

Table HH.1: Results of household and individual interviews
Numbers of households, women and children under 5 by results of the household, women's and under-five's interviews, and household, women's and under-five's response rates, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

	Governorates																
	Urban	Rural	Damascus	Aleppo	Rural-Dam	Homs	Hama	Latakia	Idleb	Hassake	Deir Ezzor	Tartous	Raqqa	Daraa	Sweida	Quneitra	Total
Sampled households	11,317	8,705	2,100	4,560	2,780	1,720	1,445	1,139	1,280	1,140	860	878	780	840	400	100	20,022
Occupied households	11,202	8,668	2,078	4,552	2,714	1,710	1,426	1,132	1,272	1,139	857	878	778	835	399	100	19,870
Interviewed households	10,717	8,302	1,970	4,522	2,571	1,630	1,395	1,064	1,174	1,002	826	871	737	782	378	97	19,019
Household response rate	95.7	95.8	94.8	99.3	94.7	95.3	97.8	94.0	92.3	88.0	96.4	99.2	94.7	93.7	94.7	97.0	95.7
Eligible women	13,764	11,799	2,259	5,531	3,644	2,199	1,946	1,368	1,551	1,635	1,232	1,220	1,075	1,261	495	147	25,563
Interviewed women	13,467	11,559	2,211	5,492	3,370	2,171	1,921	1,366	1,509	1,594	1,219	1,219	1,069	1,246	492	147	25,026
Women response rate	97.8	98.0	97.9	99.3	92.5	98.7	98.7	99.9	97.3	97.5	98.9	99.9	99.4	98.8	99.4	100.0	97.9
Women's overall response rate	93.6	93.8	92.8	98.6	87.6	94.1	96.6	93.9	89.8	85.8	95.4	99.1	94.2	92.5	94.2	97.0	93.7
Eligible children under 5	5,526	5,578	596	2,293	1,638	1,036	842	440	930	678	630	448	494	812	180	87	11,104
Mother/Caretaker Interviewed	5,483	5,534	591	2,284	1,598	1,032	838	440	927	668	626	447	491	808	180	87	11,017
Child response rate	99.2	99.2	99.2	99.6	97.6	99.6	99.5	100.0	99.7	98.5	99.4	99.8	99.4	99.5	100.0	100.0	99.2
Children's overall response rate	94.9	95.0	94.0	99.0	92.4	95.0	97.4	94.0	92.0	86.7	95.8	99.0	94.2	93.2	94.7	97.0	95.0

Table HH.2: Household age distribution by sex
Percent distribution of the household population by five-year age groups and dependency age groups, and number of children aged 0-17 years, by sex, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Sex				Total	
		Male		Female		Number	Percent
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent		
Age	0-4	5,852	10.5	5,252	10.2	11,103	10.3
	5-9	7,542	13.6	7,037	13.6	14,579	13.6
	10-14	7,444	13.4	7,287	14.1	14,730	13.7
	15-19	6,956	12.5	5,854	11.3	12,809	11.9
	20-24	5,977	10.7	5,051	9.8	11,028	10.3
	25-29	4,140	7.4	4,163	8.0	8,303	7.7
	30-34	3,038	5.5	3,302	6.4	6,340	5.9
	35-39	2,924	5.3	3,097	6.0	6,021	5.6
	40-44	2,572	4.6	2,468	4.8	5,040	4.7
	45-49	2,173	3.9	1,628	3.1	3,801	3.5
	50-54	1,826	3.3	2,606	5.0	4,432	4.1
	55-59	1,586	2.9	1,379	2.7	2,965	2.8
	60-64	1,256	2.3	1,008	1.9	2,264	2.1
	65-69	869	1.6	677	1.3	1,546	1.4
	70+	1,482	2.7	909	1.8	2,391	2.2
	Missing/DK	8	0.0	5	0.0	13	0.0
Dependency age groups	<15	20,838	37.4	19,575	37.8	40,412	37.6
	15-64	32,448	58.3	30,555	59.1	63,003	58.7
	65+	2,351	4.2	1,586	3.1	3,937	3.7
	Missing/DK	8	0.0	5	0.0	13	0.0
Age	Children aged 0-17	24,988	44.9	23,150	44.8	48,139	44.8
	Adults 18+/Missing/DK	30,656	55.1	28,570	55.2	59,226	55.2
Total		55,644	100.0	51,721	100.0	107,365	100.0

Table HH.3: Household composition
Percent distribution of households by selected characteristics, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

			Number of households	
		Weighted percent	weighted	unweighted
Sex of household head	Male	91.7	17,436	17,436
	Female	8.3	1,583	1,583
Governorates	Damascus	10.4	1,971	1,970
	Aleppo	23.8	4,523	4,522
	Rural-Dam	13.5	2,571	2,571
	Homs	8.6	1,630	1,630
	Hama	7.3	1,395	1,395
	Lattakia	5.6	1,064	1,064
	Idleb	6.2	1,174	1,174
	Hassake	5.3	1,002	1,002
	Deir Ezzor	4.3	826	826
	Tartous	4.6	871	871
	Raqqa	3.9	737	737
	Daraa	4.1	782	782
	Sweida	2.0	378	378
	Quneitra	0.5	97	97
Urban_Rural	Urban	56.4	10,722	10,717
	Rural	43.6	8,297	8,302
Number of household members	1	2.4	453	453
	2-3	17.7	3,367	3,367
	4-5	32.0	6,079	6,079
	6-7	27.0	5,127	5,127
	8-9	13.2	2,509	2,509
	10+	7.8	1,484	1,484
Total		100.0	19,019	19,019

Table HH.3c: Household composition
Percent distribution of households by selected characteristics, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

	Weighted percent	Number of households weighted	Number of households unweighted
At least one child aged < 18 years	77,1	19019	19019
At least one child aged < 5 years	39,4	19019	19019
At least one woman aged 15-49 years	87,6	19019	19019

Table HH.4: Women's background characteristics
Percent distribution of women aged 15-49 years by background characteristics,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Weighted percent	Number of women	
			weighted	unweighted
Governorates	Damascus	8.8	2,213	2,211
	Aleppo	22.0	5,494	5,492
	Rural-Dam	13.5	3,370	3,370
	Homs	8.7	2,171	2,171
	Hama	7.7	1,920	1,921
	Lattakia	5.5	1,366	1,366
	Idleb	6.0	1,508	1,509
	Hassake	6.4	1,593	1,594
	Deir Ezzor	4.9	1,219	1,219
	Tartous	4.9	1,218	1,219
	Raqqa	4.3	1,069	1,069
	Daraa	5.0	1,246	1,246
	Sweida	2.0	492	492
	Quneitra	0.6	147	147
	Urban_Rural			
	Urban	53.9	13,482	13,467
	Rural	46.1	11,544	11,559
Age	15-19	22.5	5,637	5,637
	20-24	19.8	4,944	4,944
	25-29	16.3	4,088	4,088
	30-34	13.0	3,250	3,250
	35-39	12.3	3,070	3,070
	40-44	9.7	2,430	2,430
	45-49	6.4	1,607	1,607
Marital/Union status	Currently married/in union	54.4	13,618	13,617
	NOT married NOW/in union	1.7	436	436
	Never married/in union	43.8	10,972	10,973
Motherhood status	Ever gave birth	91.8	12,900	12,899
	Never gave birth	8.2	1,154	1,154
Education	None	14.2	3,555	3,557
	Primary	32.4	8,102	8,103
	Secondary	40.7	10,177	10,175
	Higher institutions	6.7	1,674	1,673
	University +	6.1	1,519	1,518
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	18.5	4,617	4,622
	Second	19.6	4,909	4,912
	Middle	20.7	5,186	5,186
	Fourth	18.1	4,521	4,519
	Richest	23.1	5,791	5,787
Total		100.0	25,026	25,026

Table HH.5: Children's background characteristics
Percent distribution of children under five years of age by background characteristics,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

			Number of under-5 children	
			weighted	unweighted
	Weighted percent			
Sex	Male	52.7	5,804	5,804
	Female	47.3	5,213	5,213
Governorates	Damascus	5.4	591	591
	Aleppo	20.7	2,284	2,284
	Rural-Dam	14.5	1,598	1,598
	Homs	9.4	1,032	1,032
	Hama	7.6	838	838
	Lattakia	4.0	440	440
	Idleb	8.4	927	927
	Hassake	6.1	668	668
	Deir Ezzor	5.7	626	626
	Tartous	4.1	447	447
	Raqqqa	4.5	491	491
	Daraa	7.3	808	808
	Sweida	1.6	180	180
	Quneitra	0.8	87	87
Urban_Rural	Urban	49.8	5,486	5,483
	Rural	50.2	5,531	5,534
Age	< 6 months	10.6	1,163	1,163
	6-11 months	7.9	867	867
	12-23 months	18.9	2,083	2,083
	24-35 months	21.9	2,410	2,410
	36-47 months	23.7	2,609	2,609
	48-59 months	17.1	1,885	1,885
Mother's education	None	17.7	1,947	1,947
	Primary	37.8	4,164	4,164
	Secondary	36.0	3,961	3,961
	Higher institutions	5.5	608	608
	University +	3.1	337	337
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	21.3	2,342	2,343
	Second	23.0	2,536	2,536
	Middle	21.8	2,396	2,396
	Fourth	17.5	1,927	1,927
	Richest	16.5	1,816	1,815
Total		100.0	11,017	11,017

Table CM.1: Child mortality
Infant and under-five mortality rates by background and demographic characteristics [BASED ON NORTH], Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Infant Mortality Rate*	Under-five Mortality Rate**
Sex	Male	21	26
	Female	14	17
HH7new	South	16	19
	North	22	27
	East	15	18
	Middle	17	20
	Coast	17	21
	Area		
Area	Urban	16	19
	Rural	20	24
Mother's education	None	17	20
	Primary	20	25
	Secondary	16	19
	Higher institutions	7	8
	University +	7	8
	Wealth index quintiles		
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	18	22
	Second	19	23
	Middle	19	23
	Fourth	17	20
	Richest	16	20
Total		18	22

* MICS indicator 2; MDG indicator 14

** MICS indicator 1; MDG indicator 13

Table CM.2: Children ever born, children surviving, proportion dead
Mean number of children ever born, children surviving and proportion dead by age of women, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Mean number of children ever born	Mean number children surviving	Proportion dead	Number of women
Age	15-19	0.067	0.066	0.018	5,637
	20-24	0.602	0.595	0.010	4,944
	25-29	1.687	1.655	0.019	4,088
	30-34	3.013	2.947	0.022	3,250
	35-39	4.255	4.128	0.030	3,070
	40-44	5.080	4.906	0.034	2,430
	45-49	5.947	5.725	0.037	1,607
Total		2.198	2.136	0.028	25,026

Table NU.1: Child malnourishment
Percentage of under-five children who are severely or moderately undernourished,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Weight for age		Height for age		Weight for height			Number of children
		%below -2 SD	%below -3 SD*	%below -2 SD	%below -3 SD**	%below -2 SD	%below -3 SD***	%above +2 SD	
Sex	Male	10.7	2.1	23.6	11.0	9.5	2.8	11.8	5,042
	Female	8.6	1.6	21.1	9.1	7.6	1.7	13.1	4,536
Governorates	Damascus	12.0	3.2	23.7	11.6	12.0	4.4	19.3	476
	Aleppo	10.2	1.3	36.0	19.7	8.0	2.5	16.0	1,909
	Rural-Dam	12.4	2.4	20.6	7.9	11.3	2.6	11.5	1,430
	Homs	10.2	1.7	24.0	9.3	7.5	1.4	15.9	875
	Hama	10.1	2.5	17.5	7.2	13.5	3.7	10.5	753
	Lattakia	4.9	0.5	9.7	2.3	10.0	0.8	10.7	391
	Idleb	3.8	0.5	16.5	5.0	1.4	0.3	5.4	878
	Hassake	11.0	2.8	17.1	7.1	10.8	3.5	15.8	538
	Deir Ezzor	17.9	5.2	29.4	15.1	16.1	5.4	13.3	496
	Tartous	3.7	0.9	9.5	2.5	5.8	0.7	12.0	432
	Raqqa	22.7	3.7	35.4	19.5	12.2	3.7	9.5	401
	Daraa	3.8	0.3	11.5	3.3	3.3	0.3	8.4	738
	Sweida	0.6	0.0	4.0	1.1	0.0	0.0	4.5	177
	Quneitra	1.2	0.0	15.5	6.0	2.4	1.2	8.3	84
Urban_Rural	Urban	9.4	1.6	21.9	10.0	8.5	2.4	12.9	4,728
	Rural	10.0	2.1	22.9	10.2	8.8	2.2	11.9	4,850
Age	< 6 months	4.1	0.5	16.4	5.7	7.6	2.1	20.5	959
	6-11 months	10.4	2.9	20.2	6.8	10.4	2.6	15.5	734
	12-23 months	11.2	2.5	28.3	13.7	9.1	2.4	15.3	1,731
	24-35 months	13.4	2.0	22.3	11.0	9.1	2.0	7.8	2,154
	36-47 months	8.4	1.6	24.4	11.1	8.6	2.5	11.3	2,314
	48-59 months	8.3	1.4	18.1	7.8	7.6	2.3	10.8	1,686
	60-69 months	13.8	3.6	29.1	15.1	11.8	3.6	12.9	1,613
Mother's education	None	13.8	3.6	29.1	15.1	11.8	3.6	12.9	1,613
	Primary	10.2	1.9	25.2	11.3	8.1	2.3	13.0	3,630
	Secondary	8.1	1.1	18.1	7.1	7.7	1.7	11.3	3,499
	Higher institutions	6.8	2.0	17.4	8.5	9.4	2.4	13.3	541
Wealth index quintiles	University+	6.1	0.3	11.5	6.4	7.8	1.7	13.2	295
	Poorest	12.7	3.3	29.5	14.6	10.4	3.0	13.4	1,961
	Second	10.2	1.7	21.1	8.8	8.1	2.2	11.4	2,244
	Middle	9.9	1.7	20.9	8.9	8.6	2.4	11.6	2,092
	Fourth	7.2	1.1	20.2	7.8	7.2	1.5	13.5	1,704
	Richest	7.9	1.2	19.9	10.3	8.8	2.0	12.4	1,577
Total		9.7	1.8	22.4	10.1	8.6	2.3	12.4	9,578

Table NU.2: Initial breastfeeding
Percentage of women aged 15-49 years with a birth in the 2 years preceding the survey who breastfed
their baby within one hour of birth and within one day of birth,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Percentage who started breastfeeding within one hour of birth*	Percentage who started breastfeeding within one day of birth	Number of women with live birth in the two years preceding the survey
Governorates	Damascus	22.1	87.9	240
	Aleppo	41.0	87.6	734
	Rural-Dam	29.9	77.2	613
	Homs	27.6	84.4	373
	Hama	40.2	79.1	296
	Lattakia	37.3	84.0	150
	Idleb	38.6	82.8	319
	Hassake	24.3	67.1	243
	Deir Ezzor	34.2	76.3	257
	Tartous	31.3	79.1	163
	Raqqa	16.0	68.0	175
	Daraa	26.6	78.5	289
	Sweida	50.7	94.7	75
	Quneitra	(16.1)	(51.6)	31
	Urban_Rural			
	Urban	31.8	81.9	1,988
	Rural	33.1	79.2	1,969
Months since last birth	< 6 months	32.1	79.0	1,183
	6-11 months	34.7	79.8	872
	12-23 months	31.6	81.8	1,903
Education	None	35.5	77.0	609
	Primary	32.9	81.0	1,535
	Secondary	31.5	80.9	1,452
	Higher institutions	29.3	83.0	229
	University+	28.6	83.5	133
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	33.6	77.6	815
	Second	29.3	78.3	972
	Middle	36.1	80.8	877
	Fourth	32.6	82.4	666
	Richest	30.5	85.3	626
Total		32.4	80.5	3,958

* MICS indicator 45

Table NU.3: Breastfeeding
Percent of living children according to breastfeeding status at each age group,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Children 0-3 months		Children 0-5 months		Children 6-9 months		Children 12-15 months		Children 20-23 months	
		Percent exclusively breastfed	Number of children	Percent exclusively breastfed *	Number of children	Percent receiving breastmilk and solid/mushy food **	Number of children	Percent breastfed***	Number of children	Percent breastfed ***	Number of children
Sex	Male	33.0	348	27.2	621	35.2	327	64.1	457	18.3	263
	Female	37.6	327	30.4	542	38.1	265	63.7	410	14.0	222
Governorates	Damascus	(21.4)	42	(21.4)	70	(31.6)	38	69.2	52	(18.8)	32
	Aleppo	36.5	148	36.3	251	17.8	90	75.0	204	(22.5)	40
	Rural-Dam	34.3	99	22.9	170	52.8	89	48.5	101	9.1	99
	Homs	40.8	76	33.3	120	45.0	60	59.0	83	25.5	55
	Hama	(33.3)	36	21.9	64	44.1	59	72.6	62	(13.3)	45
	Lattakia	(46.4)	28	(45.7)	46	(25.0)	24	(41.4)	29	(10.7)	28
	Idleb	(39.6)	48	22.9	109	(33.3)	42	66.2	71	(14.8)	27
	Hassake	(27.5)	40	23.2	69	(17.1)	35	(65.3)	49	(20.0)	30
	Deir Ezzor	(35.6)	45	30.3	76	(38.5)	39	64.5	62	(42.4)	33
	Tartous	(*)	19	(26.7)	30	(45.0)	20	(38.5)	39	(3.2)	31
	Raqqqa	(26.7)	30	(26.5)	49	(16.7)	24	69.1	55	(*)	7
	Daraa	40.4	52	29.4	85	43.1	51	(65.9)	44	(10.3)	39
	Sweida	*	9	*	16	*	17	*	10	*	14
	Quneitra	*	3	*	8	*	4	*	6	*	5
Urban_Rural	Urban	31.3	371	27.6	609	36.1	277	62.4	436	15.4	247
	Rural	40.1	304	30.0	554	36.8	315	65.4	431	17.2	238
Mother's education	None	38.0	100	31.4	188	22.5	89	76.4	161	37.7	53
	Primary	34.4	273	29.3	478	36.6	216	65.0	340	18.3	164
	Secondary	36.3	245	27.9	408	40.5	227	55.9	295	9.3	205
	Higher institutions	(32.5)	40	25.0	60	(37.1)	35	(69.8)	43	(19.4)	36
	University+	*	17	(20.7)	29	(48.0)	25	(53.6)	28	(11.1)	27
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	41.7	139	35.5	248	28.6	119	73.2	194	27.8	79
	Second	38.3	128	28.6	248	39.1	151	63.3	207	13.2	121
	Middle	36.7	169	29.6	280	41.7	139	57.9	178	11.1	117
	Fourth	30.6	124	23.8	202	35.0	100	62.7	150	12.6	87
	Richest	27.0	115	23.8	185	36.1	83	60.9	138	21.0	81
Total		35.3	675	28.7	1,163	36.5	592	63.9	867	16.3	485

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, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		0-5 months exclusively breastfed	6-8 months who received breastmilk and complementary food at least 2 times in prior 24 hours	9-11 months who received breastmilk and complementary food at least 3 times in prior 24 hours	6-11 months who received breastmilk 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	27.2	25.8	16.7	21.5	24.7	1,087
	Female	30.4	25.5	14.8	20.0	26.0	943
Governorates	Damascus	21.4	28.6	11.5	20.4	21.0	124
	Aleppo	36.3	8.8	8.3	8.6	27.5	367
	Rural-Dam	22.9	37.9	14.5	25.4	24.0	312
	Homs	33.3	39.1	24.3	32.5	33.0	203
	Hama	21.9	36.0	16.2	27.6	25.2	151
	Lattakia	45.7	18.7	31.6	25.7	37.0	81
	Idleb	22.9	24.1	14.3	18.8	21.4	173
	Hassake	23.2	17.4	2.6	8.1	16.0	131
	Deir Ezzor	30.3	20.8	13.8	17.0	24.8	129
	Tartous	26.7	26.7	46.7	36.7	31.7	60
	Raqqqa	26.5	11.8	0.0	6.5	18.8	80
	Daraa	29.4	20.0	20.6	20.3	25.2	159
	Sweida	(6.2)	(36.4)	(27.8)	(31.0)	(22.2)	45
	Quneitra	*	*	*	*	*	15
Urban_Rural	Urban	27.6	26.0	15.8	20.9	24.9	1,016
	Rural	30.0	25.4	15.7	20.6	25.7	1,014
Mother's education	None	31.4	12.7	3.3	8.1	22.2	311
	Primary	29.3	23.9	12.7	18.1	24.8	799
	Secondary	27.9	31.6	21.3	26.8	27.4	740
	Higher institutions	25.0	32.0	31.0	31.5	28.1	114
	University+	20.7	18.7	14.3	16.2	18.2	66
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	35.5	17.4	4.9	11.6	25.7	421
	Second	28.6	29.9	13.9	21.6	25.3	470
	Middle	29.6	27.5	21.4	24.4	27.4	485
	Fourth	23.8	25.3	15.5	20.5	22.4	348
	Richest	23.8	28.3	24.6	26.4	24.8	306
Total		28.7	25.7	15.8	20.8	25.3	2,030

