050	3.8	8584	5.7	466	
Ethnic group of head of household																
Mandinka	80.3	.0	1.9	18.0	.1	.0	.7	.0	.0	2.1	15889	.7	13636	10.2	2253	
Wolof	74.8	.5	5.2	20.0	.2	.0	.1	.0	.0	5.6	5747	5.1	4757	8.1	990	
Fula	75.2	.2	1.7	22.6	.4	.0	.1	.1	.0	2.3	9186	2.0	7739	3.7	1447	
Jola	74.7	.1	3.1	22.7	.3	.0	.3	.0	.0	3.4	4834	2.5	3947	7.4	888	
Serer	82.6	.3	4.5	12.5	.3	.0	.0	.0	.0	4.9	1588	4.0	1277	8.5	311	
Other ethnic group	79.5	.5	2.5	17.5	.2	.0	.0	.0	.0	3.2	7632	3.2	6842	3.7	790	
Total	77.9	.2	2.6	19.4	.2	.0	.3	.0	.0	3.0	44877	2.2	38199	7.3	6678	

* MICS indicator 13

Table EN.3: Time to source of water

Percentage distribution of households according to time to go to source of drinking water, get water and return, and mean time to source of drinking water, The Gambia, 2006

	Time to source of drinking water								Mean time to source of drinking water*	Number of households
	Water on premises	Less than 15 minutes	15 minutes to less than 30 minutes	30 minutes to less than 1 hour	1 hour or more	Don't know	Missing	Total		
LGA										
Banjul	79.6	12.1	3.4	1.9	.0	2.3	.8	100.0	11.4	308
Kanifing	63.2	14.1	8.8	7.4	3.6	2.3	.5	100.0	23.5	1877
Brikama	24.6	36.4	23.8	11.6	3.2	.1	.2	100.0	17.1	1652
Mansakonko	4.4	28.2	35.9	22.7	8.3	.6	.0	100.0	22.6	357
Kerewan	9.9	50.6	21.6	17.2	.4	.3	.0	100.0	14.7	718
Kuntaur	4.3	26.4	42.7	16.1	9.1	.9	.4	100.0	24.2	306
Janjangbureh	7.8	39.5	21.1	22.3	7.8	1.5	.0	100.0	21.1	370
Basse	6.7	16.6	22.7	42.0	11.5	.5	.0	100.0	31.2	483
Residence										
Urban	55.4	16.7	12.3	9.7	3.7	1.8	.5	100.0	22.4	2930
Rural	12.0	37.8	25.8	18.8	5.0	.5	.1	100.0	19.8	3141
Education of household head										
None	24.2	30.3	22.5	16.6	5.0	1.1	.3	100.0	20.9	4350
Primary	45.0	23.1	13.9	10.9	4.7	1.9	.6	100.0	21.0	313
Secondary +	57.2	20.3	10.5	8.6	2.3	1.1	.1	100.0	18.5	1407
Wealth index quintiles										
Poorest	2.5	39.4	30.3	21.1	5.7	.9	.1	100.0	20.6	1089
Second	7.9	40.4	26.2	19.2	4.6	1.4	.3	100.0	18.9	1140
Middle	14.2	33.5	24.0	19.0	7.2	1.4	.7	100.0	22.1	1175
Fourth	38.9	24.7	17.5	13.1	4.2	1.3	.2	100.0	20.8	1261
Richest	87.2	5.7	2.8	2.7	.9	.6	.1	100.0	20.8	1406
Ethnic group of head of household										
Mandinka	27.1	29.5	20.8	16.7	4.9	.7	.2	100.0	20.9	2043
Wolof	42.5	27.5	15.1	10.8	3.3	.9	.0	100.0	18.9	793
Fula	28.5	28.7	20.5	15.8	4.7	1.5	.2	100.0	20.8	1409
Jola	28.5	30.4	24.3	10.4	4.7	1.0	.6	100.0	19.6	703
Serer	45.9	24.6	17.1	8.6	1.5	2.4	.0	100.0	16.3	273
Other ethnic group	44.7	20.0	14.0	15.2	4.3	1.3	.5	100.0	23.1	850
Total	32.9	27.6	19.3	14.4	4.4	1.1	.3	100.0	20.6	6071

* The mean time to source of drinking water is calculated based on those households that do not have water on the premises.

Table EN.4: Person collecting water

Percentage distribution of households according to the person collecting drinking water used in the household, The Gambia, 2006

	Person collecting drinking water							Number of households
	Adult woman	Adult man	Female child under 15	Male child under 15	Don't know	Missing	Total	
LGA								
Banjul	70.4	14.8	1.9	1.9	1.9	9.3	100.0	63
Kanifing	76.0	12.0	5.9	1.8	.0	4.3	100.0	689
Brikama	82.7	9.0	5.2	.7	.1	2.3	100.0	1245
Mansakonko	84.4	6.3	8.2	.9	.3	.0	100.0	341
Kerewan	79.2	4.0	14.9	.3	.0	1.6	100.0	647
Kuntaur	88.3	3.4	6.3	1.0	.0	1.0	100.0	292
Janjangbureh	83.7	4.2	11.9	.0	.0	.3	100.0	341
Basse	88.2	4.5	5.9	.2	.0	1.3	100.0	450
Residence								
Urban	76.3	12.1	7.0	1.2	.2	3.3	100.0	1303
Rural	84.7	5.0	8.2	.6	.0	1.5	100.0	2765
Education of household head								
None	83.3	5.8	8.4	.7	.1	1.8	100.0	3295
Primary	80.4	10.9	4.0	1.2	.6	2.9	100.0	172
Secondary +	75.7	14.5	5.8	1.1	.0	3.0	100.0	601
Wealth index quintiles								
Poorest	84.8	3.0	10.7	.5	.0	1.0	100.0	1062
Second	85.5	4.3	8.3	.6	.1	1.2	100.0	1051
Middle	82.1	8.0	6.2	.9	.1	2.8	100.0	1007
Fourth	75.1	15.0	6.2	.8	.0	3.0	100.0	769
Richest	75.0	13.0	3.3	2.3	.6	5.8	100.0	180
Ethnic group of head of household								
Mandinka	82.8	4.9	9.9	.7	.1	1.7	100.0	1489
Wollof	77.1	10.2	8.9	.7	.0	3.2	100.0	455
Fula	81.4	8.7	7.4	1.1	.1	1.4	100.0	1006
Jola	85.8	8.3	2.8	.8	.2	2.1	100.0	502
Serer	79.4	7.6	8.9	.0	.0	4.1	100.0	147
Other ethnic group	82.7	7.9	5.9	.4	.0	3.1	100.0	469
Total	82.0	7.3	7.8	.8	.1	2.1	100.0	4068

Table EN.5: Use of sanitary means of excreta disposal

Percentage distribution of household members according to type of toilet facility used by the household, and the percentage of household members using sanitary means of excreta disposal, The Gambia, 2006

Type of toilet facility used by household															
	Improved sanitation facility										Total	Percentage of population using sanitary means of excreta disposal*	Number of household members		
	Flush/pour flush to:			Ventilated improved pit latrine	Pit latrine with slab	Flush/pour flush to unknown place/not sure/don't know	Flush/pour flush to unknown place/hot sure/don't know	Pit latrine without slab/open pit	Bucket	No facilities/ bush/field				Other	Missing
	Piped sewer system	Septic tank	Pit latrine												
LGA	45.5	27.4	1.8	.0	21.8	.0	.8	.0	.0	2.0	.5	.0	100.0	96.6	1507
Banjul	5.3	32.9	7.1	.8	49.6	.6	.0	3.4	.0	.1	.2	.0	100.0	95.8	11383
Brikama	1.7	4.4	1.9	.5	85.5	.7	.0	2.3	.0	2.6	.1	.2	100.0	94.0	11132
Mansakonko	.0	3.9	2.6	.3	58.7	.0	.0	30.1	.0	4.2	.0	.2	100.0	65.5	2965
Kerewan	.5	1.2	3.0	.2	81.4	.0	.2	3.8	.0	9.1	.7	.0	100.0	86.2	5139
Kuntaur	.0	.5	.0	.0	76.6	.0	.0	4.3	.0	18.6	.0	.0	100.0	77.1	3028
Janjangbureh	.2	1.0	.7	.0	28.8	.0	.0	58.9	.0	9.8	.6	.0	100.0	30.7	3861
Basse	.0	.9	.0	.5	85.0	.0	.0	11.8	.0	1.7	.0	.1	100.0	86.4	5861
Residence															
Urban	7.7	25.0	5.4	.6	54.6	.4	.1	5.2	.0	.7	.2	.0	100.0	93.3	17448
Rural	.6	2.1	1.3	.3	74.0	.3	.0	14.3	.0	6.7	.2	.1	100.0	78.4	27429
Education of household head															
None	2.4	7.2	2.5	.4	69.5	.2	.1	12.2	.0	5.3	.2	.1	100.0	81.9	35143
Primary	3.6	13.1	5.2	1.1	65.5	.6	.0	8.8	.0	1.7	.5	.0	100.0	88.4	1892
Secondary +	7.8	27.7	4.4	.6	53.0	.8	.0	4.7	.0	.8	.1	.1	100.0	93.5	7842
Wealth index quintiles															
Poorest	.0	.0	.4	.0	55.4	.0	.0	25.1	.0	18.6	.5	.0	100.0	55.8	9054
Second	.0	.0	.8	.1	82.6	.0	.0	14.7	.0	1.4	.2	.2	100.0	83.5	8910
Middle	.2	.1	1.6	.1	89.4	.0	.1	7.3	.0	.9	.3	.2	100.0	91.3	8914
Fourth	2.4	4.7	5.6	.7	80.0	.2	.1	5.7	.0	.5	.1	.0	100.0	93.4	8948
Richest	14.2	49.8	6.2	1.3	25.7	1.4	.1	1.1	.0	.2	.0	.0	100.0	97.2	9050
Ethnicity															
Mandinka	2.1	9.4	3.1	.4	73.4	.6	.0	10.1	.0	.6	.2	.1	100.0	88.5	15889
Wolof	8.0	16.4	3.3	.2	53.0	.5	.3	11.8	.0	6.6	.0	.0	100.0	80.8	5747
Fula	2.9	6.6	1.9	.2	59.3	.0	.0	16.6	.0	11.8	.5	.1	100.0	71.0	9186
Jola	.8	.79	3.1	.4	77.8	.1	.0	4.7	.0	4.8	.3	.2	100.0	90.0	4834
Serer	7.8	16.9	5.0	1.9	57.6	.8	.2	3.4	.0	6.0	.3	.0	100.0	89.3	1588
Other ethnic group	3.8	16.3	2.8	.7	65.5	.2	.0	9.6	.0	.9	.1	.1	100.0	89.1	7632
Total	3.4	11.0	2.9	.4	66.5	.3	.1	10.8	.0	4.4	.2	.1	100.0	84.2	44877

* MICS indicator 12; MDG indicator 31

Table EN.6: Disposal of child's faeces

Percentage distribution of children aged 0-2 years according to place of disposal of child's faeces, and the percentage of children aged 0-2 years whose stools are disposed of safely, The Gambia, 2006

	Place of disposal of child's faeces										Proportion of children whose stools are disposed of safely*	Number of children aged 0-2 years
	Child used toilet	Put/rin-sed into toilet or latrine	Put/rin-sed into drain or ditch	Thrown into gar-bage	Buried	Left in the open	Other	Don't know	Missing	Total		
LGA												
Banjul	2.0	91.1	5.0	.0	.0	.0	1.0	.0	1.0	100.0	93.1	123
Kanifing	1.2	91.5	1.3	1.3	.1	.1	.7	.7	3.1	100.0	92.7	953
Brikama	.4	89.3	1.3	3.0	.0	1.2	2.2	.1	2.4	100.0	89.7	995
Mansakonko	.4	87.5	4.8	5.1	.0	.0	.4	.0	1.9	100.0	87.9	282
Kerewan	.2	80.6	8.8	6.4	.2	.0	1.8	.0	2.0	100.0	80.8	572
Kuntaur	.9	41.3	6.0	47.3	.9	1.3	.9	.0	1.4	100.0	42.2	367
Janjangbureh	.0	76.1	15.5	7.0	.4	.0	.8	.0	.2	100.0	76.1	469
Basse	2.1	70.8	1.8	24.8	.0	.0	.0	.0	.6	100.0	72.8	685
Residence												
Urban	1.0	89.6	2.9	2.5	.1	.1	.8	.4	2.7	100.0	90.6	1484
Rural	.8	75.7	5.4	14.6	.2	.6	1.3	.0	1.4	100.0	76.5	2962
Mother's education												
None	.8	77.4	5.3	13.0	.2	.4	1.1	.1	1.8	100.0	78.2	3322
Primary	.4	87.5	3.1	5.7	.0	.7	.6	.2	1.8	100.0	87.9	483
Secondary +	1.3	90.5	2.0	1.8	.2	.2	1.6	.3	2.1	100.0	91.8	641
Wealth index quintiles												
Poorest	.6	62.0	9.3	24.1	.6	.3	1.8	.1	1.3	100.0	62.6	1078
Second	.5	82.3	5.0	9.7	.0	.6	.3	.0	1.6	100.0	82.7	919
Middle	.9	83.5	2.6	9.6	.0	.0	1.4	.1	2.0	100.0	84.3	933
Fourth	1.3	88.0	2.7	3.3	.0	1.0	1.2	.3	2.3	100.0	89.3	839
Richest	1.3	93.2	1.5	.6	.2	.0	.5	.5	2.2	100.0	94.5	677
Ethnic group of head of household												
Mandinka	.7	84.2	2.9	8.6	.0	.4	1.0	.0	2.1	100.0	85.0	1530
Wollof	.2	75.0	9.3	10.3	.6	.2	.9	.4	3.2	100.0	75.2	584
Fula	.7	70.0	8.0	18.0	.1	.6	1.4	.2	1.1	100.0	70.6	1046
Jola	.3	90.4	1.6	2.8	.0	.8	1.1	.3	2.7	100.0	90.7	395
Serer	.0	94.4	.0	1.4	.0	.0	3.4	.0	.8	100.0	94.4	150
Other ethnic group	2.4	83.1	1.8	10.4	.4	.0	.6	.3	1.1	100.0	85.4	742
Total	.9	80.4	4.6	10.6	.2	.4	1.1	.2	1.8	100.0	81.2	4446

