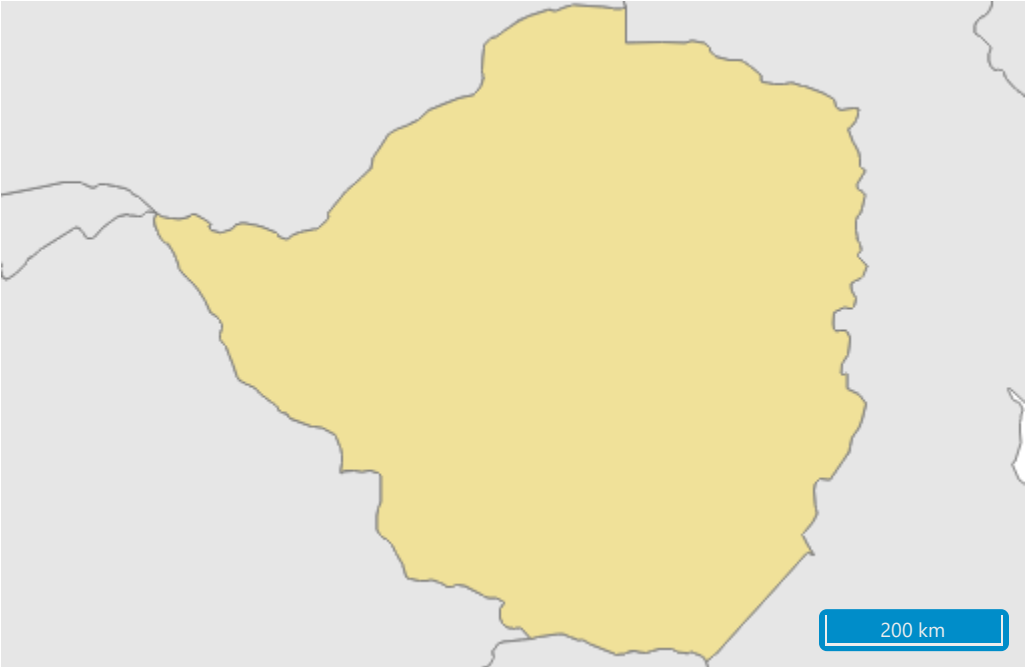


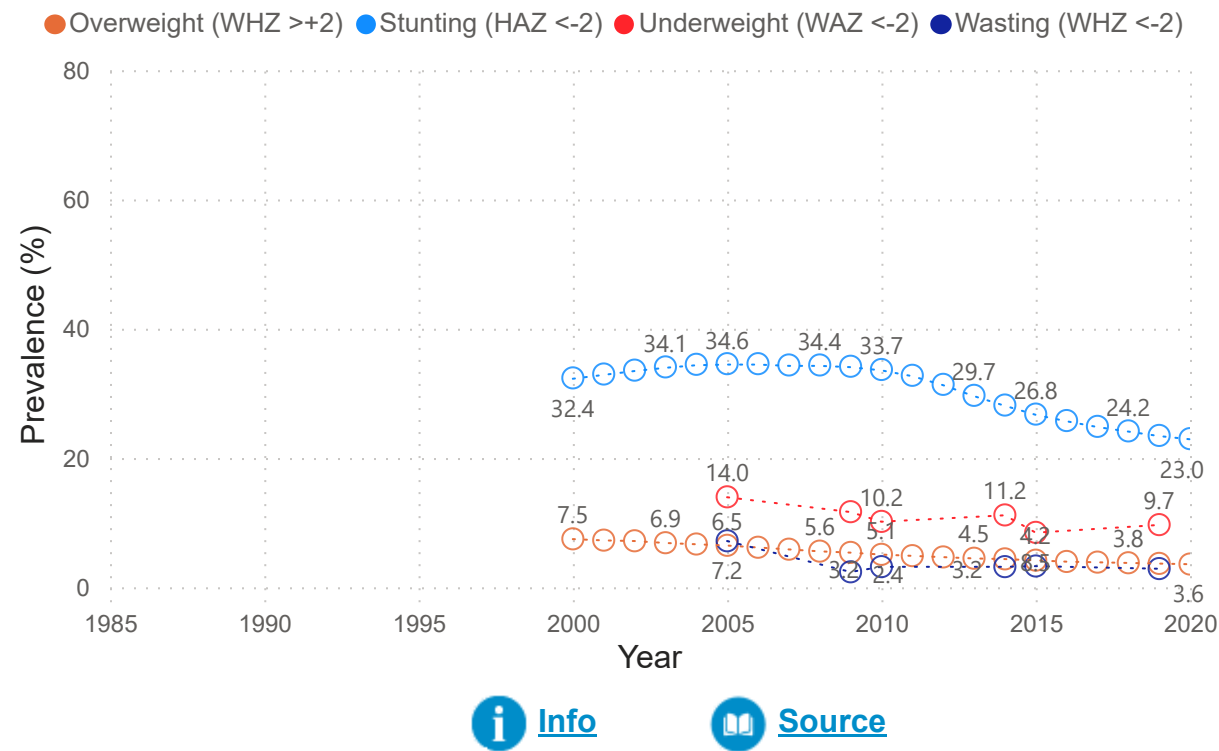


Country Profile

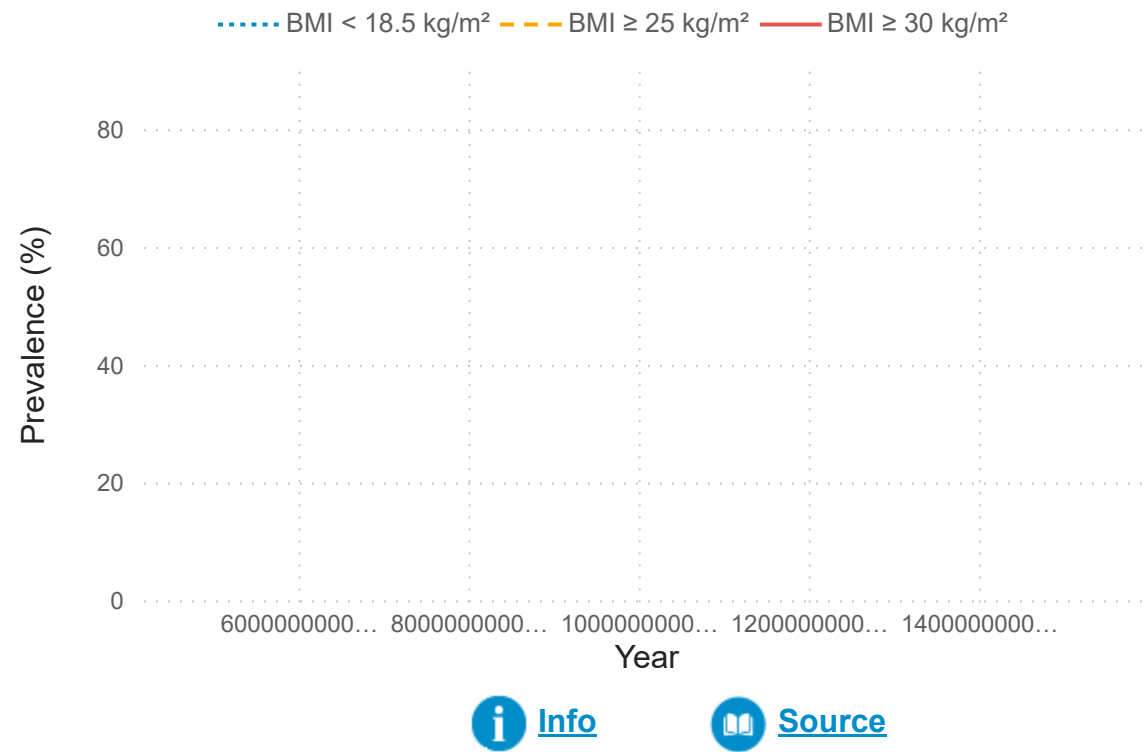
Zimbabwe

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



Malnutrition in Women



Health Services

Indicator	Info	Year	Value	Source
Any antenatal iron supplementation (%)	i	2015	84.9	View
Births attended by skilled health personnel (%)	i	2019	86	View
Births in baby-friendly facilities (%)	i	2015	2	View
Children <5 years with diarrhoea receiving ORS (%)	i	2010-2011	63.3	View
Children aged 1 year immunized against measles (%)	i	2021	85	View
Children aged 6-59 months receiving vitamin A supplements (dose 1) (%)	i	2020	29	View
Children aged 6-59 months receiving vitamin A supplements (dose 2) (%)	i	2020	31	View
Children with diarrhoea receiving zinc and ORS (%)	i	2019	22.5	View
Mothers of children 0-23 months receiving counselling, support or messages on optimal breastfeeding at least once in the last year (%)	i		No data	