Table NU.6: Children's vitamin A supplementation
Percent distribution of children aged 6-59 months by whether they received a high dose Vitamin A supplement in the last 6 months, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Percent of children who received Vitamin A:					Total	Number of children aged 6-59 months
		Within last 6 months*	Prior to last 6 months	Not sure when	Not sure if received	Never received Vitamin A		
Sex	Male	3.2	6.6	12.6	14.0	63.6	100.0	5,183
	Female	2.5	6.1	12.5	13.5	65.3	100.0	4,671
Governorates	Damascus	5.2	7.5	22.8	20.0	44.5	100.0	521
	Aleppo	4.3	3.7	18.3	19.6	54.1	100.0	2,033
	Rural-Dam	1.8	4.2	3.2	2.9	88.0	100.0	1,428
	Homs	2.7	1.8	3.1	6.7	85.7	100.0	912
	Hama	3.7	11.8	19.5	20.9	44.1	100.0	774
	Lattakia	2.3	12.4	22.1	16.5	46.7	100.0	394
	Idleb	2.3	6.2	12.8	13.0	65.6	100.0	818
	Hassake	2.2	4.7	14.9	28.4	49.9	100.0	599
	Deir Ezzor	0.0	0.5	0.2	19.8	79.5	100.0	550
	Tartous	4.3	15.6	23.7	5.8	50.6	100.0	417
	Raqqa	0.0	0.7	0.9	16.7	81.7	100.0	442
	Daraa	3.0	8.4	16.5	5.1	66.9	100.0	723
	Sweida	4.9	44.5	6.1	2.4	42.1	100.0	164
	Quneitra	1.3	12.7	12.7	2.5	70.9	100.0	79
	Urban_Rural	3.5	6.3	14.9	13.3	62.1	100.0	4,876
	Rural	2.3	6.4	10.3	14.2	66.8	100.0	4,977
Age	6-11 months	4.5	1.3	4.5	10.5	79.2	100.0	867
	12-23 months	6.2	5.6	6.8	11.2	70.1	100.0	2,083
	24-35 months	2.7	8.6	12.1	13.0	63.6	100.0	2,410
	36-47 months	1.3	6.9	16.9	15.3	59.6	100.0	2,609
	48-59 months	0.8	5.8	17.3	17.0	59.1	100.0	1,885
Mother's education	None	1.1	1.9	8.7	20.5	67.8	100.0	1,759
	Primary	2.7	4.7	11.7	14.5	66.4	100.0	3,686
	Secondary	3.6	9.0	14.5	10.6	62.4	100.0	3,553
	Higher institutions	3.3	12.2	17.2	10.4	56.9	100.0	548
	University+	5.5	10.1	15.3	9.4	59.7	100.0	308
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	2.1	3.1	8.4	21.0	65.5	100.0	2,094
	Second	2.6	7.0	11.8	10.8	67.8	100.0	2,288
	Middle	2.4	6.0	13.2	10.8	67.6	100.0	2,116
	Fourth	3.0	7.7	14.7	12.5	62.2	100.0	1,725
	Richest	5.0	8.6	16.0	13.8	56.6	100.0	1,631
Total		2.9	6.3	12.6	13.8	64.4	100.0	9,854

* MICS indicator 42

Table NU.7: Post-partum mother's Vitamin A supplementation
Percentage of women aged 15-49 years with a birth in the 2 last years preceding the survey
whether they received a high dose Vitamin A supplement before the infant was 8 weeks
old, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Received Vitamin A supplement*	Not sure if received Vitamin A	Number of women aged 15-49 years
Governorates	Damascus	13.3	5.8	240
	Aleppo	11.6	16.3	734
	Rural-Dam	16.2	3.4	613
	Homs	18.2	7.2	373
	Hama	35.1	7.4	296
	Lattakia	46.7	5.3	150
	Idleb	11.6	4.4	319
	Hassake	6.6	17.7	243
	Deir Ezzor	10.1	10.5	257
	Tartous	25.8	7.4	163
	Raqqa	6.3	15.4	175
	Daraa	23.9	3.8	289
	Sweida	53.3	0.0	75
	Quneitra	(19.4)	(9.7)	31
Urban_Rural	Urban	17.3	8.9	1,988
	Rural	18.3	8.7	1,969
Education	None	9.9	14.9	609
	Primary	15.4	9.7	1,535
	Secondary	21.7	5.9	1,452
	Higher institutions	24.4	7.0	229
	University+	28.6	6.0	133
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	12.1	14.3	815
	Second	18.0	6.5	972
	Middle	19.6	7.0	877
	Fourth	18.0	7.8	666
	Richest	22.2	8.9	626
Total		17.8	8.8	3,958

* MICS indicator 43

Table NU.8 : Low birth weight infants
Percentage of live births in the 2 years preceding the survey that weighed below 2500 grams at birth,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Percent of live births:		
		below 2500 grams *	weighed at birth **	Number of live births
Governorates	Damascus	11.9	53.3	240
	Aleppo	8.2	33.1	734
	Rural-Dam	10.0	83.4	613
	Homs	8.0	63.8	373
	Hama	9.2	51.7	296
	Lattakia	10.8	78.0	150
	Idleb	8.4	21.0	319
	Hassake	10.9	17.7	243
	Deir Ezzor	9.7	24.1	257
	Tartous	8.5	82.2	163
	Raqqa	10.8	18.9	175
	Daraa	10.3	37.0	289
	Sweida	7.0	68.0	75
	Quneitra	(9.6)	(22.6)	31
	Urban_Rural			
	Urban	9.5	55.9	1,988
	Rural	9.3	39.7	1,969
Education	None	8.8	16.9	609
	Primary	9.2	39.6	1,535
	Secondary	10.0	62.3	1,452
	Higher institutions	9.5	73.4	229
Wealth index quintiles	University+	7.7	83.5	133
	Poorest	9.5	19.9	815
	Second	9.6	45.1	972
	Middle	9.4	56.4	877
	Fourth	8.5	57.5	666
	Richest	9.9	66.3	626
Total		9.4	47.9	3,958

* 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, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006 (mother with cards only)

	BCG *	DPT 1	DPT 2	DPT 3 **	Polio 0	Polio 1	Polio 2	Polio 3 ****	Measles ****	All *****	None	Number of children aged 12-23 months
Vaccination card	99.9	99.4	96.6	91.2	99.9	99.3	96.7	91.3	92.4	87.8	0.0	1,152
Mother's report	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	1,152
Either	99.9	99.4	96.8	91.6	99.9	99.4	96.9	91.7	92.4	87.8	0.0	1,152
Vaccinated by 12 months of age	99.7	98.6	95.6	89.0	99.7	98.6	95.8	88.9	85.2	79.0	0.1	1,152

* MICS Indicator 25

** MICS Indicator 27

*** MICS Indicator 26

**** MICS Indicator 28 ; MDG Indicator 15

***** MICS Indicator 31

Table CH.1A: 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, Syria, 2006

	BCG *	DPT 1	DPT 2	DPT 3 **	Polio 0	Polio 1	Polio 2	Polio 3 ***	Measles ****	All *****	None	Number of children aged 12-23 months
Vaccination card	56.6	57.0	55.6	52.5	56.4	56.2	54.7	51.7	52.0	49.4	0.0	2,083
Mother's report	33.2	31.4	28.5	24.1	17.9	33.1	30.4	24.1	28.7	17.5	9.4	2,083
Either	89.8	88.5	84.0	76.6	74.3	89.2	85.2	75.8	80.7	66.9	9.4	2,083
Vaccinated by 12 months of age	89.6	87.8	83.0	74.5	74.2	88.5	84.2	73.5	74.4	60.2	9.5	2,083

* MICS Indicator 25

** MICS Indicator 27

*** MICS Indicator 26

**** MICS Indicator 28 ; MDG Indicator 15

***** MICS Indicator 31

Table CH.1Ac 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, Syria, 2006

	HepB1	HepB2	HepB3*	Number of children aged 12-23 months
Vaccination card	57.3	57.2	53.1	2,083
Mother's report	31.4	28.4	24.0	2,083
Either	88.8	85.6	77.1	2,083
Vaccinated by 12 months of age	88.6	84.9	71.4	2,083

* MICS Indicator 29

Table CH.2: Vaccinations by background characteristics
Percentage of children aged 12-23 months currently vaccinated against childhood diseases, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006 (mothers with cards only)

		BCG*	DPT1	DPT2**	DPT3***	Polio 0	Polio 1	Polio 2	Polio 3***	MMR***	All****	None	Number of children aged 12-23 months
Sex	Male	100.0	99.2	96.9	91.6	100.0	99.2	97.0	91.8	92.9	87.5	0.0	609
	Female	99.8	99.6	96.7	91.5	99.8	99.6	96.7	91.5	91.9	88.0	0.0	543
Governorates	Damascus	100.0	100.0	98.4	95.2	100.0	100.0	98.4	95.2	96.8	91.9	0.0	62
	Aleppo	100.0	100.0	96.7	82.7	100.0	100.0	96.7	82.7	90.0	78.0	0.0	150
	Rural-Dam	100.0	99.5	98.6	96.8	100.0	99.5	98.6	96.8	95.0	94.1	0.0	220
	Homa	100.0	99.3	98.5	96.3	100.0	99.3	98.5	96.3	94.8	91.8	0.0	134
	Hama	100.0	98.1	94.4	91.6	100.0	98.1	95.3	92.5	90.7	85.0	0.0	107
	Lattakia	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.3	96.6	96.6	0.0	58
	Idleb	98.8	100.0	93.7	87.5	98.8	100.0	93.7	87.5	91.2	85.0	0.0	80
	Hassake	100.0	98.3	90.0	81.7	100.0	98.3	90.0	81.7	81.7	78.3	0.0	60
	Deir Ezzor	100.0	100.0	88.9	75.9	100.0	100.0	88.9	75.9	81.5	64.8	0.0	54
	Tartous	100.0	100.0	98.7	97.3	100.0	100.0	98.7	97.3	94.7	94.7	0.0	75
	Raqqqa	100.0	100.0	100.0	89.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	89.7	86.2	86.2	0.0	29
	Daraa	100.0	98.8	98.8	93.1	100.0	98.8	98.8	93.1	96.6	90.8	0.0	87
	Sweida	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	0.0	26
	Quneitra	100.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	100.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	90.0	0.0	10
	Urban_Rural	100.0	99.6	96.7	92.5	100.0	99.6	96.8	92.6	93.9	89.0	0.0	571
	Rural	99.8	99.1	96.9	90.7	99.8	99.1	96.9	90.7	91.0	86.6	0.0	581
Mother's education	None	100.0	99.1	90.6	76.9	100.0	99.1	90.6	76.9	79.5	68.4	0.0	117
	Primary	99.8	99.3	97.4	91.2	99.8	99.3	97.4	91.2	90.7	86.3	0.0	431
	Secondary	100.0	99.4	97.3	94.5	100.0	99.4	97.5	94.7	95.5	92.0	0.0	489
	Higher institutions	100.0	100.0	98.6	95.8	100.0	100.0	98.6	95.8	98.6	94.4	0.0	71
Wealth index quintiles	University+	100.0	100.0	97.7	95.5	100.0	100.0	97.7	95.5	100.0	95.5	0.0	44
	Poorest	100.0	98.4	94.0	83.7	100.0	98.4	94.0	83.7	88.6	81.0	0.0	184
	Second	99.7	99.1	96.9	91.7	99.7	99.1	96.9	91.7	89.8	86.7	0.0	324
	Middle	100.0	100.0	97.5	95.0	100.0	100.0	97.5	95.0	95.5	91.3	0.0	242
	Fourth	100.0	100.0	97.4	92.7	100.0	100.0	97.4	92.7	91.7	87.0	0.0	193
	Richest	100.0	99.5	97.6	93.3	100.0	99.5	98.1	93.8	97.1	91.9	0.0	209
Total		99.9	99.4	96.8	91.6	99.9	99.4	96.9	91.7	92.4	87.8	0.0	1,152

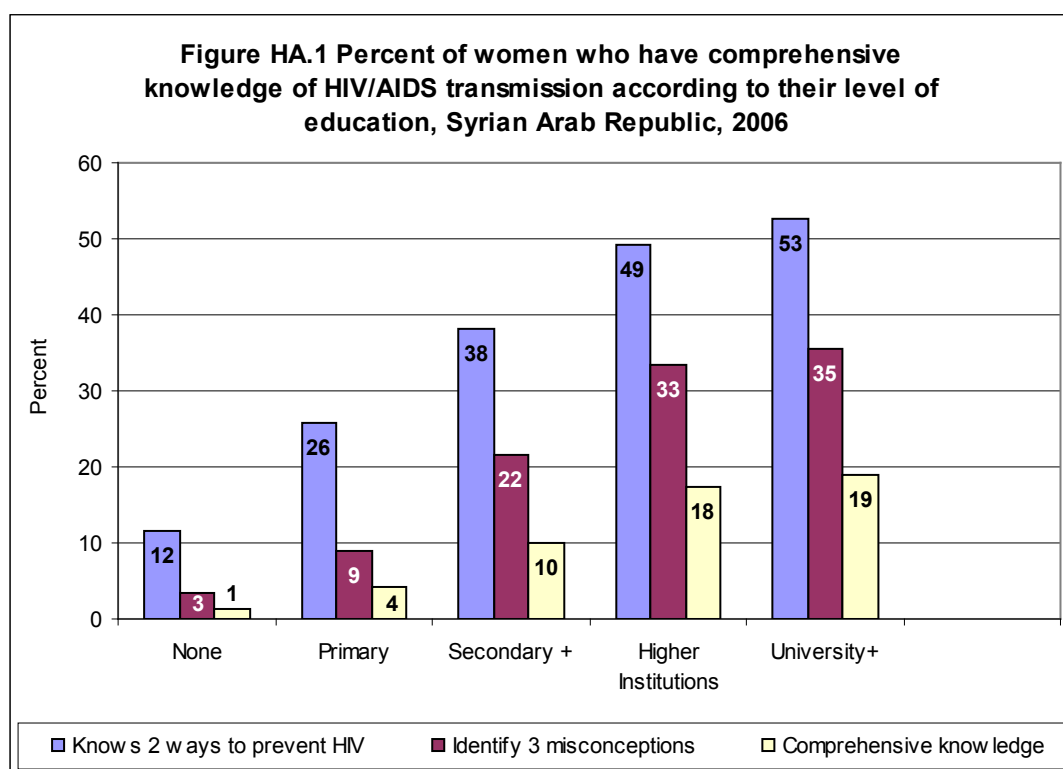
* MICS Indicator 25

** MICS Indicator 27

*** MICS Indicator 26

Table CH.2c: Vaccinations by background characteristics (continued)
Percentage of children aged 12-23 months currently vaccinated against childhood diseases, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		HepB1	HepB2	HepB3	Percent with health card	Number of children aged 12-23 months
Sex	Male	100.0	99.2	92.9	100.0	609
	Female	99.8	99.8	91.9	100.0	543
Governorates	Damascus	100.0	100.0	96.8	100.0	62
	Aleppo	100.0	100.0	90.0	100.0	150
	Rural-Dam	100.0	99.5	95.0	100.0	220
	Homa	100.0	99.3	94.8	100.0	134
	Hama	100.0	99.1	90.7	100.0	107
	Lattakia	100.0	100.0	96.6	100.0	58
	Idleb	98.8	100.0	91.2	100.0	80
	Hassake	100.0	98.3	81.7	100.0	60
	Deir Ezzor	100.0	100.0	81.5	100.0	54
	Tartous	100.0	100.0	94.7	100.0	75
	Raqqa	100.0	100.0	86.2	100.0	29
	Daraa	100.0	98.8	96.6	100.0	87
	Sweida	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	26
	Quneitra	100.0	90.0	90.0	100.0	10
	Urban	100.0	99.6	93.9	100.0	571
	Rural	99.8	99.3	91.0	100.0	581
Mother's education	None	100.0	99.1	79.5	100.0	117
	Primary	99.8	99.5	90.7	100.0	431
	Secondary	100.0	99.4	95.5	100.0	489
	Higher institutions	100.0	100.0	98.6	100.0	71
	University+	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	44
Total		99.9	99.5	92.4	100.0	1,152



Knowledge of mother – to – child transmission of HIV is also an important first step for women to seek HIV testing when they are pregnant to avoid infection in the baby. Women should know that HIV can be transmitted during pregnancy, delivery, and through breastfeeding. The level of knowledge among women age (15-49) years concerning mother-to-child transmission is presented in Table HA.4. Overall, (71.3) percent of women know that HIV can be transmitted from mother to child. The percentage of women who know all three ways of mother-to-child transmission is (19.7) percent, while (7.2) percent of women did not of any way.

Women's knowledge of HIV transmission from mother to child varies between urban and rural areas as well as by governorate; (75.9) percent in urban areas as compared to (65.8) percent in rural ones; as high as (90.8) percent in Lattakia in contrast to as low as (30.9) percent in Raqqa. The percentage also rises with the mother's / caretaker's education and it is higher among rich households than among poor ones.

The indicators on attitudes toward people living with HIV measure stigma and discrimination in the community. Stigma and discrimination are low if respondents report an accepting attitude on the following four questions:

- 1) would care for family member sick with AIDS;
- 2) would buy fresh vegetables from a vendor who was HIV positive;
- 3) thinks that a female teacher who is HIV positive should be allowed to teach in school;
- 4) would not want to keep HIV status of a family member a secret.

