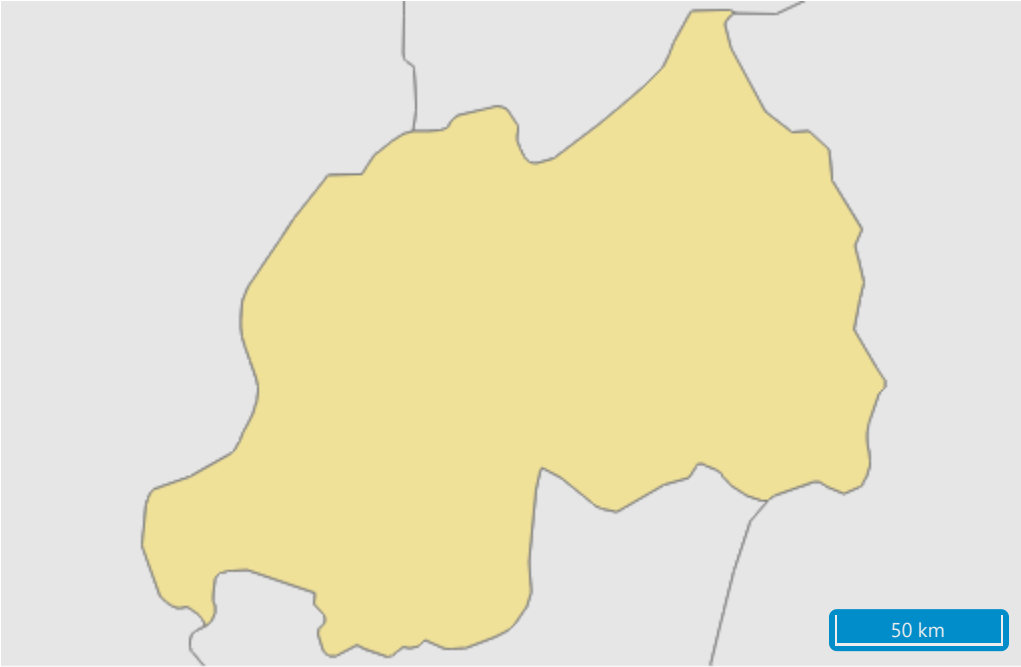


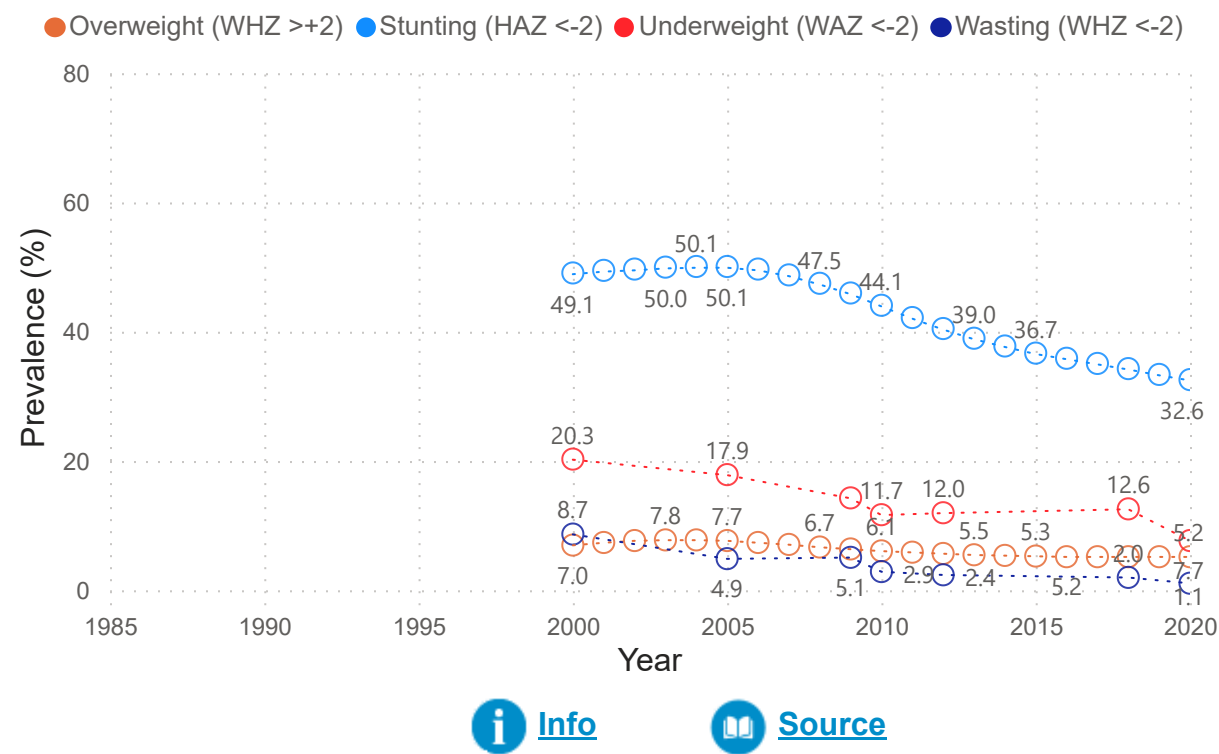


Country Profile

Rwanda

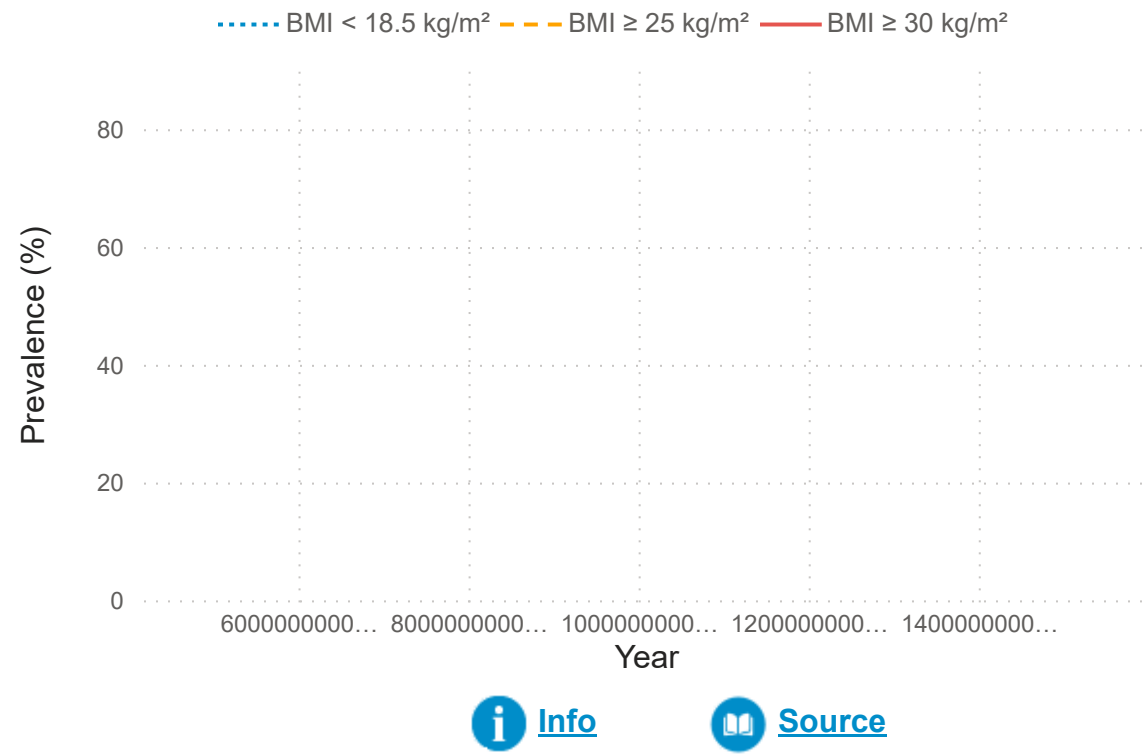
This country profile provides the most recent data contributing to a comprehensive view of the nutrition status, as well the nutrition-related health and development indicators.

