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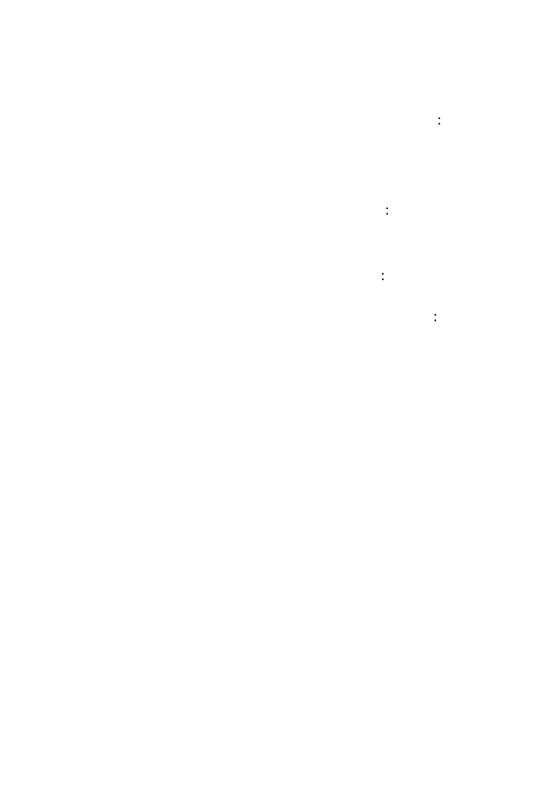
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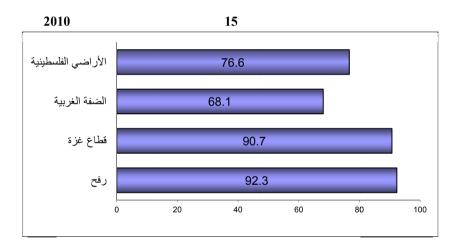
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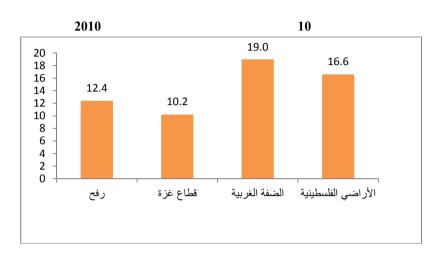
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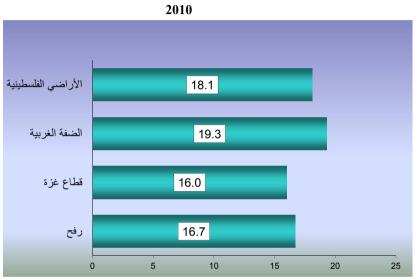
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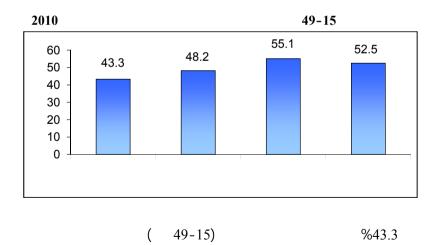
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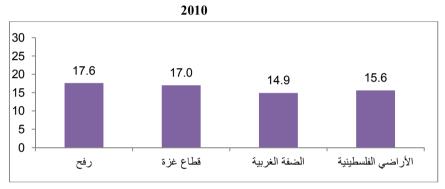
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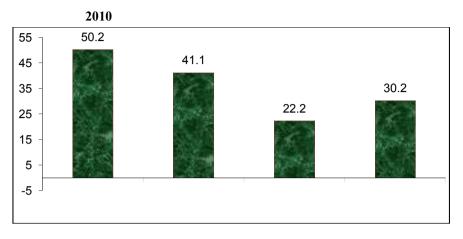
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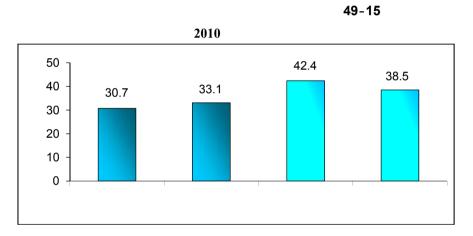
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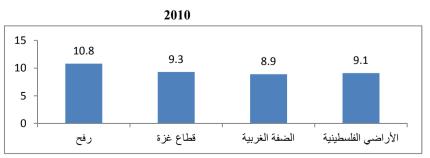