Table CH.2A: Vaccinations by background characteristics (Continued)
Percentage of children aged 12-23 months currently vaccinated against childhood diseases, Syria, 2006
(Mother's report and vaccination cards)

		BCG	DPT1	DPT2	DPT3	Polio 0	Polio 1	Polio 2	Polio 3	MMR	All	None	Percent with health card	Number of children aged 12-23 months
Sex	Male	89.7	88.3	84.3	76.2	74.7	89.1	85.5	75.9	80.1	66.0	9.6	54.6	1,115
	Female	90.0	88.7	83.7	77.1	73.8	89.5	84.7	75.7	81.4	68.0	9.1	56.1	968
Governorates	Damascus	98.3	95.5	86.4	69.1	91.4	100.0	83.6	69.8	95.7	57.5	0.0	52.1	119
	Aleppo	84.6	81.9	77.6	66.9	51.3	83.8	80.6	69.7	73.3	58.6	14.6	39.1	384
	Rural-Dam	91.8	91.5	88.3	85.8	86.5	90.9	88.6	84.9	86.3	80.8	8.2	68.7	320
	Homs	95.5	94.4	91.3	88.2	84.9	94.9	93.9	82.3	87.5	75.8	4.5	67.0	200
	Hama	95.6	94.9	89.1	83.3	84.7	94.9	90.4	82.7	85.8	70.4	3.2	65.6	163
	Lattakia	98.7	100.0	89.7	80.8	92.3	96.2	91.0	83.3	97.4	76.9	0.0	74.4	78
	Idleb	82.9	83.8	79.9	75.3	65.4	83.5	80.4	74.1	76.7	68.5	15.8	48.8	164
	Hassake	93.1	91.6	86.3	75.6	68.9	90.2	84.1	72.0	72.1	58.9	6.8	45.5	132
	Deir Ezzor	70.5	68.9	62.3	50.8	54.8	72.2	65.1	42.9	50.4	31.4	27.0	39.4	137
	Tartous	89.6	87.6	84.8	83.8	86.9	90.7	86.0	84.1	87.8	78.3	7.5	69.4	108
	Raqqa	88.8	87.6	86.5	68.5	70.0	87.8	84.4	74.4	75.9	60.5	11.1	32.2	90
	Daraa	94.8	92.4	88.4	82.2	80.0	94.1	92.5	80.6	87.7	71.9	5.2	62.1	140
	Sweida	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	3.3	86.7	30
	Quneitra	82.4	76.5	76.5	76.5	64.7	76.5	76.5	76.5	72.2	72.2	17.6	55.6	18
	Urban_Rural	90.8	89.7	85.3	77.6	75.7	90.6	85.7	76.7	84.6	68.5	8.4	54.4	1,050
	Rural	88.8	87.3	82.8	75.5	72.9	87.9	84.6	74.9	76.8	65.3	10.4	56.2	1,033
Mother's education	None	79.7	78.3	70.5	56.2	54.0	79.6	72.3	58.6	60.6	43.4	19.0	35.9	326
	Primary	88.0	87.0	83.8	77.4	70.5	87.5	84.7	75.0	77.4	65.8	11.0	54.3	793
	Secondary	95.2	93.6	89.4	83.4	84.6	93.8	90.2	82.6	89.9	75.7	4.7	64.5	758
	Higher institutions	93.0	91.3	87.3	80.9	83.7	93.8	89.1	79.8	89.9	77.5	6.2	55.0	129
	University+	92.0	90.4	83.6	78.1	80.0	93.3	86.7	81.3	90.9	72.4	5.3	57.1	77
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	83.9	81.2	74.3	63.7	60.1	81.9	76.7	62.9	66.3	51.4	15.2	42.5	433
	Second	89.0	88.8	85.7	77.7	74.8	88.7	86.0	77.2	80.0	68.2	9.9	60.4	536
	Middle	91.8	91.2	86.9	81.8	79.5	91.7	87.6	79.9	85.0	70.6	7.2	56.8	426
	Fourth	91.6	89.3	86.4	79.1	77.7	91.6	86.4	78.3	84.9	69.9	8.1	55.5	348
	Richest	94.3	93.0	87.5	81.7	81.5	93.7	90.1	82.1	89.7	76.5	5.4	61.5	340
Total		89.8	88.5	84.0	76.6	74.3	89.2	85.2	75.8	80.7	66.9	9.4	55.3	2,083

Table CH.2Ac: Vaccinations by background characteristics (continued)
Percentage of children aged 12-23 months currently vaccinated against childhood diseases, Syria, 2006
(mothers report and vaccination cards)

		HepB1	HepB2	HepB3	Percent with health card	Number of children aged 12-23 months
Sex	Male	88.8	85.6	76.9	54.6	1,115
	Female	88.8	85.5	77.3	56.1	968
Governorates	Damascus	95.5	87.3	70.0	52.1	119
	Aleppo	81.9	79.0	69.8	39.1	384
	Rural-Dam	91.8	88.9	84.5	68.7	320
	Homs	94.9	91.8	87.2	67.0	200
	Hama	96.2	92.3	82.7	65.6	163
	Lattakia	100.0	89.7	79.5	74.4	78
	Idleb	83.1	83.1	77.3	48.8	164
	Hassake	92.4	90.1	75.6	45.5	132
	Deir Ezzor	68.9	67.2	53.3	39.4	137
	Tartous	87.6	85.7	81.9	69.4	108
	Raqqa	87.6	86.5	67.4	32.2	90
	Daraa	93.2	88.4	84.5	62.1	140
	Sweida	96.7	96.7	96.7	86.7	30
	Quneitra	82.4	76.5	76.5	55.6	18
Urban_Rural	Urban	89.9	86.9	78.4	54.4	1,050
	Rural	87.7	84.2	75.7	56.2	1,033
Mother's education	None	78.6	73.7	57.1	35.9	326
	Primary	87.3	85.0	77.1	54.3	793
	Secondary	94.0	90.7	84.1	64.5	758
	Higher institutions	91.3	88.1	82.5	55.0	129
	University+	90.4	84.9	80.8	57.1	77
Total		88.8	85.6	77.1	55.3	2,083

Table CH.3: Neonatal tetanus protection
Percentage of mothers with a birth in the last 12 months protected against neonatal tetanus,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Percentage of mothers with a birth in the last 12 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, the last within 5 years	Received at least 4 doses, the last within 10 years	Received at least 5 doses during lifetime	Protected against tetanus *	
Governorates	Damascus	10.0	21.2	1.7	0.8	0.0	33.7	240
	Aleppo	16.8	16.9	1.5	0.8	0.4	36.4	734
	Rural-Dam	9.0	16.0	2.4	1.8	1.0	30.2	613
	Homs	8.3	18.2	4.0	2.7	0.8	34.0	373
	Hama	10.1	28.4	5.1	2.0	2.4	48.0	296
	Lattakia	14.0	19.3	2.0	0.7	0.0	36.0	150
	Idleb	6.0	15.4	2.2	1.9	1.3	26.7	319
	Hassake	12.3	18.5	6.2	1.6	1.2	39.9	243
	Deir Ezzor	19.8	12.1	4.7	0.8	0.0	37.4	257
	Tartous	14.1	29.4	1.2	1.8	0.6	47.2	163
	Raqqa	29.1	15.4	4.6	0.0	0.0	49.1	175
	Daraa	9.0	25.3	5.9	5.9	4.2	50.2	289
	Sweida	4.0	22.7	6.7	18.7	8.0	60.0	75
	Quneitra	(3.2)	(25.8)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(29.0)	31
	Urban_Rural							
	Urban	13.4	19.0	3.0	1.8	1.3	38.6	1,988
	Rural	11.3	19.0	3.5	2.3	1.0	37.0	1,969
Age	15-19	18.2	15.0	1.2	0.0	0.4	34.8	247
	20-24	14.1	20.4	2.7	0.8	0.6	38.5	1,002
	25-29	11.8	20.1	3.6	2.2	0.7	38.3	1,114
	30-34	11.0	20.3	4.1	2.6	0.7	38.8	801
	35-39	11.1	17.1	3.1	4.2	2.4	37.8	551
	40-44	9.8	12.7	3.4	1.5	4.9	32.2	205
	45-49	(5.3)	(10.5)	(5.3)	(7.9)	(2.6)	(31.6)	38
	None	12.2	12.0	3.1	1.1	0.7	29.1	609
Education	Primary	12.5	16.8	2.6	1.3	0.8	34.0	1,535
	Secondary	11.8	23.5	4.2	3.1	1.3	43.9	1,452
	Higher institutions	14.0	21.8	3.5	2.2	0.9	42.4	229
	University+	14.3	22.6	0.8	3.8	6.0	47.4	133
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	11.2	15.1	3.1	2.0	0.6	31.9	815
	Second	11.4	20.3	3.9	1.8	1.1	38.6	972
	Middle	12.7	20.0	3.5	1.7	1.1	39.0	877
	Fourth	12.8	19.1	3.3	2.6	1.7	39.3	666
	Richest	14.4	20.6	2.1	2.6	1.3	40.9	626
Total		12.3	19.0	3.3	2.1	1.1	37.8	3,958

* 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), Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

			Number of children aged 0-59 months	children with diarrhoea who received:				ORT use rate *	Number of children aged 0-59 months with diarrhoea
				Fluid from ORS packet	Recommended homemade fluid	Pre-packaged ORS fluid	No treatment		
Sex	Male	8.5	5,804	35.0	29.9	25.8	30.9	69.1	492
	Female	7.7	5,213	32.4	32.2	22.3	33.9	66.1	404
Governorates	Damascus	9.5	591	66.1	44.6	17.9	5.4	94.6	56
	Aleppo	6.3	2,284	37.8	35.0	35.0	16.8	83.2	143
	Rural-Dam	10.5	1,598	22.2	36.5	14.4	44.3	55.7	167
	Homs	6.5	1,032	28.4	34.3	25.4	23.9	76.1	67
	Hama	7.2	838	56.7	26.7	28.3	21.7	78.3	60
	Lattakia	4.5	440	50.0	35.0	15.0	20.0	80.0	20
	Idleb	9.7	927	15.6	13.3	31.1	50.0	50.0	90
	Hassake	11.5	668	28.6	28.6	24.7	42.9	57.1	77
	Deir Ezzor	10.7	626	53.7	43.3	13.4	23.9	76.1	67
	Tartous	2.7	447	33.3	25.0	25.0	33.3	66.7	12
	Raqqa	10.0	491	42.9	12.2	57.1	24.5	75.5	49
	Daraa	7.1	808	21.1	29.8	15.8	40.3	59.7	57
	Sweida	13.9	180	12.0	24.0	0.0	64.0	36.0	25
	Quneitra	6.9	87	*	*	*	*	*	6
Urban_Rural	Urban	8.3	5,486	37.6	28.9	25.4	28.9	71.1	457
	Rural	7.9	5,531	29.8	33.0	23.0	35.8	64.2	439
Age	< 6 months	9.0	1,163	26.7	17.1	19.0	49.5	50.5	105
	6-11 months	18.0	867	31.4	30.1	18.0	39.1	60.9	156
	12-23 months	11.2	2,083	38.6	26.2	24.5	33.5	66.5	233
	24-35 months	6.8	2,410	32.3	35.4	25.0	28.0	72.0	164
	36-47 months	5.8	2,609	38.8	40.1	26.3	21.7	78.3	152
	48-59 months	4.6	1,885	27.9	37.2	36.1	22.1	77.9	86
Mother's education	None	8.0	1,947	34.2	29.7	31.6	31.6	68.4	155
	Primary	8.8	4,164	34.1	26.7	24.5	33.2	66.8	367
	Secondary	8.2	3,961	33.2	34.5	21.5	31.7	68.3	325
	Higher institutions	5.8	608	34.3	48.6	17.1	22.9	77.1	35
	University+	4.2	337	35.7	28.6	14.3	50.0	50.0	14
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	8.9	2,342	31.1	33.0	24.9	36.4	63.6	209
	Second	8.8	2,536	32.3	33.6	23.8	33.6	66.4	223
	Middle	8.3	2,396	34.0	23.5	19.5	36.0	64.0	200
	Fourth	8.1	1,927	36.9	33.1	26.1	24.8	75.2	157
	Richest	5.9	1,816	37.4	31.8	29.9	25.2	74.8	107
Total		8.1	11,017	33.8	30.9	24.2	32.3	67.7	896

* 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, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Had diarrhoea in last two weeks	Number of children aged 0-59 months	Children with diarrhoea who drank more	Children with diarrhoea who drank the same or less	Children with diarrhoea who ate somewhat less, same or more	Children with diarrhoea who ate much less or none	Home management of diarrhoea *	Received ORT or increased fluids AND continued feeding **	Number of children aged 0-59 months with diarrhoea
Sex	Male	8.5	5,804	34.6	63.8	49.8	48.2	15.9	36.2	492
	Female	7.7	5,213	34.9	61.9	44.6	53.0	15.3	31.7	404
Governorates	Damascus	9.5	591	12.5	85.7	25.0	75.0	3.6	23.2	56
	Aleppo	6.3	2,284	58.7	39.9	44.8	53.9	25.9	37.8	143
	Rural-Dam	10.5	1,598	45.5	54.5	47.3	52.1	19.8	33.5	167
	Homs	6.5	1,032	31.3	65.7	56.7	43.3	17.9	47.8	67
	Hama	7.2	838	23.3	76.7	55.0	41.7	6.7	40.0	60
	Lattakia	4.5	440	*	*	*	*	*	*	20
	Idleb	9.7	927	28.9	62.2	35.6	56.7	7.8	13.3	90
	Hassake	11.5	668	22.1	75.3	54.5	42.9	14.3	33.8	77
	Deir Ezzor	10.7	626	26.9	71.6	61.2	31.3	17.9	50.7	67
	Tartous	2.7	447	*	*	*	*	*	*	12
	Raqqa	10.0	491	24.5	75.5	30.6	67.3	10.2	24.5	49
	Daraa	7.1	808	31.6	64.9	57.9	42.1	15.8	43.9	57
	Sweida	13.9	180	(28.0)	(72.0)	(56.0)	(44.0)	(16.0)	(32.0)	25
	Quneitra	6.9	87	*	*	*	*	*	*	6
Urban_Rural	Urban	8.3	5,486	37.6	61.3	44.0	54.9	16.2	33.0	457
	Rural	7.9	5,531	31.7	64.7	51.0	45.6	15.0	35.3	439
Age	0-11 months	12.9	2,030	24.1	71.6	56.3	39.1	12.3	33.3	261
	12-23 months	11.2	2,083	39.9	58.4	42.5	56.7	17.6	35.2	233
	24-35 months	6.8	2,410	37.8	61.0	40.9	56.7	14.6	31.7	164
	36-47 months	5.8	2,609	34.9	65.1	39.5	59.9	11.2	27.6	152
	48-59 months	4.6	1,885	46.5	48.8	60.5	38.4	30.2	50.0	86
Mother's education	None	8.0	1,947	30.3	69.0	42.6	53.6	10.3	28.4	155
	Primary	8.8	4,164	35.7	60.8	43.9	53.4	17.2	33.0	367
	Secondary	8.2	3,961	34.8	63.1	52.6	46.2	15.4	37.2	325
	Higher institutions	5.8	608	(45.7)	(54.3)	(57.1)	(42.9)	(28.6)	(42.9)	35
	University+	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	14
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	8.9	2,342	30.6	67.5	49.8	46.4	15.3	36.8	209
	Second	8.8	2,536	35.9	61.4	48.0	50.2	14.3	32.7	223
	Middle	8.3	2,396	34.5	64.0	46.5	51.5	17.5	33.0	200
	Fourth	8.1	1,927	37.6	58.6	44.6	54.1	14.6	31.2	157
	Richest	5.9	1,816	36.4	61.7	47.7	50.5	16.8	38.3	107
Total		8.1	11,017	34.7	62.9	47.4	50.3	15.6	34.2	896

* MICS indicator 34

** MICS indicator 35

Table CH.6: Care seeking for suspected pneumonia
Percentage of children aged 0-59 months in the last two weeks taken to a health provider, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Had acute respiratory infection	Number of children aged 0-59 months	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 or friend	Traditional practitioner	Other	Any appropriate provider *	Number of children aged 0-59 months with suspected pneumonia
Sex	Male	5.7	5,804	8.2	17.0	0.9	0.6	0.3	0.0	7.9	53.2	10.3	0.3	0.0	0.9	0.6	1.8	79.9	329
	Female	5.0	5,213	10.0	13.8	1.5	0.4	0.8	0.0	7.7	45.6	13.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.8	72.8	261
Governorates	Damascus	6.1	591	(11.1)	(33.3)	(5.6)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(16.7)	(38.9)	(19.4)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(83.3)	36
	Aleppo	4.3	2,284	3.0	20.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	54.6	11.1	0.0	0.0	2.0	1.0	0.0	79.8	99
	Rural-Dam	7.9	1,598	4.7	8.7	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.8	44.1	9.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4	67.7	127
	Homs	6.1	1,032	14.3	20.6	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.8	36.5	4.8	0.0	1.6	0.0	0.0	3.2	79.4	63
	Hama	5.0	838	(9.5)	(26.2)	(4.8)	(7.1)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(11.9)	(38.1)	(7.1)	(2.4)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(85.7)	42
	Lattakia	7.5	440	(27.3)	(6.1)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(3.0)	(0.0)	(3.0)	(75.8)	(9.1)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(90.9)	33
	Idleb	4.2	927	(2.6)	(7.7)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(2.6)	(0.0)	(5.1)	(53.9)	(12.8)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(2.6)	(0.0)	(5.1)	(66.7)	39
	Hassake	6.9	668	(8.7)	(6.5)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(58.7)	(23.9)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(73.9)	46
	Deir Ezzor	3.5	626	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	22
	Tartous	4.5	447	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	20
	Raqqa	3.7	491	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	18
	Daraa	4.1	808	(0.0)	912.1	(0.0)	(0.0)	(3.0)	(0.0)	(12.1)	(60.6)	(6.1)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(3.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(72.70)	33
	Sweida	6.1	180	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	11
	Quneitra	1.1	87	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1
	Urban_Rural	Urban	6.0	5,486	10.1	15.2	1.2	0.6	0.9	9.5	53.7	10.1	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.6	2.1	80.5	328
	Rural	4.7	5,531	7.6	16.0	1.1	0.4	0.0	0.0	5.7	45.0	13.7	0.4	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.4	72.1	262
Age	0-11 months	6.2	2,030	9.6	14.4	2.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	14.4	48.8	7.2	0.8	0.8	0.0	0.0	1.6	82.4	125
	12-23 months	6.6	2,083	8.7	14.5	0.7	0.0	0.7	0.0	8.0	49.3	10.9	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.7	1.4	75.4	138
	24-35 months	5.2	2,410	7.1	14.3	0.8	2.4	0.0	0.0	7.1	47.6	17.5	0.0	0.0	1.6	0.0	0.8	72.2	126
	36-47 months	4.9	2,609	9.4	18.0	1.6	0.0	0.8	0.0	2.3	54.7	10.9	0.8	0.0	0.8	0.8	0.8	78.9	128
	48-59 months	3.9	1,885	11.0	17.8	0.0	0.0	1.4	0.0	6.8	48.0	12.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	74.0	73
	Mother's education	None	4.4	1,947	9.3	19.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.5	44.2	18.6	0.0	0.0	1.2	1.2	2.3	68.6	86
Mother's education	Primary	5.2	4,164	9.7	15.7	0.9	0.9	0.5	0.0	7.8	42.4	12.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.9	72.8	217
	Secondary	5.8	3,961	8.3	13.5	1.7	0.4	0.9	0.0	9.6	52.6	10.4	0.9	0.0	0.9	0.0	1.7	79.6	230
	Higher institutions	5.9	608	(5.6)	(22.2)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(11.1)	(69.4)	(2.8)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(91.7)	36
	University+	6.2	337	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	21
	Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	4.1	2,342	8.4	18.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.1	45.3	17.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	71.6	95
Wealth index quintiles	Second	5.6	2,536	9.2	13.5	1.4	1.4	0.0	0.0	7.1	38.3	14.2	0.7	0.0	1.4	0.0	0.7	66.7	141
	Middle	6.0	2,396	7.7	12.6	2.1	0.0	0.7	0.0	12.6	52.4	9.8	0.7	0.0	1.4	0.7	2.8	81.1	143
	Fourth	5.3	1,927	7.8	18.6	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	8.8	51.0	7.8	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	79.4	102
	Richest	6.0	1,816	11.9	16.5	0.9	0.0	0.9	0.0	6.4	64.2	9.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9	1.8	86.2	109
Total		5.4	11,017	9.0	15.6	1.2	0.5	0.5	0.0	7.8	49.8	11.7	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.3	1.4	76.8	590

* MICS indicator 23

Table CH.7: Antibiotic treatment of pneumonia
Percentage of children aged 0-59 months with suspected pneumonia who received antibiotic treatment, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Percentage of children aged 0-59 months with suspected pneumonia who received antibiotics in the last two weeks *	Number of children aged 0-59 months with suspected pneumonia in the two weeks prior to the survey
Sex	Male	70.2	329
	Female	72.0	261
Governorates	Damascus	72.2	36
	Aleppo	79.8	99
	Rural-Dam	52.0	127
	Homs	66.7	63
	Hama	(71.4)	42
	Lattakia	(78.8)	33
	Idleb	(71.8)	39
	Hassake	(91.3)	46
	Deir Ezzor	*	22
	Tartous	*	20
	Raqqa	*	18
	Daraa	*	33
	Sweida	*	11
	Quneitra	100.0	1
Urban_Rural	Urban	75.3	328
	Rural	65.6	262
Age	0-11 months	68.8	125
	12-23 months	67.4	138
	24-35 months	72.2	126
	36-47 months	75.8	128
	48-59 months	71.2	73
Mother's education	None	70.9	86
	Primary	66.8	217
	Secondary	72.2	230
	Higher institutions	(86.1)	36
	University+	*	21

Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	71.6	95
	Second	64.5	141
	Middle	63.6	143
	Fourth	79.4	102
	Richest	80.7	109
Total		71.0	590