Child Malnutrition



| Indicator                                                                             | Info              | Year | Value | Source               |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|------|-------|----------------------|
| Low birth weight, prevalence (%)                                                      | <a href="#">i</a> | 2015 | 7.9   | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Overweight (BMI-for-age >+1 SD) in school-age children and adolescents 5-19 years (%) | <a href="#">i</a> | 2016 | 11.1  | <a href="#">View</a> |

Malnutrition in Women



Vitamin and Mineral Deficiencies

| Indicator                                                                                            | Info              | Year | Value   | Source               |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|------|---------|----------------------|
| Anaemia children <5 y (Hb<110 g/L) (%)                                                               | <a href="#">i</a> | 2019 | 37.9    | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Anaemia in non-pregnant women (Hb <120 g/L) (%)                                                      | <a href="#">i</a> | 2019 | 16.6    | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Anaemia in pregnant women (Hb <110 g/L) (%)                                                          | <a href="#">i</a> | 2019 | 23.5    | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Anaemia in women of reproductive age (%)                                                             | <a href="#">i</a> | 2019 | 17.2    | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Clinical vitamin A deficiency in women (history of night blindness during most recent pregnancy) (%) | <a href="#">i</a> | 2008 | 5.9     | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Median urinary iodine concentration in children 6-12 years (µg/L)                                    | <a href="#">i</a> |      | No data |                      |
| Subclinical vitamin A deficiency in preschool-age children (serum/plasma retinol <0.70 µmol/L) (%)   | <a href="#">i</a> |      | No data |                      |

Health Services

| Indicator                                                                                                                              | Info              | Year      | Value   | Source               |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|---------|----------------------|
| Any antenatal iron supplementation (%)                                                                                                 | <a href="#">i</a> | 2019      | 82.3    | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Births attended by skilled health personnel (%)                                                                                        | <a href="#">i</a> | 2019-2020 | 94.3    | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Births in baby-friendly facilities (%)                                                                                                 | <a href="#">i</a> | 2015      | No data | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Children <5 years with diarrhoea receiving ORS (%)                                                                                     | <a href="#">i</a> | 2010      | 34.5    | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Children aged 1 year immunized against measles (%)                                                                                     | <a href="#">i</a> | 2021      | 87      | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Children aged 6-59 months receiving vitamin A supplements (dose 1) (%)                                                                 | <a href="#">i</a> | 2020      | -       | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Children aged 6-59 months receiving vitamin A supplements (dose 2) (%)                                                                 | <a href="#">i</a> | 2020      | -       | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Children with diarrhoea receiving zinc and ORS (%)                                                                                     | <a href="#">i</a> | 2020      | 22.2    | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Mothers of children 0-23 months receiving counselling, support or messages on optimal breastfeeding at least once in the last year (%) | <a href="#">i</a> |           | No data |                      |
| Population using improved drinking-water sources (%)                                                                                   | <a href="#">i</a> | 2020      | 12      | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Population using improved sanitation facility (%)                                                                                      | <a href="#">i</a> | 2020      | No data | <a href="#">View</a> |

Food Security

| Indicator                                                                           | Info              | Year | Value   | Source               |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|------|---------|----------------------|
| Households consuming adequately iodized salt (15 parts per million or more) (%)     | <a href="#">i</a> |      | No data |                      |
| Population below minimum level of dietary energy requirement (undernourishment) (%) | <a href="#">i</a> | 2021 | 35.8    | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Population below the international poverty line (%)                                 | <a href="#">i</a> | 2016 | 56      | <a href="#">View</a> |

Caring Practices

| Indicator                                                                                                                    | Info              | Year | Value    | Source               |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|------|----------|----------------------|
| Adolescent birth rate (per 1,000 women aged 15-19 years)                                                                     | <a href="#">i</a> | 2018 | 31.8     | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Availability of national-level provision for breastfeeding counselling services in public health and/or nutrition programmes | <a href="#">i</a> |      | No data  |                      |
| Children with diarrhoea <5 y receiving oral rehydration therapy (ORT) and continued feeding (%)                              | <a href="#">i</a> | 2015 | 42.8     | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Continued breastfeeding at 1 year in infants 12-15 months (%)                                                                | <a href="#">i</a> | 2020 | 96.2     | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Continued breastfeeding at 2 years in infants 20-23 months (%)                                                               | <a href="#">i</a> | 2020 | 85.4     | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Early initiation of breastfeeding (%)                                                                                        | <a href="#">i</a> | 2018 | 75.89499 | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Introduction to solid, semisolid or soft foods in infants 6-8 months (%)                                                     | <a href="#">i</a> | 2018 | 81.54096 | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Minimum acceptable diet (MAD) in children 6-23 months (%)                                                                    | <a href="#">i</a> | 2014 | 18.1     | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Minimum dietary diversity (MDD) in children 6-23 months (%)                                                                  | <a href="#">i</a> | 2014 | 28.2     | <a href="#">View</a> |

