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Gender Disparities and Other Health Determinants in Bangladesh

Domain	Population group		Indicator	Male vs Female			Data Source, Year	
Health and survival	***	Newborn	Life expectancy at birth (Year)	÷	71	÷	74	SVRS, 2022
	٥٥	Children under 5 year	Under-five mortality rate (per 1000 live birth)	÷	33	÷	29	SVRS, 2022
		Children under 5 year	Stunting among children		24%	÷	23%	BDHS, 2022
	†	Adult	Obesity among adult (%)	Ť	3%	†	9%	STEPS Survey, 2018
	11	Adult	Hypertension among adult (%)	Ť	18%		24%	STEPS Survey, 2018
	† †	Adult	Diabetes among adult (%)	Ť	9%	†	8%	STEPS Survey, 2018
	Ł	Adult	Disability prevalence	Ť	3%	Ť	2%	NSPD, 2021
	†	Adult	Temporary Contraceptive methods (%)	Ť	8% Condoms	Ť	41% Pill, injectables, IUD, implants	BDHS, 2022
	†	Adult	Permanent contraceptive methods (%)	Ť	1%	*	4%	BDHS, 2022
	ŤŤ	Children	Child marriage prevalence (%)	Ť	5%	*	59%	BDHS 2016-17
	*	Adult women	Violence against women prevalence (%)	*	50% (Physical)		27% (Sexual)	VAW Survey 2015
Educational Attainment	11	Overall Population	Literacy rate (7+ years) (%)	Ť	79%	Ť	75%	SVRS 2022
	14	Children	Primary completion rate (%)	Ť	85%	#	87%	APSC, 2021
		Children	Secondary completion rate (%)	Ť	67%	#	60%	APSC, 2021
	计 带	Adolescent	Higher-secondary completion rate (%)	Ť	79%	***	78%	APSC, 2021
Economic Participation and Opportunities	†	Adult	Household headship rate (%)	Ť	82.6%		17.4%	SVRS, 2022
	†	Adult	Labour force participation (%)	Ť	80%	Ť	43%	LFS, 2022
	†	Adult	Employment in high status occupation (%)	Ť	90%	*	10%	LFS 2016-17
	ŤŤŤŤ	Adult and Adolescent	Ownership of mobile phones (%)	Ť	72%		55%	ICT Survey 2023
	† †	Adult	Internet user (%)	Ť	52%		37%	ICT Survey 2023
	†	Adult	Bank account ownership (%)	Ť	31%		22%	SVRS 2022
	††	Adult	Mobile financial service access (%)	Ť	56%		29%	SVRS 2022
Political Participation		Adult	Seats held in national parliament (%)		79%		21%	Bangladesh Parliament Secretariat
		Adult	Ministerial position (%)		92%		8%	Cabinet Division