* 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, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Percentage of mother/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 difficulty breathing	Has blood in stool	Is drinking poorly	Has other symptoms		
Governorates	Damascus	20.3	52.3	77.5	49.7	58.7	59.2	27.7	16.6	37.7	591
	Aleppo	20.6	68.0	83.3	46.2	51.4	43.4	13.3	14.8	40.7	2,284
	Rural-Dam	11.1	48.1	82.4	23.8	43.7	27.4	9.3	23.3	20.6	1,598
	Homs	24.4	58.6	72.6	29.8	54.1	38.1	15.4	26.5	26.0	1,032
	Hama	24.6	75.8	89.6	47.6	52.4	50.0	23.5	10.1	43.1	838
	Lattakia	29.5	66.1	90.7	45.0	53.9	51.8	20.0	21.4	35.5	440
	Idleb	16.8	72.1	75.5	26.9	44.3	28.2	10.4	21.9	20.1	927
	Hassake	10.0	44.9	90.9	24.6	42.1	23.7	12.0	48.8	18.0	668
	Deir Ezzor	24.9	68.2	86.6	20.5	34.5	35.8	16.3	11.5	18.1	626
	Tartous	41.6	87.7	98.9	48.1	70.0	64.4	30.0	23.5	46.5	447
	Raqqa	31.0	73.1	77.4	30.3	67.2	28.3	15.1	60.3	24.0	491
	Daraa	26.6	67.1	81.7	39.5	51.4	49.1	10.3	4.7	34.2	808
	Sweida	10.0	26.1	82.2	7.2	13.9	17.2	4.4	53.9	7.2	180
	Quneitra	1.1	83.9	98.9	1.1	25.3	12.6	0.0	27.6	0.0	87
	Urban_Rural										
Mother's education	Urban	21.8	60.9	84.3	38.4	52.3	40.5	16.0	20.7	32.4	5,486
	Rural	20.1	65.6	81.7	31.9	46.9	38.1	13.7	23.3	27.5	5,531
	None	17.3	64.9	80.6	29.9	44.0	33.8	11.5	24.3	23.9	1,947
	Primary	20.6	64.6	82.2	34.4	49.5	39.0	13.6	21.0	29.6	4,164
	Secondary	22.1	61.9	84.0	37.1	51.6	41.7	16.7	21.8	31.8	3,961
	Higher institutions	25.3	62.2	86.7	41.9	54.4	43.7	19.9	22.4	35.9	608
	University+	24.0	55.8	87.2	40.7	51.6	39.5	19.0	22.6	37.4	337
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	18.1	63.0	82.1	30.9	45.2	34.6	11.7	26.1	25.4	2,342
	Second	20.5	64.8	82.1	33.2	49.4	39.5	14.0	20.5	28.6	2,536
	Middle	21.8	61.7	82.8	33.3	48.2	38.8	13.9	22.1	28.3	2,396
	Fourth	21.7	63.7	82.6	36.1	50.5	41.2	16.8	19.6	30.6	1,927
	Richest	23.1	63.1	85.9	44.8	56.4	43.7	19.4	21.1	39.4	1,816
Total		20.9	63.3	83.0	35.2	49.6	39.3	14.9	22.0	30.0	11,017

Table CH.8: Solid fuel use
Percent distribution of households according to type of cooking fuel, and percentage of households
used solid fuels for cooking, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Type of fuel using for cooking			Total	Solid fuels for cooking *	Number of households
		Electricity	Liquid propane gas (LPG)	Other			
Governorates	Damascus	1.4	98.6	0.0	100.0	0.0	1,971
	Aleppo	0.6	99.2	0.3	100.0	0.3	4,523
	Rural-Dam	2.4	97.6	0.0	100.0	0.0	2,571
	Homs	1.9	97.7	0.4	100.0	0.4	1,630
	Hama	0.9	98.8	0.3	100.0	0.3	1,395
	Lattakia	1.1	98.8	0.1	100.0	0.0	1,064
	Idleb	0.7	99.3	0.0	100.0	0.0	1,174
	Hassake	1.2	97.9	0.9	100.0	0.1	1,002
	Deir Ezzor	5.6	89.6	4.9	100.0	2.1	826
	Tartous	0.7	98.9	0.4	100.0	0.3	871
	Raqqa	1.1	98.4	0.5	100.0	0.4	737
	Daraa	1.9	97.8	0.3	100.0	0.3	782
	Sweida	0.3	99.2	0.5	100.0	0.5	378
	Quneitra	2.1	97.9	0.0	100.0	0.0	97
Urban_Rural	Urban	1.7	98.2	0.1	100.0	0.0	10,722
	Rural	1.1	98.0	0.3	100.0	0.6	8,297
Education of household head	None	1.1	97.6	1.2	100.0	0.8	4,116
	Primary	1.0	98.6	0.4	100.0	0.2	6,186
	Secondary	1.7	98.2	0.2	100.0	0.1	6,072
	Higher institutions	1.4	98.6	0.0	100.0	0.0	1,156
	University+	2.9	97.1	0.1	100.0	0.0	1,462
Wealth index quintiles	Missing/DK	3.8	96.2	0.0	100.0	0.0	26
	Poorest	1.4	96.4	2.2	100.0	1.4	3,520
	Second	1.6	98.2	0.2	100.0	0.0	3,622
	Middle	1.6	98.4	0.0	100.0	0.0	3,889
	Fourth	1.5	98.5	0.0	100.0	0.0	3,541
	Richest	1.1	98.9	0.0	100.0	0.0	4,447
Total		1.4	98.1	0.4	100.0	0.3	19,019

* MICS indicator 24; MDG indicator 29

Table EN.1: Use of improved water sources
Percent distribution of household population according to main source of drinking water and percentage of household members using improved drinking water sources, Syrian Arab Republic, 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/standpipe	Tubewell/borehole	Protected well	Protected spring	Rainwater collection	Bottled water	Unprotected well	Unprotected spring	Tanker-truck	Cart with small tank/drum	Surface water	Other			
Governorates	Damascus	99.2	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	100.0	99.6	9,359
	Aleppo	74.1	0.8	0.1	4.4	10.6	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.0	9.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	100.0	90.4	24,682
	Rural-Dam	49.0	0.2	0.5	1.1	1.5	0.1	0.0	1.8	0.3	0.0	45.0	0.2	0.0	0.3	100.0	54.2	14,399
	Homs	85.9	1.3	0.0	6.2	2.8	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.1	0.0	1.8	0.0	0.0	1.4	100.0	96.6	9,178
	Hama	86.8	3.0	0.0	2.3	4.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.3	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.2	100.0	96.8	8,237
	Lattakia	86.2	0.7	0.0	6.8	3.7	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.2	100.0	97.5	5,020
	Idleb	82.1	2.7	1.9	0.6	5.7	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.9	0.1	5.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	93.8	7,079
	Hassake	50.2	3.7	0.1	3.0	8.8	0.4	0.0	0.2	2.6	0.6	29.4	0.9	0.0	0.0	100.0	66.4	6,724
	Deir Ezzor	78.0	8.8	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	12.4	0.4	0.4	0.0	100.0	86.9	5,689
	Tartous	95.2	0.2	0.0	0.1	2.4	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	99.9	4,499
	Raqqqa	79.5	11.7	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.3	0.2	0.0	0.1	100.0	92.4	4,765
	Daraa	97.7	0.3	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	98.5	5,371
	Sweida	98.1	1.8	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	100.0	99.9	1,765
	Quneitra	97.3	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	99.0	599
Urban_Rural	Urban	91.3	0.9	0.1	0.3	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	6.2	0.1	0.0	0.2	100.0	93.5	56,930
	Rural	61.9	3.5	0.5	4.8	8.6	0.6	0.0	0.4	0.8	0.3	17.9	0.2	0.0	0.3	100.0	80.4	50,435
Education of household head	None	68.3	3.6	0.4	3.3	6.8	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.7	0.1	15.4	0.2	0.1	0.3	100.0	83.3	23,002
	Primary	74.1	2.3	0.2	2.6	5.4	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.2	13.9	0.2	0.0	0.1	100.0	85.1	36,043
	Secondary	83.1	1.2	0.2	1.9	2.8	0.3	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.2	9.3	0.1	0.0	0.3	100.0	89.9	34,399
	Higher Institutions	85.6	1.2	0.2	2.5	2.6	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.9	0.1	6.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	92.7	6,451
	University+	89.8	1.3	0.3	1.1	1.0	0.1	0.0	0.6	0.1	0.1	5.4	0.1	0.0	0.2	100.0	94.2	7,346
Wealth index quintiles	Missing/DK	86.3	0.0	0.0	8.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	94.4	124
	Poorest	34.9	7.7	0.8	7.1	17.6	1.0	0.1	0.3	1.8	0.4	27.2	0.5	0.1	0.5	100.0	69.5	21,473
	Second	76.3	1.5	0.2	3.6	3.6	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.3	13.2	0.1	0.0	0.4	100.0	85.9	21,444
	Middle	83.3	0.7	0.1	1.2	0.9	0.1	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	12.8	0.1	0.0	0.2	100.0	86.8	21,988
	Fourth	93.8	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.0	4.9	0.0	0.0	0.1	100.0	94.9	19,309
	Richest	99.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	99.3	23,151
Total		77.5	2.1	0.3	2.4	4.4	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.2	11.7	0.1	0.0	0.3	100.0	87.3	107,365

* MICS indicator 11; MDG indicator 30

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 members that applied an appropriate water treatment method, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Water treatment method used in the household									All drinking water sources Appropriate water treatment method *	Number of household members	Improved drinking water Appropriate water treatment method	Number of household members	Unimproved drinking water sources Appropriate water treatment method	Number of household members
		None	Boil	Add bleach/chlorine	Strain through a cloth	Use water filter	Solar disinfection	Let it stand and settle	Other	Don't know						
Governorates	Damascus	97.7	0.8	0.1	0.3	1.0	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.1	1.9	9,359	2.0	9,321	(0.0)	38
	Aleppo	99.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.7	24,682	0.7	22,295	0.3	2,388
	Rural-Dam	89.5	3.1	4.4	0.2	2.7	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.1	9.8	14,399	14.8	7,537	4.3	6,861
	Homs	88.7	1.2	2.6	3.9	3.4	0.0	3.6	0.0	0.0	7.1	9,178	7.2	8,823	5.6	355
	Hama	93.2	0.2	5.6	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	6.3	8,237	6.6	7,971	0.0	266
	Lattakia	91.1	1.0	1.0	1.8	4.5	0.0	4.6	0.1	0.0	6.0	5,020	6.2	4,891	0.0	129
	Idleb	98.1	0.1	0.7	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.1	0.1	0.8	7,079	0.8	6,622	0.0	457
	Hassake	96.7	0.5	0.6	0.1	1.2	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	2.4	6,724	3.6	4,452	0.0	2,273
	Deir Ezzor	60.7	10.2	0.8	0.5	15.9	0.5	20.7	0.3	0.4	21.9	5,689	24.1	4,943	7.2	746
	Tartous	99.8	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	4,499	0.2	4,494	*	5
	Raqqa	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4,765	0.0	4,403	0.0	362
	Daraa	99.4	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.5	5,371	0.5	5,292	0.0	79
	Sweida	92.6	0.0	0.5	0.6	6.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.9	1,765	6.9	1,764	*	1
	Quneitra	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	599	0.0	593	*	6
Urban_Rural	Urban	93.0	1.4	1.2	0.7	3.2	0.0	1.7	0.1	0.1	5.3	56,930	5.3	53,040	5.7	3,890
	Rural	94.5	1.1	1.7	0.4	0.9	0.1	2.2	0.0	0.0	3.6	50,435	4.1	40,361	1.5	10,075
Education of household head	None	95.5	0.6	1.0	0.4	0.9	0.1	2.2	0.0	0.0	2.4	23,002	2.8	19,076	0.9	3,926
	Primary	94.3	1.2	1.4	0.6	1.4	0.0	1.9	0.0	0.1	3.8	36,043	3.9	30,599	3.2	5,443
	Secondary	93.0	1.5	1.7	0.5	2.5	0.1	1.9	0.0	0.1	5.3	34,399	5.5	30,771	3.6	3,628
	Higher institutions	92.6	2.0	1.3	0.4	3.3	0.0	1.8	0.0	0.0	5.9	6,451	6.1	5,965	3.7	486
	University+	89.2	1.6	1.8	0.3	7.3	0.1	1.7	0.3	0.0	9.7	7,346	10.0	6,872	4.4	474
Wealth index quintiles	Missing/DK	87.1	0.0	0.0	2.4	10.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.5	124	11.1	117	0.0	7
	Poorest	96.0	0.8	0.7	0.2	0.2	0.0	2.6	0.0	0.0	1.8	21,473	2.2	14,850	0.7	6,623
	Second	93.7	1.5	1.8	0.6	1.1	0.1	2.3	0.0	0.0	4.2	21,444	4.4	18,368	3.4	3,076
	Middle	94.0	1.5	1.3	0.8	1.8	0.1	1.7	0.0	0.1	4.1	21,988	4.1	18,971	4.0	3,017
	Fourth	93.4	1.5	1.8	0.6	2.4	0.0	1.5	0.0	0.2	5.1	19,309	4.8	18,261	9.5	1,048
	Richest	91.5	1.1	1.7	0.5	5.1	0.1	1.5	0.1	0.0	7.3	23,151	7.4	22,951	0.0	200
Total		93.7	1.3	1.5	0.5	2.2	0.1	1.9	0.0	0.1	4.5	107,365	4.8	93,400	2.7	13,965

* MICS indicator 13

Table EN.3: Time to source of water
Percent 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, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Time to source of drinking water							Mean time to source of drinking water (excluding those on premises)	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	DK	Total		
Governorates	Damascus	99.6	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.3	100.0	30.0	1,971
	Aleppo	86.1	5.3	1.0	2.3	2.5	2.9	100.0	29.6	4,523
	Rural-Dam	54.0	41.7	2.4	0.6	0.8	0.5	100.0	8.5	2,571
	Homs	94.7	2.4	0.9	0.6	0.7	0.7	100.0	29.1	1,630
	Hama	93.9	4.4	0.8	0.1	0.4	0.4	100.0	12.5	1,395
	Lattakia	94.8	3.7	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.6	100.0	7.5	1,064
	Idleb	89.6	6.2	1.6	0.9	0.9	0.8	100.0	17.1	1,174
	Hassake	82.8	11.0	1.7	1.1	0.9	2.5	100.0	13.7	1,002
	Deir Ezzor	87.8	0.0	0.0	0.2	6.4	5.6	100.0	116.8	826
	Tartous	95.9	2.3	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.0	100.0	20.3	871
	Raqqqa	92.4	0.7	0.0	0.4	4.7	1.8	100.0	112.6	737
	Daraa	98.2	0.4	0.1	0.5	0.6	0.1	100.0	35.7	782
	Sweida	99.7	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	15.0	378
Quneitra	97.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.1	100.0	.	97	
Urban_Rural	Urban	93.3	5.2	0.6	0.1	0.2	0.6	100.0	9.9	10,722
	Rural	78.0	13.2	1.5	1.8	3.0	2.5	100.0	23.5	8,297
Education of household head	None	83.7	8.3	1.3	1.4	2.5	2.8	100.0	28.7	4,116
	Primary	83.8	10.5	1.0	1.2	1.8	1.6	100.0	19.6	6,186
	Secondary	89.0	8.3	0.9	0.4	0.6	0.7	100.0	13.3	6,072
	Higher Institutions	91.3	5.9	1.0	0.3	1.0	0.6	100.0	17.1	1,156
	University+	93.3	5.7	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	100.0	11.7	1,462
	Missing/DK	96.2	3.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	10.0	26
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	65.3	15.3	2.6	4.1	6.6	6.2	100.0	31.9	3,520
	Second	83.3	13.0	1.5	0.4	0.7	1.1	100.0	11.9	3,622
	Middle	87.3	11.4	0.8	0.2	0.2	0.2	100.0	8.2	3,889
	Fourth	95.0	4.5	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	100.0	7.6	3,541
	Richest	99.2	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	100.0	11.1	4,447
Total		86.6	8.7	1.0	0.9	1.4	1.4	100.0	19.6	19,019

Table EN.4: Person collecting water
Percent distribution of households according to the person collecting water used in the household,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Person collecting drinking water							Number of households
		Adult woman	Adult man	Female child (under 15)	Male child (under 15)	DK	Missing	Total	
Governorates	Damascus	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	7
	Aleppo	30.6	66.9	0.3	1.1	1.1	0.0	100.0	631
	Rural-Dam	8.9	89.6	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.0	100.0	1,166
	Homs	12.6	83.9	0.0	0.0	3.4	0.0	100.0	87
	Hama	28.2	49.4	3.5	4.7	12.9	1.2	100.0	85
	Lattakia	47.3	41.8	0.0	3.6	7.3	0.0	100.0	55
	Idleb	48.4	44.3	2.5	0.8	4.1	0.0	100.0	122
	Hassake	69.2	25.6	0.6	0.0	4.7	0.0	100.0	172
	Deir Ezzor	5.9	83.2	2.0	1.0	7.9	0.0	100.0	101
	Tartous	(44.4)	(55.6)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(100.0)	36
	Raqqa	5.4	91.1	0.0	1.8	1.8	0.0	100.0	56
	Daraa	35.7	57.2	7.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	14
	Sweida	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1
	Quneitra	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	2
Urban_Rural	Urban	8.8	88.6	0.6	0.4	1.4	0.1	100.0	713
	Rural	27.7	68.1	0.7	1.0	2.5	0.0	100.0	1,821
Education of household head	None	31.8	63.1	1.0	1.3	2.7	0.0	100.0	670
	Primary	21.2	75.5	0.7	0.9	1.7	0.0	100.0	1,001
	Secondary	17.6	79.6	0.3	0.2	2.3	0.2	100.0	665
	Higher Institutions	19.0	76.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	0.0	100.0	100
	University+	6.1	90.8	0.0	1.0	2.0	0.0	100.0	98
	Missing/DK	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	1
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	33.2	62.0	0.7	1.1	2.9	0.0	100.0	1,221
	Second	17.7	79.7	1.0	0.2	1.3	0.2	100.0	606
	Middle	9.8	86.6	0.4	1.2	2.0	0.0	100.0	492
	Fourth	3.9	95.5	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	100.0	178
	Richest	(0.0)	(97.3)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(2.7)	(0.0)	(100.0)	37
Total		22.4	73.9	0.7	0.8	2.2	0.0	100.0	2,534

Table EN.5: Use of sanitary means of excreta disposal
Percent distribution of household population according to type of toilet used by the household and the percentage of household members using sanitary means of excreta disposal, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Type of toilet facility used by household						Total	Percentage of population using sanitary means of excreta disposal *	Number of households members
		Improved sanitation facility			Unimproved sanitation facility					
		Flush to piped sewer system	Flush to septic tank	Ventilated Improved Pit latrine (VIP)	Pit latrine without slab/open pit	No facilities or bush or field	Other			
Governorates	Damascus	99.1	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	100.0	99.8	1,970
	Aleppo	75.1	3.7	18.1	1.8	1.0	0.2	100.0	97.0	4,522
	Rural-Dam	96.5	0.9	2.1	0.3	0.1	0.0	100.0	99.5	2,571
	Homs	88.4	2.7	8.0	0.4	0.5	0.0	100.0	99.1	1,630
	Hama	61.9	9.6	26.7	1.6	0.1	0.1	100.0	98.1	1,395
	Lattakia	83.1	5.4	11.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	100.0	99.6	1,064
	Idleb	62.5	20.5	14.7	1.6	0.6	0.0	100.0	97.8	1,174
	Hassake	48.4	6.5	34.2	4.3	6.5	0.1	100.0	89.1	1,002
	Deir Ezzor	55.4	10.2	32.0	0.5	1.9	0.0	100.0	97.6	826
	Tartous	68.7	8.2	22.2	0.9	0.1	0.0	100.0	99.0	871
	Raqqa	36.5	1.8	46.3	12.1	3.3	0.1	100.0	84.5	737
	Daraa	51.9	17.6	27.9	1.4	0.9	0.3	100.0	97.4	782
	Sweida	46.8	29.1	20.1	2.6	1.1	0.3	100.0	96.0	378
	Quneitra	43.3	3.1	52.6	1.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	99.0	97
Urban_Rural	Urban	96.6	1.1	2.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	100.0	99.7	10,717
	Rural	46.2	12.7	35.4	3.5	2.1	0.2	100.0	94.2	8,302
Education of household head	None	60.3	9.3	24.8	3.2	2.2	0.2	100.0	94.3	4,117
	Primary	73.3	5.8	18.2	1.6	1.0	0.0	100.0	97.4	6,186
	Secondary	80.1	5.3	12.9	1.1	0.5	0.0	100.0	98.4	6,072
	Higher Institutions	81.1	5.1	12.6	0.7	0.3	0.1	100.0	98.9	1,156
	University+	91.9	2.7	5.0	0.3	0.1	0.1	100.0	99.6	1,462
	Missing/DK	92.3	3.8	3.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	100.0	26
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	17.3	13.8	56.5	7.1	5.0	0.3	100.0	87.6	3,522
	Second	58.9	13.6	25.7	1.3	0.3	0.2	100.0	98.2	3,623
	Middle	90.4	4.1	5.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	100.0	99.8	3,889
	Fourth	98.5	0.7	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.1	100.0	99.9	3,540
	Richest	99.9	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	100.0	4,445
Total		74.6	6.1	16.6	1.6	1.0	0.1	100.0	97.3	19,019