* MICS indicator 14

Table EN.7: Use of improved water sources and improved sanitation

Percentage of household population using both improved drinking water sources and sanitary means of excreta disposal, The Gambia, /2006

	Percentage of household population:			Number of household members
	Using improved sources of drinking water*	Using sanitary means of excreta disposal**	Using improved sources of drinking water and using sanitary means of excreta disposal	
LGA				
Banjul	80.8	96.6	78.5	1507
Kanifing	90.9	95.8	87.1	11383
Brikama	79.0	94.0	74.5	11132
Mansakonko	82.6	65.5	57.5	2965
Kerewan	89.1	86.2	77.7	5139
Kuntaur	83.4	77.1	65.0	3028
Janjangbureh	81.7	30.7	26.4	3861
Basse	87.6	86.4	76.0	5861
Residence				
Urban	91.2	93.3	84.9	17448
Rural	81.3	78.4	64.6	27429
Education of household head				
None	84.1	81.9	69.8	35143
Primary	85.2	88.4	75.4	1892
Secondary +	89.8	93.5	84.1	7842
Wealth index quintiles				
Poorest	82.5	55.8	47.7	9054
Second	79.5	83.5	66.3	8910
Middle	81.3	91.3	74.0	8914
Fourth	87.3	93.4	82.5	8948
Richest	94.9	97.2	92.2	9050
Ethnic group of head of household				
Mandinka	85.8	88.5	76.3	15889
Wollof	82.8	80.8	70.3	5747
Fula	84.2	71.0	59.6	9186
Jola	81.6	90.0	73.9	4834
Serer	80.4	89.3	72.4	1588
Other ethnic group	89.7	89.1	81.0	7632
Total	85.1	84.2	72.5	44877

* MICS indicator 11; MDG indicator 30

** MICS indicator 12; MDG indicator 31

Table EN.8: Security of tenure

Percentage of household members living in households in urban areas which lack formal documentation for their residence in the dwelling or who feel at risk of eviction from the dwelling, and percentage of household members who were evicted from any dwelling in prior 5 years, The Gambia, 2006.

	Household does not have formal documentation for the residence	Respondent feels there is a risk of eviction	Household does not have security of tenure*	Household members evicted from any dwelling in prior 5 years	Number of household members
Education of household head					
None	45.9	16.4	50.4	5.8	8817
Primary	41.0	15.2	45.5	6.0	3460
Secondary +	32.3	12.7	37.3	4.7	5171
Wealth index quintiles					
Poorest	15.7	26.8	39.2	1.2	308
Second	44.5	13.7	47.8	5.5	1434
Middle	49.7	19.7	53.5	6.0	3137
Fourth	49.1	15.8	53.1	6.5	4694
Richest	32.8	12.6	37.7	4.9	7875
Ethnic group of head of household					
Mandinka	32.3	12.6	38.0	4.2	5856
Wolof	35.2	13.9	38.7	5.6	2467
Fula	59.4	20.4	64.4	8.1	3385
Jola	41.0	14.4	44.7	6.0	2088
Serer	56.6	20.3	61.5	6.0	1089
Other ethnic group	34.6	13.1	38.5	4.5	2563
Total	40.9	15.1	45.6	5.5	17448

* MICS indicator 93

Table EN.9: Durability of Housing

Percentage of households and household members living in the dwellings in urban areas
(or in capital city) that are not considered durable, by background characteristics, The Gambia, 2006

	Dwelling has natural floor material	Dwelling is in poor condition	Dwelling is vulnerable to accidents	Dwelling located in hazardous location	Per cent of households living in dwellings considered non-durable*	Number of households	Per cent of household members living in dwellings considered non-durable	Number of household members
Education of household head								
None	8.2	9.1	.0	.0	2.8	1744	2.8	11166
Primary	1.0	6.7	.0	.0	.5	207	.3	1119
Secondary +	2.6	2.3	.0	.0	.3	980	.2	5164
Wealth index quintiles								
Poorest	85.1	54.5	.0	.0	48.0	43	50.1	308
Second	30.1	22.5	.0	.0	8.4	249	8.4	1434
Middle	8.8	10.7	.0	.0	1.8	539	1.6	3137
Fourth	1.2	5.3	.0	.0	.2	841	.1	4694
Richest	.1	1.0	.0	.0	.0	1258	.	7875
Ethnic group of head of household								
Mandinka	6.6	6.4	.0	.0	2.2	821	2.2	5856
Wolof	1.7	5.2	.0	.0	.7	424	.7	2467
Fula	6.8	10.0	.0	.0	2.8	694	3.9	3385
Jola	11.7	5.9	.0	.0	.9	331	.9	2088
Serer	3.1	6.7	.0	.0	2.2	191	1.5	1089
Other ethnic group	3.7	3.9	.0	.0	1.0	468	.6	2563
Total	5.8	6.6	.0	.0	1.8	2930	1.9	17448

* MICS indicator 94

Table EN.10: Slum housing

Percentage of households and household members in the urban areas (*or in capital city*) that are considered as living in slum housing, by background characteristics, The Gambia, 2006

	Dwelling is considered non-durable	Lack of security of tenure	Over-crowding: more than three persons per sleeping room	Lack of use of improved water source	Lack of use of improved sanitation	Per cent of households considered to be living in slum housing *	Number of households	Per cent of household members considered to be living in slum housing	Number of household members
Education of household head									
None	2.8	60.3	15.2	9.9	12.8	71.7	1744	60.3	11166
Primary	.5	64.0	18.1	11.5	13.3	74.4	207	62.0	1119
Secondary +	.3	58.9	12.1	6.4	8.6	66.6	980	56.3	5164
Wealth index quintiles									
Poorest	(48.0)	(43.3)	(11.2)	(4.7)	(55.6)	(84.9)	43	86.3	308
Second	8.4	57.6	17.8	12.4	16.5	73.0	249	66.3	1434
Middle	1.8	64.7	18.6	14.6	13.0	77.5	539	69.6	3137
Fourth	.2	68.4	16.9	12.2	11.4	78.3	841	67.5	4694
Richest	.0	53.6	10.2	3.6	8.2	60.6	1258	47.7	7875
Ethnic group of head of household									
Mandinka	2.2	50.8	12.4	8.1	12.3	62.4	821	52.4	5856
Wolof	.7	55.6	10.2	8.0	8.7	64.5	424	51.7	2467
Fula	2.8	76.6	17.6	8.5	12.5	84.1	694	76.2	3385
Jola	.9	56.7	21.3	10.5	11.6	72.4	331	65.1	2088
Serer	2.2	72.6	19.3	18.4	12.4	80.4	191	71.5	1089
Other ethnic group	1.0	53.1	9.7	6.5	10.1	62.7	468	49.6	2563
Total	1.8	60.1	14.3	8.9	11.4	70.2	2930	59.2	17448

* MICS indicator 95; MDG indicator 32

Table RH.3: Antenatal care provider

Percentage distribution of women aged 15-49 who gave birth in the two years preceding the survey by type of personnel providing antenatal care, The Gambia, 2006

	Person providing antenatal care					No antenatal care received	Total	Any skilled personnel*	Number of women who gave birth in the preceding two years
	Medical doctor	Nurse/ midwife	Auxiliary midwife	Traditional birth attendant	Other				
LGA									
Banjul	1.3	98.7	.0	.0	.0	.0	100.0	100.0	75
Kanifing	10.8	83.9	2.4	.3	1.1	1.5	100.0	97.1	694
Brikama	12.8	85.2	.5	.3	.8	.5	100.0	98.5	750
Mansakonko	22.5	51.9	22.9	.5	.0	2.2	100.0	97.2	167
Kerewan	17.2	59.4	19.2	2.0	2.0	.2	100.0	95.8	377
Kuntaur	.5	85.1	10.7	.0	3.2	.5	100.0	96.3	232
Janjangbureh	19.3	36.9	42.6	.6	.3	.3	100.0	98.8	313
Basse	7.2	70.5	21.2	.2	.4	.5	100.0	98.9	463
Residence									
Urban	11.8	80.0	5.7	.4	.9	1.3	100.0	97.5	1037
Rural	12.2	69.6	16.1	.6	1.0	.5	100.0	97.9	2033
Age									
15-19	8.5	74.1	13.3	.0	3.3	.7	100.0	96.0	275
20-24	11.7	73.7	11.4	1.0	.5	1.6	100.0	96.8	810
25-29	11.8	74.8	12.3	.2	.7	.3	100.0	98.8	857
30-34	11.8	73.0	13.6	.9	.5	.2	100.0	98.4	568
35-39	12.1	73.8	12.2	.0	1.0	.9	100.0	98.1	340
40-44	17.8	65.6	13.6	.0	1.8	1.1	100.0	97.1	167
45-49	23.3	53.0	20.1	.0	3.6	.0	100.0	96.4	51
Education									
None	11.6	71.5	14.7	.6	1.0	.6	100.0	97.8	2229
Primary	9.2	76.4	12.1	.6	.6	1.2	100.0	97.7	352
Secondary +	15.9	78.2	3.4	.2	1.1	1.2	100.0	97.5	489
Wealth index quintiles									
Poorest	16.1	58.1	23.4	.7	1.4	.3	100.0	97.6	684
Second	12.2	73.6	11.7	.9	.8	.8	100.0	97.5	647
Middle	8.9	77.7	11.1	.3	.8	1.3	100.0	97.7	650
Fourth	9.2	79.3	9.4	.0	1.2	.9	100.0	97.8	600
Richest	13.6	80.1	4.6	.6	.6	.4	100.0	98.3	488
Ethnicity									
Mandinka	14.0	73.7	10.5	.4	.8	.7	100.0	98.2	1048
Wollof	11.2	70.3	15.1	1.3	1.9	.3	100.0	96.6	384
Fula	11.0	68.4	17.7	.8	1.0	1.1	100.0	97.1	706
Jola	12.3	86.3	.3	.0	.7	.4	100.0	98.9	302
Serer	3.3	90.0	4.1	.0	.8	1.8	100.0	97.4	117
Other ethnic group	11.7	69.2	17.1	.2	1.0	.7	100.0	98.1	512
Total	12.0	73.1	12.6	.5	1.0	.7	100.0	97.8	3070

* MICS indicator 20

Table RH.4: Antenatal care

Percentage of pregnant women receiving antenatal care among women aged 15-49 who gave birth in two years preceding the survey and percentage of pregnant women receiving specific care as part of the antenatal care received, The Gambia, 2006

	Percent of pre- gnant women receiving ANC one or more times during pregnancy	Percent of pregnant women who had:				Number of women who gave birth in two years preceding survey
		Blood test taken*	Blood pressure measured*	Urine specimen taken*	Weight measured*	
LGA						
Banjul	100.0	97.4	100.0	97.4	98.7	75
Kanifing	98.5	93.9	97.1	94.1	96.4	694
Brikama	99.5	97.0	98.3	92.9	98.4	750
Mansakonko	97.8	87.1	93.8	82.8	97.2	167
Kerewan	99.8	95.1	97.5	92.4	98.0	377
Kuntaur	99.5	70.5	91.2	57.6	97.2	232
Janjangbureh	99.7	91.1	95.2	89.9	97.3	313
Basse	99.5	75.4	96.6	73.2	97.3	463
Residence						
Urban	98.7	94.5	97.5	93.7	96.9	1037
Rural	99.5	87.2	96.2	83.2	97.8	2033
Age						
15-19	99.3	87.4	96.6	86.0	96.1	275
20-24	98.4	88.4	95.5	84.9	96.4	810
25-29	99.7	90.1	97.4	87.1	98.4	857
30-34	99.8	91.2	97.7	88.1	98.4	568
35-39	99.1	91.6	95.8	88.5	97.3	340
40-44	98.9	91.0	96.6	87.9	98.4	167
45-49	100.0	81.3	96.4	81.5	96.1	51
Education						
None	99.4	88.4	96.6	84.9	97.7	2229
Primary	98.8	89.4	96.2	89.3	97.4	352
Secondary +	98.8	95.6	96.9	93.0	96.5	489
Wealth index quintiles						
Poorest	99.7	84.2	94.6	79.4	97.4	684
Second	99.2	89.0	96.8	86.1	97.9	647
Middle	98.7	90.2	96.7	85.9	97.4	650
Fourth	99.1	90.4	96.7	89.7	96.5	600
Richest	99.6	96.7	99.0	95.2	98.5	488
Ethnicity						
Mandinka	99.3	91.5	97.4	88.5	97.8	1048
Wollof	99.7	89.6	95.5	85.0	97.4	384
Fula	98.9	86.9	94.9	83.0	96.7	706
Jola	99.6	96.0	97.8	94.1	97.8	302
Serer	98.2	95.6	98.2	94.7	97.3	117
Other ethnic group	99.3	84.7	97.3	83.2	97.8	512
Total	99.3	89.7	96.6	86.7	97.5	3070

* MICS indicator 44

Table RH.5: Assistance during delivery

Percentage distribution of women aged 15-49 with a birth in two years preceding the survey by type of personnel assisting at delivery, The Gambia, 2006

