

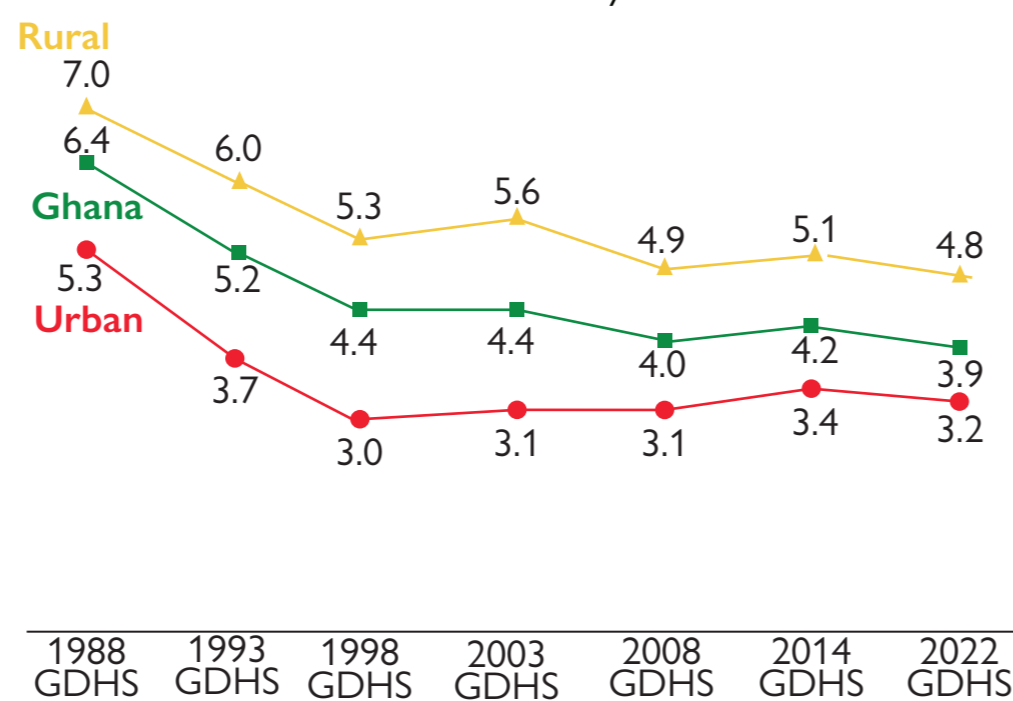
Ghana

2022 Demographic and Health Survey

Fertility

Ghanaian women have an average of **3.9** children.

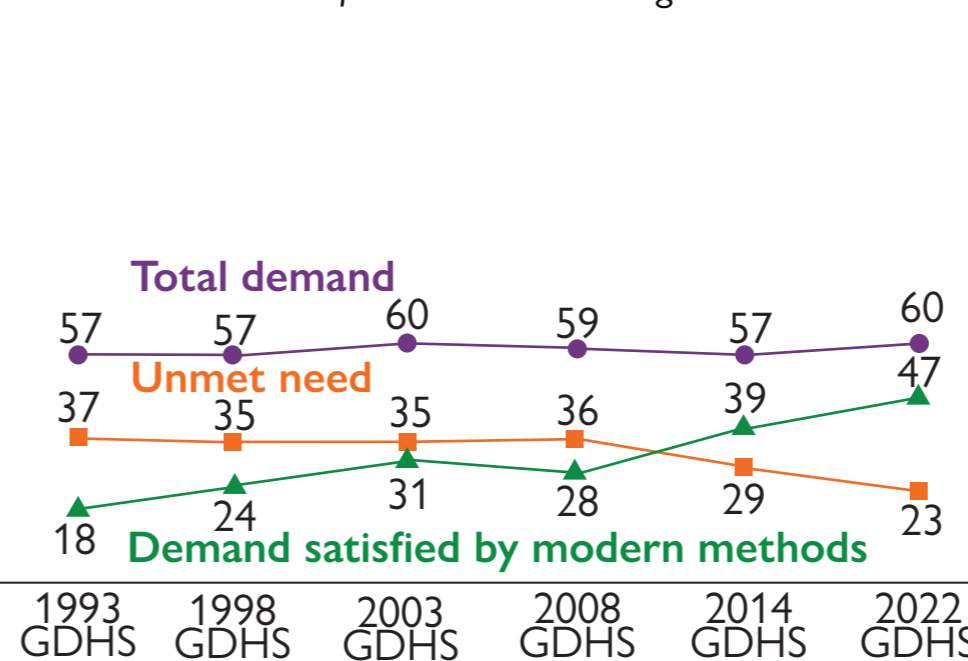
Trends in Total Fertility Rate by Residence
Births per woman for the three-year period before the survey



Family Planning

60% of married women have demand satisfied for family planning by modern methods.