Population using improved drinking-water sources (%)	i	2020	30	View
Population using improved sanitation facility (%)	i	2020	26	View

Vitamin and Mineral Deficiencies

Indicator	Info	Year	Value	Source
Anaemia children <5 y (Hb<110 g/L) (%)	i	2019	37.8	View
Anaemia in non-pregnant women (Hb <120 g/L) (%)	i	2019	28.7	View
Anaemia in pregnant women (Hb <110 g/L) (%)	i	2019	31.7	View
Anaemia in women of reproductive age (%)	i	2019	28.9	View
Clinical vitamin A deficiency in women (history of night blindness during most recent pregnancy) (%)	i	2006	5.4	View
Median urinary iodine concentration in children 6-12 years (µg/L)	i		No data	
Subclinical vitamin A deficiency in preschool-age children (serum/plasma retinol <0.70 µmol/L) (%)	i		No data	

Food Security

Indicator	Info	Year	Value	Source
Households consuming adequately iodized salt (15 parts per million or more) (%)	i	2019	83.8	View
Population below minimum level of dietary energy requirement (undernourishment) (%)	i	2018	No data	View
Population below the international poverty line (%)	i	2019	39.5	View

Caring Practices

Indicator	Info	Year	Value	Source
Adolescent birth rate (per 1,000 women aged 15-19 years)	i	2017	107.9	View
Availability of national-level provision for breastfeeding counselling services in public health and/or nutrition programmes	i	2009-2010	Yes	View
Children with diarrhoea <5 y receiving oral rehydration therapy (ORT) and continued feeding (%)	i	2019	45.6	View
Continued breastfeeding at 1 year in infants 12-15 months (%)	i	2019	83.1	View
Continued breastfeeding at 2 years in infants 20-23 months (%)	i	2019	12.8	View
Early initiation of breastfeeding (%)	i	2019	59.2794	View
Introduction to solid, semisolid or soft foods in infants 6-8 months (%)	i	2019	89.84462	View
Minimum acceptable diet (MAD) in children 6-23 months (%)	i	2019	10.7	View
Minimum dietary diversity (MDD) in children 6-23 months (%)	i	2019	16.7	View