	Person assisting at delivery								Total	Any skilled personnel *	Delivered in health facility **	Number of women who gave birth in preceding two years
	Medical doctor	Nurse/ midwife	Auxiliary midwife	Traditional birth attendant	Community health worker	Relative/ friend	Other/ missing	No attendant				
LGA												
Banjul	7.9	86.8	.0	1.3	.0	1.3	1.3	1.3	100.0	94.7	94.7	75
Kanifing	8.0	75.0	3.9	5.2	.0	4.1	2.4	1.4	100.0	87.0	84.7	694
Brikama	4.3	60.8	.2	22.3	3.6	5.8	1.7	1.4	100.0	65.3	59.8	750
Mansakonko	6.3	34.0	6.3	41.8	.6	10.0	.6	.6	100.0	46.5	40.8	167
Kerewan	6.2	31.0	7.4	44.6	.5	7.9	2.5	.0	100.0	44.6	44.8	377
Kuntaur	.5	24.1	3.8	55.8	2.3	11.6	.5	1.4	100.0	28.4	29.3	232
Janjangbureh	8.6	16.7	9.5	43.5	.3	20.2	.0	1.2	100.0	34.8	34.5	313
Basse	3.2	22.7	8.3	50.8	.9	12.6	.0	1.5	100.0	34.2	32.9	463
Residence												
Urban	7.5	71.0	4.6	7.9	.5	5.3	2.1	1.3	100.0	83.0	81.4	1037
Rural	4.6	34.1	4.7	42.3	1.7	10.5	1.0	1.1	100.0	43.4	40.7	2033
Age												
15-19	6.6	46.9	8.3	26.5	1.6	6.7	2.3	1.0	100.0	61.8	60.0	275
20-24	4.4	49.2	5.2	29.0	.7	9.0	1.3	1.1	100.0	58.8	55.7	810
25-29	5.8	47.5	4.2	29.7	1.5	9.0	1.3	.9	100.0	57.6	55.5	857
30-34	5.1	44.4	5.0	33.2	2.1	8.8	.7	.9	100.0	54.4	51.8	568
35-39	6.9	41.9	2.7	34.8	.7	9.3	1.6	2.2	100.0	51.4	50.3	340
40-44	6.3	49.1	1.8	32.6	1.2	7.8	.7	.6	100.0	57.2	55.1	167
45-49	8.1	32.8	3.5	33.6	2.2	8.4	5.4	6.0	100.0	44.3	46.1	51
Mother's education												
None	4.4	39.6	4.9	36.5	1.2	10.5	1.4	1.5	100.0	48.9	47.1	2229
Primary	4.9	58.6	4.6	21.5	2.8	6.4	.9	.3	100.0	68.1	65.7	352
Secondary	11.3	69.5	3.7	10.8	.8	2.4	1.3	.2	100.0	84.5	79.9	489
Wealth index quintiles												
Poorest	4.5	18.9	4.9	52.4	1.3	16.0	.3	1.6	100.0	28.3	26.7	684
Second	4.4	37.1	4.5	40.6	2.3	8.4	1.9	.8	100.0	45.9	44.7	647
Middle	4.1	50.0	4.9	28.9	.9	7.7	1.7	1.8	100.0	59.0	56.8	650
Fourth	7.0	60.2	5.5	17.8	1.5	5.5	1.4	1.2	100.0	72.7	69.5	600
Richest	8.7	76.5	3.3	5.3	.2	4.2	1.5	.2	100.0	88.6	84.9	488
Ethnic group of head of household												
Mandinka	5.3	46.7	4.6	32.5	1.8	6.4	1.5	1.1	100.0	56.7	54.1	1048
Wollof	5.5	45.2	4.6	37.4	1.4	4.6	1.0	.3	100.0	55.3	54.0	384
Fula	5.5	39.7	4.9	30.2	1.1	14.9	1.9	1.8	100.0	50.0	48.3	706
Jola	4.8	62.6	1.4	19.4	1.5	7.1	1.1	2.1	100.0	68.8	64.8	302
Serer	6.3	77.4	5.0	9.6	.0	.8	.0	.9	100.0	88.7	88.9	117
Other ethnic group	6.4	40.2	6.4	34.0	.7	10.7	1.0	.5	100.0	53.0	50.2	512
Total	5.6	46.5	4.7	30.7	1.3	8.7	1.4	1.2	100.0	56.8	54.5	3070

Table CD.1: Family support for learning

Percentage of children aged 0-59 months for whom household members are engaged in activities that promote learning and school readiness, The Gambia, 2006

	Percent of pregnant women who had:					Number of children aged 0-59 months
	For whom household members engaged in four or more activities that promote learning and school readiness*	Mean number of activities household members engage in with the child	For whom the father engaged in one or more activities that promote learning and school readiness**	Mean number of activities the father engaged in with the child	Living in a household without their biological father	
Sex						
Male	47.8	3.4	22.2	.4	24.1	3346
Female	46.0	3.3	19.0	.4	26.9	3197
LGA						
Banjul	25.6	2.8	34.4	.4	23.1	196
Kanifing	48.4	3.4	23.2	.4	26.0	1508
Brikama	44.2	3.4	8.3	.1	23.1	1425
Mansakonko	46.3	3.4	3.9	.0	33.4	406
Kerewan	88.9	4.8	66.7	1.7	23.0	826
Kuntaur	36.8	2.9	17.0	.2	17.0	502
Janjangbureh	30.4	2.7	6.8	.1	29.6	682
Basse	34.6	2.8	11.8	.1	28.8	999
Residence						
Urban	48.1	3.4	23.5	.4	26.3	2303
Rural	46.3	3.3	19.1	.4	25.0	4240
Age						
0-23 months	25.0	2.4	17.6	.3	25.4	3033
24-59 months	65.9	4.2	23.2	.4	25.6	3510
Mother's education						
None	65.9	3.3	20.7	.4	23.6	4923
Primary	45.0	3.4	17.3	.3	28.0	710
Secondary +	49.6	3.5	23.1	.5	33.5	911
Father's education						
None	46.2	3.3	19.1	.4	30.0	5566
Primary	40.7	3.1	24.0	.3	.0	201
Secondary +	54.0	3.7	31.1	.7	.0	776
Wealth index quintiles						
Poorest	46.9	3.3	21.9	.4	21.7	1532
Second	51.2	3.6	20.2	.4	25.1	1337
Middle	45.9	3.3	19.8	.4	24.5	1344
Fourth	42.6	3.2	17.5	.3	28.8	1248
Richest	47.9	3.5	24.0	.4	28.7	1082
Ethnicity						
Mandinka	51.5	3.5	20.1	.4	25.2	2254
Wolof	48.0	3.4	26.6	.5	21.5	870
Fula	42.6	3.2	22.1	.4	19.7	1494
Jola	50.9	3.6	12.7	.2	27.2	596
Serer	45.5	3.4	34.4	.7	32.1	212
Other ethnic group	40.9	3.1	16.7	.3	34.7	1117
Total	46.9	3.4	20.6	.4	25.5	6543

* MICS indicator 46

** MICS indicator 47

Table CD.3: Children left alone or with other children

Percentage of children aged 0-59 months left in the care of other children under the age of 10 years or left alone in the past week, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of children aged 0-59 months			Number of children aged 0-59 months
	Left in the care of children under the age of 10 years in past week	Left alone in the past week	Left with inadequate care in past week*	
Sex				
Male	14.4	4.8	18.1	3346
Female	13.4	4.0	16.6	3197
LGA				
Banjul	1.9	.6	1.9	196
Kanifing	11.6	3.1	13.8	1508
Brikama	5.9	2.3	7.9	1425
Mansakonko	19.3	5.3	22.4	406
Kerewan	33.5	3.1	36.0	826
Kuntaur	14.2	8.5	19.9	502
Janjangbureh	18.1	.8	18.7	682
Basse	9.9	10.9	19.7	999
Residence				
Urban	11.8	2.6	13.7	2303
Rural	15.1	5.3	19.4	4240
Age				
0-23 months	11.0	1.5	12.0	3033
24-59 months	16.4	6.8	22.0	3510
Mother's education				
None	15.2	4.9	19.1	4923
Primary	11.9	2.6	13.9	710
Secondary +	8.5	2.6	10.8	911
Wealth index quintiles				
Poorest	20.0	5.1	24.0	1532
Second	17.1	5.7	21.2	1337
Middle	11.3	4.3	15.0	1344
Fourth	10.9	2.9	13.6	1248
Richest	8.2	3.5	10.6	1082
Ethnicity				
Mandinka	15.4	4.8	18.8	2254
Wollof	18.2	2.6	20.1	870
Fula	13.0	5.0	17.2	1494
Jola	10.4	2.5	12.7	596
Serer	9.9	2.0	11.9	212
Other ethnic group	11.3	5.5	16.2	1117
Total	13.9	4.4	17.4	6543

* MICS indicator 51

Table ED.1: Early childhood education

Percentage of children aged 36-59 months who are attending some form of organized early childhood education programme and percentage of first graders who attended pre-school, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of children aged 36-59 months currently attending early childhood school*	Number of children aged 36-59 months	Percentage of children attending first grade who attended preschool programme in previous year**	Number of children attending first grade
Sex				
Male	20.0	1117	29.6	51
Female	19.4	1023	25.2	57
LGA				
Banjul	36.1	75	(*)	5
Kanifing	34.8	568	(43.3)	31
Brikama	20.5	438	(36.3)	33
Mansakonko	22.3	125	(*)	5
Kerewan	6.6	257	(*)	16
Kuntaur	7.5	138	(*)	7
Janjangbureh	10.1	220	(*)	1
Basse	9.6	320	(*)	11
Residence				
Urban	30.2	836	(39.6)	48
Rural	13.0	1304	17.4	60
Age of child				
36-47 months	13.7	1247	.	0
48-59 months	28.2	893	.	0
7 years***	.	0	27.3	108
Mother's education				
None	14.5	1632	18.7	79
Primary	26.3	230	(*)	6
Secondary +	45.3	278	(*)	23
Wealth index quintiles				
Poorest	6.7	466	(*)	22
Second	14.3	425	(*)	19
Middle	16.0	417	(*)	15
Fourth	21.8	417	(*)	18
Richest	41.6	415	(53.5)	34
Ethnic group of head of household				
Mandinka	18.9	739	(20.6)	43
Wolof	18.5	292	(*)	11
Fula	14.1	457	(*)	21
Jola	32.0	206	(*)	12
Serer	30.1	64	(*)	7
Other ethnic group	20.7	383	(*)	14
Total	19.7	2140	27.3	108

* MICS indicator 52

** MICS indicator 53

Table ED.2: Primary school entry

Percentage of children of primary school entry age attending Grade 1,
The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of children of primary school entry age currently attending Grade 1 *	Number of children of primary school entry age
Sex		
Male	29.5	736
Female	30.4	724
LGA		
Banjul	(35.7)	32
Kanifing	33.3	288
Brikama	32.4	368
Mansakonko	27.9	139
Kerewan	25.5	164
Kuntaur	21.0	117
Janjangbureh	30.5	143
Basse	29.6	207
Area		
Urban	35.5	456
Rural	27.4	1004
Age		
7	29.9	1460
Mother's education		
None	28.3	1203
Primary	32.6	124
Secondary	42.0	132
Wealth index quintiles		
Poorest	22.5	354
Second	29.9	326
Middle	29.5	280
Fourth	32.2	257
Richest	38.9	243
Ethnic group of head of household		
Mandinka	31.1	539
Wolof	25.9	175
Fula	27.0	296
Jola	29.8	141
Serer	(27.8)	46
Other ethnic group	34.0	263
Total	29.9	1460

Table ED.3: Primary school net attendance ratio

Percentage of children of primary school age** attending primary or secondary school (NAR),
The Gambia, 2006

	Male		Femal		Total	
	Net attendance ratio	Number of children	Net attendance ratio	Number of children	Net attendance ratio*	Number of children
LGA						
Banjul	73.8	93	81.5	94	77.6	187
Kanifing	75.4	799	71.7	837	73.5	1636
Brikama	72.7	969	71.3	968	72.0	1938
Mansakonko	46.2	363	66.2	285	55.0	648
Kerewan	51.1	480	47.8	514	49.4	995
Kuntaur	36.2	310	46.3	298	41.2	608
Janjangbureh	51.1	343	64.5	363	58.0	705
Basse	48.0	513	45.1	557	46.5	1070
Residence						
Urban	74.8	1261	72.5	1311	73.6	2572
Rural	52.9	2609	56.5	2606	54.7	5215
Age**						
7	35.0	736	35.6	724	35.3	1460
8	52.8	743	53.9	736	53.4	1479
9	69.9	558	72.2	546	71.0	1104
10	66.0	689	68.6	744	67.4	1434
11	73.5	513	75.5	487	74.5	1000
12	71.5	631	73.0	680	72.3	1311
Mother's education						
None	56.8	3192	58.6	3223	57.7	6415
Primary	69.4	306	71.4	295	70.4	601
Secondary +	79.9	373	81.5	399	80.7	771
Wealth index quintiles						
Poorest	42.6	876	46.2	883	44.4	1759
Second	59.0	857	61.4	863	60.2	1721
Middle	63.5	751	59.5	778	61.5	1529
Fourth	67.6	765	68.6	738	68.1	1503
Richest	72.3	621	79.0	655	75.8	1276
Ethnic group of head of household						
Mandinka	63.8	1389	66.2	1436	65.0	2824
Wollof	52.8	433	53.6	525	53.2	958
Fula	51.9	809	55.0	763	53.4	1573
Jola	76.5	396	69.4	403	72.9	799
Serer	63.4	110	68.7	127	66.2	237
Other ethnic group	56.8	733	61.3	662	58.9	1395
Total	60.0	3871	61.9	3917	61.0	7787

* MICS indicator 55; MDG indicator 6

Table ED.4: Secondary school net attendance ratio

Percentage of children of secondary school age** attending secondary school or higher (NAR),
The Gambia, 2006

	Male		Female		Total	
	Net attendance ratio	Number of children	Net attendance ratio	Number of children	Net attendance ratio*	Number of children
LGA						
Banjul	55.0	93	56.8	102	56.0	195
Kanifing	58.7	783	48.3	866	53.3	1648
Brikama	44.6	857	42.0	867	43.3	1724
Mansakonko	25.4	286	29.8	200	27.2	487
Kerewan	30.7	344	25.3	380	27.9	724
Kuntaur	25.5	204	15.4	221	20.2	425
Janjangbureh	27.6	264	23.4	316	25.3	580
Basse	17.1	387	12.6	472	14.7	859
Residence						
Urban	56.1	1209	49.2	1370	52.4	2579
Rural	29.1	2009	23.8	2055	26.4	4064
Age**						
13	16.8	554	16.1	678	16.4	1232
14	30.6	482	28.3	817	29.2	1299
15	41.8	661	43.8	439	42.6	1100
16	49.1	508	48.9	465	49.0	973
17	49.8	443	46.4	455	48.1	898
18	48.4	570	33.6	571	41.0	1140
Mother's education						
None	37.9	2904	32.3	3082	35.0	5986
Primary	36.9	116	41.8	148	39.6	264
Secondary +	60.0	198	54.7	194	57.4	392
Wealth index quintiles						
Poorest	20.8	594	14.2	612	17.5	1207
Second	35.1	648	28.5	690	31.7	1338
Middle	34.5	666	30.9	696	32.7	1361
Fourth	42.4	621	36.6	761	39.2	1382
Richest	60.7	689	57.9	665	59.3	1354
Ethnic group of head of household						
Mandinka	43.0	1206	38.0	1288	40.4	2494
Wolof	37.4	354	31.5	409	34.3	763
Fula	36.4	589	26.1	669	30.9	1258
Jola	46.8	373	45.1	370	46.0	743
Serer	47.3	100	49.0	121	48.2	221
Other ethnic group	29.5	596	25.4	567	27.5	1163
Total	39.2	3218	34.0	3424	36.5	6642