Trends in Demand for Family Planning
Percent of married women age 15-49



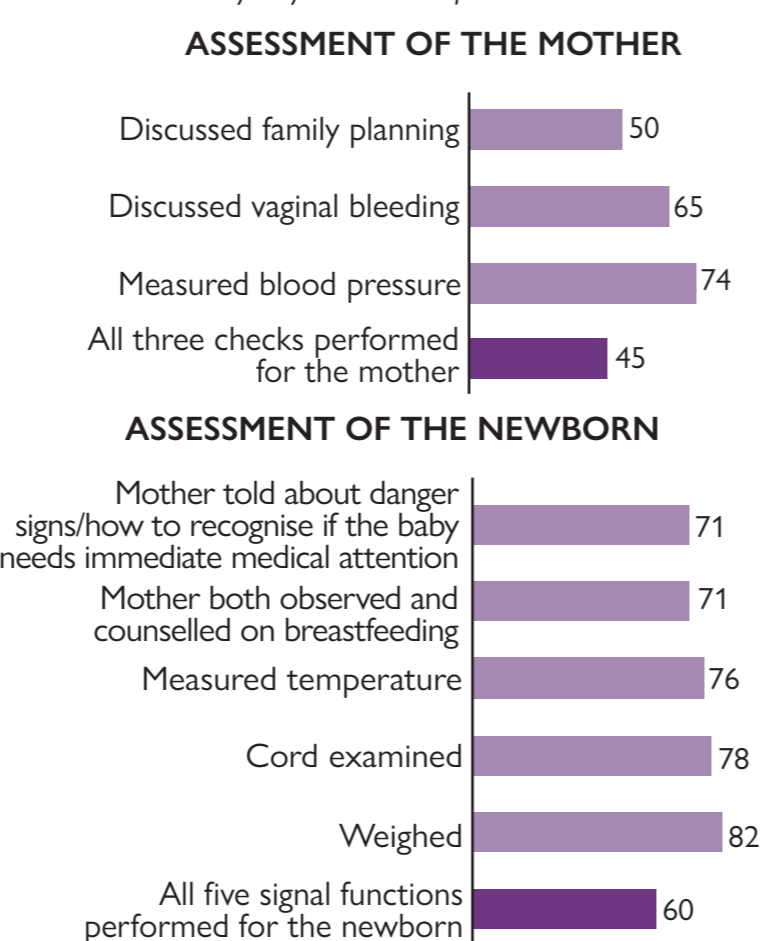
Yet **23%** of married women have an unmet need for family planning.

Maternal and Newborn Health

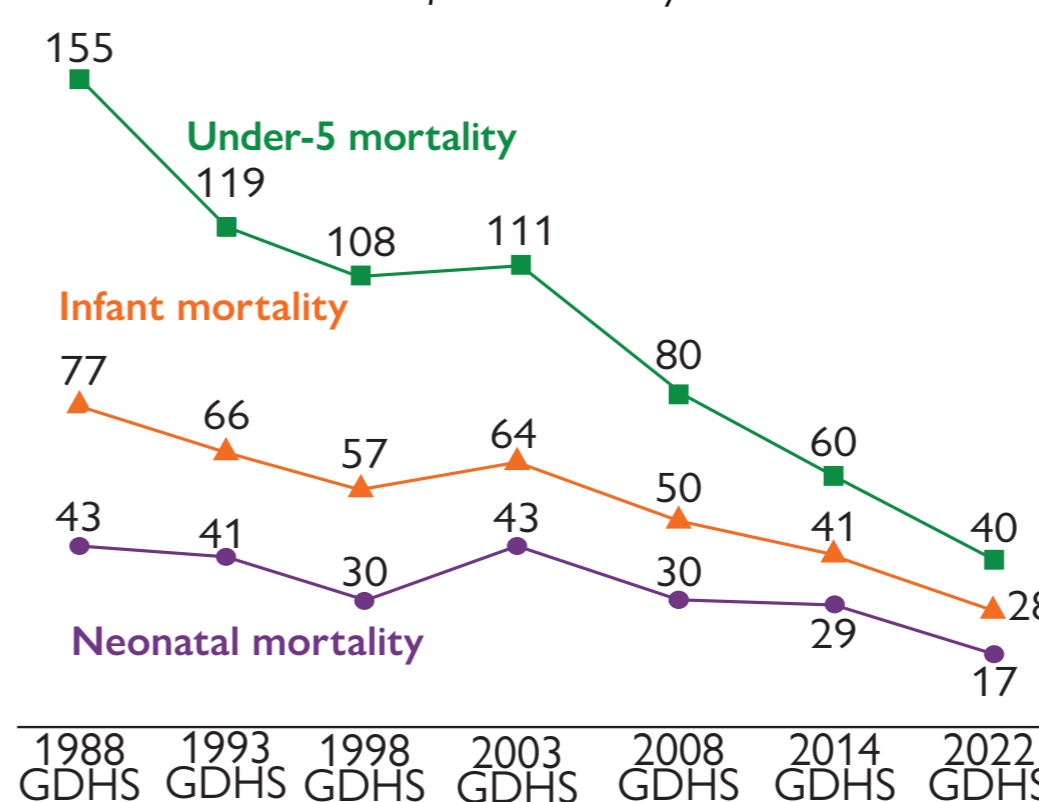
87% of newborns and women age 15-49 received a postnatal check within two days of delivery.