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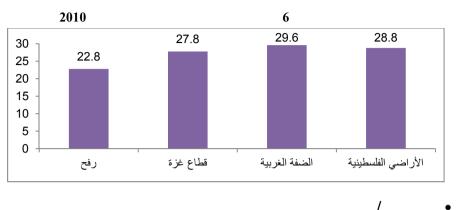
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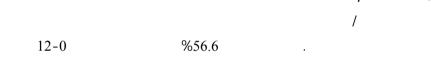
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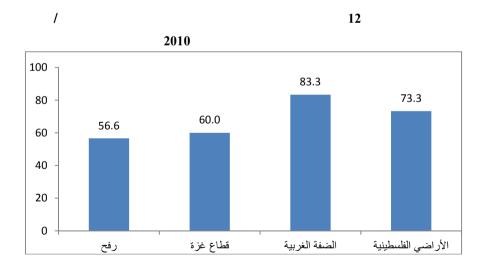
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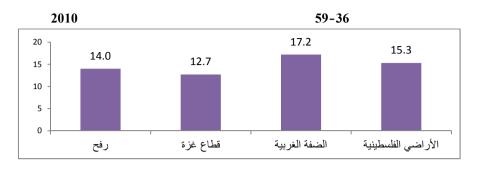
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6.8	79.7	15.5	56.0	1.7	7.0	***************************************
17.5	88.8	20.2	67.6	3.3	15.1	
12.9	85.0	18.2	62.7	2.6	11.7	

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4.2	95.3	40.8	74.5	92.1	
6.1	91.7	24.9	76.0	88.9	
5.4	93.5	24.2	75.9	90.1	
5.7	92.8	26.5	76.0	89.6	

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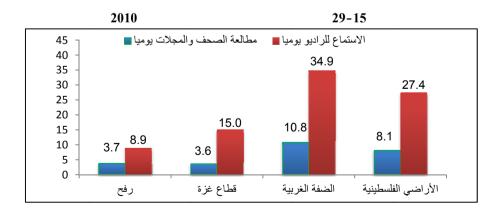
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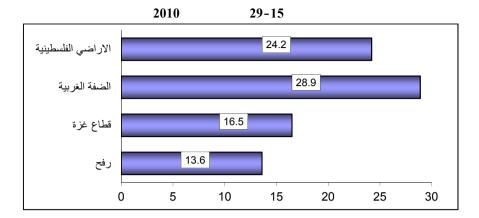
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16.0	16.6	15.1	17.3
8.5	7.6	9.8	2.8
50.5	48.6	53.6	57.9

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0.0	20.7	79.3	
0.0	30.5	59.5	
10.6	22.0	67.4	
7.7	24.3	68.0	

3.4

29-15 %87.9

.%83.9

2010 29-15

83.9	80.6	89.3	87.9	
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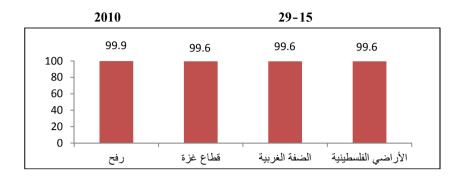
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55.4	58.5	50.4	52.8	
26.6	36.8	10.0	7.9	
25.4	34.6	10.3	10.3	
7.9	9.6		16.4	
12.8	8.3	20.0	47.7	
10.1	12.0	7.0	12.6	
34.1	16.4	62.9	88.8	
53.8	58.1	46.9	50.5	
15.2	20.6	6.4	5.1	
11.9	14.2	8.2	0.0	
2.3	2.5	2.1	0.9	

29-15 %99.9

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19.7	18.8	21.4	35.4	3-1
46.5	42.5	42.6	51.8	6-4
3.5	2.0	2.0	9.8	7+
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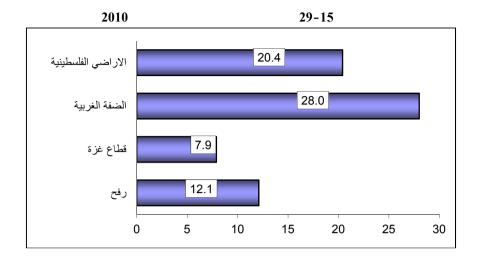
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%66.5 %55.6