* MICS indicator 56

Table ED. 4W: Secondary school age children attending primary school

Percentage of children of secondary school age** attending primary school,
The Gambia, 2006

	Male		Female		Total	
	Percentage attending primary school	Number of children	Percentage attending primary school	Number of children	Percentage attending primary school	Number of children
LGA						
Banjul	21.3	93	11.4	102	16.1	195
Kanifing	19.8	783	20.8	866	20.3	1648
Brikama	33.1	857	29.1	867	31.1	1724
Mansakonko	22.5	286	25.1	200	23.6	487
Kerewan	25.9	344	18.2	380	21.9	724
Kuntaur	16.9	204	14.9	221	15.8	425
Janjangbureh	26.4	264	32.0	316	29.5	580
Basse	24.0	387	22.1	472	22.9	859
Residence						
Urban	21.5	1209	20.7	1370	21.1	2579
Rural	27.4	2009	25.2	2055	26.3	4064
Age**						
13	55.9	554	50.9	678	53.1	1232
14	41.5	482	35.9	817	38.0	1299
15	23.7	661	18.6	439	21.7	1100
16	15.4	508	9.0	465	12.3	973
17	7.2	443	5.2	455	6.2	898
18	5.9	570	2.8	571	4.3	1140
Mother's education						
None	23.9	2904	22.1	3082	22.9	5986
Primary	46.9	116	41.6	148	44.0	264
Secondary +	31.1	198	30.8	194	31.0	392
Wealth index quintiles						
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Serer	28.2	100	22.9	121	25.3	221
Other ethnic group	27.0	596	22.7	567	24.9	1163
Total	25.1	3218	23.4	3424	24.3	6642

Table ED.5: Children reaching Grade 5

Percentage of children entering first grade of primary school who eventually reach Grade 5, The Gambia, 2006

	Percent attending 2nd grade who were in 1st grade last year	Percent attending 3rd grade who were in 2nd grade last year	Percent attending 4th grade who were in 3rd grade last year	Percent attending 5th grade who were in 4th grade last year	Percent who reach Grade 5 of those who enter 1st grade*
Sex					
Male	99.5	99.3	99.5	99.8	98.1
Female	99.5	98.4	98.0	99.1	95.2
LGA					
Banjul	100.0	96.8	100.0	100.0	96.8
Kanifing	99.7	99.2	99.6	99.1	97.7
Brikama	100.0	99.8	99.7	100.0	99.5
Mansakonko	100.0	97.3	98.7	100.0	96.0
Kerewan	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Kuntaur	100.0	100.0	94.0	97.5	91.6
Janjangbureh	97.7	94.5	95.2	100.0	87.9
Basse	99.2	99.4	98.1	98.2	95.0
Residence					
Urban	99.8	99.1	99.8	99.4	98.1
Rural	99.4	98.7	98.1	99.5	95.7
Mother's education					
None	99.5	99.1	98.6	99.5	96.7
Primary	100.0	97.3	98.9	100.0	96.3
Secondary +	99.4	97.7	100.0	99.0	96.2
Wealth index quintiles					
Poorest	99.7	98.5	96.0	100.0	94.3
Second	99.5	98.4	99.6	99.4	96.9
Middle	99.4	99.3	98.1	99.0	95.8
Fourth	99.2	99.0	100.0	99.6	97.8
Richest	100.0	99.0	99.5	99.5	98.0
Ethnic group of head of household					
Mandinka	99.8	99.2	99.3	99.7	98.1
Wolof	98.3	94.3	94.5	98.7	86.4
Fula	99.1	99.5	99.4	100.0	98.0
Jola	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.2	99.2
Serer	97.5	96.8	98.0	100.0	92.5
Other ethnic group	100.0	99.2	99.2	98.9	97.4
Total	99.5	98.8	98.8	99.5	96.6

* MICS indicator 57; MDG indicator 7

Table ED.6: Primary school completion and transition to secondary education

Primary school completion rate and transition rate to secondary education,
The Gambia, 2006

	Net primary school completion rate*	Number of children of primary school completion age	Transition rate to secondary education**	Number of children who were in the last grade of primary school the previous year
Sex				
Male	74.9	631	61.5	2666
Female	72.4	680	51.1	2767
LGA				
Banjul	(91.3)	27	91.3	160
Kanifing	83.5	310	74.3	1477
Brikama	83.4	317	55.5	1741
Mansakonko	85.7	105	40.2	397
Kerewan	58.4	163	50.4	519
Kuntaur	57.8	105	35.6	299
Janjangbureh	79.7	111	41.4	415
Basse	47.4	172	34.2	425
Residence				
Urban	84.3	462	74.0	2304
Rural	67.7	848	43.1	3128
Mother's education				
None	71.0	1086	63.8	4223
Primary	85.7	88	21.9	492
Secondary +	86.3	137	35.2	717
Wealth index quintiles				
Poorest	60.4	283	27.4	931
Second	76.1	285	45.8	1160
Middle	68.5	253	54.1	1067
Fourth	79.2	249	60.9	1131
Richest	85.6	240	87.5	1144
Ethnic group of head of household				
Mandinka	75.4	458	63.7	2020
Wollof	71.1	182	57.3	584
Fula	64.6	248	43.2	1075
Jola	86.6	141	54.7	824
Serer	(79.1)	46	73.8	187
Other ethnic group	72.4	236	51.2	742
Total	73.6	1311	56.2	5432

* MICS indicator 59; MDG indicator 7b

** MICS indicator 58

Table ED.7: Education gender parity

Ratio of girls to boys attending primary education and ratio of girls to boys attending secondary education, The Gambia, 2006

	Primary school net attendance ratio, girls	Primary school net attendance ratio, boys	Gender parity index for primary school NAR*	Secondary school net attendance ratio, girls	Secondary school net attendance ratio, boys	Gender parity index for secondary school NAR*
LGA						
Banjul	80.2	73.8	1.09	56.8	55.0	1.03
Kanifing	71.7	75.6	.95	48.3	58.7	.82
Brikama	71.3	72.5	.98	42.0	44.6	.94
Mansakonko	66.2	45.9	1.44	29.8	25.4	1.17
Kerewan	47.8	51.1	.94	25.3	30.7	.82
Kuntaur	46.3	36.2	1.28	15.4	25.5	.60
Janjangbureh	64.7	51.1	1.27	23.4	27.6	.85
Basse	45.2	48.0	.94	12.6	17.1	.74
Residence						
Urban	72.4	74.8	.97	49.2	56.1	.88
Rural	56.6	52.8	1.07	23.8	29.1	.82
Mother's education						
None	58.6	56.8	1.03	32.3	37.9	.85
Primary	71.4	69.4	1.03	41.8	36.9	1.13
Secondary +	81.7	79.6	1.03	54.7	60.0	.91
Wealth index quintiles						
Poorest	46.3	42.6	1.09	14.2	20.8	.68
Second	61.4	58.9	1.04	28.5	35.1	.81
Middle	59.5	63.4	.94	30.9	34.5	.90
Fourth	68.5	67.6	1.01	36.6	42.4	.86
Richest	79.0	72.3	1.09	57.9	60.7	.95
Ethnic group of head of household						
Mandinka	66.3	63.7	1.04	38.0	43.0	.88
Wolof	53.6	52.5	1.02	31.5	37.4	.84
Fula	54.8	51.9	1.06	26.1	36.4	.72
Jola	69.4	76.5	.91	45.1	46.8	.96
Serer	68.7	63.4	1.08	49.0	47.3	1.04
Other ethnic group	61.3	56.8	1.08	25.4	29.5	.86
Total	61.9	60.0	1.03	34.0	39.2	.87

* MICS indicator 61; MDG indicator 9

Table ED.8: Adult literacy

Percentage of women aged 15-24 who are literate*, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage literate*	Percentage not known**	Number of women aged 15-24
LGA			
Banjul	65.2	7.7	154
Kanifing	59.4	4.9	1268
Brikama	52.5	4.0	1154
Mansakonko	36.3	4.9	207
Kerewan	29.5	2.7	375
Kuntaur	16.2	1.8	235
Janjangbureh	27.1	10.8	364
Basse	13.2	1.8	548
Residence			
Urban	58.4	4.6	1906
Rural	30.9	4.4	2400
Education			
None	.7	4.1	1907
Primary	10.7	14.4	625
Secondary +	100.0	1.4	1774
Age			
15-19	50.8	5.0	2282
20-24	34.3	4.0	2023
Wealth index quintiles			
Poorest	15.7	4.0	650
Second	36.1	3.5	761
Middle	36.8	3.9	871
Fourth	45.7	5.6	987
Richest	67.9	5.0	1037
Ethnic group of head of household			
Mandinka	49.4	4.1	1559
Wolof	44.1	8.2	633
Fula	30.2	3.2	859
Jola	57.6	3.7	437
Serer	58.5	3.5	118
Other ethnic group	32.2	4.2	684
Missing	(*)	(*)	15
Total	43.1	4.5	4306

* MICS indicator 60; MDG indicator 8

Table CP1: Birth registration

Percentage distribution of children aged 0-59 months by whether birth is registered and reasons for non-registration, The Gambia, 2006

	Birth is registered*	Number of children aged 0-59 months	Birth is not registered because:								Total	Number of children aged 0-59 months without birth registration
			Costs too much	Must travel too far	Didn't know child should be registered	Late, did not want to pay fine	Didn't know where to register	Other	Don't know	Missing		
Sex												
Male	56.8	3346	10.7	13.6	28.5	7.0	21.6	11.4	6.4	.8	100.0	522
Female	53.2	3197	9.3	15.4	27.1	6.5	24.1	9.5	6.2	1.8	100.0	511
LGA												
Banjul	76.9	196	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	11
Kanifing	54.9	1508	2.6	4.5	14.2	5.2	32.9	20.0	18.1	2.6	100.0	164
Brikama	55.8	1425	15.4	16.8	5.4	2.4	25.3	22.5	8.6	3.6	100.0	134
Mansakonko	86.4	406	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	16
Kerewan	48.0	826	6.8	28.9	8.7	6.8	6.0	23.9	18.0	.8	100.0	112
Kuntaur	52.5	502	25.0	21.1	16.4	15.6	14.1	6.3	.0	1.6	100.0	147
Janjangbureh	62.2	682	18.4	32.9	22.4	.0	22.4	3.9	.0	.0	100.0	69
Basse	39.4	999	4.1	8.1	53.1	7.2	25.5	1.1	.7	.2	100.0	379
Residence												
Urban	57.1	2303	4.3	5.9	15.5	5.0	31.9	17.2	17.5	2.6	100.0	221
Rural	53.9	4240	11.6	16.8	31.2	7.2	20.4	8.6	3.2	.9	100.0	812
Age												
0-11 months	40.0	1547	8.1	14.9	25.3	6.0	22.8	14.6	6.6	1.7	100.0	290
12-23 months	55.5	1486	12.0	14.1	24.2	9.2	23.1	10.1	6.1	1.2	100.0	239
24-35 months	59.2	1369	9.7	13.0	33.4	4.9	24.5	8.5	4.9	1.0	100.0	202
36-47 months	62.1	1247	11.7	15.1	25.2	9.3	20.4	8.9	8.1	1.2	100.0	182
48-59 months	64.2	893	8.6	15.9	35.8	3.2	23.2	6.9	5.6	.9	100.0	120
Mother's education												
None	53.6	4923	9.7	14.5	29.9	6.9	23.7	9.3	5.0	1.1	100.0	901
Primary	58.6	710	14.2	16.9	17.1	6.9	20.6	14.2	10.1	.0	100.0	69
Secondary +	60.2	911	9.9	12.3	9.8	5.1	13.5	23.7	20.6	5.1	100.0	63
Wealth index quintiles												
Poorest	52.1	1532	18.7	21.0	22.1	8.8	20.1	7.2	1.4	.7	100.0	330
Second	58.7	1337	8.6	20.4	20.9	8.1	15.6	15.3	10.6	.4	100.0	180
Middle	50.6	1344	6.6	12.1	37.7	5.0	21.5	11.1	4.0	1.9	100.0	256
Fourth	51.5	1248	3.7	6.0	37.3	4.5	29.6	8.8	9.2	1.0	100.0	192
Richest	64.3	1082	2.9	1.4	11.4	6.5	39.7	15.6	18.1	4.3	100.0	74
Ethnicity												
Mandinka	59.3	2254	8.3	16.4	16.1	11.3	26.6	13.4	6.8	1.2	100.0	244
Wollof	60.2	870	21.5	16.3	10.9	7.1	15.7	12.8	10.8	4.9	100.0	103
Fula	48.5	1494	14.7	17.2	23.5	7.1	22.8	9.7	4.3	.7	100.0	306
Jola	59.5	596	5.2	19.7	10.5	5.2	13.5	31.4	12.7	1.7	100.0	62
Serer	52.7	212	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	18
Other ethnic group	49.2	1117	4.3	9.0	51.8	3.3	23.7	3.8	3.4	.6	100.0	300
Total	55.1	6543	10.0	14.5	27.8	6.8	22.8	10.5	6.3	1.3	100.0	1033

* MICS indicator 62

Table CP2: Child labour

Percentage of children aged 5-14 who are involved in child labour activities by type of work,
The Gambia, 2006