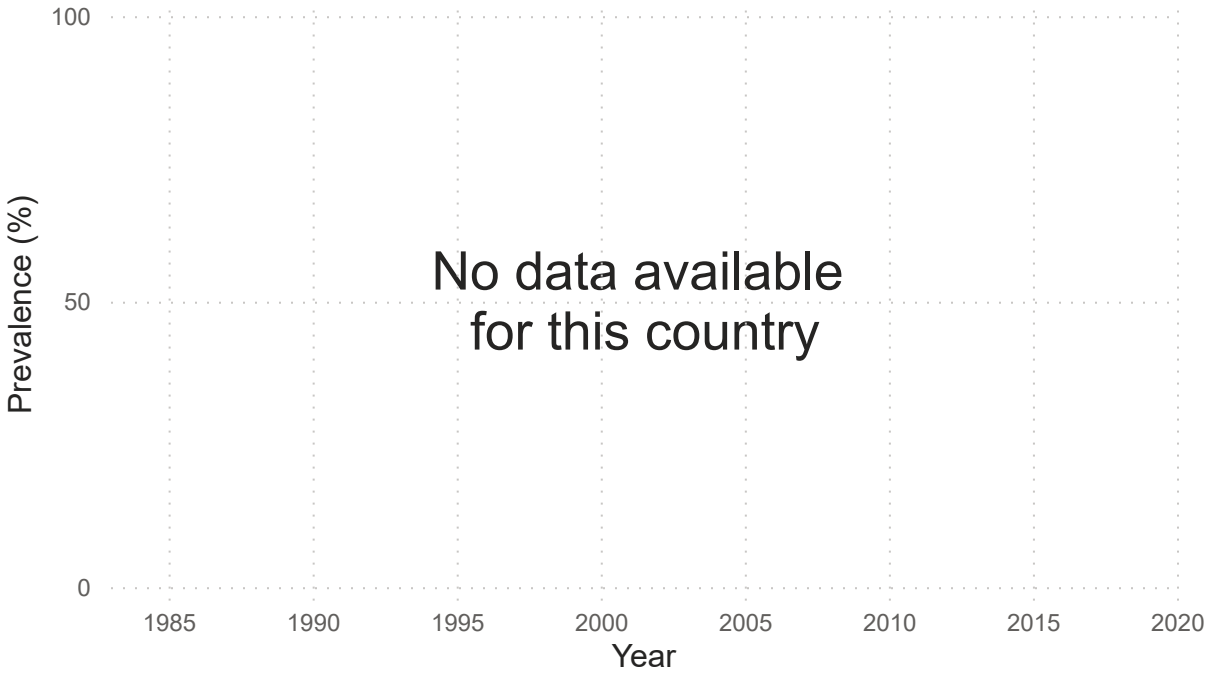
Commitment

| Indicator                                                                            | Info              | Year | Value                                | Source               |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
| General government expenditure on health as % of total government expenditure (%)    | <a href="#">i</a> | 2014 | 9.86                                 | <a href="#">View</a> |
| International Code on Marketing of Breast-milk Substitutes: Legal status of the Code | <a href="#">i</a> | 2020 | Some provisions of the Code included | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Maternity protection: Compliance with international labour standards                 | <a href="#">i</a> | 2021 | Doesn't meet                         | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Nutrition component of Poverty Reduction Strategy Paper (PRSP)                       | <a href="#">i</a> |      | No data                              |                      |
| Nutrition component of the United Nations Development Assistance Framework (UNDAF)   | <a href="#">i</a> |      | No data                              |                      |
| Nutrition Governance score                                                           | <a href="#">i</a> | 2018 | -0.004438274                         | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Per capita total expenditure on health (US\$)                                        | <a href="#">i</a> | 2014 | 125.07                               | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Total expenditure on health as % of gross domestic product                           | <a href="#">i</a> | 2014 | 7.53                                 | <a href="#">View</a> |