* MICS Indicator 12; MDG Indicator 31

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, Syrian Arab Republic, 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	
Governorates	Damascus	99.6	99.9	99.5	9,359
	Aleppo	90.4	97.0	88.8	24,682
	Rural-Dam	54.2	99.5	54.0	14,399
	Homs	96.6	98.8	96.0	9,178
	Hama	96.8	98.0	94.9	8,237
	Lattakia	97.5	99.6	97.3	5,020
	Idleb	93.8	98.0	92.3	7,079
	Hassake	66.4	89.3	63.6	6,724
	Deir Ezzor	86.9	97.1	85.7	5,689
	Tartous	99.9	98.8	98.8	4,499
	Raqqa	92.4	85.0	80.2	4,765
	Daraa	98.5	97.3	96.8	5,371
	Sweida	99.9	96.0	96.0	1,765
	Quneitra	99.0	98.5	97.5	599
Urban_Rural	Urban	93.5	99.7	93.2	56,930
	Rural	80.4	94.2	77.1	50,435
Education of household head	None	83.3	93.8	80.1	23,002
	Primary	85.1	97.1	83.5	36,043
	Secondary	89.9	98.4	88.8	34,399
	Higher Institutions	92.7	98.6	91.5	6,451
	University+	94.2	99.6	93.8	7,346
Wealth index quintiles	Missing/DK	94.4	100.0	94.4	124
	Poorest	69.5	87.7	63.2	21,473
	Second	85.9	98.1	84.1	21,444
	Middle	86.8	99.8	86.6	21,988
	Fourth	94.9	99.9	94.9	19,309
Wealth index quintiles	Richest	99.3	100.0	99.3	23,151
Total		87.3	97.1	85.6	107,365

* MICS indicator 11; MDG indicator 30

** MICS indicator 12; MDG indicator 31

Table RH.1: Use of contraception
Percentage of women aged 15-49 years married or in union who are using (or whose partner is using) a contraceptive method, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Percent of women (currently married or in union) who are using:														Number of women currently married or in union	
		Not using any method	Female sterilization	Pill	IUD	Injectons	Condom	Diaphragm/foam/jelly	LAM	Periodic abstinence	Withdrawal	Other	Total	Any modern method	Any traditional method		Any method *
Governorates	Damascus	29.2	0.1	14.1	40.3	0.7	2.6	0.0	2.8	8.1	1.4	0.5	100.0	58.0	12.9	70.8	1,181
	Aleppo	40.2	1.3	17.1	27.1	2.4	1.5	0.1	3.7	5.1	1.2	0.2	100.0	49.6	10.2	59.8	3,148
	Rural-Dam	35.6	1.5	13.3	26.1	0.2	2.1	0.2	3.5	12.2	4.2	1.0	100.0	43.5	20.9	64.4	2,071
	Homs	40.5	0.8	8.9	29.3	0.6	0.9	0.5	5.8	10.3	1.7	0.7	100.0	41.0	18.4	59.5	1,209
	Hama	43.8	1.5	9.1	27.5	0.3	0.5	0.1	2.7	12.9	0.7	0.9	100.0	39.0	17.2	56.2	964
	Lattakia	29.5	0.7	10.7	29.9	0.1	1.5	0.0	5.3	20.1	0.1	2.0	100.0	42.9	27.6	70.5	685
	Idleb	42.8	1.5	16.0	19.5	1.1	0.6	0.4	6.0	8.9	1.5	1.7	100.0	39.1	18.1	57.2	811
	Hassake	55.9	1.8	5.7	18.0	0.4	0.4	0.4	6.0	8.9	2.2	0.3	100.0	26.7	17.3	44.1	733
	Deir Ezzor	62.2	0.3	15.3	13.4	0.7	0.5	0.0	5.4	1.6	0.0	0.5	100.0	30.3	7.5	37.8	614
	Tartous	34.1	2.6	7.3	26.0	0.2	5.1	0.0	2.8	20.1	0.0	1.8	100.0	41.2	24.7	65.9	607
	Raqqa	66.3	0.6	13.8	10.3	0.2	0.2	0.4	2.9	4.0	1.1	0.2	100.0	25.4	8.2	33.7	523
	Daraa	56.9	1.0	13.0	18.5	0.7	2.0	0.0	2.4	3.6	0.4	1.0	100.0	35.6	7.4	43.1	713
	Sweida	25.1	1.1	8.6	28.7	1.4	3.9	0.7	6.8	13.3	9.0	1.4	100.0	44.4	30.5	74.9	279
	Quneitra	63.0	0.0	6.2	18.5	1.2	6.2	0.0	1.2	3.7	0.0	0.0	100.0	32.1	4.9	37.0	81
Urban_Rural	Urban	36.5	1.2	14.3	29.8	0.9	1.8	0.2	3.3	9.4	1.8	0.7	100.0	48.2	15.2	63.5	7,598
	Rural	48.2	1.2	11.0	20.6	1.0	1.3	0.2	5.0	9.0	1.5	0.8	100.0	35.4	16.4	51.8	6,019
Age	15-19	78.4	0.0	6.0	3.8	0.5	0.4	0.4	7.3	2.9	0.2	0.0	100.0	11.2	10.4	21.6	546
	20-24	59.6	0.0	11.3	13.8	0.3	0.7	0.3	6.7	5.9	1.3	0.2	100.0	26.3	14.1	40.4	1,811
	25-29	43.9	0.1	14.7	23.4	0.6	1.5	0.1	6.3	7.3	1.9	0.2	100.0	40.3	15.8	56.1	2,536
	30-34	35.6	0.5	15.3	30.4	0.9	2.1	0.2	4.5	9.3	0.9	0.4	100.0	49.4	15.0	64.4	2,533
	35-39	30.3	1.2	15.1	34.1	1.1	1.6	0.1	3.1	10.6	2.0	0.8	100.0	53.2	16.5	69.7	2,643
	40-44	31.1	2.8	11.7	32.3	1.9	1.7	0.3	1.4	12.9	2.5	1.4	100.0	50.7	18.1	68.9	2,139
	45-49	48.9	3.7	7.7	19.9	1.0	2.7	0.1	0.2	11.0	2.1	2.6	100.0	35.2	15.9	51.1	1,409
Number of living children	0	98.6	0.0	0.2	0.6	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.4	0.0	0.1	100.0	0.8	0.6	1.4	1,089
	1	66.5	0.0	9.4	4.9	0.2	1.1	0.2	6.8	9.2	1.5	0.2	100.0	15.8	17.6	33.5	1,315
	2	38.6	0.1	13.7	25.6	0.5	1.9	0.1	5.3	11.9	1.9	0.4	100.0	42.0	19.4	61.4	2,188
	3	31.1	0.9	13.6	34.1	0.7	2.0	0.1	4.6	10.8	1.7	0.4	100.0	51.4	17.5	68.9	2,313
	4+	32.3	2.0	15.1	31.1	1.5	1.7	0.3	3.5	9.2	2.0	1.3	100.0	51.8	16.0	67.7	6,712
Mother's education	None	54.8	2.1	12.5	17.1	1.7	0.7	0.2	3.0	5.7	1.2	0.9	100.0	34.3	10.9	45.2	2,649
	Primary	42.5	1.3	14.1	24.6	1.2	1.4	0.1	4.9	7.2	1.8	0.8	100.0	42.6	14.8	57.5	4,734
	Secondary	36.5	0.7	13.0	29.3	0.5	2.1	0.3	4.0	11.0	1.9	0.7	100.0	46.0	17.5	63.5	4,850
	Higher institutions	33.7	0.9	9.2	32.4	0.2	1.7	0.0	3.7	16.0	1.7	0.5	100.0	44.4	21.9	66.3	887
	University+	29.0	0.6	9.5	35.2	0.2	3.6	0.4	2.2	16.9	1.8	0.4	100.0	49.7	21.3	71.0	497
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	58.2	0.9	11.0	14.8	1.2	1.1	0.3	5.5	5.2	1.3	0.5	100.0	29.4	12.4	41.8	2,372
	Second	47.2	1.2	12.4	20.1	1.0	1.6	0.2	5.0	8.6	1.7	0.9	100.0	36.6	16.3	52.8	2,674
	Middle	38.8	1.0	14.3	25.6	0.8	1.6	0.1	4.5	9.7	2.3	0.9	100.0	43.6	17.6	61.2	2,858
	Fourth	36.3	1.3	13.8	30.2	1.0	1.3	0.1	3.3	10.0	1.9	0.8	100.0	47.7	16.0	63.7	2,577
	Richest	31.7	1.4	12.6	35.2	0.8	2.2	0.2	2.3	11.6	1.3	0.7	100.0	52.5	15.9	68.3	3,136
Total		41.7	1.2	12.9	25.7	0.9	1.6	0.2	4.0	9.2	1.7	0.8	100.0	42.6	15.7	58.3	13,618

* MICS indicator 21; MDG indicator 19C

Table RH.2: Unmet need for contraception
Percentage of women aged 15-49 years currently married or in union with an unmet need for family planning and percentage of demand for contraception satisfied, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Current use of contraception*	Unmet need for contraception - For spacing**	Unmet need for contraception - For limiting***	Unmet need for contraception - Total ****	Number of women currently married or in union	Percentage of demand for contraception satisfied *****	Number of women currently married or in union with need for contraception
Governorates	Damascus	70.8	3.1	3.9	6.9	1,181	91.1	919
	Aleppo	59.8	3.3	3.1	6.4	3,148	90.3	2,087
	Rural-Dam	64.4	4.2	7.5	11.8	2,071	84.5	1,577
	Homs	59.5	5.2	5.0	10.3	1,209	85.3	843
	Hama	56.2	6.8	9.4	16.3	964	77.5	699
	Lattakia	70.5	1.6	1.5	3.1	685	95.8	504
	Idleb	57.2	6.2	7.6	13.8	811	80.6	576
	Hassake	44.1	4.5	10.8	15.3	733	74.3	435
	Deir Ezzor	37.8	6.5	8.5	15.0	614	71.6	324
	Tartous	65.9	3.8	8.9	12.7	607	83.9	477
	Raqqa	33.7	7.1	12.2	19.3	523	63.5	277
	Daraa	43.1	12.8	8.0	20.8	713	67.5	455
	Sweida	74.9	2.5	3.9	6.4	279	92.1	227
	Quneitra	(37.0)	(8.6)	(6.2)	(14.8)	(81)	(71.4)	42
Urban_Rural	Urban	63.5	4.3	4.9	9.2	7,598	87.4	5,518
	Rural	51.8	5.5	7.9	13.4	6,019	79.5	3,923
Age	15-19	21.6	11.5	0.9	12.5	546	63.4	186
	20-24	40.4	12.6	1.7	14.2	1,811	73.9	989
	25-29	56.1	7.4	3.1	10.5	2,536	84.2	1,688
	30-34	64.4	3.8	5.8	9.6	2,533	87.0	1,875
	35-39	69.7	2.6	7.8	10.4	2,643	87.0	2,116
	40-44	68.9	0.5	10.2	10.7	2,139	86.5	1,702
	45-49	51.1	0.2	11.4	11.6	1,409	81.5	884
Education	None	45.2	3.5	10.4	13.9	2,649	76.5	1,565
	Primary	57.5	5.3	5.3	10.6	4,734	84.4	3,222
	Secondary	63.5	5.3	5.2	10.5	4,850	85.8	3,587
	Higher Institutions	66.3	5.1	5.2	10.3	887	86.6	679
	University+	71.0	2.8	4.0	6.8	497	91.2	387
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	41.8	6.4	7.6	14.0	2,372	74.9	1,324
	Second	52.8	6.0	7.6	13.5	2,674	79.6	1,774
	Middle	61.2	5.0	6.1	11.1	2,858	84.6	2,067
	Fourth	63.7	4.1	4.9	9.0	2,577	87.7	1,872
	Richest	68.3	3.0	5.3	8.3	3,136	89.2	2,404
Total		58.3	4.8	6.2	11.0	13,618	84.1	9,441

* MICS indicator 21; MDG indicator 19C

**** MICS indicator 98

***** MICS indicator 99

Table RH.3: Antenatal care provider
Percent distribution of women aged 15-49 who gave birth in the two years preceding the survey by type of personnel providing antenatal care, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Person providing antenatal care						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/ missing	No antenatal care received			
Governorates	Damascus	86.7	6.7	1.2	0.4	0.0	5.0	100.0	94.6	240
	Aleppo	49.3	25.5	0.8	2.7	0.3	21.4	100.0	75.6	734
	Rural-Dam	91.2	2.4	0.0	0.5	0.0	5.9	100.0	93.6	613
	Homs	81.5	3.5	0.0	0.8	0.0	14.2	100.0	85.0	373
	Hama	71.6	7.1	1.7	0.0	0.3	19.3	100.0	80.4	296
	Lattakia	94.0	2.7	0.0	0.0	0.7	2.7	100.0	96.7	150
	Idleb	59.9	6.6	0.6	0.3	0.3	32.3	100.0	67.1	319
	Hassake	79.4	1.2	1.2	0.8	0.0	17.3	100.0	81.9	243
	Deir Ezzor	68.1	5.8	3.1	4.7	0.0	18.3	100.0	77.1	257
	Tartous	99.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	100.0	99.4	163
	Raqqa	73.1	5.7	0.0	1.7	0.0	19.4	100.0	78.9	175
	Daraa	85.8	3.8	0.0	1.0	0.0	9.3	100.0	89.6	289
	Sweida	96.0	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	100.0	97.3	75
	Quneitra	(77.4)	(3.2)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(19.4)	100.0	(80.6)	31
	Urban_Rural									
Age	Urban	79.5	9.9	0.7	0.3	0.1	9.6	100.0	90.0	1,988
	Rural	71.0	6.2	0.7	2.1	0.2	19.8	100.0	77.9	1,969
Age	15-19	80.6	9.7	0.8	0.4	0.0	8.5	100.0	91.1	247
	20-24	76.8	8.2	0.6	1.0	0.1	13.3	100.0	85.6	1,002
	25-29	76.2	8.0	0.7	1.2	0.2	13.7	100.0	84.9	1,114
	30-34	74.5	7.2	0.5	1.0	0.1	16.6	100.0	82.3	801
	35-39	72.4	8.5	0.9	1.3	0.2	16.7	100.0	81.9	551
	40-44	68.3	6.8	1.0	2.9	0.0	21.0	100.0	76.1	205
	45-49	(65.8)	(10.5)	(0.0)	(7.9)	(0.0)	(15.8)	100.0	(76.3)	38
Education	None	52.7	9.0	2.0	5.1	0.3	30.9	100.0	63.7	609
	Primary	69.1	11.4	0.5	0.8	0.1	18.0	100.0	81.0	1,535
	Secondary	86.2	5.4	0.5	0.3	0.1	7.4	100.0	92.2	1,452
	Higher Institutions	94.8	3.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.2	100.0	97.8	229
	University+	96.2	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.3	100.0	97.7	133
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	58.5	8.3	1.2	4.2	0.4	27.4	100.0	68.0	815
	Second	75.0	6.8	0.6	0.7	0.0	16.9	100.0	82.4	972
	Middle	79.5	8.7	0.8	0.3	0.0	10.7	100.0	88.9	877
	Fourth	80.6	8.7	0.3	0.4	0.2	9.8	100.0	89.6	666
	Richest	85.9	8.0	0.3	0.2	0.2	5.4	100.0	94.2	626
Total		75.3	8.0	0.7	1.2	0.1	14.7	100.0	84.0	3,958

* MICS indicator 20

Table RH.4: Antenatal care content
Percentage of pregnant women receiving antenatal care among women aged 15-49 years who gave birth in two years preceding the survey and percentage of pregnant women receiving specific care as part of the antenatal care received, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

			Percent of pregnant women who had:				Number of women who gave birth in two years preceding survey
			Percent of pregnant women receiving ANC one or more times during pregnancy*	Blood sample taken	Blood pressure measured	Urine specimen taken	
Governorates	Damascus	95.0	85.4	92.5	82.9	92.9	240
	Aleppo	78.6	45.0	68.5	37.5	59.1	734
	Rural-Dam	94.1	67.4	87.3	67.2	80.4	613
	Homs	85.8	50.4	80.7	51.2	79.1	373
	Hama	80.7	57.8	69.6	57.8	63.5	296
	Lattakia	97.3	91.3	94.0	91.3	95.3	150
	Idleb	67.7	37.3	59.6	38.9	46.7	319
	Hassake	82.7	49.0	76.1	42.8	37.5	243
	Deir Ezzor	81.7	21.0	68.1	21.8	44.8	257
	Tartous	99.4	96.9	98.8	96.3	99.4	163
	Raqqa	80.6	30.3	69.2	33.2	46.3	175
	Daraa	90.7	46.4	74.4	45.0	65.7	289
	Sweida	97.3	80.0	97.3	80.0	97.3	75
	Quneitra	(80.6)	(16.1)	(41.9)	(19.4)	(29.0)	31
	Urban_Rural	Urban	90.4	63.8	84.2	61.1	75.9
Rural		80.2	44.6	69.4	43.9	57.7	1,969
Age	15-19	91.5	62.0	83.0	54.3	72.5	247
	20-24	86.7	56.1	78.0	54.3	68.7	1,002
	25-29	86.3	55.6	79.1	54.3	68.3	1,114
	30-34	83.4	54.7	75.3	54.2	65.7	801
	35-39	83.3	49.9	74.2	48.7	63.5	551
	40-44	79.0	44.4	66.8	42.9	60.0	205
	45-49	(84.2)	(21.1)	(65.8)	(18.4)	(50.0)	38
	Education	None	69.1	27.6	53.4	24.5	38.1
Primary		82.0	45.5	72.2	43.7	60.7	1,535
Secondary		92.6	67.8	87.0	67.0	79.8	1,452
Higher Institutions		97.8	77.3	93.9	76.4	87.3	229
University+		97.7	88.7	97.7	84.2	94.0	133
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	72.6	30.4	58.1	29.4	40.6	815
	Second	83.1	48.7	73.1	47.6	62.3	972
	Middle	89.3	60.4	82.2	58.2	74.1	877
	Fourth	90.2	63.7	85.1	61.1	79.3	666
	Richest	94.6	75.1	90.7	73.5	84.8	626
Total		85.3	54.2	76.8	52.6	66.9	3,958