	Male		Household chores for 28+ hours/ week	Working for family business	Total child labour*	Number of children aged 5-14
	Paid work	Unpaid work				
Sex						
Male	.7	2.9	1.0	17.5	20.4	6467
Female	.4	3.6	2.6	24.4	28.7	6942
LGA						
Banjul	.4	.0	5.9	7.4	11.5	313
Kanifing	.9	3.0	3.2	8.6	12.9	2848
Brikama	.6	.6	2.9	18.3	20.8	3436
Mansakonko	.9	8.2	1.8	26.1	32.4	1064
Kerewan	.2	1.7	.3	35.3	36.1	1718
Kuntaur	1.0	2.4	.0	23.4	25.6	994
Janjangbureh	.2	12.7	.7	22.0	32.5	1201
Basse	.1	2.2	.3	30.2	31.8	1836
Residence						
Urban	.7	2.8	2.9	12.9	16.9	4482
Rural	.5	3.6	1.3	25.2	28.6	8928
Age						
5-11 years	.5	4.2	1.0	26.7	29.5	9567
12-14 years	.6	1.1	3.9	7.2	12.8	3842
School participation						
Yes	.5	3.6	2.2	20.3	24.2	8815
No	.6	2.7	1.1	22.7	25.6	4594
Mother's education						
None	.5	3.3	1.6	22.7	26.1	10993
Primary	.6	3.6	2.8	16.9	21.4	1056
Secondary +	.7	2.5	2.8	11.9	16.1	1360
Wealth index quintiles						
Poorest	.5	5.0	1.2	29.3	33.7	2965
Second	.5	3.6	1.8	26.1	29.1	2931
Middle	.8	2.9	1.4	20.9	24.6	2718
Fourth	.5	2.7	1.9	17.8	21.1	2572
Richest	.4	1.6	3.2	7.7	11.3	2223
Ethnicity						
Mandinka	.7	3.9	1.9	21.3	25.2	4861
Wollof	.4	3.7	1.3	20.3	24.0	1692
Fula	.5	3.2	1.6	23.0	26.3	2667
Jola	.8	1.5	3.1	20.5	24.0	1382
Serer	.0	2.2	3.5	11.3	15.0	431
Other ethnic group	.5	3.0	1.3	21.2	24.7	2376
Total	.6	3.3	1.8	21.1	24.7	13409

* MICS indicator 71

Table CP3: Labourer students and student labourers

Percentage of children aged 5-14 who are labourer students and student labourers,
The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of children in child labour*	Percentage of children attending school***	Number of children 5-14 years of age	Percentage of child labourers who are also attending school**	Number of child labourers aged 5-14	Percentage of students who are also involved in child labour****	Number of students aged 5-14
Sex							
Male	20.4	66.9	6467	65.8	1320	20.1	4327
Female	28.7	64.7	6942	63.6	1993	28.3	4488
LGA							
Banjul	11.5	84.4	313	(87.1)	36	11.8	264
Kanifing	12.9	81.1	2848	81.4	368	13.0	2310
Brikama	20.8	76.7	3436	85.0	716	23.1	2637
Mansakonko	32.4	76.7	1064	82.9	345	35.0	817
Kerewan	36.1	45.3	1718	42.7	620	33.9	779
Kuntaur	25.6	37.5	994	38.3	254	26.2	373
Janjangbureh	32.5	67.1	1201	76.1	390	36.8	805
Basse	31.8	45.2	1836	43.4	584	30.5	831
Residence							
Urban	16.9	79.4	4482	80.0	757	17.0	3559
Rural	28.6	58.9	8928	59.9	2556	29.1	5257
Age							
5-9 years	29.5	62.6	9567	63.9	2821	30.1	5988
10-14 years	12.8	73.6	3842	67.9	491	11.8	2827
Mother's education							
None	26.1	61.8	10993	61.7	2867	26.1	6789
Primary	21.4	77.1	1056	79.3	226	22.1	814
Secondary +	16.1	89.1	1360	85.9	219	15.5	1212
Wealth index quintiles							
Poorest	33.7	47.8	2965	50.1	999	35.2	1419
Second	29.1	63.0	2931	66.3	854	30.7	1846
Middle	24.6	63.9	2718	67.3	669	25.9	1736
Fourth	21.1	74.0	2572	74.7	542	21.3	1904
Richest	11.3	85.9	2223	86.2	251	11.3	1911
Ethnicity							
Mandinka	25.2	68.4	4861	72.5	1223	26.7	3325
Wolof	24.0	54.9	1692	43.0	406	18.8	928
Fula	26.3	55.7	2667	53.3	701	25.1	1486
Jola	24.0	82.0	1382	85.8	332	25.1	1134
Serer	15.0	75.3	431	72.7	65	14.5	325
Other ethnic group	24.7	68.1	2376	63.1	586	22.9	1617
Total	24.7	65.7	13409	64.5	3313	24.2	8815

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Table CP4: Child discipline

Percentage of children aged 2-14 according to method of disciplining the child
The Gambia, 2006.

	Percentage of children aged 2-14 who experience:							Mother/care-taker believes that the child needs to be physically punished	Number of children aged 2-14 years**
	Only non-violent discipline	Psychological punishment	Minor physical punishment	Severe physical punishment	Any psychological or physical punishment *	No discipline or punishment	Missing		
Sex									
Male	11.9	73.8	71.7	22.4	83.7	3.7	.8	31.9	2224
Female	10.2	75.3	69.5	20.7	84.7	4.2	.9	30.7	2485
LGA									
Banjul	6.6	81.5	82.8	15.9	92.7	.0	.7	15.9	175
Kanifing	11.4	70.7	71.5	23.1	83.6	3.8	1.2	27.5	1290
Brikama	16.9	69.7	64.9	16.6	78.2	4.1	.8	13.8	1278
Mansakonko	5.6	68.8	73.8	16.2	87.8	5.9	.6	36.4	304
Kerewan	14.7	78.3	70.5	29.0	84.2	.3	.8	40.0	624
Kuntaur	.0	91.4	83.5	30.8	97.4	1.2	1.4	61.3	285
Janjangbureh	8.3	71.7	56.7	13.1	77.2	14.2	.3	43.0	327
Basse	1.5	88.0	79.5	27.1	94.9	3.4	.2	55.6	425
Residence									
Urban	11.4	72.8	71.4	20.0	84.4	3.1	1.1	27.4	2010
Rural	10.7	75.9	70.0	22.7	84.1	4.5	.6	34.1	2699
Age									
2-4 years	11.6	67.6	71.3	16.8	80.4	6.7	1.3	29.4	1007
5-9 years	10.0	75.7	73.2	21.9	85.2	3.7	1.0	31.1	1948
10-14 years	11.7	77.3	67.2	23.8	85.3	2.6	.4	32.4	1754
Mother's education									
None	10.4	75.6	71.7	22.8	85.0	3.8	.7	34.2	3615
Primary	9.6	75.3	73.4	22.9	86.1	3.6	.8	25.0	411
Secondary	14.8	68.7	62.6	14.1	78.9	4.9	1.4	19.2	683
Wealth index quintiles									
Poorest	7.1	80.8	71.9	21.7	87.9	4.4	.6	45.3	987
Second	11.3	76.0	71.1	21.7	85.2	2.5	.9	30.9	986
Middle	12.1	72.2	71.1	23.5	82.9	4.2	.9	28.9	933
Fourth	13.1	71.6	70.5	24.1	82.1	4.1	.7	27.1	881
Richest	11.7	71.8	68.0	16.7	82.7	4.6	1.0	22.8	921
Mandinka	10.9	74.9	71.4	22.5	85.2	3.0	.9	31.7	1692
Ethnicity									
Wollof	14.3	72.9	67.4	22.8	80.8	4.2	.7	31.2	598
Fula	10.1	73.3	70.0	19.8	83.4	5.7	.7	33.8	1040
Jola	12.2	72.9	73.0	20.7	84.4	2.6	.7	23.3	551
Serer	12.0	76.2	67.6	20.3	84.3	2.7	1.0	25.0	196
Other ethnic group	8.0	78.5	71.2	21.6	86.0	4.8	1.1	34.6	632
Total	11.0	74.6	70.6	21.5	84.2	3.9	.8	31.2	4709

Table CP5: Early marriage and polygyny

Percentage of women aged 15-49 in marriage or union before their 15th birthday, percentage of women aged 20-49 in marriage or union before their 18th birthday, percentage of women aged 15-19 currently married or in union, and the percentage of married or in union women in a polygynous marriage or union, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage married before age 15*	Number of women aged 15-49	Percentage married before age 18*	Number of women aged 20-49	Percentage of women 15-19 married/in union**	Number of women aged 15-19	Percentage of women aged 15-49 in polygynous marriage/union***	Number of women aged 15-49 currently married/in union
LGA								
Banjul	5.8	324	29.9	242	17.1	81	15.9	169
Kanifing	7.5	2872	31.9	2220	13.1	652	32.9	1613
Brikama	9.5	2549	43.1	1930	16.5	619	37.2	1661
Mansakonko	12.8	531	58.3	407	25.6	124	51.4	390
Kerewan	18.4	1012	47.6	813	33.6	199	48.9	803
Kuntaur	14.1	547	73.5	416	44.1	131	52.5	444
Janjangbureh	8.6	891	68.8	684	33.8	206	53.6	696
Basse	8.4	1258	74.8	988	53.5	270	56.9	1064
Residence								
Urban	8.1	4251	35.9	3255	15.3	996	33.5	2471
Rural	11.2	5731	58.1	4444	32.6	1286	49.3	4368
Age								
15-19	4.8	2282	.	0	25.1	2282	24.2	572
20-24	7.3	2023	35.9	2023	.	0	28.4	1292
25-29	10.5	1915	47.2	1915	.	0	38.0	1597
30-34	15.5	1352	57.2	1352	.	0	48.8	1226
35-39	12.3	1047	53.6	1047	.	0	55.0	948
40-44	15.4	822	60.3	822	.	0	61.5	733
45-49	12.0	540	53.3	540	.	0	63.0	471
Education								
None	13.6	6083	58.9	5276	50.5	807	48.3	5133
Primary	8.3	1173	48.1	796	23.6	376	35.7	717
Secondary +	2.4	2726	15.8	1627	6.9	1099	24.5	989
Wealth index quintiles								
Poorest	12.9	1707	65.9	1369	38.9	338	45.0	1401
Second	11.0	1896	54.6	1462	26.6	434	49.4	1378
Middle	12.0	2012	53.0	1550	27.7	462	44.1	1446
Fourth	8.9	2139	46.0	1594	26.6	545	44.1	1419
Richest	5.8	2228	28.7	1724	10.4	504	33.9	1195
Ethnicity								
Mandinka	8.9	3514	46.3	2647	19.5	867	45.7	2327
Wolof	9.3	1295	44.4	1029	20.7	266	45.4	889
Fula	15.0	1985	64.4	1530	43.1	455	38.6	1540
Jola	6.2	1086	32.8	844	10.5	243	40.9	646
Serer	9.4	386	31.5	307	6.6	79	24.7	213
Other ethnic group	9.1	1716	52.8	1342	32.3	373	49.1	1223
Total	9.9	9982	48.7	7700	25.1	2282	43.6	6839

* MICS indicator 67

** MICS indicator 68

*** MICS indicator 70

Table CP6: Spousal age difference

Percentage distribution of currently married/in union women aged 15-19 and 20-24 according to the age difference with their husband or partner, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of currently married/in union women aged 15-19 whose husband or partner is:					Number of women aged 15-19 currently married/ in union	Percentage of currently married/in union women aged 20-24 whose husband or partner is:						Number of women aged 20-24 currently married/ in union
	0-4 years older	5-9 years older	10+ years older*	Husband/ partner's age unknown	Total		Younger	0-4 years older	5-9 years older	10+ years older	Hus-band/ partner's age unknown	Total	
LGA													
Banjul	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	14	(.0)	(6.5)	(29.0)	(58.1)	(6.5)	(100.0)	31
Kanifing	1.2	14.8	67.9	16.0	100.0	85	1.4	8.3	19.9	55.8	14.5	100.0	290
Brikama	3.0	18.0	71.3	7.7	100.0	102	.4	6.1	22.4	65.5	5.7	100.0	320
Mansakonko	(9.1)	(29.6)	(46.8)	(14.5)	(100.0)	32	1.5	7.3	26.7	53.2	11.4	100.0	66
Kerewan	5.6	15.3	69.4	9.7	100.0	67	.7	2.1	26.6	67.1	3.5	100.0	133
Kuntaur	5.6	11.1	68.5	14.8	100.0	58	.0	.0	25.4	59.7	14.9	100.0	86
Janjangbureh	4.0	16.0	37.3	42.7	100.0	70	.0	6.6	18.4	47.8	27.2	100.0	126
Basse	2.3	11.6	50.1	36.0	100.0	145	.3	4.9	12.5	43.9	38.4	100.0	240
Residence													
Urban	1.8	15.1	68.1	14.9	100.0	152	.9	6.9	21.7	59.1	11.4	100.0	462
Rural	4.1	15.2	56.3	24.4	100.0	420	.5	5.0	20.0	55.1	19.4	100.0	830
Education													
None	2.5	14.6	61.0	21.8	100.0	408	.7	3.4	18.0	59.0	19.0	100.0	896
Primary	6.9	12.0	56.5	24.6	100.0	89	.0	6.4	22.8	57.0	13.8	100.0	165
Secondary +	4.9	22.0	54.4	18.7	100.0	75	.9	14.0	29.4	46.6	9.1	100.0	230
Wealth index quintiles													
Poorest	5.1	14.5	51.5	28.9	100.0	131	.3	3.0	20.3	55.4	21.0	100.0	260
Second	1.7	21.2	59.7	17.3	100.0	115	.9	2.6	24.0	59.7	12.8	100.0	230
Middle	4.3	12.0	55.1	28.6	100.0	128	.0	5.8	21.3	55.3	17.5	100.0	278
Fourth	2.1	13.9	67.3	16.7	100.0	145	.0	7.6	16.8	58.4	17.2	100.0	277
Richest	5.3	15.3	67.4	12.1	100.0	52	2.1	9.0	21.2	54.2	13.5	100.0	247
Ethnicity													
Mandinka	3.5	14.4	60.9	21.2	100.0	169	.5	7.5	22.0	55.3	14.7	100.0	408
Wolof	1.7	19.3	50.8	28.3	100.0	55	.6	5.6	21.2	61.3	11.4	100.0	183
Fula	3.9	15.8	62.6	17.7	100.0	196	.6	4.2	18.3	58.4	18.5	100.0	315
Jola	4.1	19.3	68.0	8.5	100.0	26	.0	4.6	23.5	58.9	13.0	100.0	90
Serer	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	5	(.0)	(2.3)	(40.6)	(54.8)	(2.3)	(100.0)	45
Other ethnic group	3.8	11.6	54.4	30.3	100.0	121	1.2	5.6	16.2	52.1	24.9	100.0	250
Total	3.5	15.2	59.4	21.9	100.0	572	.6	5.7	20.6	56.5	16.6	100.0	1292