However, **9%** of mothers and **10%** of newborns received no postnatal care.

Content of Postnatal Care for Mothers and Newborns
Percent of women age 15-49 with a live birth in the two years before the survey and percent of newborns in the two years before the survey for whom selected checks were performed during the first two days after birth by any healthcare provider.



Trends in Childhood Mortality
Deaths per 1,000 live births for the five-year period before the survey



Child Mortality

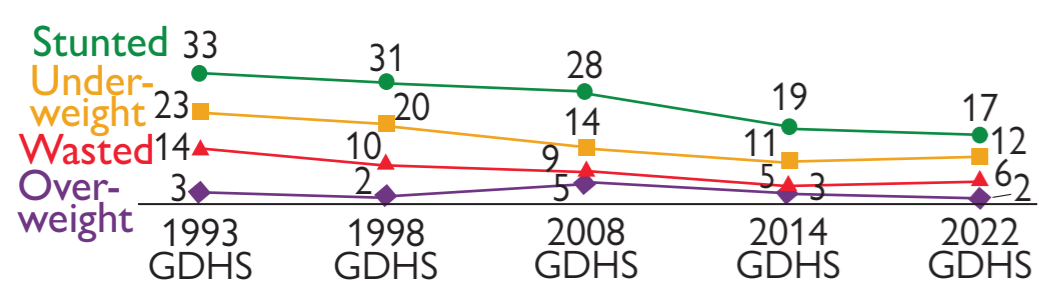
Children's mortality rates have declined dramatically between 1988 and 2022.

Currently, **1 in 25** children do not survive to their 5th birthday.