Meta-indicators

| Indicator                                                               | Info              | Year | Value   | Source               |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|------|---------|----------------------|
| Averaged aggregate governance indicators                                | <a href="#">i</a> | 2020 | 0.01475 | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Gender Inequality Index (GII)                                           | <a href="#">i</a> | 2019 | 0.402   | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Gender Parity Index in primary level enrolment (ratio of girls to boys) | <a href="#">i</a> | 2019 | 0.97976 | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Global Hunger Index (GHI)                                               | <a href="#">i</a> | 2021 | 26.4    | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Human development index (HDI)                                           | <a href="#">i</a> | 2019 | 0.543   | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Seats held by women in national parliament (%)                          | <a href="#">i</a> | 2022 | 61.25   | <a href="#">View</a> |

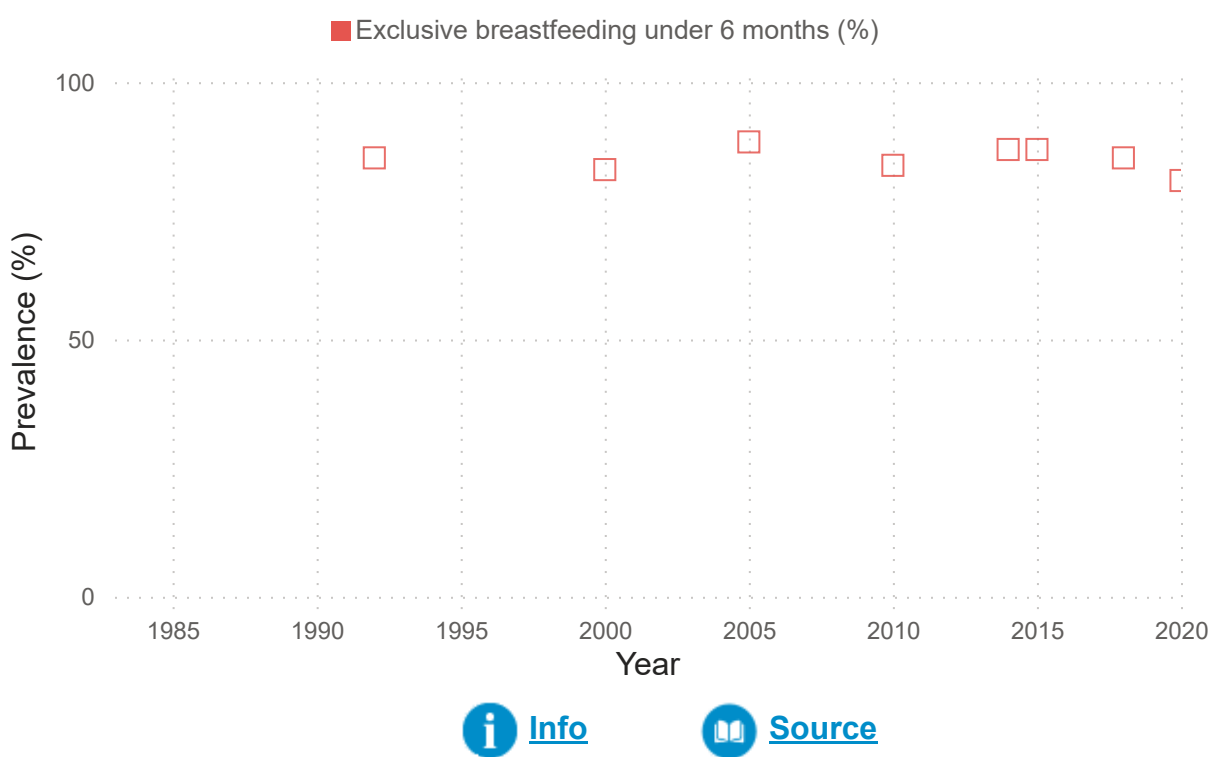
Education



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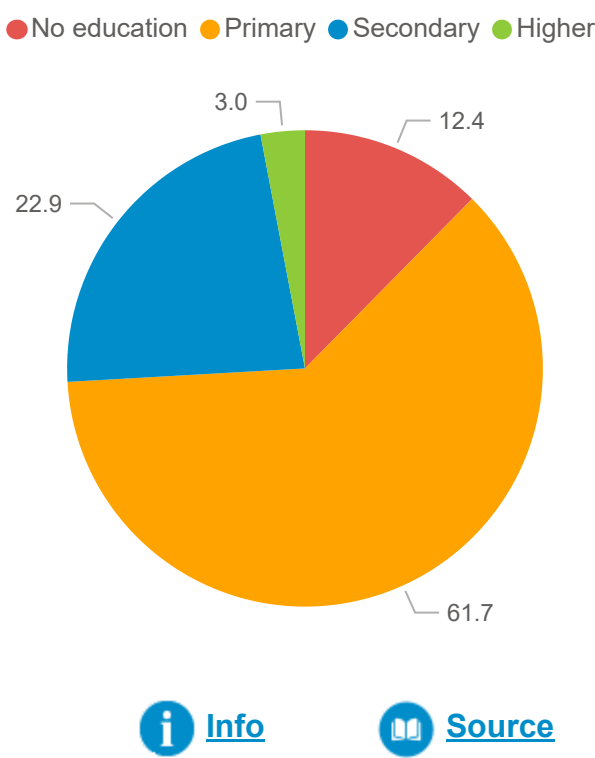
Breastfeeding