Table CP7: Female genital mutilation/cutting (FGM/C)

Percentage of women aged 15-49 who have had any form of female genital mutilation/cutting (FGM/C), type of FGM/C among those who have had FGM/C, the percentage who have had the extreme form of FGM/C (infibulation), and the percentage distribution among women who have heard of FGM/C according to attitudes towards whether the practice of FGM/C should be continued, The Gambia, 2006

	Had any form of FGM/C*	No. of women aged 15-49	Per cent distribution of women who believe the practice of FGM/C should:				Like daughter to be circumcised				Number of women aged 15-49 who have heard of FGM/C
			Continue ***	Be discontinued	Depends on situation	Don't know/ Missing	Yes	No	Don't know	Total	
LGA											
Banjul	44.8	324	31.3	65.6	1.2	1.9	30.7	69.3	.0	100.0	324
Kanifing	70.4	2872	55.5	38.2	4.7	1.6	57.9	41.5	.6	100.0	2872
Brikama	87.0	2549	83.7	15.3	.5	.4	84.0	15.6	.4	100.0	2549
Mansakonko	95.9	531	93.5	4.6	1.4	.5	94.0	5.8	.2	100.0	531
Kerewan	60.8	1012	58.7	27.9	13.0	.4	59.1	40.7	.3	100.0	1012
Kuntaur	68.7	547	63.4	17.7	17.9	1.0	67.6	32.2	.2	100.0	547
Janjangbureh	77.2	891	74.6	18.8	5.3	1.3	75.8	24.2	.0	100.0	891
Basse	99.0	1258	92.2	2.3	3.7	1.8	97.4	2.5	.1	100.0	1258
Residence											
Urban	72.2	4251	59.7	34.4	4.6	1.3	61.5	38.0	.5	100.0	4251
Rural	82.8	5731	79.5	14.5	5.0	.9	81.3	18.5	.2	100.0	5731
Age											
15-19	79.9	2282	72.3	22.1	3.9	1.7	74.4	25.2	.4	100.0	2282
20-24	78.2	2023	69.8	24.2	4.8	1.3	72.1	27.7	.2	100.0	2023
25-29	77.2	1915	69.9	23.7	5.7	.7	71.6	28.0	.4	100.0	1915
30-34	78.4	1352	71.6	23.1	4.7	.7	72.8	26.9	.3	100.0	1352
35-39	79.5	1047	72.2	22.0	5.2	.6	73.5	26.0	.5	100.0	1047
40-44	77.7	822	72.6	21.9	4.6	1.0	73.7	25.9	.5	100.0	822
45-49	74.2	540	69.5	23.6	5.9	.9	71.2	28.5	.2	100.0	540
Education											
None	81.1	6083	76.9	16.4	5.6	1.1	78.8	20.8	.4	100.0	6083
Primary	80.2	1173	71.9	22.5	4.1	1.6	74.3	25.5	.3	100.0	1173
Secondary +	71.2	2726	57.7	37.9	3.5	.8	59.0	40.8	.3	100.0	2726
FGM/C experience											
No FGM/C	.0	2166	3.4	80.2	15.1	1.3	2.7	96.9	.4	100.0	2166
Had FGM/C	100.0	7816	89.1	7.8	2.1	1.0	91.6	8.1	.3	100.0	7816
Wealth index quintiles											
Poorest	75.4	1707	73.2	17.1	8.6	1.1	75.1	24.6	.3	100.0	1707
Second	86.1	1896	82.6	12.9	3.6	.9	83.7	16.0	.3	100.0	1896
Middle	85.9	2012	80.9	14.1	4.2	.8	82.8	16.8	.4	100.0	2012
Fourth	81.6	2139	73.1	21.9	4.1	.9	75.7	24.1	.3	100.0	2139
Richest	63.9	2228	48.7	45.4	4.3	1.6	50.2	49.4	.4	100.0	2228
Ethnic group of head of household											
Mandinka	96.5	3514	89.2	8.4	1.6	.8	90.9	8.7	.4	100.0	3514
Wollof	12.1	1295	10.4	70.7	17.6	1.4	9.7	90.1	.2	100.0	1295
Fula	87.8	1985	79.5	14.9	4.3	1.3	82.4	17.2	.3	100.0	1985
Jola	90.8	1086	80.7	15.5	2.8	1.0	82.9	16.7	.4	100.0	1086
Serer	45.5	386	32.6	59.5	6.5	1.4	33.6	65.9	.5	100.0	386
Other ethnic group	79.5	1716	71.2	23.9	3.7	1.1	73.7	26.0	.3	100.0	1716
Total	78.3	9982	71.1	23.0	4.8	1.1	72.9	26.8	.3	100.0	9982

* MICS indicator 63

*** MICS indicator 66

Table CP8: Female genital mutilation/cutting (FGM/C)

Percentage of women with at least one living daughter who has had female genital mutilation (FGM/C) , The Gambia, 2006

	Daughter had any form of FGM/C *	Number of women aged 15-49 years
LGA		
Banjul	30.1	135
Kanifing	54.4	1364
Brikama	67.6	1290
Mansakonko	79.4	306
Kerewan	47.2	615
Kuntaur	57.1	335
Janjangbureh	68.1	546
Basse	91.4	747
Residence		
Urban	55.9	2023
Rural	69.4	3314
Age		
15-19	39.4	173
20-24	43.2	740
25-29	59.1	1229
30-34	69.4	1084
35-39	74.1	908
40-44	75.7	732
45-49	72.1	471
Mother's education		
None	69.5	4038
Primary	57.7	538
Secondary	41.3	761
Wealth index quintiles		
Poorest	61.3	1097
Second	72.3	1116
Middle	71.2	1079
Fourth	67.2	1080
Richest	47.5	964
Ethnic group of head of household		
Mandinka	81.6	1846
Wolof	7.1	722
Fula	71.7	1122
Jola	68.4	545
Serer	24.4	196
Other ethnic group	71.7	905
Total	64.3	5337

* MICS indicator 65

Table CP9: Attitudes towards domestic violence

Percentage of women aged 15-49 who believe a husband is justified in beating his wife/partner in various circumstances, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of women aged 15-49 who believe a husband is justified in beating his wife/partner:						Number of women aged 15-49
	When she goes out without telling him	When she neglects the children	When she argues with him	When she refuses sex with him	When she burns the food	For any of these reasons*	
LGA							
Banjul	26.4	35.3	16.3	32.8	8.0	48.2	324
Kanifing	34.7	35.5	20.9	42.5	8.9	58.8	2872
Brikama	60.7	57.1	40.7	60.5	18.3	74.2	2549
Mansakonko	55.8	49.4	39.3	59.3	18.2	76.6	531
Kerewan	69.6	58.8	55.7	71.1	21.7	82.6	1012
Kuntaur	78.6	62.4	48.7	93.3	19.1	96.9	547
Janjangbureh	56.7	51.6	33.3	65.1	17.8	72.8	891
Basse	89.3	82.9	56.1	91.5	21.1	97.3	1258
Residence							
Urban	40.3	39.5	24.5	46.8	9.9	62.4	4251
Rural	69.3	62.9	46.9	72.5	20.5	82.5	5731
Age							
15-19	55.0	51.0	37.0	55.8	16.3	71.1	2282
20-24	55.0	51.0	34.4	58.9	15.7	72.6	2023
25-29	56.2	52.6	36.8	62.8	14.9	75.2	1915
30-34	58.2	53.9	37.9	62.4	15.5	73.8	1352
35-39	59.7	55.0	39.3	66.5	16.2	75.6	1047
40-44	61.0	57.3	40.5	70.1	18.2	79.0	822
45-49	61.1	56.9	42.9	66.7	16.4	76.2	540
Marital/Union status							
Currently married/in union	62.4	57.4	41.3	67.8	17.2	78.5	6839
Formerly married/in union	47.9	45.5	29.5	58.5	13.2	69.1	459
Never married/in union	44.6	42.9	28.5	46.1	13.3	63.2	2671
Education							
None	66.6	60.0	44.7	71.8	18.2	81.7	6083
Primary	55.1	52.0	34.3	59.3	15.9	73.9	1173
Secondary +	36.4	37.6	22.4	39.6	10.9	56.8	2726
Wealth index quintiles							
Poorest	72.6	64.4	51.4	79.4	24.3	86.1	1707
Second	68.7	61.4	47.8	72.0	21.3	81.9	1896
Middle	63.9	58.2	41.2	64.7	15.5	79.3	2012
Fourth	55.6	51.3	34.7	60.4	13.4	74.4	2139
Richest	30.2	34.0	16.9	37.2	7.9	52.7	2228
Ethnic group of head of household							
Mandinka	59.4	55.0	39.4	63.2	15.8	76.6	3514
Wollof	46.9	43.7	32.3	55.6	15.8	66.8	1295
Fula	63.7	57.5	40.2	68.8	17.0	78.9	1985
Jola	51.6	47.9	35.1	52.5	18.4	68.6	1086
Serer	38.0	41.6	23.0	45.1	11.6	61.2	386
Other ethnic group	59.7	56.4	38.5	63.8	14.5	74.5	1716
Total	57.0	53.0	37.4	61.6	16.0	74.0	9982

* MICS indicator 100

Table HA.1: Knowledge of preventing HIV transmission

Percentage of women aged 15-49 who know the main ways of preventing HIV transmission, The Gambia, 2006

	Heard of AIDS	Percentage who know trans- mission can be prevented by:			Abstaining from sex	Knows at least one way	Doesn't know any way	Number of women
		Having only one faithful unin- fected sex partner	Using a condom every time	Abstaining from sex				
LGA								
Banjul	98.2	71.8	83.4	82.8	55.8	94.8	5.2	324
Kanifing	98.8	86.4	79.3	67.8	53.1	95.3	4.7	2872
Brikama	99.9	97.2	85.2	85.6	78.6	98.3	1.7	2549
Mansakonko	99.3	84.2	72.2	70.7	53.1	93.7	6.3	531
Kerewan	100.0	97.6	94.8	69.3	66.2	99.5	.5	1012
Kuntaur	98.8	91.0	82.6	76.1	67.6	96.0	4.0	547
Janjangbureh	99.3	92.5	72.7	84.5	61.6	97.8	2.2	891
Basse	98.9	95.4	84.4	83.7	72.8	96.9	3.1	1258
Residence								
Urban	99.0	87.0	81.4	71.8	57.7	95.8	4.2	4251
Rural	99.4	95.1	83.1	81.0	70.5	97.7	2.3	5731
Age								
15-19	98.7	89.9	80.1	76.0	63.3	95.4	4.6	2282
20-24	99.3	91.6	83.6	77.2	65.4	97.4	2.6	2023
25-29	99.5	92.0	83.7	77.6	65.1	97.8	2.2	1915
30-34	99.5	93.2	84.5	77.7	67.9	97.2	2.8	1352
35-39	99.5	92.2	83.4	77.5	65.6	97.3	2.7	1047
40-44	99.2	91.6	80.9	77.1	65.8	95.9	4.1	822
45-49	99.3	93.2	77.9	77.4	61.5	98.0	2.0	540
Education								
None	98.9	91.8	80.8	76.7	64.6	96.1	3.9	6083
Primary	99.4	90.5	81.2	81.1	66.0	97.5	2.5	1173
Secondary +	100.0	91.7	86.5	76.3	65.7	98.4	1.6	2726
Wealth index quintiles								
Poorest	99.0	93.0	80.3	80.6	67.0	96.9	3.1	1707
Second	99.3	95.0	84.6	79.4	71.0	97.4	2.6	1896
Middle	99.3	93.4	81.6	78.0	66.8	97.1	2.9	2012
Fourth	99.3	91.7	81.7	76.8	64.2	96.6	3.4	2139
Richest	99.4	86.1	83.5	71.9	57.8	96.5	3.5	2228
Ethnic group of head of household								
Mandinka	99.8	93.3	85.3	78.4	68.2	97.8	2.2	3514
Wollof	99.2	90.9	80.9	73.9	59.9	97.7	2.3	1295
Fula	98.3	90.1	78.5	76.6	63.8	95.2	4.8	1985
Jola	99.4	93.1	84.5	77.8	69.0	97.3	2.7	1086
Serer	99.5	88.5	88.4	75.2	63.2	97.1	2.9	386
Other ethnic group	99.0	90.3	79.4	77.4	62.0	95.9	4.1	1716
Total	99.2	91.6	82.4	77.1	65.1	96.9	3.1	9982