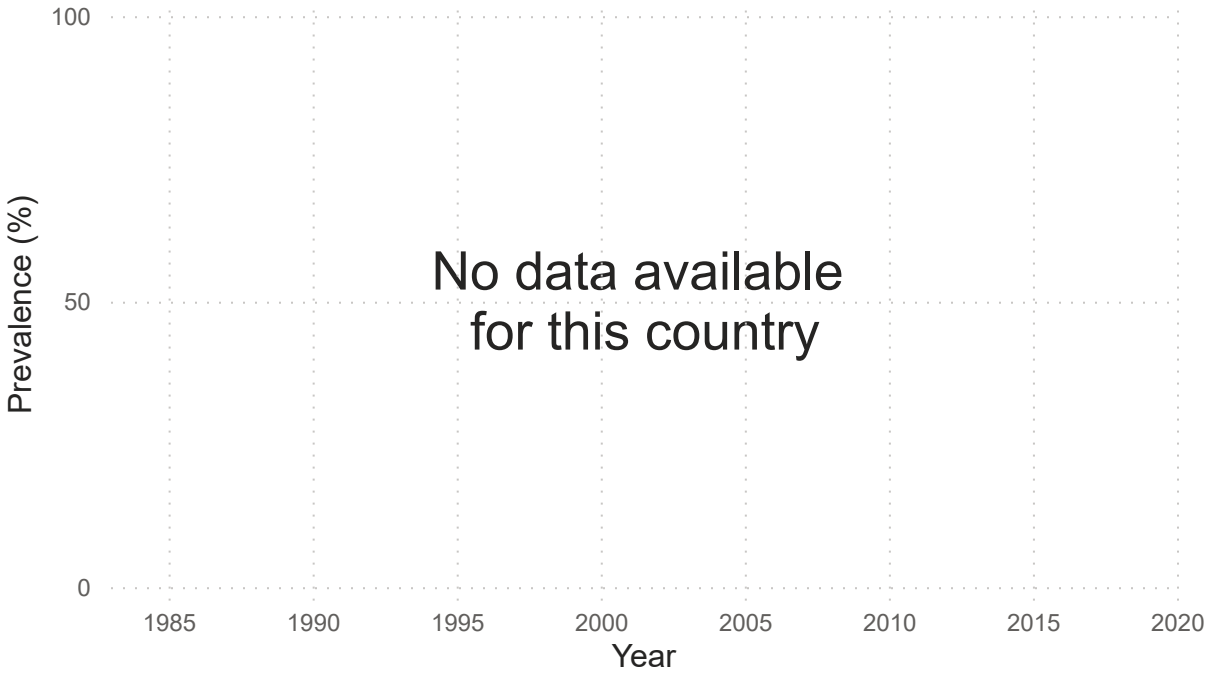
Commitment

Indicator	Info	Year	Value	Source
General government expenditure on health as % of total government expenditure (%)	i	2014	8.49	View
International Code on Marketing of Breast-milk Substitutes: Legal status of the Code	i	2020	Substantially aligned with the Code	View
Maternity protection: Compliance with international labour standards	i	2021	Meets leave length only	View
Nutrition component of Poverty Reduction Strategy Paper (PRSP)	i		No data	
Nutrition component of the United Nations Development Assistance Framework (UNDAF)	i		No data	
Nutrition Governance score	i	2018	-1.188968629	View
Per capita total expenditure on health (US\$)	i	2014	114.61	View
Total expenditure on health as % of gross domestic product	i	2014	6.44	View

