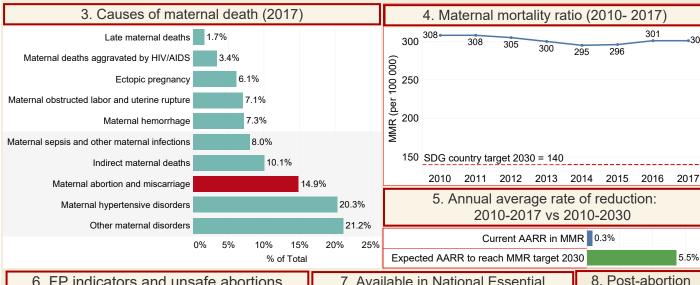


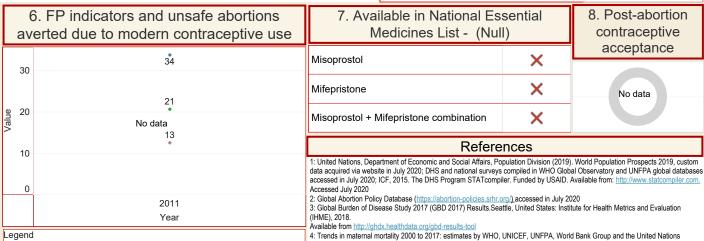
## **ABORTION HEALTH PROFILE**





General Statistics		Legal status of abortion	
Total population (000's), 2019	1,356		Not specified
		On request	0
Total female population (15 - 49 years) (000's), 2019	300	For economic or social reasons	0
		In cases of foetal impairment	0
Unintended pregnancies (000's), 2019		In cases of incest	0
		In cases of intellectual/cognitive disability of the woman	0
Adolescent birth rate (per 1000 women aged 15-19 years), 2010	176	In cases of rape	0
		To preserve a woman's health	0
Proportion of women who make their own informed decisions regarding sexual relations (% of women aged 15-49 years), Null		To preserve a woman's mental health	0
		To preserve a woman's physical health	0
Total fertility rate 15-49 (births per woman), Null		To save a woman's life	0
		Other	0





Population Division

## For further information:

Contraceptive prevalence - modern methods (%)

■ Demand satisfied for modern contraception (%)

Unmet need for family planning (%)Unsafe abortions averted (000's)

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## Definitions and abbreviations

At. http://progress.familyplanning2020.org/resources
7: Global Abortion Policy Database (https://abortion-policies.srhr.org/) accessed in July 2020.

6: From FP2020 2019 Progress Report, most recent national surveys (DHS,PMA2020, MICS,RHS and other national surveys).

Unsafe abortions averted due to modern contraceptive use: Number of unsafe abortions that did not occur during a specified reference period as a result of the protection provided by modern contraceptive use during the reference period.

Contraceptive prevalence - Modern Methods: Percentage of women of reproductive age who are using (or whose partner is using) or medern contraceptive prevalence.

using) a modern contraceptive method at a particular point in time

Unmet need: percentage of fecund women of reproductive age who want no more children or to postpone having the next child, but are not using a contraceptive method, plus women who are currently using a traditional method of family planning

FP - Family planning, MMR - Maternal Mortality Ratio