Under Age Five Mortality Rate, World Regions, 1990 and 2000

Percent of Children Living Below Poverty, Mid-1990s

Percent of Primary School Children Enrolled in or Attending School, 1990s

Polio Cases Drop by 99% from 1988 to 2000

Maternal Mortality: A Key Indicator of Child Health

Disease Prevention: Levels of DPT3* Immunization

Percent Population Using an Improved Method of Sanitary Disposal


Percent of Infants Less than Four Months of Age Exclusively Breastfed 1995-2000

Notes and Sources: The table includes data for 134 countries in 1995 and 119 in 1990. The data are based on information from UNICEF's State of the World's Children 2002, United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), New York, 2002. For 1995, UNICEF interpolates values as necessary from Demographic and Health Surveys, the UN Children's Fund's Child Survival and Development Indicators, 1980-2000. The estimates in the table are based on population data from the United Nations Children's Fund, World Population Report 2000, United Nations, New York, 2000; and the United Nations, World Population Prospects: The 2000 Revision. Country population estimates and projections are based on national official UN and United Nations Population Division data. Most national official data have not been revised since 1990, and, in this sense, the projections have not been updated. The data for the levels of DPT3 immunization are included in the indicators.