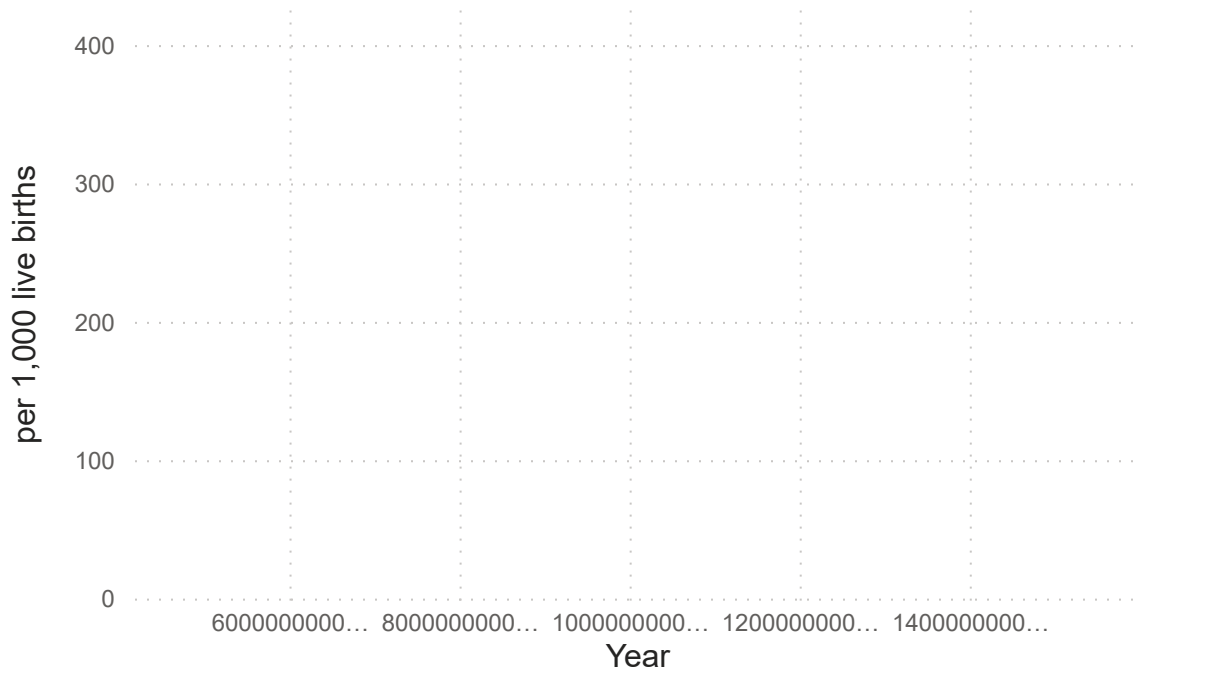
Capacity

| Indicator                                                                     | Info              | Year | Value      | Source               |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|------|------------|----------------------|
| Degree training in nutrition exists                                           | <a href="#">i</a> |      | No data    |                      |
| GDP per capita (PPP US\$)                                                     | <a href="#">i</a> | 2021 | 2494.05057 | <a href="#">View</a> |
| GDP per capita annual growth rate (%)                                         | <a href="#">i</a> | 2021 | 10.9       | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Low-Income Food-Deficit Country (LIFDC)                                       | <a href="#">i</a> | 2021 | Yes        | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Nursing and midwifery personnel density per 1,000 population                  | <a href="#">i</a> | 2015 | 0.832      | <a href="#">View</a> |
| Nutrition is part of medical curricula                                        | <a href="#">i</a> |      | No data    |                      |
| Nutrition professionals density (per 100,000 population)                      | <a href="#">i</a> |      | No data    |                      |
| Official development assistance (ODA) received (net disbursements) (% of GNI) | <a href="#">i</a> | 2019 | 11.9       | <a href="#">View</a> |

Female Education Levels 2017



Under 5 Mortality



## Policies & Actions in the Global database on the Implementation of Nutrition Action (GINA)

| Policy Title                                                                                                                 | Start Year | View                 |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|----------------------|
| Regulations No CBD/TRG/003 Rev. No 1 governing Food Fortification in Rwanda                                                  | 2020       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Law No 025/2019 of 13/09/2019 establishing The Excise Duty                                                                   | 2019       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Maternal Newborn and Child Health Strategic Plan (2018–2024)                                                                 | 2018       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Standards of the Rwanda Standards Board (RSB) : National Standards                                                           | 2015       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Compulsory mandatory standards                                                                                               | 2013       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Economic Development and Poverty Reduction Strategy 2013 - 2018                                                              | 2013       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Economic Development and Poverty Reduction Strategy 2013-2018                                                                | 2013       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| National Food and Nutrition Policy 2013-2018                                                                                 | 2013       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Rwanda United Nations Development Assistance Plan 2013-2018                                                                  | 2013       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Joint Action Plan to Fight Malnutrition                                                                                      | 2012       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Third Health Sector Strategic Plan                                                                                           | 2012       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| District Action Plans to Eliminate Malnutrition (DPEMs)                                                                      | 2011       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Early