Meta-indicators

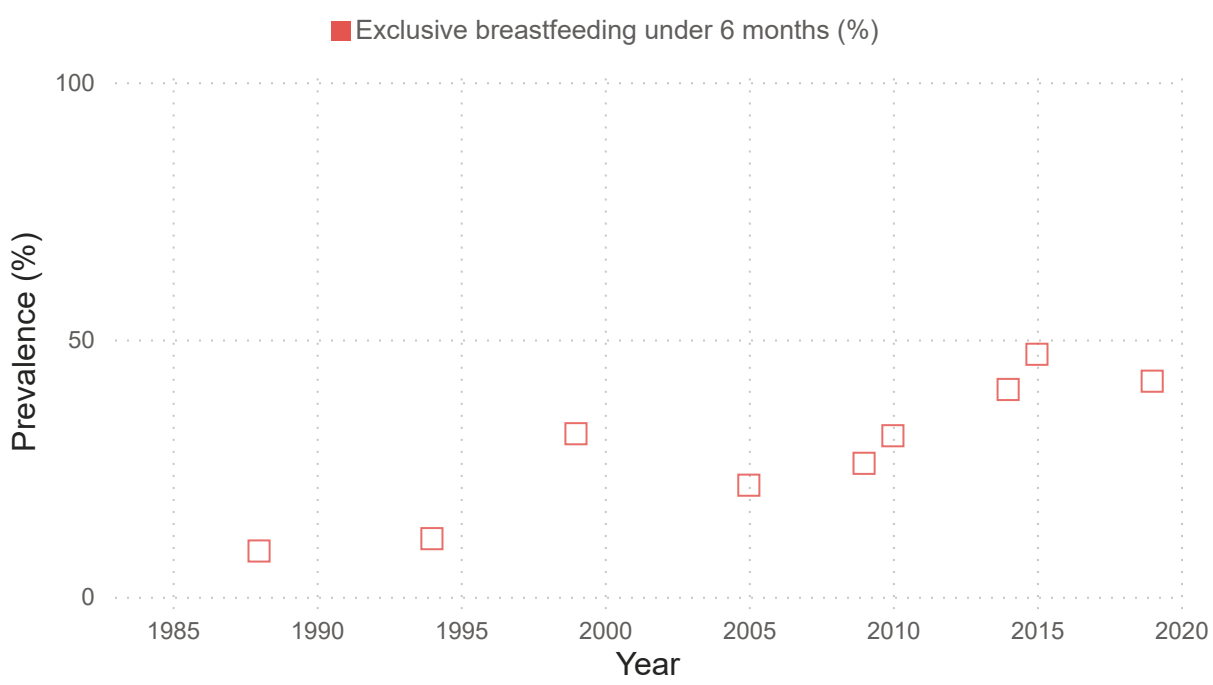
Indicator	Info	Year	Value	Source
Averaged aggregate governance indicators	i	2020	-1.23372	View
Gender Inequality Index (GII)	i	2019	0.527	View
Gender Parity Index in primary level enrolment (ratio of girls to boys)	i	2020	1.00511	View
Global Hunger Index (GHI)	i	2020	No data	View
Human development index (HDI)	i	2019	0.571	View
Seats held by women in national parliament (%)	i	2022	30.57	View