* MICS indicator 44

Table RH.5: Assistance during delivery
Percent distribution of women aged 15-49 with a birth in two years preceding the survey by type of personnel assisting at delivery, Syrian Arab Republic, 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	Other	No attendant				
Governorates	Damascus	88.3	9.2	0.4	2.1	0.0	0.0	100.0	97.9	92.5	240
	Aleppo	41.8	47.5	1.8	7.9	0.8	0.1	100.0	91.2	53.6	734
	Rural-Dam	78.3	19.9	0.2	0.8	0.3	0.5	100.0	98.4	86.3	613
	Homs	67.0	27.9	1.1	2.9	0.8	0.3	100.0	96.0	69.7	373
	Hama	62.8	29.7	1.7	4.1	1.4	0.3	100.0	94.3	70.3	296
	Lattakia	84.6	13.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	100.0	98.0	87.2	149
	Idleb	46.7	41.4	1.9	5.0	0.6	4.4	100.0	90.0	61.1	319
	Hassake	49.4	26.8	4.1	16.9	1.6	1.2	100.0	80.3	58.9	243
	Deir Ezzor	42.4	36.2	6.6	14.0	0.8	0.0	100.0	85.2	56.4	257
	Tartous	92.6	6.7	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	100.0	93.9	163
	Raqqa	57.1	26.9	1.1	12.6	0.0	2.3	100.0	85.2	62.9	175
	Daraa	43.3	50.9	0.7	3.1	0.7	1.4	100.0	94.8	69.2	289
	Sweida	74.7	24.0	0.0	1.3	0.0	0.0	100.0	98.7	93.3	75
	Quneitra	(80.6)	(12.9)	(0.0)	96.5)	(0.0)	(0.0)	100.0	(93.5)	(90.3)	31
	Urban_Rural										
Urban_Rural	Urban	66.8	29.6	1.3	1.5	0.2	0.7	100.0	97.6	75.3	1,987
	Rural	54.3	32.2	1.9	9.5	1.1	1.0	100.0	88.4	65.5	1,969
Age	15-19	67.2	28.7	1.2	1.2	0.8	0.8	100.0	97.2	78.5	247
	20-24	61.4	31.2	1.8	4.4	0.4	0.8	100.0	94.4	72.0	1,001
	25-29	59.0	33.6	1.6	5.0	0.3	0.5	100.0	94.2	68.5	1,114
	30-34	58.7	31.7	1.0	6.6	0.7	1.2	100.0	91.4	70.0	801
	35-39	63.5	26.5	1.8	6.2	1.3	0.7	100.0	91.8	71.3	551
	40-44	57.1	28.8	2.4	8.8	1.5	1.5	100.0	88.3	63.9	205
	45-49	(55.3)	(15.8)	(0.0)	(26.3)	(0.0)	(2.6)	100.0	(71.1)	(60.5)	38
Mother's education	None	42.4	31.7	3.3	19.4	2.1	1.1	100.0	77.3	51.9	609
	Primary	54.5	37.1	1.7	5.1	0.5	1.2	100.0	93.3	66.3	1,535
	Secondary	68.9	27.8	1.0	1.4	0.2	0.6	100.0	97.8	78.1	1,451
	Higher institutions	79.0	19.2	0.4	0.9	0.0	0.4	100.0	98.7	85.2	229
	University+	90.2	9.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.0	100.0	99.2	94.0	133
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	42.4	32.5	2.7	18.7	1.9	1.7	100.0	77.6	55.3	815
	Second	57.9	35.1	2.1	3.6	0.6	0.7	100.0	95.1	71.2	972
	Middle	62.4	34.2	1.4	1.0	0.2	0.7	100.0	98.1	71.2	876
	Fourth	68.6	27.2	0.9	2.6	0.2	0.6	100.0	96.7	75.2	666
	Richest	77.2	21.4	0.3	0.6	0.0	0.5	100.0	98.9	82.6	626
Total		60.6	30.9	1.6	5.5	0.6	0.9	100.0	93.0	70.4	3,957

* MICS indicator 4; MDG indicator 17

** MICS indicator 5

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, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Percentage of children aged 0-59 months					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 engage in with the child	Living in a household without their natural father	
Sex	Male	55.0	3.8	57.4	1.1	1.8	5,804
	Female	55.1	3.8	54.7	1.1	1.7	5,213
Governorates	Damascus	78.0	4.9	76.6	1.5	1.2	591
	Aleppo	40.9	3.3	58.1	0.9	0.9	2,284
	Rural-Dam	68.1	4.3	63.1	1.0	1.0	1,598
	Homs	40.6	3.3	43.8	0.8	2.7	1,032
	Hama	60.3	3.9	60.1	1.2	0.8	838
	Lattakia	58.0	3.9	58.4	1.3	1.4	440
	Idleb	48.9	3.5	50.9	1.2	1.7	927
	Hassake	48.2	3.5	50.8	0.9	1.0	668
	Deir Ezzor	69.8	4.3	51.0	1.2	5.8	626
	Tartous	69.6	4.4	63.1	1.8	0.9	447
	Raqqa	45.6	3.3	46.0	1.0	0.8	491
	Daraa	58.2	3.8	45.8	1.1	2.5	808
	Sweida	66.1	4.2	58.9	1.5	13.3	180
	Quneitra	73.6	4.4	85.1	1.5	0.0	87
	Urban_Rural	60.1	4.0	61.2	1.2	1.3	5,486
	Rural	50.0	3.6	51.2	1.0	2.2	5,531
Age	0-23 months	34.8	3.0	47.7	0.9	1.8	4,113
	24-59 months	67.1	4.3	61.2	1.3	1.8	6,904
Mother's education	None	42.9	3.3	46.1	0.8	2.3	1,947
	Primary	49.2	3.5	53.7	1.0	1.6	4,164
	Secondary	62.9	4.1	60.4	1.3	1.9	3,961
	Higher Institutions	71.9	4.5	68.7	1.6	0.8	608
	University+	75.1	4.8	72.7	1.8	1.2	337
Father's education	None	42.1	3.2	45.5	0.7	0.0	837
	Primary	48.7	3.5	53.7	1.0	0.0	3,819
	Secondary	58.4	3.9	58.5	1.2	0.0	4,575
	Higher Institutions	65.8	4.2	66.0	1.5	0.0	830
	University+	66.4	4.3	55.8	1.3	20.6	953
Wealth index quintiles	Missing/DK	100.0	6.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3
	Poorest	40.7	3.2	47.4	0.9	2.0	2,342
	Second	54.3	3.7	52.5	1.1	2.2	2,536
	Middle	55.0	3.8	57.9	1.1	2.2	2,396
	Fourth	61.3	4.1	59.7	1.2	1.2	1,927
	Richest	68.0	4.4	66.6	1.4	0.8	1,816
Total		55.0	3.8	56.2	1.1	1.8	11,017

* MICS indicator 46

** MICS indicator 47

Table CD.2: Learning materials
Percentage of children aged 0-59 months living in households containing learning materials,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		children living in households with:		child has:		Child plays with:					3 or more types of playthings ***	Number of children aged 0-59 months
		3 or more non-children's books *	Median number of non-children's books	3 or more children's books **	Median number of children's books	Household objects	Objects and materials found outside the home	Homemade toys	Toys that came from a store	No playthings mentioned		
Sex	Male	62.3	8.0	30.0	0.0	28.5	30.5	37.7	68.9	13.9	19.7	5,804
	Female	63.0	9.0	30.2	0.0	30.4	27.7	36.7	67.9	14.4	18.8	5,213
Governorates	Damascus	76.5	10.0	57.4	3.0	40.3	18.3	39.3	86.6	7.1	24.4	591
	Aleppo	67.3	6.0	28.6	0.0	29.2	25.0	33.5	62.8	12.7	13.5	2,284
	Rural-Dam	68.1	10.0	35.7	0.0	14.9	16.1	21.0	80.8	11.3	8.0	1,598
	Homs	70.8	10.0	34.7	0.0	31.6	30.9	29.0	63.8	18.2	15.5	1,032
	Hama	66.2	10.0	24.9	0.0	30.6	30.2	40.5	72.3	14.3	21.1	838
	Lattakia	47.7	0.0	40.7	0.0	30.0	21.4	40.2	78.2	12.7	20.0	440
	Idleb	53.3	5.0	35.3	0.0	21.1	32.3	53.0	66.7	14.6	21.9	927
	Hassake	59.0	6.0	12.4	0.0	37.9	41.3	34.9	44.9	21.0	21.4	668
	Deir Ezzor	52.4	3.0	27.6	0.0	41.7	43.4	50.2	62.9	16.0	33.5	626
	Tartous	36.5	0.0	21.5	0.0	52.4	43.2	52.8	85.7	10.7	43.6	447
	Raqqa	49.7	1.0	8.1	0.0	16.5	38.1	43.0	46.4	18.9	12.6	491
	Daraa	60.9	10.0	20.4	0.0	32.2	35.5	50.0	66.6	17.5	30.2	808
	Sweida	72.2	10.0	52.2	3.0	46.7	41.7	30.0	92.2	6.1	35.0	180
	Quneitra	94.3	10.0	29.9	0.0	12.6	27.6	10.3	69.0	11.5	1.1	87
Urban_Rural	Urban	65.9	9.0	36.5	0.0	29.4	19.3	38.8	75.9	12.1	18.6	5,486
	Rural	59.4	7.0	23.7	0.0	29.3	39.0	35.7	61.0	16.1	20.0	5,531
Age	0-23 months	56.6	5.0	23.7	0.0	21.4	12.7	25.0	54.4	32.7	9.8	4,113
	24-59 months	66.2	10.0	33.9	0.0	34.1	39.0	44.5	76.7	3.1	25.0	6,904
Mother's education	None	58.8	9.0	14.4	0.0	35.3	45.2	36.5	46.7	16.8	20.0	1,947
	Primary	59.0	5.0	23.5	0.0	27.8	30.3	36.6	64.9	15.7	18.3	4,164
	Secondary	64.0	9.0	37.8	0.0	28.9	23.1	37.8	78.5	12.4	20.6	3,961
	Higher Institutions	79.8	10.0	54.6	3.0	25.3	18.7	42.1	84.5	8.7	18.1	608
	University+	83.7	10.0	66.2	6.0	27.9	12.2	33.8	88.4	8.6	15.1	337
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	53.0	4.0	12.0	0.0	33.2	48.0	34.1	44.6	18.7	19.2	2,342
	Second	56.5	5.0	22.5	0.0	29.0	34.3	37.7	67.7	15.5	21.0	2,536
	Middle	63.9	9.0	32.5	0.0	26.7	22.0	34.2	74.5	14.4	17.7	2,396
	Fourth	69.3	10.0	37.9	0.0	30.4	20.0	40.6	78.9	10.6	20.4	1,927
	Richest	74.9	10.0	52.5	3.0	27.4	17.0	40.9	80.7	9.6	17.9	1,816
Total		62.6	8.0	30.1	0.0	29.4	29.2	37.2	68.4	14.1	19.3	11,017

* MICS indicator 49

** MICS indicator 48

*** MICS indicator 50

Table CD.3: Children left alone or with other children
Percentage of children age 0-59 months left in the care of other children under the age of 10 years or left alone in the past week, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Left in the care children under the age of 10 years in past week	Left alone in the past week	Left with inadequate care in past week *	Number of children aged 0-59 months
Sex	Male	16.2	1.3	16.5	5,804
	Female	16.4	1.5	16.7	5,213
Governorates	Damascus	17.1	1.0	18.1	591
	Aleppo	22.2	1.3	22.5	2,284
	Rural-Dam	7.4	1.0	7.8	1,598
	Homs	11.1	1.5	11.2	1,032
	Hama	23.3	2.3	24.0	838
	Lattakia	7.7	0.7	8.0	440
	Idleb	20.1	3.1	20.4	927
	Hassake	16.9	0.9	17.1	668
	Deir Ezzor	38.3	1.8	38.5	626
	Tartous	9.8	1.8	10.1	447
	Raqqqa	12.8	1.6	13.2	491
	Daraa	7.2	0.7	7.4	808
	Sweida	9.4	0.0	9.4	180
	Quneitra	0.0	0.0	0.0	87
Urban_Rural	Urban	14.5	1.2	14.8	5,486
	Rural	18.0	1.7	18.4	5,531
Age	0-23	10.2	0.6	10.4	4,113
	24-59	19.9	1.9	20.3	6,904
Mother's education	None	28.5	2.0	28.7	1,947
	Primary	15.4	1.5	15.7	4,164
	Secondary	12.2	1.2	12.6	3,961
	Higher Institutions	13.2	0.7	13.5	608
	University+	10.1	0.3	10.1	337
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	21.2	1.7	21.6	2,342
	Second	17.0	1.3	17.3	2,536
	Middle	14.0	1.1	14.2	2,396
	Fourth	13.8	1.7	14.2	1,927
	Richest	14.5	1.4	14.9	1,816
Total		16.3	1.4	16.6	11,017

* 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, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Percentage of children aged 36-59 months currently attending early childhood education*	Number of children aged 36-59 months	Percentage of children attending first grade who attended preschool program in previous year**	Number of children attending first grade	
Sex	Male	7.9	2,310	34.8	985	
	Female	7.2	2,184	32.1	872	
Governorates	Damascus	10.1	238	52.4	166	
	Aleppo	10.0	1,046	22.8	382	
	Rural-Dam	9.7	610	37.5	272	
	Homs	5.2	401	34.4	183	
	Hama	4.2	330	40.9	176	
	Lattakia	14.6	185	41.4	111	
	Idleb	3.5	369	17.7	102	
	Hassake	1.5	261	27.5	102	
	Deir Ezzor	7.2	236	26.2	65	
	Tartous	15.6	180	44.0	91	
	Raqqa	1.0	192	19.1	63	
	Daraa	2.4	340	34.0	100	
	Sweida	19.7	76	65.4	26	
	Quneitra	6.7	30	0.0	18	
	Urban_Rural	Urban	9.7	2,234	40.0	1,016
		Rural	5.4	2,260	25.8	840
	Age of child	36-47 months	5.1	2,609	.	0
48-59 months		10.9	1,885	.	0	
Mother's education	6 years	.	0	33.6	1,857	
	None	4.5	895	21.2	326	
	Primary	3.5	1,644	25.5	612	
	Secondary	8.6	1,584	41.2	714	
	Higher Institutions	25.1	239	47.4	135	
	University+	34.1	132	57.2	70	
	Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	3.6	989	18.8	282
Second	4.1	963	27.0	381		
Middle	5.6	940	28.4	415		
Fourth	8.4	817	39.3	361		
Richest	18.1	785	49.5	418		
Total		7.5	4,494	33.6	1,857	

* MICS Indicator 52

** MICS Indicator 53

Table ED.2: Primary school entry
Percentage of children of primary school entry age attending grade 1, Syria, 2006

		Percentage of children of primary school entry age currently attending grade 1 *	Number of children of primary school entry age
Sex	Male	91.3	1,329
	Female	92.6	1,281
Governorates	Damascus	93.8	176
	Aleppo	92.3	637
	Rural-Dam	96.9	357
	Homs	96.2	236
	Hama	94.0	166
	Lattakia	98.1	107
	Idleb	92.6	189
	Hassake	84.7	157
	Deir Ezzor	76.4	174
	Tartous	94.4	90
	Raqqa	76.4	127
	Daraa	99.3	142
	Sweida	(90.3)	31
	Quneitra	*	21
Urban_Rural	Urban	94.7	1,276
	Rural	89.4	1,334
Age at beginning of school year	6	92.0	2,610
Mother's education	None	83.7	712
	Primary	93.2	932
	Secondary	96.7	785
	Higher institutions	99.1	111
	University+	94.2	69
	Missing/DK	100.0	1
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	82.4	621
	Second	93.4	547
	Middle	95.4	520
	Fourth	94.3	472
	Richest	96.9	450
Total		92.0	2,610

* MICS Indicator 54

Table ED.3: Primary school net attendance ratio
Percentage of children of primary school age attending primary school or secondary school (NAR),
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Male		Female		Total	
		Net attendance ratio	Number of children	Net attendance ratio	Number of children	Net attendance ratio*	Number of children
Governorates	Damascus	97.9	661	98.8	587	98.3	1,249
	Aleppo	95.6	2,275	94.6	1,975	95.1	4,250
	Rural-Dam	97.7	1,127	98.0	1,127	97.9	2,254
	Homs	98.6	711	98.2	707	98.4	1,418
	Hama	96.4	641	97.0	664	96.7	1,305
	Lattakia	98.0	345	99.7	308	98.8	653
	Idleb	97.0	637	97.0	572	97.0	1,209
	Hassake	94.5	614	93.9	523	94.2	1,137
	Deir Ezzor	91.3	589	90.0	509	90.7	1,098
	Tartous	96.9	258	98.3	294	97.6	552
	Raqqa	91.1	438	88.5	410	89.9	848
	Daraa	99.6	446	98.5	462	99.0	908
	Sweida	99.1	116	99.2	119	99.1	235
	Quneitra	(97.6)	41	98.2	56	97.9	97
Urban_Rural	Urban	96.5	4,469	97.1	4,157	96.8	8,626
	Rural	96.0	4,429	95.0	4,155	95.5	8,585
Age	6	93.5	1,329	94.2	1,281	93.8	2,610
	7	97.1	1,541	97.3	1,405	97.2	2,946
	8	98.1	1,447	97.2	1,339	97.7	2,786
	9	97.4	1,653	96.5	1,565	97.0	3,218
	10	96.2	1,391	96.1	1,317	96.1	2,708
	11	94.7	1,538	94.7	1,406	94.7	2,944
Mother's education	None	92.6	2,891	91.3	2,528	92.0	5,419
	Primary	96.9	2,904	97.0	2,791	96.9	5,695
	Secondary	98.9	2,491	99.2	2,366	99.1	4,857
	Higher institutions	98.7	388	99.5	416	99.1	804
	University+	99.5	220	98.6	210	99.1	430
	Missing/DK	100.0	4	100.0	1	100.0	5
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	93.2	2,077	90.9	1,788	92.1	3,865
	Second	96.3	1,789	96.3	1,762	96.3	3,550
	Middle	96.6	1,777	97.4	1,704	97.0	3,481
	Fourth	97.5	1,557	97.8	1,438	97.7	2,996
	Richest	98.4	1,699	98.4	1,621	98.4	3,319
Total		96.2	8,898	96.0	8,312	96.1	17,211

* MICS indicator 55; MDG indicator 6

Table ED.4: Secondary school net attendance ratio
Percentage of children of secondary school age attending secondary or higher school (NAR),
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Male		Female		Total	
		Net attendance ratio	Number of children	Net attendance ratio	Number of children	Net attendance ratio*	Number of children
Governorates	Damascus	61.0	666	71.0	590	65.7	1,257
	Aleppo	42.2	2,197	37.2	1,854	39.9	4,051
	Rural-Dam	48.3	1,045	64.3	1,025	56.2	2,070
	Homs	56.5	688	64.6	642	60.5	1,330
	Hama	60.0	710	62.8	645	61.3	1,355
	Lattakia	72.5	335	82.4	302	77.2	637
	Idleb	51.3	583	45.3	539	48.4	1,122
	Hassake	58.9	569	50.9	531	55.0	1,100
	Deir Ezzor	57.1	485	47.8	477	52.5	962
	Tartous	67.9	277	77.1	292	72.6	569
	Raqqa	50.7	434	37.7	403	44.4	837
	Daraa	58.8	452	59.9	424	59.4	876
	Sweida	78.3	115	88.7	106	83.3	221
	Quneitra	(79.4)	34	(43.9)	41	60.0	75
Urban_Rural	Urban	53.7	4,430	61.6	4,010	57.4	8,440
	Rural	53.3	4,159	48.0	3,861	50.8	8,020
Age	12	65.4	1,499	67.9	1,427	66.6	2,926
	13	67.1	1,363	65.1	1,572	66.0	2,935
	14	60.7	1,424	61.6	1,163	61.1	2,587
	15	48.2	1,430	50.4	1,249	49.2	2,679
	16	41.6	1,297	42.6	1,164	42.1	2,461
	17	38.7	1,577	37.6	1,296	38.2	2,873
Mother's education	None	45.5	3,002	41.1	2,704	43.4	5,707
	Primary	53.0	2,015	61.5	1,772	57.0	3,787
	Secondary	74.2	1,502	83.4	1,451	78.7	2,953
	Higher	95.8	285	97.8	268	96.7	553
	Institutions	79.8	203	41.9	375	55.2	578
	University+	100.0	5	100.0	4	100.0	9
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	42.9	1,772	31.3	1,617	37.4	3,389
	Second	52.7	1,672	50.8	1,592	51.8	3,263
	Middle	49.1	1,748	57.8	1,650	53.3	3,398
	Fourth	53.6	1,552	59.0	1,370	56.2	2,923
	Richest	68.6	1,846	75.7	1,642	71.9	3,487
Total		53.5	8,590	54.9	7,871	54.2	16,460

* MICS indicator 56

Table ED.4w: Secondary school age children attending primary school
Percentage of children of secondary school age attending primary school, Syria, 2006