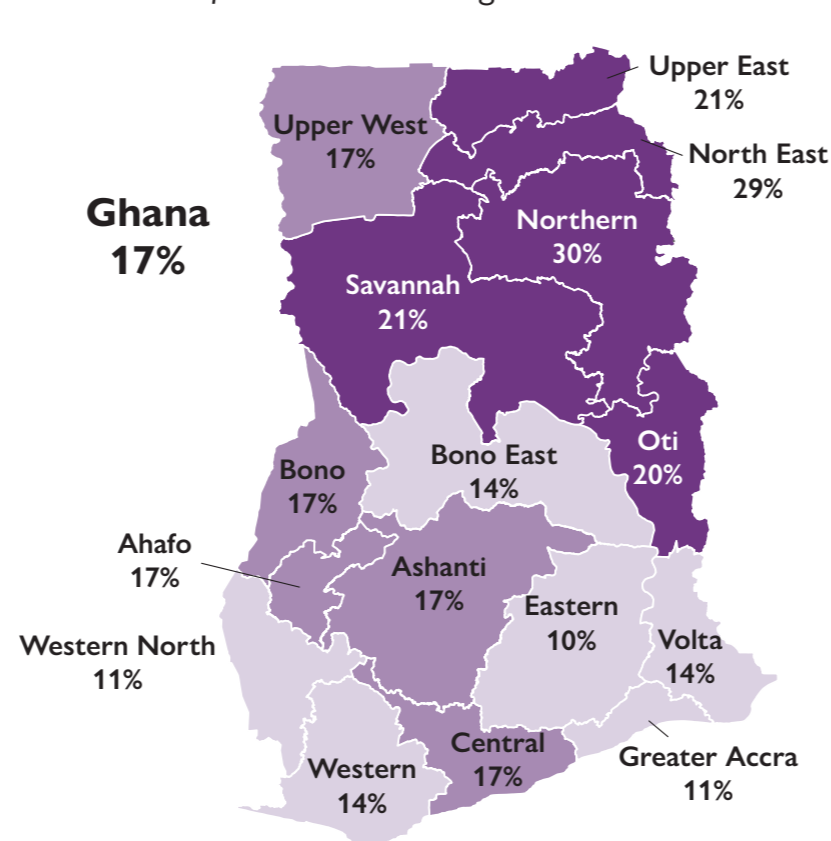
Children's Nutritional Status

Trends in Child Growth Measures
Percent of children under age 5 who are malnourished, based on 2006 WHO Child Growth Standards

Stunting is highest in the Northern (30%) and North East (29%) regions.

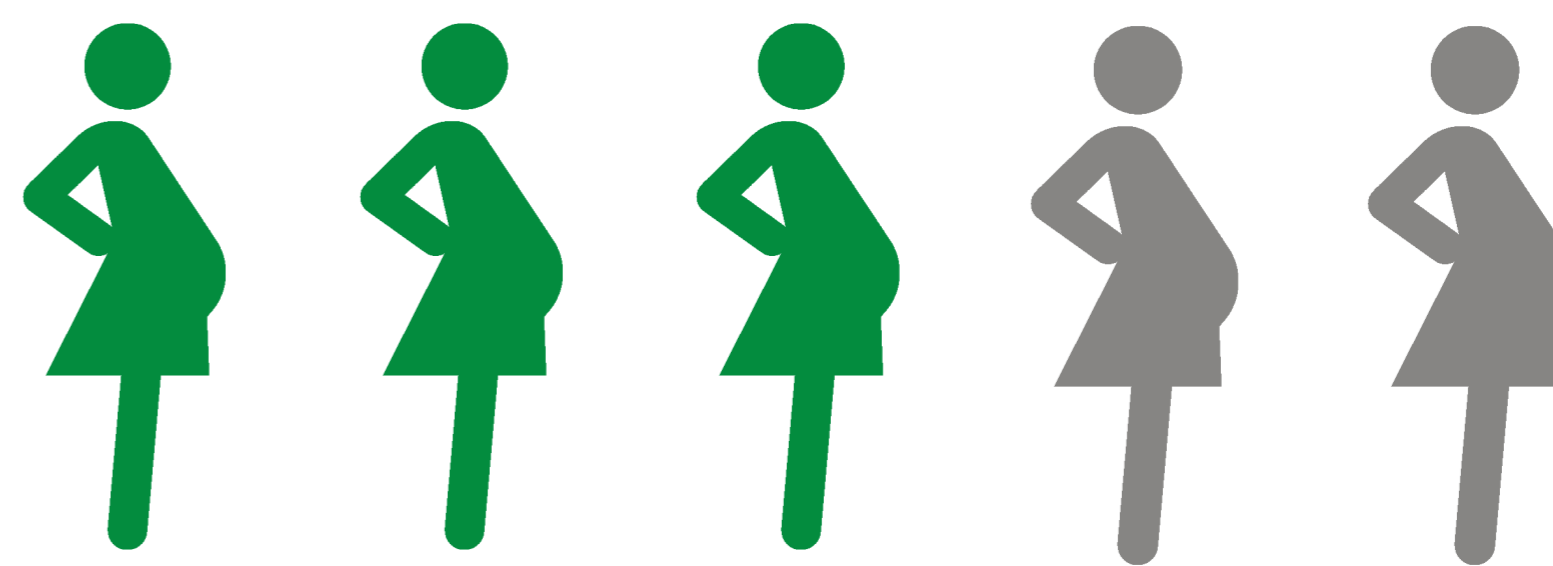


Stunting by Region
Percent of children under age 5 who are stunted



The prevalence of stunting, underweight, and wasting among children under age 5 has steadily declined since 1993.

Malaria



3 in 5 pregnant women age 15-49 took the recommended 3+ doses of IPTp during pregnancy to prevent malaria.

