# Demographics

Indicators	NFHS 5 (India)	NFHS 4 (India)
Population below age 15 years (%)	26.5	28.6
Sex ratio of the total population (females per 1,000 males)	1,020	991
Sex ratio at birth for children born in the last five years (females per 1,000 males)	929	919
Children under age 5 years whose birth was registered with the civil authority (%)	89.1	79.7
Women age 20-24 years married before age 18 years (%)	23.3	26.8
Deaths in the last 3 years registered with the civil authority (%)	70.8	na
Women who are literate4 (%)	71.5	na
Men who are literate4 (%)	84.4	na
Women who have ever used the internet (%)	33.3	na
Men who have ever used the internet (%)	57.1	na

## **General Health and Sanitation**

Indicators	NFHS 5 (India)	NFHS4 (India)
Households with any usual member covered under a health insurance/financing scheme (%)	41.0	28.7
Average out-of-pocket expenditure per delivery in a public health facility (Rs.)	2916	3197
Population living in households with an improved drinking-water source1 (%)	95.9	94.4
Population living in households that use an improved sanitation facility2 (%)	70.2	48.5
Households using clean fuel for cooking (%)	58.6	43.8

## Women's Health

Indicators	NFHS 5	NFHS 4
	(India)	(India)

Mothers who consumed iron folic acid for 100 days or more when they were pregnant (%)	44.1	30.3
Mothers who consumed iron folic acid for 180 days or more when they were pregnant (%)	26.0	14.4
Registered pregnancies for which the mother received a Mother and Child Protection (MCP) card (%)	95.9	89.3
Mothers who received postnatal care from a doctor/nurse/LHV/ANM/midwife/other health personnel within 2 days of delivery (%)	78.0	62.4
Non-pregnant women age 15-49 years who are anaemic (<12.0 g/dl)22 (%)	57.2	53.2
Pregnant women age 15-49 years who are anaemic (<11.0 g/dl)22 (%)	52.2	50.4
All women age 15-19 years who are anaemic22 (%)	59.1	54.1
Women age 15 years and above who use any kind of tobacco (%)	8.9	na
Women age 15-19 years who were already mothers or pregnant at the time of the survey (%)	6.8	7.9
Women age 15-24 years who use hygienic methods of protection during their menstrual period5 (%)	77.3	57.6
Young women age 18-29 years who experienced sexual violence by age 18 (%)	1.5	1.5

## Child Health

Indicators	NFHS 5 (India)	NFHS 4 (India)
Institutional births (%)	88.6	78.9
Children who received postnatal care from a doctor/nurse/LHV/ANM/midwife/other health personnel within 2 days of delivery (%)	79.1	na

Children age 12-23 months fully vaccinated based on information from vaccination card only12 (%)	83.8	77.9
Children age 9-35 months who received a vitamin A dose in the last 6 months (%)	71.2	64.5
Children under age 3 years breastfed within one hour of birth15 (%)	41.8	41.6
Children under age 6 months exclusively breastfed16 (%)	63.7	54.9
Total children age 6-23 months receiving an adequate diet16, 17 (%)	11.3	9.6
Children under 5 years who are stunted (height-for-age)18 (%)	35.5	38.4
Children under 5 years who are wasted (weight-for-height)18 (%)	19.3	21.0
Children under 5 years who are severely wasted (weight-for-height)19 (%)	7.7	7.5
Children under 5 years who are underweight (weight-for-age)18 (%)	32.1	35.8
Children under 5 years who are overweight (weight-for-height)20 (%)	3.4	2.1
Children age 6-59 months who are anaemic (<11.0 g/dl)22 (%)	67.1	58.6
Prevalence of symptoms of acute respiratory infection (ARI) in the 2 weeks preceding the survey (%)	2.8	2.7
Children with fever or symptoms of ARI in the 2 weeks preceding the survey taken to a health facility or health provider (%)	69.0	73.2
Neonatal mortality rate (NNMR)	24.9	29.5
Infant mortality rate (IMR)	35.2	40.7
Under-five mortality rate (U5MR)	41.9	49.7

## **Education**

Indicators	NFHS 5 (India)	NFHS 4 (India)
Female population age 6 years and above who ever attended school (%)	71.8	68.8

Children age 5 years who attended pre-	13.6	na
primary school during the school year 2019-		
20 (%)		

Indicators	NFHS 5 (India)	NFHS 4 (India)
Population living in households with electricity (%)	96.8	88.0

Indicators	NFHS 5 (India)	NFHS 4 (India)
Men age 15 years and above who use any kind of tobacco (%)	38.0	na
Women age 15 years and above who consume alcohol (%)	1.3	na
Men age 15 years and above who consume alcohol (%)	18.8	na