		Male		Female		Total	
		Percent attending primary school	Number of children	Percent attending primary school	Number of children	Percent attending primary school	Number of children
Governorates	Damascus	1.8	666	2.4	590	2.1	1,257
	Aleppo	3.9	2,197	3.0	1,854	3.5	4,051
	Rural-Dam	3.6	1,045	2.3	1,025	3.0	2,070
	Homs	3.8	688	1.9	642	2.9	1,330
	Hama	3.7	710	3.9	645	3.8	1,355
	Lattakia	2.1	335	0.7	302	1.4	637
	Idleb	5.1	583	3.5	539	4.4	1,122
	Hassake	6.7	569	6.0	531	6.4	1,100
	Deir Ezzor	5.6	485	4.6	477	5.1	962
	Tartous	5.8	277	2.1	292	3.9	569
	Raqqa	6.5	434	5.7	403	6.1	837
	Daraa	4.0	452	4.0	424	4.0	876
	Sweida	0.9	115	0.0	106	0.5	221
	Quneitra	(2.9)	34	(4.9)	41	4.0	75
	Urban_Rural						
	Urban	3.1	4,430	2.5	4,010	2.8	8,440
	Rural	5.2	4,159	3.9	3,861	4.6	8,020
Age at beginning of school year	12	17.7	1,499	13.2	1,427	15.5	2,926
	13	4.3	1,363	3.4	1,572	3.8	2,935
	14	1.2	1,424	0.8	1,163	1.0	2,587
	15	0.6	1,430	0.2	1,249	0.4	2,679
	16	0.2	1,297	0.0	1,164	0.1	2,461
	17	0.0	1,577	0.0	1,296	0.0	2,873
Mother's education	None	7.2	3,002	5.4	2,704	6.4	5,707
	Primary	4.5	2,015	3.9	1,772	4.3	3,787
	Secondary	2.9	1,502	2.2	1,451	2.5	2,953
	Higher institutions	0.4	285	0.4	268	0.4	553
	University+	1.0	203	0.8	375	0.9	578
	Missing/DK	0.0	5	0.0	4	0.0	9
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	6.8	1,772	5.4	1,617	6.1	3,389
	Second	4.4	1,672	4.4	1,592	4.4	3,263
	Middle	4.1	1,748	2.7	1,650	3.4	3,398
	Fourth	3.5	1,552	1.5	1,370	2.6	2,923
	Richest	1.7	1,846	1.8	1,642	1.8	3,487
Total		4.1	8,590	3.2	7,871	3.7	16,460

Table based on estimated age as of the beginning of the school year

Table ED.5: Children reaching grade 5
Percentage of children entering first grade of primary school who eventually reach grade 6, Syria, 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 *	Percent who reach grade 6 of those who enter 1st grade *
Sex	Male	99.9	99.8	99.9	99.9	99.5	99.1
	Female	100.0	99.9	99.8	99.6	99.3	98.7
Governorates	Damascus	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Aleppo	100.0	99.7	99.7	99.7	99.2	98.4
	Rural-Dam	99.7	100.0	99.7	99.5	99.0	98.4
	Homs	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Hama	100.0	99.5	99.6	99.6	98.7	97.3
	Lattakia	100.0	99.0	100.0	100.0	99.0	99.0
	Idleb	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.4
	Hassake	100.0	99.5	100.0	100.0	99.5	99.5
	Deir Ezzor	100.0	100.0	99.5	100.0	99.5	99.5
	Tartous	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Raqqqa	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.2	99.2	98.3
	Daraa	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Sweida	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.3	97.3	97.3
	Quneitra	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Urban_Rural	Urban	100.0	99.9	99.8	99.8	99.5	99.1
	Rural	99.9	99.8	99.9	99.7	99.3	98.8
Mother's education	None	100.0	99.7	99.7	99.3	98.7	97.8
	Primary	99.9	99.9	99.9	100.0	99.7	99.4
	Secondary	100.0	99.9	99.9	99.9	99.6	99.5
	Higher institutions	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	University+	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Missing/DK	.	100.0	100.0	100.0	.	.
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	100.0	99.7	99.7	99.6	99.0	98.2
	Second	100.0	99.8	99.8	99.7	99.3	98.6
	Middle	100.0	99.8	99.8	99.6	99.3	99.3
	Fourth	99.8	100.0	100.0	99.8	99.6	99.4
	Richest	100.0	99.8	99.8	100.0	99.7	99.3
Total		100.0	99.8	99.8	99.7	99.4	98.9

* 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, Syrian Arab Republic, 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	73.3	1,538	93.6	1,134
	Female	77.5	1,406	94.4	1,059
Governorates	Damascus	84.8	224	97.2	180
	Aleppo	72.5	710	91.3	427
	Rural-Dam	78.4	384	95.4	262
	Homs	83.7	258	94.1	237
	Hama	78.4	231	91.9	209
	Lattakia	88.1	109	98.0	102
	Idleb	68.2	195	93.4	166
	Hassake	68.8	199	92.1	152
	Deir Ezzor	64.9	174	95.2	105
	Tartous	81.6	98	96.6	87
	Raqqqa	55.3	150	92.5	80
	Daraa	77.9	145	93.8	130
	Sweida	89.3	56	100.0	52
	Quneitra	*	11	*	4
Urban_Rural	Urban	77.2	1,475	95.3	1,156
	Rural	73.5	1,469	92.5	1,037
Mother's education	None	62.8	1,076	91.2	702
	Primary	75.4	925	93.9	658
	Secondary	88.3	725	96.8	625
	Higher Institutions	93.5	138	99.2	132
	University+	95.0	80	98.5	65
	Missing/DK	.	0	100.0	1
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	65.3	652	89.1	350
	Second	68.7	587	93.1	433
	Middle	77.2	611	94.1	460
	Fourth	79.8	500	94.9	447
	Richest	87.2	594	97.2	503
Total		75.3	2,944	94.0	2,193

* 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,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Primary school net attendance ratio (NAR), girls	Primary school net attendance ratio (NAR), boys	Gender parity index (GPI) for primary school NAR*	Secondary school net attendance ratio (NAR), girls	Secondary school net attendance ratio (NAR), boys	Gender parity index (GPI) for secondary school NAR*
Governorates	Damascus	98.8	97.9	1.01	99.0	92.8	1.07
	Aleppo	94.6	95.6	0.99	65.1	70.3	0.93
	Rural-Dam	98.0	97.7	1.00	94.1	77.3	1.22
	Homs	98.2	98.6	1.00	90.5	85.6	1.06
	Hama	97.0	96.4	1.01	90.4	83.9	1.08
	Lattakia	99.7	98.0	1.02	108.6	96.1	1.13
	Idleb	97.0	97.0	1.00	71.4	78.9	0.91
	Hassake	93.9	94.5	0.99	74.0	87.2	0.85
	Deir Ezzor	90.0	91.3	0.99	71.3	90.9	0.78
	Tartous	98.3	96.9	1.01	99.3	89.9	1.10
	Raqqa	88.5	91.1	0.97	63.5	75.6	0.84
	Daraa	98.5	99.6	0.99	85.6	85.2	1.01
	Sweida	99.2	99.1	1.00	117.0	107.8	1.08
	Quneitra	98.2	97.6	1.01	78.0	102.9	0.76
	Urban_Rural	97.1	96.5	1.01	88.2	80.4	1.10
	Rural	95.0	96.0	0.99	74.9	82.6	0.91
Mother's education	None	91.3	92.6	0.99	67.5	75.4	0.89
	Primary	97.0	96.9	1.00	100.2	90.8	1.10
	Secondary	99.2	98.9	1.00	121.8	114.2	1.07
	Higher institutions	99.5	99.0	1.01	136.6	125.3	1.09
	University+	98.6	99.5	0.99	54.9	105.4	0.52
	Missing/DK	100.0	100.0	1.00	100.0	120.0	0.83
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	90.9	93.2	0.98	57.0	75.1	0.76
	Second	96.3	96.3	1.00	80.2	81.0	0.99
	Middle	97.4	96.6	1.01	84.5	76.7	1.10
	Fourth	97.8	97.5	1.00	85.8	80.9	1.06
	Richest	98.4	98.4	1.00	101.2	92.8	1.09
Total		96.0	96.2	1.00	81.7	81.4	1.00

* MICS Indicator 61; MDG Indicator 9

Table ED.8: Adult literacy
Percentage of women aged 15-24 years that are literate, Syria, 2006

		Percentage literate *	Percentage not known	Number of women aged 15-24 years
Governorates	Damascus	99.5	0.7	879
	Aleppo	91	0.2	2,379
	Rural-Dam	99	0.1	1,318
	Homs	98.1	0.5	871
	Hama	98	0.1	855
	Lattakia	99.2	0.0	491
	Idleb	96.4	0.1	690
	Hassake	86.9	0.1	719
	Deir Ezzor	79.8	0.3	600
	Tartous	98.9	0.0	470
	Raqqa	75.3	0.0	518
	Daraa	99.5	0.0	563
	Sweida	99.4	0.0	172
	Quneitra	98.3	0.0	58
	Urban_Rural	97.2	0.3	5,548
	Rural	90.2	0.1	5,033
Mother's education	None	0.3	2.0	649
	Primary	100	0.2	3,465
	Secondary	100	0.0	5,193
	Higher institutions	100	0.0	570
	University+	100	0.0	704
Age	15-19	95.5	0.2	5,637
	20-24	92.1	0.2	4,944
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	81	0.1	2,119
	Second	94.5	0.1	2,115
	Middle	97	0.4	2,218
	Fourth	98.3	0.1	1,854
	Richest	98.8	0.2	2,275
Total		93.9	0.2	10,581

* MICS Indicator 60; MDG Indicator 8

Table CP.1: Birth registration
Percent distribution of children aged 0-59 months by whether birth is registered and reasons for non-
registration,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Birth is registered *	Missing/Don't know	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, didn't want to pay fine	Doesn't know where to register	Other	Don't know	Missing		
Sex	Male	95.4	0.6	5,804	8.1	14.5	2.6	2.1	1.7	41.3	29.4	0.4	100.0	235
	Female	95.1	0.6	5,213	7.9	7.5	1.3	3.9	0.4	50.4	28.5	0.0	100.0	228
Governorates	Damascus	99.0	0.0	591	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	6
	Aleppo	95.0	0.7	2,284	9.1	11.1	1.0	4.0	1.0	32.3	41.4	0.0	100.0	99
	Rural-Dam	97.1	0.1	1,598	(4.4)	(26.7)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(53.3)	(15.6)	(0.0)	(100.0)	45
	Homs	94.1	0.4	1,032	(0.0)	(14.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(75.4)	(10.5)	(0.0)	(100.0)	57
	Hama	97.0	0.0	838	(0.0)	(0.0)	(20.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(44.0)	(36.0)	(0.0)	(100.0)	25
	Lattakia	99.3	0.0	440	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	3
	Idleb	94.3	1.0	927	0.0	0.0	2.3	9.1	0.0	52.3	34.1	2.3	100.0	44
	Hassake	86.2	1.3	668	(12.0)	(7.2)	(0.0)	(6.0)	(1.2)	(51.8)	(21.7)	(0.0)	(100.0)	83
	Deir Ezzor	94.1	2.1	626	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	24
	Tartous	99.1	0.0	447	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	4
	Raqqa	96.5	0.8	491	15.4	46.2	7.7	0.0	7.7	23.1	0.0	0.0	100.0	13
	Daraa	92.2	1.0	808	16.4	1.8	1.8	1.8	3.6	30.9	43.6	0.0	100.0	55
	Sweida	97.8	0.0	180	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	4
	Quneitra	98.9	0.0	87	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1
Urban_Rural	Urban	95.8	0.6	5,486	8.1	12.7	1.0	2.5	1.0	45.2	29.4	0.0	100.0	197
	Rural	94.6	0.6	5,531	7.9	9.8	2.6	3.4	1.1	46.2	28.6	0.4	100.0	266
Age	0-11 months	87.2	1.0	2,030	4.6	11.3	0.4	0.8	0.8	52.5	29.4	0.0	100.0	238
	12-23 months	95.8	0.8	2,083	13.9	9.7	2.8	5.6	1.4	34.7	30.6	1.4	100.0	72
	24-35 months	96.7	0.5	2,410	9.1	9.1	3.0	6.1	1.5	47.0	24.2	0.0	100.0	66
	36-47 months	97.5	0.3	2,609	14.0	14.0	3.5	5.3	1.8	29.8	31.6	0.0	100.0	57
Mother's education	48-59 months	98.1	0.3	1,885	(6.7)	(10.0)	96.7)	(3.3)	(0.0)	(46.7)	(26.7)	(0.0)	(100.0)	30
	None	92.1	1.2	1,947	17.1	14.0	3.9	3.9	1.5	28.7	31.0	0.0	100.0	129
	Primary	94.0	0.6	4,164	5.7	6.2	1.3	4.0	0.9	50.2	31.3	0.4	100.0	227
	Secondary	97.2	0.3	3,961	2.0	19.2	1.0	0.0	1.0	55.6	21.2	0.0	100.0	99
	Higher institutions	99.2	0.2	608	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	4
Wealth index quintiles	University+	97.9	0.9	337	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	4
	Poorest	91.6	0.9	2,342	12.1	12.1	4.0	4.6	0.6	42.0	24.7	0.0	100.0	174
	Second	94.3	0.6	2,536	6.2	10.8	0.8	2.3	2.3	46.2	30.8	0.8	100.0	130
	Middle	96.3	0.5	2,396	1.3	7.7	1.3	0.0	0.0	52.6	37.2	0.0	100.0	78
	Fourth	96.3	0.6	1,927	11.7	15.0	0.0	5.0	0.0	48.3	20.0	0.0	100.0	60
	Richest	98.6	0.3	1,816	0.0	4.8	0.0	0.0	4.8	42.9	47.6	0.0	100.0	21
Total		95.2	0.6	11,017	8.0	11.0	1.9	3.0	1.1	45.8	28.9	0.2	100.0	463

* MICS Indicator 62

Table CP.2: Child labour
Percentage of children aged 5-14 years who are involved in child labour activities by type of work,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Working outside household		Household chores for 28+ hours/week	Working for family business	Total child labour *	Number of children aged 5-14 years
		Paid work	Unpaid work				
Sex	Male	1.8	0.4	0.3	3.0	5.0	14,986
	Female	0.5	0.2	0.7	1.9	3.0	14,323
Governorates	Damascus	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.5	1.3	2,102
	Aleppo	1.9	0.1	0.3	1.1	3.0	7,364
	Rural-Dam	0.9	0.2	0.4	1.5	2.9	3,742
	Homs	0.8	0.1	0.1	0.9	1.9	2,433
	Hama	1.9	0.4	1.3	9.8	12.5	2,246
	Lattakia	0.6	0.4	0.3	2.2	2.9	1,101
	Idleb	1.2	0.2	0.6	1.1	3.1	2,023
	Hassake	0.4	0.3	0.4	4.0	4.6	1,937
	Deir Ezzor	0.7	1.6	2.5	5.3	8.7	1,834
	Tartous	0.3	0.3	0.0	2.1	2.4	934
	Raqqa	1.3	0.0	0.5	3.2	4.6	1,534
	Daraa	0.5	0.1	0.3	2.5	3.3	1,504
	Sweida	0.3	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.2	400
	Quneitra	0.6	0.0	0.6	4.5	5.8	156
Urban_Rural	Urban	1.3	0.2	0.3	1.0	2.6	14,712
	Rural	1.0	0.4	0.7	3.9	5.5	14,597
Age	5-11 years	0.3	0.2	0.2	2.4	2.9	20,505
	12-14 years	3.0	0.4	1.3	2.6	6.7	8,804
School participation	Yes	0.4	0.2	0.3	2.4	3.1	23,404
	No	4.2	0.4	1.4	2.9	7.8	5,905
Mother's education	None	2.1	0.4	1.1	4.0	6.8	9,354
	Primary	1.0	0.2	0.3	2.0	3.5	9,661
	Secondary	0.4	0.2	0.2	1.6	2.3	8,187
	Higher Institutions	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.8	1.0	1,377
	University+	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.7	1.0	721
	Missing/DK	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	1.5	0.4	0.8	4.7	6.7	6,610
	Second	1.1	0.3	0.8	3.3	5.2	6,037
	Middle	1.2	0.2	0.4	1.7	3.3	5,964
	Fourth	1.2	0.2	0.3	1.5	2.9	5,083
	Richest	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.7	1.6	5,615
Total		1.1	0.3	0.5	2.5	4.0	29,309

* MICS Indicator 71

Table CP.3: Labourer students and student labourers
Percentage of children aged 5-14 years who are labourer students and student labourers,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Percentage of children in child labour *	Percentage of children attending school ***	Number of children aged 5-14	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	5.0	80.4	14,986	60.7	754	3.8	12,046
	Female	3.0	79.3	14,323	61.6	432	2.3	11,357
Governorates	Damascus	1.3	87.1	2,102	67.9	28	1.0	1,831
	Aleppo	3.0	72.9	7,364	27.3	223	1.1	5,366
	Rural-Dam	2.9	85.0	3,742	56.0	109	1.9	3,182
	Homs	1.9	83.5	2,433	47.8	46	1.1	2,031
	Hama	12.5	83.4	2,246	80.1	281	12.0	1,874
	Lattakia	2.9	91.7	1,101	81.3	32	2.6	1,010
	Idleb	3.1	78.0	2,023	60.3	63	2.4	1,578
	Hassake	4.6	79.0	1,937	71.9	89	4.2	1,531
	Deir Ezzor	8.7	72.0	1,834	64.8	159	7.8	1,320
	Tartous	2.4	93.1	934	86.4	22	2.2	870
	Raqqqa	4.6	66.7	1,534	50.0	70	3.4	1,023
	Daraa	3.3	85.2	1,504	80.0	50	3.1	1,281
	Sweida	1.2	93.3	400	60.0	5	0.8	373
	Quneitra	5.8	87.2	156	88.9	9	5.9	136
Urban_Rural	Urban	2.6	81.7	14,712	43.6	381	1.4	12,018
	Rural	5.5	78.0	14,597	69.3	804	4.9	11,386
Age	5-11 years	2.9	79.1	20,505	85.0	595	3.1	16,228
	12-14 years	6.7	81.5	8,804	36.9	591	3.0	7,176
Mother's education	None	6.8	73.0	9,354	55.2	641	5.2	6,825
	Primary	3.5	78.2	9,661	60.3	335	2.7	7,551
	Secondary	2.3	86.4	8,187	78.8	189	2.1	7,076
	Higher Institutions	1.0	92.0	1,377	92.9	14	1.0	1,267
	University+	1.0	93.8	721	85.7	7	0.9	676
	Missing/DK	0.0	100.0	9	.	0	0.0	9
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	6.7	70.5	6,610	60.8	441	5.7	4,659
	Second	5.2	78.9	6,037	70.5	315	4.7	4,765
	Middle	3.3	80.8	5,964	53.6	194	2.2	4,819
	Fourth	2.9	83.4	5,083	54.4	147	1.9	4,238
	Richest	1.6	87.7	5,615	56.2	89	1.0	4,924
Total		4.0	79.9	29,309	61.0	1,186	3.1	23,404