childhood development policy                                                                                           | 2011       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| National Multisectoral Strategy to Eliminate Malnutrition                                                                    | 2010       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| NATIONAL SOCIAL SECURITY POLICY                                                                                              | 2009       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Economic Development and Poverty Reduction Strategy 2008 - 2012                                                              | 2008       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| National Policy of Child Health                                                                                              | 2008       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Strategic Plan for the Transformation of Agriculture                                                                         | 2008       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| National Nutrition Policy                                                                                                    | 2007       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Law N° 26/2006 of 27/05/2006 determining and establishing consumption tax on some imported and locally manufactured products | 2006       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Politique Nationale de Santé Communautaire                                                                                   | 2006       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Health Sector Policy                                                                                                         | 2005       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| National Nutrition Policy                                                                                                    | 2005       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| National Social Protection Policy                                                                                            | 2005       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Labour Act                                                                                                                   | 2001       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Politique Nationale et Plan D'Action De Nutrition                                                                            | 1995       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Maternity Protection Law                                                                                                     |            | <a href="#">GINA</a> |

Policies & Actions in the Global database on the Implementation of Nutrition Action (GINA)

| Programme title and actions                                                                                                                    | Start Year | View                 |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|----------------------|
| Feed the Future: The U.S. Government's Global Hunger and Food Security Initiative - Multiple micronutrient powder (point-of-use fortification) | 2011       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Feed the Future: The U.S. Government's Global Hunger and Food Security Initiative - Taxation and price policies                                | 2011       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Feed the Future: The U.S. Government's Global Hunger and Food Security Initiative - Women's education                                          | 2011       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Purchase for Progress (P4P) Pilot Initiative - Conditional cash transfer                                                                       | 2008       | <a href="#">GINA</a> |
| Rwanda In-Home Fortification and Nutrition Education - Multiple micronutrient powder (point-of-use fortification)                              |            | <a href="#">GINA</a> |