Table HA.2: Identifying misconceptions about HIV/AIDS

Percentage of women aged 15-49 who correctly identify misconceptions about HIV/AIDS,
The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage who know that:			Reject two most common misconceptions and know a healthy-looking person can be infected	Percentage who know that:		Number of women
	HIV cannot be transmitted by:		A healthy looking person can be infected		HIV cannot be transmitted by sharing food	HIV can be transmitted by sharing needles	
	HIV cannot be transmitted by mosquito bites	HIV cannot be transmitted by supernatural means					
LGA							
Banjul	65.0	71.5	79.8	51.5	81.6	92.9	324
Kanifing	67.9	77.6	77.8	51.6	79.8	91.5	2872
Brikama	73.0	83.9	75.5	54.5	85.1	97.4	2549
Mansakonko	65.8	78.8	61.6	43.1	71.9	94.4	531
Kerewan	64.4	84.0	75.3	49.0	74.3	96.6	1012
Kuntaur	49.6	58.9	70.4	33.9	60.6	94.7	547
Janjangbureh	47.8	65.0	60.8	28.2	61.0	94.2	891
Basse	40.6	49.0	70.5	23.6	58.4	93.2	1258
Residence							
Urban	68.6	65.0	76.9	51.3	80.0	92.9	4251
Rural	57.8	71.2	70.7	40.4	71.0	95.4	5731
Age							
15-19	66.9	74.0	69.8	47.0	76.3	92.6	2282
20-24	62.4	73.5	72.4	43.7	76.4	95.1	2023
25-29	61.5	74.5	76.3	45.8	74.5	94.5	1915
30-34	62.4	75.5	75.4	46.2	75.9	95.8	1352
35-39	59.7	73.7	76.7	43.9	73.7	94.2	1047
40-44	60.2	73.3	71.9	44.3	73.0	94.9	822
45-49	55.0	71.1	72.0	39.3	66.1	94.3	540
Education							
None	53.9	68.3	69.7	37.3	67.8	93.5	6083
Primary	61.5	69.5	71.3	41.3	74.9	94.6	1173
Secondary +	81.7	88.5	82.4	64.0	90.5	96.1	2726
Wealth index quintiles							
Poorest	48.9	64.6	65.9	32.4	63.3	94.2	1707
Second	60.6	74.3	69.4	41.8	73.3	96.1	1896
Middle	61.9	72.2	71.6	42.5	73.0	93.7	2012
Fourth	65.4	76.2	76.0	48.7	77.0	94.4	2139
Richest	72.0	80.2	81.4	56.3	84.5	93.4	2228
Ethnic group of head of household							
Mandinka	66.0	78.1	74.8	47.5	77.6	96.0	3514
Wollof	62.3	75.2	77.6	47.7	76.7	95.6	1295
Fula	57.8	68.3	68.5	40.0	68.4	92.0	1985
Jola	68.7	79.9	72.6	50.0	79.7	94.7	1086
Serer	73.3	84.0	79.1	57.6	88.1	94.9	386
Other ethnic group	54.0	65.0	72.0	38.0	69.0	92.3	1716
Total	62.4	74.0	73.4	45.0	74.8	94.3	9982

Table HA.3: Comprehensive knowledge of HIV/AIDS transmission

Percentage of women aged 15-49 who have comprehensive knowledge of HIV/AIDS transmission, The Gambia, 2006

	Know 2 ways to prevent HIV transmission	Correctly identify 3 misconceptions of HIV transmission	Have comprehensive knowledge (identify 2 prevention methods and 3 misconceptions)*	Number of women
LGA				
Banjul	62.3	51.5	37.4	324
Kanifing	71.7	51.6	40.9	2872
Brikama	84.4	54.5	50.1	2549
Mansakonko	65.8	43.1	32.9	531
Kerewan	93.0	49.0	46.8	1012
Kuntaur	78.8	33.9	32.1	547
Janjangbureh	70.1	28.2	24.4	891
Basse	83.4	23.6	23.2	1258
Residence				
Urban	74.0	51.3	41.9	4251
Rural	81.3	40.4	37.1	5731
Age				
15-19	75.8	47.0	39.9	2282
20-24	78.7	43.7	38.5	2023
15-24	77.2	45.5	39.3	4306
25-29	78.9	45.8	39.7	1915
30-34	81.4	46.2	40.3	1352
35-39	79.5	43.9	38.4	1047
40-44	77.5	44.3	38.6	822
45-49	74.3	39.3	35.3	540
Education				
None	77.5	37.3	33.0	6083
Primary	76.3	41.3	35.1	1173
Secondary +	80.5	64.0	54.5	2726
Wealth index quintiles				
Poorest	77.8	32.4	30.2	1707
Second	82.9	41.8	38.5	1896
Middle	78.9	42.5	37.4	2012
Fourth	77.8	48.7	41.6	2139
Richest	74.2	56.3	45.7	2228
Ethnic group of head of household				
Mandinka	81.6	47.5	41.5	3514
Wolof	75.5	47.7	40.1	1295
Fula	75.0	40.0	35.5	1985
Jola	80.7	50.0	43.1	1086
Serer	80.1	57.6	49.2	386
Other ethnic group	75.0	38.0	33.0	1716
Total	78.2	45.0	39.1	9982

* MICS indicator 82; MDG indicator 19b

Table HA.4: Knowledge of mother-to-child HIV transmission

Percentage of women aged 15-49 who correctly identify means of HIV transmission from mother to child, The Gambia, 2006

	Know AIDS can be trans- mitted from mother to child	Percentage who know AIDS can be transmitted:				Did not know any specific way	Number of women
		During pregnancy	At delivery	Through breast milk	All three ways*		
LGA							
Banjul	89.3	85.0	73.0	61.0	54.3	8.9	324
Kanifing	92.1	85.1	76.1	63.0	52.9	6.7	2872
Brikama	96.7	93.4	87.7	83.8	77.5	3.1	2549
Mansakonko	94.2	87.3	85.6	82.3	72.7	5.1	531
Kerewan	98.2	94.8	88.3	87.8	78.0	1.8	1012
Kuntaur	94.9	86.8	79.3	65.8	56.9	3.9	547
Janjangbureh	93.4	86.0	84.2	83.7	73.7	5.8	891
Basse	93.2	85.0	83.3	75.6	67.2	5.6	1258
Residence							
Urban	93.3	86.9	78.9	68.2	58.6	5.8	4251
Rural	95.1	89.6	85.2	80.7	72.7	4.3	5731
Age							
15-19	91.6	84.8	76.7	70.8	60.6	7.1	2282
20-24	94.7	88.5	82.3	75.2	66.2	4.6	2023
25-29	95.1	89.2	84.4	75.5	66.9	4.4	1915
30-34	95.4	90.1	84.9	77.4	69.2	4.0	1352
35-39	95.7	90.2	84.8	77.8	69.9	3.8	1047
40-44	95.1	90.6	85.5	79.0	71.7	4.1	822
45-49	95.2	90.6	85.7	79.6	73.1	4.1	540
Education							
None	93.4	87.6	81.9	77.5	68.6	5.5	6083
Primary	93.3	86.6	80.7	75.8	66.2	6.1	1173
Secondary +	97.0	91.2	84.6	70.4	62.6	3.0	2726
Wealth index quintiles							
Poorest	94.2	87.9	83.6	81.7	72.7	4.9	1707
Second	95.8	90.8	86.4	82.6	74.7	3.5	1896
Middle	93.5	87.8	81.5	77.7	68.1	5.8	2012
Fourth	94.6	88.9	82.1	72.6	64.5	4.7	2139
Richest	93.7	87.2	79.6	64.9	56.1	5.6	2228
Ethnic group of head of household							
Mandinka	96.5	90.6	85.9	78.5	70.2	3.3	3514
Wollof	94.4	88.9	81.5	70.0	62.1	4.8	1295
Fula	92.0	84.7	78.8	75.1	63.9	6.3	1985
Jola	94.4	90.3	82.6	78.5	70.7	5.0	1086
Serer	95.5	91.8	82.9	73.5	66.3	4.0	386
Other ethnic group	92.2	86.2	80.6	71.8	63.7	6.8	1716
Total	94.3	88.5	82.5	75.4	66.7	4.9	9982

* MICS indicator 89

Table HA.5: Attitudes towards people living with HIV/AIDS

Percentage of women aged 15-49 who have heard of AIDS and who express a discriminatory attitude towards people living with HIV/AIDS, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of women who:						Number of women who have heard of AIDS
	Would not care for a family member who was ill with AIDS	If a family member had HIV would want to keep it a secret	Believe that a teacher with HIV should not be allowed to work	Would not buy food from a person with HIV/AIDS	Agree with at least one discriminatory statement	Agree with none of the discriminatory statements*	
LGA							
Banjul	4.4	71.6	22.8	36.3	86.9	13.1	318
Kanifing	5.0	66.3	21.5	34.8	82.3	17.7	2837
Brikama	4.8	66.0	30.5	44.3	85.8	14.2	2545
Mansakonko	8.0	39.6	45.2	53.3	78.0	22.0	527
Kerewan	11.0	62.5	44.7	57.3	86.6	13.4	1012
Kuntaur	6.6	47.4	53.1	58.1	75.3	24.7	541
Janjangbureh	26.9	26.8	53.6	73.7	85.1	14.9	884
Basse	23.1	29.7	53.5	74.9	84.1	15.9	1244
Residence							
Urban	5.2	62.8	24.4	38.1	81.5	18.5	4210
Rural	13.6	49.9	44.7	59.4	85.3	14.7	5697
Age							
15-19	11.1	56.0	32.7	47.6	83.0	17.0	2253
20-24	10.2	55.7	34.1	49.7	83.0	17.0	2010
25-29	9.5	56.6	34.6	51.2	83.9	16.1	1906
30-34	9.7	55.4	37.3	49.8	83.8	16.2	1345
35-39	9.0	53.1	39.3	53.2	83.9	16.1	1042
40-44	9.4	53.4	42.0	50.6	83.7	16.3	815
45-49	10.4	55.4	45.1	56.6	86.8	13.2	537
Education							
None	12.8	51.3	45.3	59.5	85.5	14.5	6017
Primary	9.4	59.6	34.0	49.3	85.5	14.5	1166
Secondary +	4.1	62.7	16.8	30.5	78.9	21.1	2725
Wealth index quintiles							
Poorest	17.5	44.1	55.1	68.3	86.3	13.7	1691
Second	10.6	54.1	44.8	60.2	86.2	13.8	1883
Middle	12.0	52.9	37.2	53.7	83.2	16.8	1997
Fourth	7.7	57.1	30.6	43.4	82.6	17.4	2123
Richest	4.4	65.9	18.5	32.0	80.9	19.1	2214
Ethnic group of head of household							
Mandinka	7.3	56.5	33.5	46.8	82.3	17.7	3508
Wollof	9.7	61.8	35.8	49.3	84.4	15.6	1285
Fula	14.8	49.1	42.5	58.2	84.6	15.4	1952
Jola	4.4	66.2	32.6	44.2	85.6	14.4	1080
Serer	3.6	73.1	20.4	32.0	85.4	14.6	384
Other ethnic group	15.5	44.9	40.1	57.5	83.1	16.9	1698
Total	10.0	55.4	36.1	50.3	83.7	16.3	9907

* MICS indicator 86

Table HA.6: Knowledge of a facility for HIV testing

Percentage of women aged 15-49 who know where to get an HIV test, percentage of women who have been tested and of those tested the percentage who have been told the result, The Gambia, 2006

	Know a place to get tested*	Have been tested**	Number of women	If tested, have been told result	Number of women who have been tested for HIV
LGA					
Banjul	69.6	9.2	324	(96.7)	30
Kanifing	65.1	18.3	2872	86.2	526
Brikama	66.1	18.8	2549	95.4	480
Mansakonko	52.6	7.2	531	(87.8)	38
Kerewan	41.4	13.9	1012	85.5	141
Kuntaur	26.9	5.7	547	(74.8)	31
Janjangbureh	43.3	7.8	891	78.7	70
Basse	35.8	3.6	1258	(76.2)	46
Residence					
Urban	63.8	16.6	4251	87.4	706
Rural	48.0	11.4	5731	90.0	656
Age					
15-19	50.2	6.5	2282	84.9	147
20-24	58.4	15.3	2023	87.8	310
25-29	57.8	18.0	1915	90.3	345
30-34	57.5	17.2	1352	88.7	232
35-39	54.5	15.6	1047	88.7	164
40-44	50.5	13.5	822	92.0	111
45-49	48.8	9.7	540	86.2	52
Education					
None	45.6	12.2	6083	88.7	742
Primary	57.2	14.0	1173	90.2	164
Secondary +	73.9	16.7	2726	88.0	456
Wealth index quintiles					
Poorest	36.0	9.4	1707	88.6	160
Second	50.2	13.3	1896	92.9	252
Middle	52.3	11.9	2012	86.9	239
Fourth	57.7	12.9	2139	88.4	276
Richest	72.2	19.5	2228	87.3	434
Ethnic group of head of household					
Mandinka	58.1	13.1	3514	88.5	460
Wolof	54.1	14.7	1295	83.3	191
Fula	46.0	12.2	1985	89.9	242
Jola	65.4	18.6	1086	92.1	202
Serer	67.0	16.5	386	92.1	64
Other ethnic group	48.6	11.8	1716	87.9	203
Total	54.7	13.6	9982	88.7	1361

* MICS indicator 87

** MICS indicator 88

Table HA.7: HIV testing and counselling coverage during antenatal care

Percentage of women aged 15-49 who gave birth in the two years preceding the survey and who were offered HIV testing and counselling with their antenatal care, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of women who:				Number of women who gave birth in the 2 years preceding the survey
	Received antenatal care from a health care professional for last pregnancy	Were provided information of HIV prevention during ANC visit*	Were tested for HIV at ANC visit	Received results of HIV test at ANC visit**	
LGA					
Banjul	100.0	13.2	6.6	6.6	75
Kanifing	97.1	38.0	29.2	26.2	694
Brikama	98.5	58.0	39.4	38.4	750
Mansakonko	97.2	38.8	12.4	10.1	167
Kerewan	95.8	68.5	29.6	24.9	377
Kuntaur	96.3	41.6	9.0	6.6	232
Janjangbureh	98.8	32.4	9.8	7.1	313
Basse	98.9	35.5	4.3	3.6	463
Residence					
Urban	97.5	39.7	28.6	25.9	1037
Rural	97.9	48.3	20.2	18.2	2033
Age					
15-19	96.0	36.0	23.2	21.0	275
20-24	96.8	41.6	22.4	19.9	810
25-29	98.8	44.4	23.1	20.8	857
30-34	98.4	48.2	23.6	21.5	568
35-49	97.7	54.1	23.2	21.5	559
Education					
None	97.8	44.6	20.4	18.6	2229
Primary	97.7	47.4	25.6	22.2	352
Secondary +	97.5	47.5	33.1	30.2	489
Wealth index quintiles					
Poorest	97.6	46.8	15.9	13.8	684
Second	97.5	50.7	25.5	23.7	647
Middle	97.7	44.2	21.3	19.4	650
Fourth	97.8	44.7	24.6	22.4	600
Richest	98.3	38.8	30.2	26.9	488
Ethnic group of head of household					
Mandinka	98.2	49.1	23.7	21.3	1048
Wollof	96.6	49.9	22.5	19.7	384
Fula	97.1	38.3	21.6	19.5	706
Jola	98.9	53.4	34.3	33.2	302
Serer	97.4	50.1	28.5	26.9	117
Other ethnic group	98.1	38.3	16.1	13.9	512
Total	97.8	45.4	23.0	20.8	3070