** MICS Indicator 72

**** MICS Indicator 73

Table CP.4: Child discipline
Percentage of children aged 2-14 years according to method of disciplining the child, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Percentage of children 2-14 years of age who experience:							Mother/caretaker 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	6.8	83.6	76.1	23.0	88.2	4.0	1.0	13.2	6,677
	Female	7.8	81.0	71.7	19.5	85.9	5.5	0.8	12.4	6,170
Governorates	Damascus	8.9	81.0	75.1	20.0	87.1	2.6	1.4	7.7	1,123
	Aleppo	7.4	79.5	76.6	17.7	85.6	5.5	1.4	16.0	3,016
	Rural-Dam	5.3	87.9	76.2	24.9	90.9	3.4	0.5	17.7	1,871
	Homs	8.1	81.9	72.1	13.8	87.5	4.1	0.3	5.3	1,080
	Hama	7.5	82.6	70.5	16.9	87.9	4.6	0.1	10.8	939
	Lattakia	11.4	80.5	68.9	17.9	83.9	4.3	0.3	9.3	604
	Idleb	5.8	81.1	74.7	24.7	84.7	7.1	2.4	5.1	822
	Hassake	5.4	87.0	74.5	26.4	93.1	1.6	0.0	16.2	764
	Deir Ezzor	6.7	83.8	80.6	29.4	88.6	2.9	1.8	16.3	625
	Tartous	6.3	86.8	73.2	12.4	90.3	3.4	0.0	14.8	507
	Raqqa	3.8	72.3	63.0	41.6	76.8	18.4	1.1	20.5	560
	Daraa	10.0	82.8	72.8	24.6	86.2	3.7	0.2	8.2	622
	Sweida	6.5	91.4	71.4	22.9	93.5	0.0	0.0	7.8	245
	Quneitra	28.6	55.7	41.4	5.7	62.9	8.6	0.0	2.9	70
Urban_Rural	Urban	7.9	81.7	73.9	20.0	86.9	4.3	0.8	11.7	7,042
	Rural	6.4	83.1	74.0	22.9	87.4	5.3	0.9	14.2	5,804
Age	2-4 years	6.7	76.3	73.7	20.6	83.0	9.1	1.2	11.3	2,890
	5-9 years	5.8	85.7	80.5	24.8	90.5	3.2	0.5	15.1	4,601
	10-14 years	8.8	82.7	68.5	18.8	86.4	3.7	1.0	11.6	5,356
Mother's education	None	6.4	82.5	73.9	25.9	86.7	5.6	1.4	15.7	3,357
	Primary	6.5	82.9	76.0	23.3	87.6	5.2	0.7	14.0	4,197
	Secondary	7.5	83.0	74.4	18.0	88.1	3.7	0.7	10.6	4,119
	Higher	10.6	79.1	68.3	13.5	85.7	3.1	0.7	8.2	747
	Institutions	13.3	73.9	60.7	10.7	79.9	6.4	0.5	8.3	422
	University+	0.0	75.0	50.0	25.0	75.0	25.0	0.0	0.0	4
Wealth index quintiles	Missing/DK	6.3	81.6	75.4	25.4	86.3	6.1	1.3	17.1	2,427
	Poorest	5.7	83.9	75.5	25.2	88.4	5.2	0.7	14.4	2,515
	Second	6.6	84.3	76.0	22.9	88.5	4.3	0.5	13.8	2,624
	Middle	7.0	82.8	73.1	18.6	87.1	4.8	1.0	10.7	2,413
	Fourth	10.2	79.3	70.3	15.3	85.5	3.5	0.9	8.6	2,867
Total		7.3	82.3	74.0	21.3	87.1	4.7	0.9	12.8	12,847

* MICS Indicator 74

** Table is based on children aged 2-14 years randomly selected during fieldwork (one child selected per household, if any children in the age range) for whom the questions on child discipline were administered

Table CP.5: Early marriage
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, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Percentage married before age 15 *	Number of women aged 15-49 years	Percentage married before age 18 *	Number of women aged 20-49 years	Percentage of women 15-19 years married**	Number of women aged 15-19 years	Number of women aged 15-49 currently married
Governorates	Damascus	3.1	2,213	15.3	1,776	11.2	437	1,181
	Aleppo	4.2	5,494	18.2	4,217	10.7	1,276	3,148
	Rural-Dam	4.8	3,370	24.9	2,664	14.9	706	2,071
	Homs	3.0	2,171	19.7	1,706	10.1	465	1,209
	Hama	3.5	1,920	18.2	1,455	8.2	465	964
	Lattakia	1.6	1,366	10.8	1,122	3.7	244	685
	Idleb	3.7	1,508	20.2	1,131	9.8	377	811
	Hassake	1.6	1,593	9.5	1,234	4.4	360	733
	Deir Ezzor	2.5	1,219	14.0	881	7.4	338	614
	Tartous	1.1	1,218	10.1	981	2.1	237	607
	Raqqa	3.4	1,069	13.9	783	3.8	286	523
	Daraa	5.2	1,246	26.2	912	18.0	334	713
	Sweida	2.2	492	16.6	415	5.2	77	279
	Quneitra	2.0	147	23.2	112	11.4	35	81
	Urban_Rural							
Urban_Rural	Urban	4.0	13,482	18.6	10,572	11.0	2,910	7,598
	Rural	2.7	11,544	16.7	8,818	8.3	2,726	6,019
Age	15-19	1.8	5,637	.	0	9.7	5,637	546
	20-24	2.5	4,944	13.3	4,944	.	0	1,811
	25-29	3.6	4,088	17.2	4,088	.	0	2,536
	30-34	3.9	3,250	18.8	3,250	.	0	2,533
	35-39	4.7	3,070	20.0	3,070	.	0	2,643
	40-44	5.6	2,430	20.9	2,430	.	0	2,139
	45-49	5.0	1,607	21.4	1,607	.	0	1,409
	Mother's education							
Mother's education	None	5.9	3,555	19.7	3,300	12.6	255	2,649
	Primary	5.3	8,102	23.4	6,428	15.7	1,673	4,734
	Secondary	2.1	10,177	18.3	6,728	7.3	3,448	4,850
	Higher institutions	0.5	1,674	2.3	1,576	2.0	98	887
	University+	0.0	1,519	1.3	1,357	0.0	162	497
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	2.8	4,617	14.6	3,516	7.3	1,102	2,372
	Second	3.1	4,909	17.9	3,771	11.5	1,138	2,674
	Middle	3.9	5,186	19.7	3,952	12.6	1,234	2,858
	Fourth	4.0	4,521	20.3	3,547	10.7	974	2,577
	Richest	3.4	5,791	16.3	4,604	6.3	1,188	3,136
Total		3.4	25,026	17.7	19,389	9.7	5,637	13,618

* MICS Indicator 67

** MICS Indicator 68

*** MICS Indicator 70

Table HA.1: Knowledge of preventing HIV transmission
Percentage of women aged 15-49 years who know the main ways of preventing HIV transmission,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Percentage who know transmission can be prevented by:				Knows all three ways	Knows at least one way	Doesn't know any way	Number of women
		Heard of AIDS	Having only one faithful uninfected sex partner	Using a condom every time	Abstaining from sex				
Governorates	Damascus	93.2	49.2	33.2	27.6	14.0	59.6	40.4	2,213
	Aleppo	64.2	55.2	36.3	35.6	24.3	56.9	43.1	5,494
	Rural-Dam	90.2	65.6	37.5	44.5	21.8	76.6	23.4	3,370
	Homs	78.3	71.6	42.3	33.5	18.7	74.5	25.5	2,171
	Hama	89.1	64.4	40.5	30.2	17.6	72.6	27.4	1,920
	Lattakia	97.1	80.5	42.4	44.1	28.3	86.0	14.0	1,366
	Idleb	76.7	45.2	19.8	18.7	7.3	50.8	49.2	1,508
	Hassake	75.1	51.3	23.7	44.3	16.1	60.7	39.3	1,593
	Deir Ezzor	60.5	42.9	9.9	13.9	3.5	47.8	52.2	1,219
	Tartous	89.7	70.5	65.0	23.4	19.4	78.5	21.5	1,218
	Raqqa	37.1	27.0	20.2	19.4	16.5	28.6	71.4	1,069
	Daraa	85.4	64.4	30.8	33.5	17.2	70.8	29.2	1,246
	Sweida	99.0	76.4	36.8	56.7	18.3	90.9	9.1	492
	Quneitra	91.8	61.9	29.3	39.5	17.0	73.5	26.5	147
Urban_Rural	Urban	82.4	61.1	37.5	34.6	20.6	67.3	32.7	13,482
	Rural	73.9	55.6	31.4	32.2	16.4	62.0	38.0	11,544
Age	15-19	77.0	53.3	28.0	30.8	15.2	59.9	40.1	5,637
	20-24	81.0	61.3	35.6	35.8	19.7	67.5	32.5	4,944
	25-29	80.4	62.4	38.9	34.3	20.5	68.1	31.9	4,088
	30-34	80.7	63.0	39.6	35.6	21.3	69.4	30.6	3,250
	35-39	77.3	58.8	36.4	33.2	18.9	65.2	34.8	3,070
	40-44	76.4	56.5	35.2	32.7	18.4	63.2	36.8	2,430
	45-49	71.6	53.0	30.4	31.4	17.2	58.6	41.4	1,607
Education	None	42.2	25.8	12.8	16.5	7.4	29.4	70.6	3,555
	Primary	70.5	51.1	27.9	30.4	15.9	56.4	43.6	8,102
	Secondary	91.5	69.4	41.5	39.2	21.8	77.1	22.9	10,177
	Higher Institutions	97.1	79.6	53.0	40.5	25.9	86.3	13.7	1,674
Wealth index quintiles	University+	97.9	79.9	56.5	43.8	29.6	87.5	12.5	1,519
	Poorest	59.3	42.6	20.7	28.5	12.9	47.4	52.6	4,617
	Second	76.9	54.6	30.6	31.5	16.0	61.6	38.4	4,909
	Middle	80.6	60.0	34.5	32.8	17.8	66.2	33.8	5,186
	Fourth	82.9	63.2	38.9	35.8	21.5	69.6	30.4	4,521
	Richest	89.7	69.8	46.2	37.9	24.0	76.6	23.4	5,791
Total		78.5	58.6	34.7	33.5	18.6	64.8	35.2	25,026

Table HA.2: Identifying misconceptions about HIV/AIDS
Percentage of women aged 15-49 years who correctly identify misconceptions about HIV/AIDS,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Percent who know that:		HIV cannot be transmitted by sharing food	HIV can be transmitted by sharing needles	Number of women
		HIV cannot be transmitted by mosquito bites	A healthy looking person can be infected			
Governorates	Damascus	38.0	42.9	60.3	78.8	2,213
	Aleppo	36.4	22.5	45.0	55.1	5,494
	Rural-Dam	41.9	57.5	73.3	86.8	3,370
	Homs	24.8	41.5	56.2	73.7	2,171
	Hama	32.1	42.4	66.4	79.9	1,920
	Lattakia	43.9	56.1	69.2	94.4	1,366
	Idleb	30.8	29.7	46.1	65.0	1,508
	Hassake	13.8	35.3	43.8	59.6	1,593
	Deir Ezzor	43.3	29.1	47.7	53.0	1,219
	Tartous	62.3	35.1	68.7	83.2	1,218
	Raqqqa	9.8	21.5	25.4	30.1	1,069
	Daraa	35.4	49.8	69.2	80.2	1,246
	Sweida	56.9	73.2	85.6	96.7	492
	Quneitra	33.3	49.7	61.9	85.0	147
Urban_Rural	Urban	37.5	41.6	60.0	74.5	13,482
	Rural	32.9	35.3	52.7	65.7	11,544
Age	15-19	36.2	37.7	55.9	69.1	5,637
	20-24	36.7	40.3	58.9	73.0	4,944
	25-29	37.5	40.6	59.2	73.1	4,088
	30-34	37.0	40.2	58.0	72.5	3,250
	35-39	34.4	38.1	56.1	69.2	3,070
	40-44	30.1	37.0	54.3	68.5	2,430
	45-49	29.6	33.1	47.7	62.2	1,607
Education	None	12.7	11.7	21.9	31.3	3,555
	Primary	27.8	26.7	45.7	60.8	8,102
	Secondary	43.8	48.9	69.7	84.9	10,177
	Higher	53.1	64.8	80.6	91.7	1,674
	Institutions University+	52.8	68.4	81.8	93.3	1,519
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	21.1	20.0	36.6	47.8	4,617
	Second	33.4	36.5	55.3	68.7	4,909
	Middle	36.6	40.8	58.8	73.4	5,186
	Fourth	40.1	43.1	62.2	75.9	4,521
	Richest	43.5	50.1	67.4	83.0	5,791
Total		35.4	38.7	56.6	70.5	25,026

Table HA.3: Comprehensive knowledge of HIV/AIDS transmission
Percentage of women aged 15-49 years who have comprehensive knowledge of HIV/AIDS transmission,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Knows 2 ways to prevent HIV transmission	Identify three misconceptions	Percentage of women aged 15-49 years who have comprehensive knowledge of HIV/AIDS	Number of women
Governorates	Damascus	28.3	16.9	7.4	2,213
	Aleppo	35.4	11.3	8.3	5,494
	Rural-Dam	34.4	24.5	8.2	3,370
	Homs	41.4	15.5	8	2,171
	Hama	35.9	14.2	6.9	1,920
	Lattakia	39.8	25	12.6	1,366
	Idleb	18.0	10.8	2.9	1,508
	Hassake	20.6	5.5	3.5	1,593
	Deir Ezzor	8.3	20.9	3.4	1,219
	Tartous	57.6	25.9	20.4	1,218
	Raqqqa	19.2	5.8	2.8	1,069
	Daraa	27.9	20.2	8.7	1,246
	Sweida	30.7	40.4	13.6	492
	Quneitra	21.8	15.6	5.4	147
Urban_Rural	Urban	34.6	17.5	8.3	13,482
	Rural	28.9	15.3	7.5	11,544
Age	15-19	25.6	15.9	6.2	5,637
	20-24	33.1	17	8.2	4,944
	15-24	29.1	16.4	7.2	10,581
	25-29	36.1	17.4	8.6	4,088
	30-34	36.2	18.2	9.9	3,250
	35-39	33.6	16.8	8.8	3,070
	40-44	32.3	14.4	7.2	2,430
	45-49	28.1	13.6	6.2	1,607
Education	None	11.5	3.3	1.3	3,555
	Primary	25.7	8.9	4.1	8,102
	Secondary	38.2	21.6	10	10,177
	Higher Institutions	49.1	33.3	17.5	1,674
	University+	52.6	35.4	18.9	1,519
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	19.0	6.5	3.1	4,617
	Second	27.6	14.3	6.7	4,909
	Middle	31.5	17.5	7.5	5,186
	Fourth	36.1	19.9	9.9	4,521
	Richest	43.2	22.7	11.6	5,791
Total		32.0	16.5	7.9	25,026

* 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,
Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Know HIV can be transmitted from mother to child	Percent who know HIV can be transmitted:				Did not know any specific way	Number of women
			During pregnancy	At delivery	Through breast milk	All three ways *		
Governorates	Damascus	87.6	83.9	61.4	29.9	27.0	5.7	2,213
	Aleppo	53.2	52.3	24.1	17.8	15.8	11.1	5,494
	Rural-Dam	88.4	87.9	68.0	35.1	32.4	1.9	3,370
	Homs	72.0	71.4	36.2	10.6	9.7	6.4	2,171
	Hama	83.9	82.1	47.9	28.0	23.0	5.2	1,920
	Lattakia	90.8	89.8	45.6	17.3	13.3	6.2	1,366
	Idleb	67.4	66.0	41.0	30.2	25.8	9.3	1,508
	Hassake	59.9	56.8	23.1	16.6	13.2	15.2	1,593
	Deir Ezzor	54.9	54.3	16.0	8.1	4.6	5.6	1,219
	Tartous	82.3	78.3	41.2	22.7	18.5	7.5	1,218
	Raqqa	30.9	30.6	19.8	11.1	10.4	6.3	1,069
	Daraa	81.3	80.1	57.5	33.4	29.3	4.1	1,246
	Sweida	95.3	92.3	75.6	28.2	25.4	3.7	492
	Quneitra	87.1	85.0	62.6	57.1	44.9	4.8	147
Urban_Rural	Urban	75.9	74.5	43.7	23.2	20.4	6.4	13,482
	Rural	65.8	64.4	38.8	22.2	19.0	8.1	11,544
Age	15-19	69.6	68.2	39.2	22.4	19.7	7.4	5,637
	20-24	74.4	73.0	42.9	23.6	20.6	6.6	4,944
	25-29	73.5	72.0	43.0	22.8	19.8	6.9	4,088
	30-34	73.6	72.1	42.7	23.8	20.1	7.0	3,250
	35-39	69.8	68.2	40.7	21.3	18.1	7.5	3,070
	40-44	69.4	68.3	42.1	21.8	19.3	7.0	2,430
	45-49	62.5	60.9	39.1	22.7	20.2	9.1	1,607
	Education	None	32.2	31.2	16.4	13.2	11.0	10.0
	Primary	60.1	58.7	33.9	22.4	19.5	10.5	8,102
	Secondary	86.1	84.5	50.8	25.9	22.6	5.3	10,177
	Higher Institutions	95.0	93.5	58.0	23.9	20.7	2.0	1,674
	University+	96.6	94.6	59.4	24.0	21.4	1.3	1,519
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	47.9	46.3	25.6	17.4	14.8	11.3	4,617
	Second	69.6	68.2	40.0	23.6	20.1	7.3	4,909
	Middle	74.2	73.2	43.8	24.6	21.7	6.3	5,186
	Fourth	76.3	74.9	44.8	22.7	19.8	6.6	4,521
	Richest	84.7	82.9	50.6	24.6	21.6	5.0	5,791
Total		71.3	69.8	41.5	22.7	19.7	7.2	25,026

* MICS Indicator 89

Table HA.5: Attitudes toward people living with HIV/AIDS
Percentage of women aged 15-49 years who have heard of AIDS who express a discriminatory
attitude towards people living with HIV/AIDS, Syrian Arab Republic, 2006

		Percent of women who:						Number of women who have heard of AIDS
		Would not care for a family member who was sick with AIDS	If a family member had HIV would want to keep it a secret	Believe that a female teacher with HIV should not be allowed to work	Would not buy fresh vegetable from a person with HIV/AIDS	Agree with at least one discriminatory statement	Agree with none of the discriminatory statements*	
Governorates	Damascus	8.5	28.5	54.3	74.5	89.3	10.7	2,063
	Aleppo	11.6	46.8	43.2	61.0	89.0	11.0	3,527
	Rural-Dam	14.8	42.5	64.2	76.4	92.7	7.3	3,041
	Homs	13.7	37.2	56.4	80.0	89.2	10.8	1,700
	Hama	15.4	31.9	52.1	83.7	93.5	6.5	1,710
	Lattakia	5.2	41.9	54.8	59.6	90.2	9.8	1,326
	Idleb	13.6	48.8	60.0	73.7	88.6	11.4	1,157
	Hassake	4.0	43.8	52.0	73.7	86.5	13.5	1,197
	Deir Ezzor	11.3	46.1	57.8	74.8	93.4	6.6	737
	Tartous	3.6	44.6	48.7	75.3	90.4	9.6	1,093
	Raqqa	21.2	35.5	46.4	65.5	85.1	14.9	397
	Daraa	14.4	50.5	67.1	77.0	92.0	8.0	1,064
	Sweida	25.9	47.6	51.3	70.6	91.4	8.6	487
	Quneitra	1.5	33.3	74.1	82.2	92.6	7.4	135
Urban_Rural	Urban	11.1	42.0	53.5	70.5	89.9	10.1	11,104
	Rural	12.5	40.7	55.8	75.1	90.9	9.1	8,531
Age	15-19	11.9	40.7	54.2	72.7	90.6	9.4	4,341
	20-24	11.6	42.8	54.8	71.9	90.4	9.6	4,004
	25-29	12.1	40.9	53.9	72.2	90.5	9.5	3,288
	30-34	11.9	40.6	54.8	70.2	89.1	10.9	2,621
	35-39	11.2	41.7	54.9	74.4	90.1	9.9	2,372
	40-44	11.3	42.8	53.4	74.9	91.0	9.0	1,857
	45-49	10.9	40.4	56.4	72.3	90.6	9.4	1,151
	None	14.2	37.1	55.0	76.2	90.0	10.0	1,501
Education	Primary	13.2	42.0	56.8	75.3	91.2	8.8	5,715
	Secondary	11.4	41.0	55.7	73.2	91.3	8.7	9,307
	Higher Institutions	8.7	45.1	48.0	65.5	87.5	12.5	1,625
	University+	8.5	42.3	44.5	61.6	84.1	15.9	1,487
Wealth index quintiles	Poorest	13.0	38.0	53.4	73.5	89.4	10.6	2,737
	Second	12.6	40.3	58.1	76.5	91.1	8.9	3,775
	Middle	12.0	41.0	57.9	74.4	91.4	8.6	4,178
	Fourth	12.2	44.4	54.6	73.2	91.9	8.1	3,750
	Richest	9.7	42.2	49.5	67.1	88.3	11.7	5,195
Total		11.7	41.4	54.5	72.5	90.3	9.7	19,635

* MICS Indicator 86