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64.4	35.6	
69.9	30.1	
55.6	44.4	

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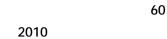
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40.7	44.6	34.2	65.9	
70.4	68.0	74.4	100.0	
45.6	55.9	28.8	45.8	
25.3	29.2	18.9	36.9	
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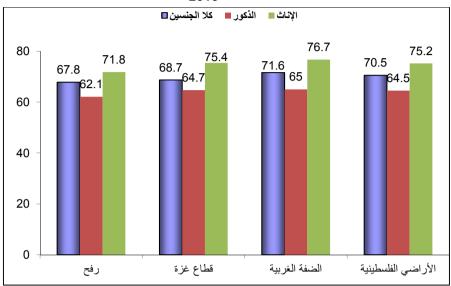
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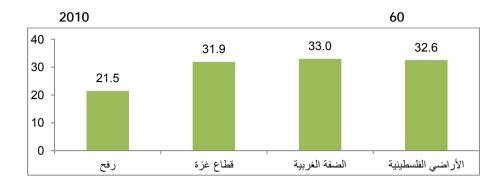
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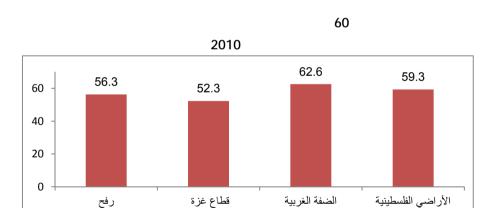


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Percentage of Persons Aged 10 Years and Over Who Were Reported as Smokers	24.3	23.2	20.0	22.2	20.4	23.6
Percentage of Persons 18 Years and Over Who Have at Least One Chronic Diseases and Receiving Treatment	22.2	19.3	22.6	21.1	18.8	18.3
Percentage of Currently Married Women Aged 15-49 Years Old Using Family Planning Method	58.1	51.5	59.1	61.1	54.8	55.6
Percentage of Women 15-49 Years Who Delivered in Two Years Preceding Survey and Reported Receiving the Tetanus Toxoid During the Last Pregnancy	26.0	22.7	23.5	24.8	31.3	16.9
Percentage of Women 15-49 Years Who Received Antenatal Care by skilled personnel During their last Pregnancy (At least once)	98.4	100.0	100.0	98.2	97.0	98.3
Percentage of Women 15-49 Years Who Received Antenatal Care by skilled personnel During their last Pregnancy (at least 4 visits)	95.5	93.8	99.3	94.8	93.9	94.2
Percentage of Women 15-49 Years Who Delivered in Two Years Preceding the Survey in Health Institutions	95.3	95.7	97.5	97.1	95.7	98.3
Percentage of Women 15-49 Years Who Delivered in Two Years Preceding the Survey by Caesarean section	26.2	35.5	19.3	25.6	24.1	28.5
Percentage of Women 15-49 Years Who Delivered in Two Years Preceding the Survey and Received Postnatal Care	44.5	50.7	47.6	44.4	38.3	44.4
Percentage of Births in the Last Two Years Preceding the Survey and Weighted less than 2.5 k\g at Birth	7.0	7.2	8.5	12.7	10.1	6.8
Percentage of Children Under Five Years Who are Severely or Moderately Stunted	8.3	5.6	4.1	7.5	8.3	11.2

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15.3	18.0	22.5	21.1	15.5	14.3	17.0	15.1	16.0	16.7
56.4	49.5	53.4	65.1	46.8	52.2	50.4	44.1	46.0	43.3
20.4	19.1	25.2	24.7	17.8	35.9	35.7	49.4	43.2	50.2
98.5	98.0	95.9	99.1	97.0	97.0	98.6	95.6	99.5	99.6
94.8	92.9	91.2	93.9	88.3	92.5	96.0	97.1	95.6	98.9
97.6	100	98.7	100	98.4	99.4	96.5	98.3	99.5	99.4
20.1	16.3	15.8	17.2	10.4	15.4	14.1	15.6	13.1	11.6
49.8	44.7	64.5	38.2	27.6	18.8	26.9	36.7	56.2	30.7
8.6	6.8	10.1	6.9	8.3	9.3	8.2	8.1	11.0	10.8
14.9	16.8	15.7	7.0	16.7	10.4	10.7	13.9	7.2	11.2