* MICS indicator 90

** MICS indicator 91

Table HA.8: Sexual behaviour that increases risk of HIV infection

Percentage of young women aged 15-19 who had sex before age 15, percentage of young women aged 20-24 who had sex before age 18, and percentage of young women aged 15-24 who had sex with a man 10 or more years older, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of women aged 15-19 who had sex before age 15*	Number of women aged 15-19	Percentage of women aged 20-24 who had sex before age 18	Number of women aged 20-24	Percentage who had sex in the 12 months preceding the survey with a man 10 or more years older**	Number of women who had sex in the 12 months preceding the survey
LGA						
Banjul	.0	81	26.0	72	48.0	50
Kanifing	2.1	652	27.5	616	46.2	462
Brikama	4.2	619	33.0	535	57.9	478
Mansakonko	3.9	124	48.3	83	45.6	95
Kerewan	5.1	199	47.9	176	61.2	208
Kuntaur	9.0	131	61.7	104	59.1	127
Janjangbureh	4.1	206	48.5	157	40.7	185
Basse	5.6	270	68.0	278	47.0	331
Residence						
Urban	2.0	996	30.4	910	49.3	729
Rural	5.5	1286	48.7	1113	52.3	1207
Age						
15-19	3.9	2282	.	.	52.0	594
20-24	.	.	40.5	2023	50.8	1342
Education						
None	8.3	807	54.5	1100	57.0	1239
Primary	3.1	376	44.7	249	49.1	272
Secondary +	1.0	1099	16.1	675	35.6	425
Wealth index quintiles						
Poorest	5.8	338	57.5	312	50.0	369
Second	3.3	434	48.4	327	54.0	370
Middle	6.0	462	44.1	408	51.1	400
Fourth	3.8	545	40.6	442	54.3	450
Richest	1.6	504	22.9	534	45.4	346
Ethnic group of head of household						
Mandinka	2.2	867	32.1	682	49.9	600
Wolof	2.2	266	34.4	282	55.0	244
Fula	9.3	455	55.8	415	55.9	504
Jola	3.3	243	34.1	195	43.8	168
Serer	1.2	79	28.9	92	46.0	63
Other ethnic group	3.7	373	50.1	358	48.4	356
Total	3.9	2282	40.5	2023	51.2	1935

* MICS indicator 84

** MICS indicator 92

Table HA.9: Condom use at last high-risk sex

Percentage of young women aged 15-24 who had high risk sex in the previous year and who used a condom at last high risk sex, The Gambia, 2006

	Ever had sex	Had sex in the last 12 months	Of those who had sex in last 12 months, the per cent who had sex with non-marital, non-cohabiting partner in the last 12 months*	Of those who had a non-marital, non-cohabiting partner in the last 12 months, the percentage who used a condom at last sex with such a partner**	More than one partner in last 12 months	Number of women aged 15-24
LGA						
Banjul	38.7	32.3	26.0	53.8	1.3	50
Kanifing	41.9	36.4	29.6	46.9	1.4	462
Brikama	45.7	41.4	18.1	48.0	.2	478
Mansakonko	50.6	46.0	13.1	85.4	.9	95
Kerewan	58.4	55.4	8.5	73.7	1.2	208
Kuntaur	63.4	53.8	5.1	50.0	.5	127
Janjangbureh	58.1	50.9	7.5	73.3	.5	185
Basse	74.0	60.5	7.1	79.0	.0	331
Residence						
Urban	43.3	38.2	26.1	53.8	1.1	729
Rural	57.6	50.3	9.9	55.0	.5	1207
Age						
15-19	28.9	26.0	18.1	48.6	.4	594
20-24	76.5	66.3	15.1	57.3	1.1	1342
Education						
None	73.2	65.0	7.8	53.7	.7	1239
Primary	49.6	43.5	19.6	45.0	.7	272
Secondary +	28.3	23.9	37.8	57.7	.8	425
Wealth index quintiles						
Poorest	64.4	56.7	7.6	61.4	.4	369
Second	53.7	48.7	14.8	49.1	1.1	370
Middle	53.6	46.0	14.6	46.5	.6	400
Fourth	51.2	45.6	18.4	62.2	.4	450
Richest	39.5	33.4	24.9	52.9	1.1	346
Ethnic group of head of household						
Mandinka	43.7	38.8	16.3	63.4	.8	600
Wolof	49.6	44.5	9.7	73.1	.9	244
Fula	63.9	57.9	10.7	59.7	.4	504
Jola	45.1	38.5	41.1	39.0	.7	168
Serer	42.9	36.6	26.5	31.9	1.2	63
Other ethnic group	59.3	48.8	13.7	50.4	.8	356
Total	51.3	45.0	16.0	54.3	.7	1935

* MICS indicator 85

** MICS indicator 83; MDG indicator 19a

Table HA.10: Children's living arrangements and orphanhood

Percentage distribution of children aged 0-17 years according to living arrangements, percentage of children aged 0-17 in households not living with a biological parent and percentage of children who are orphans, The Gambia, 2006

	Living with both parents	Living with neither parent				Living with mother only		Living with father only		Impossible to determine	Total	Not living with a biological parent*	One or both parents dead**	Number of children
		Only father alive	Only mother alive	Both are alive	Both are dead	Father alive	Father dead	Mother alive	Mother dead					
Sex														
Male	64.4	1.0	1.9	10.4	.7	12.4	3.5	4.2	1.2	.3	100.0	13.9	8.4	11386
Female	60.0	1.1	2.2	13.7	.8	13.7	4.0	3.3	.8	.4	100.0	17.8	9.0	11473
LGA														
Banjul	55.9	1.1	1.3	15.5	.6	15.8	4.4	4.4	1.0	.0	100.0	18.5	8.4	608
Kanifing	58.5	1.4	1.8	13.7	1.0	15.2	3.7	3.2	.7	.8	100.0	17.9	8.6	5133
Brikama	63.4	1.1	2.5	12.6	1.0	10.5	3.9	3.6	1.2	.3	100.0	17.2	9.6	5645
Mansakonko	52.4	1.0	4.1	20.9	1.2	11.8	5.3	1.9	1.2	.2	100.0	27.2	12.8	1701
Kerewan	68.0	.7	1.2	8.8	.2	14.1	1.9	4.5	.4	.1	100.0	10.9	4.5	2818
Kuntaur	70.9	.5	1.7	9.1	.3	8.0	3.7	4.6	1.1	.0	100.0	11.6	7.3	1676
Janjangbureh	60.5	1.3	1.8	12.6	.3	14.4	2.5	5.2	1.2	.1	100.0	16.1	7.2	2132
Basse	63.8	.8	2.1	6.9	.6	15.1	5.4	3.7	1.4	.2	100.0	10.3	10.3	3146
Residence														
Urban	58.3	1.3	1.9	13.9	1.0	15.4	3.6	3.2	.7	.6	100.0	18.1	8.6	7993
Rural	64.2	.9	2.2	11.0	.6	11.8	3.9	4.1	1.1	.2	100.0	14.7	8.7	14865
Age														
0-4 years	72.8	.3	.1	4.4	.1	18.8	1.5	1.4	.2	.4	100.0	4.9	2.2	6479
5-9 years	64.1	.8	1.6	12.6	.4	12.2	2.9	4.3	.9	.2	100.0	15.4	6.7	7134
10-14 years	56.8	1.6	3.4	15.0	.9	10.2	5.4	5.0	1.4	.2	100.0	20.9	12.7	6275
15-17 years	45.7	2.1	4.8	21.1	2.4	8.6	7.3	4.9	2.1	.8	100.0	30.5	18.9	2971
Wealth index quintiles														
Poorest	69.0	.8	1.8	9.5	.3	9.0	3.3	5.0	1.2	.1	100.0	12.3	7.5	4975
Second	64.0	1.0	2.1	10.5	.7	12.3	4.2	3.9	1.1	.2	100.0	14.3	9.1	4850
Middle	63.6	.9	2.2	11.1	.9	12.9	3.6	3.3	1.3	.2	100.0	15.1	9.0	4638
Fourth	59.8	1.1	2.2	11.8	.9	15.8	4.8	2.6	.6	.5	100.0	16.0	9.5	4437
Richest	52.4	1.6	2.2	18.5	.9	16.1	2.8	3.9	.7	.8	100.0	23.1	8.3	3959
Ethnic group of head of household														
Mandinka	62.7	1.1	2.2	11.8	.9	12.4	4.5	3.1	.9	.4	100.0	16.0	9.6	8202
Wolof	66.1	1.2	1.5	11.9	.5	11.7	2.7	3.5	.6	.3	100.0	15.1	6.5	2897
Fula	67.5	1.0	1.7	9.5	.6	11.4	2.8	4.2	1.2	.2	100.0	12.7	7.2	4710
Jola	59.6	1.1	2.6	15.2	1.0	10.1	3.3	5.2	1.5	.4	100.0	19.9	9.6	2336
Serer	59.5	1.6	1.2	11.8	.4	18.9	3.4	1.7	.9	.6	100.0	15.0	7.6	741
Other ethnic group	54.1	.9	2.6	13.8	.6	18.1	4.5	4.2	1.0	.4	100.0	17.7	9.5	3973
Total	62.2	1.0	2.1	12.0	.7	13.0	3.8	3.8	1.0	.3	100.0	15.9	8.7	22859

* MICS indicator 78

** MICS indicator 75

Table HA.11: Prevalence of orphanhood and vulnerability among children

Percentage of children aged 0-17 who are orphaned or vulnerable due to AIDS, The Gambia, 2006

	Chronically ill parent	Chronically ill adult in household	Vulnerable children*	One or both parents dead**	Orphans and vulnerable children	Number of children aged 0-17 years
Sex						
Male	.5	3.8	4.3	8.4	12.2	11386
Female	.7	3.9	4.5	9.0	12.9	11473
LGA						
Banjul	1.1	5.3	6.5	8.4	14.7	608
Kanifing	.9	6.5	7.4	8.6	15.2	5133
Brikama	.7	2.4	3.0	9.6	12.0	5645
Mansakonko	.3	1.9	2.2	12.8	14.9	1701
Kerewan	.2	1.9	2.0	4.5	6.4	2818
Kuntaur	1.1	7.4	8.4	7.3	15.3	1676
Janjangbureh	.6	4.3	4.8	7.2	11.4	2132
Basse	.2	2.4	2.6	10.3	12.4	3146
Residence						
Urban	.8	5.4	6.2	8.6	14.1	7993
Rural	.5	3.0	3.5	8.7	11.7	14865
Age						
0-4 years	.3	3.6	3.9	2.2	6.0	6479
5-9 years	.6	4.0	4.6	6.7	10.9	7134
10-14 years	.7	3.8	4.5	12.7	16.5	6275
15-17 years	1.2	4.0	5.0	18.9	22.7	2971
Wealth index quintiles						
Poorest	.6	4.4	4.9	7.5	11.9	4975
Second	.5	3.0	3.3	9.1	11.9	4850
Middle	.4	2.7	3.1	9.0	11.7	4638
Fourth	.5	4.0	4.4	9.5	13.4	4437
Richest	1.2	5.6	6.8	8.3	14.4	3959
Ethnicity						
Mandinka	.6	2.9	12.6	9.6	12.6	8202
Wolof	.8	5.5	12.4	6.5	12.4	2897
Fula	.6	3.3	10.8	7.2	10.8	4710
Jola	.8	4.6	14.0	9.6	14.0	2336
Serer	.5	4.4	12.2	7.6	12.2	741
Other ethnic group	.5	4.6	14.0	9.5	14.0	3973
Total	.6	3.9	12.6	8.7	12.6	22859

* MICS indicator 76

** MICS indicator 75

Table HA.12: School attendance, orphaned and vulnerable children

School attendance by orphaned and vulnerable status among children aged 10-14, The Gambia, 2006

Background characteristics	Percentage of children of whom both parents are alive and child is living with at least one parent	School attendance rate of children of whom both parents are alive and child is living with at least one parent	Orphans to non-orphans' school attendance ratio*	Total number of children aged 10-14
Sex				
Male	74.6	77.8	.99	2869
Female	69.9	72.9	.76	3407
Residence				
Urban	69.4	90.4	.77	2120
Rural	73.4	68.0	.92	4155
Wealth index quintiles				
Poorest	77.1	58.9	1.26	1353
Second	74.2	73.2	.65	1346
Middle	72.6	74.3	1.11	1259
Fourth	71.1	83.7	.90	1239
Richest	63.5	93.8	.61	1078
Total	72.0	75.3	.87	6275

* MICS indicator 77

MDG indicator 20

Table HA.14: Malnutrition among orphans and vulnerable children

Percentage of children aged 0-4 years who are moderately or severely underweight, stunted or wasted by orphanhood and vulnerability due to AIDS, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of children aged 0-4 years who are moderately or severely:			Number of children aged 0-4 years
	Underweight	Stunted	Wasted	
Status				
Orphaned	22.6	25.9	3.8	141
Vulnerable	21.5	21.9	6.6	240
Orphaned or vulnerable	22.2	23.4	5.6	376
Not orphaned or vulnerable	20.2	22.4	6.5	6010
Total	20.3	22.4	6.4	6386
Ratio OVC to non-OVC*	1.1	1.1	0.9	-

* MICS indicator 79

Table HA.15: Sexual behaviour among young women by orphanhood and vulnerability status due to AIDS

Percentage of young women aged 15-17 who had sex before age 15 by vulnerability status and survival status of parents, The Gambia, 2006

	Percentage of young women aged 15-17 who had sex before age 15	Number of young women aged 15-17
Status		
Orphaned	2.0	269
Vulnerable	7.7	80
Orphaned or vulnerable	3.2	326
Not orphaned or vulnerable	4.0	1011
Total	3.8	1338
Ratio OVC to non-OVC*	0.8	.

* MICS indicator 80