Education



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Breastfeeding

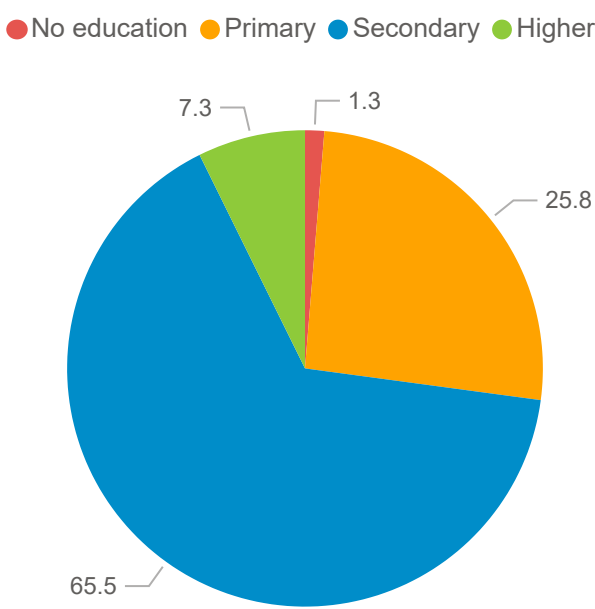


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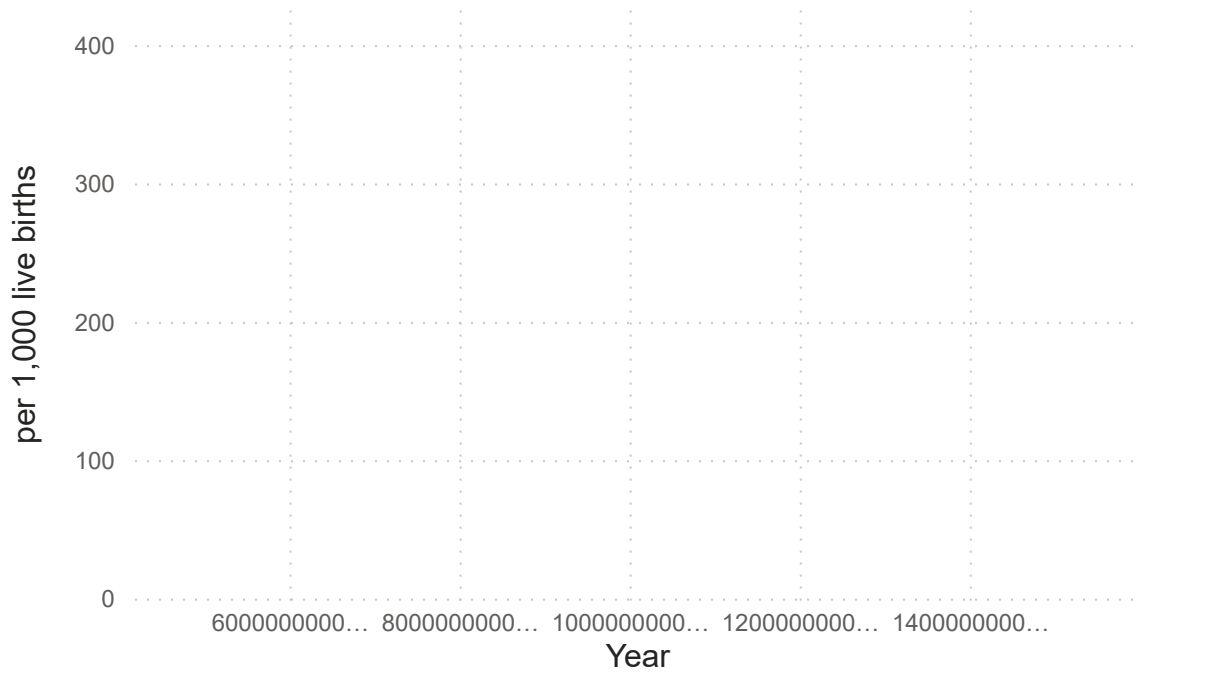
Indicator	Info	Year	Value	Source
Degree training in nutrition exists	i	2017	Yes	View
GDP per capita (PPP US\$)	i	2021	2444.47824	View
GDP per capita annual growth rate (%)	i	2021	5.8	View
Low-Income Food-Deficit Country (LIFDC)	i	2021	Yes	View
Nursing and midwifery personnel density per 1,000 population	i	2014	1.167	View
Nutrition is part of medical curricula	i	2017	Yes	View
Nutrition professionals density (per 100,000 population)	i	2017	1	View
Official development assistance (ODA) received (net disbursements) (% of GNI)	i	2019	5.2	View

Female Education Levels 2015



[Info](#) [Source](#)

Under 5 Mortality



[Info](#) [Source](#)

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

Policy Title	Start Year	View
The National Health Strategy for Zimbabwe	2016	GINA
ZUNDAF 2016-2020 Zimbabwe United Nations Development Assistance Framework	2016	GINA
Zimbabwe National Nutrition Strategy	2014	GINA
Food and Nutrition Security for Zimbabwe in the context of Economic Growth and Development	2012	GINA
Zimbabwe United Nations Development Assistance Framework	2012	GINA
National Child Survival Strategy for Zimbabwe 2010-2015	2010	GINA
Nutrition and HIV&AIDS Strategy	2010	GINA
National Health Strategy for Zimbabwe	2009	GINA
Reproductive Health Policy and Maternal and Neonatal Health Road Map	2007	GINA
PMTCT & Paediatric HIV Prevention, Treatment & Care National Plan	2006	GINA
Zimbabwe National Hiv and Aids Strategic Plan (ZNASP)	2006	GINA
Zimbabwe National Strategic Plan for Education of Girls, Orphans and Vulnerable Children	2005	GINA
Food and Food Standards (Food Labelling) Regulations	2003	GINA
Labour Relations Act	2002	GINA
Maternity Protection Law	2002	GINA
Infant Nutrition Regulations	1998	GINA
Child supplementary feeding policy		GINA
Non-Communicable Diseases Strategy		GINA
Zimbabwe Infant and Young Child Feeding Policy		GINA