Indicator\Governorate	Jenin	Tubas	Tulkarm	Nablus	Qalqiliya	Salfit
Percentage of Children Under Five	2.6	2.5	1.6	2.8	3.7	3.3
Years Who are suffer from Severe or Moderate Under-weight						
Percentage of Children Under Five Years Who are Severely or Moderately Wasted	3.0	3.1	2.3	1.6	1.7	1.2
Percentage of last-born children in the 2 years preceding the survey who were ever breastfed	96.5	97.1	96.8	95.8	96.2	94.4
Percentage of last-born children in the 2 years preceding the survey and have been weighed at birth	99.2	100.0	100.0	98.4	100.0	100.0
Percentage of children 0-5 months exclusively breastfed	27.6	29.8	47.4	34.5	19.5	13.4
Percentage of children 0-12 months in the last 2 years preceding the survey who received vitamin a and d during the 6 months preceding the survey	83.9	95.0	81.8	81.4	88.6	60.0
Percentage of children under five years who had pneumonia in the two weeks preceding the survey	5.1	6.8	2.0	6.8	7.1	10.1
Percentage of children under five years who had diarrhea in the two weeks preceding the survey	17.8	17.9	17.3	18.8	14.9	14.8
Percentage of children aged 36-59 months for whom household members are engaged in activities that promote learning and school readiness	71.1	53.5	72.3	62.0	77.5	62.0
Percentage of Children Aged 0-59 Months Left with inadequate care in past week of the survey	21.1	18.1	12.1	12.5	12.4	30.1

Ramallah & Al- Bireh	Jericho	Jerusalem	Bethlehem	Hebron	North Gaza	Gaza	Deir El- Balah	Khan Yunis	Rafah
4.6	4.2	3.9	3.6	5.7	4.4	2.9	4.6	2.3	4.4
6.1	0.0	3.9	0.8	3.8	6.9	2.7	2.7	1.4	5.8
95.6	96.4	93.5	96.1	94.9	94.9	97.6	97.0	96.3	95.1
98.8	97.7	97.5	97.8	97.2	99.3	99.7	99.6	100.0	100.0
31.1	16.2	26.1	29.7	28.8	29.5	31.3	26.6	24.1	22.8
87.9	85.7	89.0	88.9	79.5	63.9	55.9	69.6	57.9	56.6
4.1	7.4	2.1	8.2	3.5	6.2	4.7	2.8	7.5	5.9
12.8	9.5	12.8	14.6	13.3	9.3	10.0	8.2	6.7	17.1
68.5	56.9	71.2	70.7	57.0	43.9	50.2	37.5	44.5	58.7
18.3	22.6	16.5	16.0	14.4	15.7	9.6	3.4	6.2	12.2

Indicator\Governorate	Jenin	Tubas	Tulkarm	Nablus	Qalqiliya	Salfit
Percentage of children aged 2-14 years who experienced any violent discipline method	95.5	98.3	94.3	95.3	94.6	93.0
Percentage of children aged 5-14 years involved in child labour	13.4	26.8	5.9	10.0	2.8	8.7
Percentage of children under age 5 whose birth is registered with civil authorities	99.9	99.4	100.0	99.8	100.0	99.5
Percentage of children aged 12-15 months breastfed (Continued breastfeeding at 1 year)	63.9	53.0	59.8	60.7	61.2	62.1
Percentage of children aged 20-23 months breastfed (Continued breastfeeding at 2 year)	17.6	12.2	18.4	15.5	6.8	9.5

Ramallah & Al- Bireh	Jericho	Jerusalem	Bethlehem	Hebron	North Gaza	Gaza	Deir El- Balah	Khan Yunis	Rafah
90.9	97.6	89.8	93.2	94.0	93.8	91.9	92.6	86.4	95.3
1.5	6.0	3.8	11.7	7.8	1.5	2.0	10.4	1.2	1.0
99.1	100.0	98.7	99.2	99.3	98.3	99.0	99.7	99.3	99.5
56.2	53.7	40.3	42.4	53.5	52.3	54.1	62.4	52.4	55.2
21.2	41.8	10.5	12.5	12.2	18.2	10.4	6.7	10.6	2.7

Executive Summary

The Palestinian Family Survey 2010, which also contains MICS indicators, was designed to provide detailed and accurate data on family health and reproductive health at the individual, household and community levels by measuring a large set of indicators on child and infant mortality, fertility rates, family health and social care, including that for ever married women under the age of 50 years and children under the age of five, child labor in the age group 5-14 years, child education (2-14 years), education of individuals in the age group 5-24 years, youth (15-29 years) and elderly people aged 60 years and above.

A total of 13,629 households were interviewed: 8,740 in the West Bank and 4,889 in Gaza Strip. In Rafah Governorate 631 households were interviewed.

Iodized salt

92.3% of households in Rafah Governorate consume iodized salt and it is more than the national average; 76.6% and the average for Gaza Strip 90.7%.

Smoking

12.4% of individuals 10 years and over in Rafah Governorate Smoke. Males smoke more often than females do, where the data showed that the percentage of female smokers negligible compared with males, where the percentage of smokers among males 24.5%

Chronic diseases

16.7% of individuals 18 years and over in Rafah Governorate suffer from at least one chronic disease and receive treatment for it. Hypertension is the most prevalent chronic disease in Rafah Governorate (%7.1).

• Family planning

43.3% of women in the reproductive age (15-49) years in Rafah Governorate reported using family planning methods.

• Around 18% of married women aged 15-49 in Rafah Governorate reported unmet needs for family planning.

• Antenatal care

99.6% of women aged 15-49 years who delivered in two years preceding the survey in Rafah governorate received antenatal care by skilled personnel during their last pregnancy (at least once).

• Tetanus vaccination

50.2% of women in Rafah Governorate received at least one dose of tetanus toxoid during their last pregnancy.

• Care during childbirth

99.4% of women 15-49 years in Rafah Governorate gave birth in two years preceding the survey at health facilities.

• Type of delivery

11.6% of women 15-49 years in Rafah Governorate who delivered in two years preceding the survey gave birth through cesarean section.

• Postnatal care:

30.7% of women 15-49 years in Rafah Governorate who delivered in two years preceding the survey received postnatal health care. This is less than the percentage for Gaza Strip (33.1%) and the Palestinian Territory (38.5%).

Newborn weight

10.8% of babies in Rafah Governorate were born with weight less than normal for newborns (less than 2,500 grams).

Nutritional status

11.2% of children under-five in Rafah Governorate were severely or moderately stunted.

• Breastfeeding:

22.8% of infants in the age 0-5 months in Rafah Governorate were breastfed exclusively.

• Vitamin A\D

56.6% of children 0-12 months in Rafah Governorate received vitamin A\D during the 6 months preceding the survey.

Childhood illnesses

Among the under five children in Rafah Governorate, 5.9% suffered from Respiratory Tract Infection. And 17.1% of children in Rafah Governorate have suffered from diarrhea.

• Early childhood education

58.7% of children aged 36-59 months in Rafah Governorate engaged with their families in four or more activities that increase their motivation.

Child care

12.2% of children in the age group 0-59 months in Rafah Governorate were left in the care of children under the age of 10 years old.

Child discipline

95.3% of children in the age group 2-14 years have been subjected to physical or psychological punishment by their parents or other family members during the month preceding the survey in Rafah Governorate.

Child Labor

1.0% of children in the age group 5-14 years in Rafah Governorate worked.

Youth cultural activities

3.7% of youth aged 15-29 years in Rafah Governorate read newspapers or magazines daily basis, while 8.9% listen to the radio on a daily basis.

Youth and Evaluation of their Health

87.9% of youth aged 15-29 years in Rafah Governorate evaluated their health as good. In addition, 44.4% of youth engage in sports activities regularly.

Youth and Knowledge of AIDS

99.9 % of youth aged 15-29 years in Rafah Governorate were aware of AIDS.

• Chronic disease among the elderly

Around 67.8% of the elderly aged 60 and over in Rafah Governorate suffered from at least one chronic disease and receive treatment for it.

• Problems that limit daily activities of elderly

56.3% of the elderly aged 60 and over in Rafah suffered from health problems that limit daily activities.