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

Programme title and actions	Start Year	View
GNPR 2009-2010: Maternal, infant and young child nutrition - Breastfeeding promotion and/or counselling		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: Maternal, infant and young child nutrition - Complementary feeding promotion and/or counselling		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: Maternal, infant and young child nutrition - Counselling on nutritional support&care for people living with HIV		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: Maternal, infant and young child nutrition - Distribution of insecticide-treated bednets		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: Maternal, infant and young child nutrition - Management of severe acute malnutrition		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: Maternal, infant and young child nutrition - Preventive malaria treatment		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: Maternal, infant and young child nutrition - Promotion and implementation of properly timed cord clamping		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: Maternal, infant and young child nutrition - Promotion of improved hygiene practices including handwashing		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: School-based nutrition - Implementation of legislation on marketing of unhealthy foods and beverages to children		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: School-based nutrition - Improved food safety at vending places		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: School-based nutrition - Provision of safe water		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: School-based nutrition - School feeding programmes		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: School-based nutrition - School fruit and vegetable scheme		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: School-based nutrition - Vitamin A supplementation		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: Vitamin and mineral nutrition - Iron and folic acid supplementation		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: Vitamin and mineral nutrition - Margarine/butter fortification		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: Vitamin and mineral nutrition - Salt iodization		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: Vitamin and mineral nutrition - Vitamin A supplementation		GINA
GNPR 2009-2010: Vitamin and mineral nutrition - Zinc supplementation		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Infant and young child nutrition (q10) - Complementary feeding promotion and/or counselling		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Infant and young child nutrition (q6) - Growth monitoring and promotion		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Infant and young child nutrition (q7) - Breastfeeding promotion and/or counselling		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Infant and young child nutrition (q8) - Baby-friendly Hospital Initiative (BFHI)		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Infant and young child nutrition (q9b) - Infant feeding in the context of HIV		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Infant and young child nutrition (q9c) - Infant feeding in the context of emergencies		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Nutrition and infectious disease (q40) - Counselling on nutritional support&care for people living with HIV		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Nutrition and infectious disease (q42) - Deworming		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Prevention and management of acute malnutrition (q37) - Food distribution/supplementation for prevention of acute malnutrition		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Prevention and management of acute malnutrition (q38) - Management of moderate malnutrition		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Prevention and management of acute malnutrition (q39) - Management of severe acute malnutrition		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Promotion of healthy diet and prevention of obesity and diet-related NCDs (q12b) - Nutrient-based dietary guidelines		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Promotion of healthy diet and prevention of obesity and diet-related NCDs (q13) - Nutrient declaration		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Promotion of healthy diet and prevention of obesity and diet-related NCDs (q13) - Nutrition and health claims		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Promotion of healthy diet and prevention of obesity and diet-related NCDs (q20) - Media promotion of healthy nutrition		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: School health and nutrition (q11) - Deworming		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: School health and nutrition (q11) - Home, school or community gardening		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: School health and nutrition (q11) - Monitoring children's growth in schools		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: School health and nutrition (q11) - Nutrition education included in school curriculum		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: School health and nutrition (q11) - School feeding programmes		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Vitamin and mineral nutrition (q25) - Iron and folic acid supplementation		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Vitamin and mineral nutrition (q27) - Multiple micronutrients supplementation		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Vitamin and mineral nutrition (q27) - Vitamin A supplementation		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Vitamin and mineral nutrition (q28) - Wheat flour fortification		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Vitamin and mineral nutrition (q29) - Maize/corn flour fortification		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Vitamin and mineral nutrition (q31) - Oil fortification		GINA
GNPR 2016-2017: Vitamin and mineral nutrition (q32) - Salt iodization		GINA