

Section-1: Exploring Reproductive Health Trends

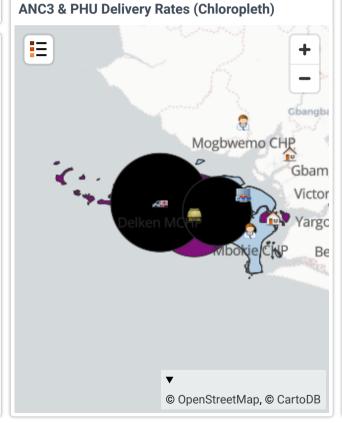
Here, we analyze reproductive health reporting rates across Sierra Leone in 2023, highlighting seasonal trends, challenges, and their impact on maternal health data.

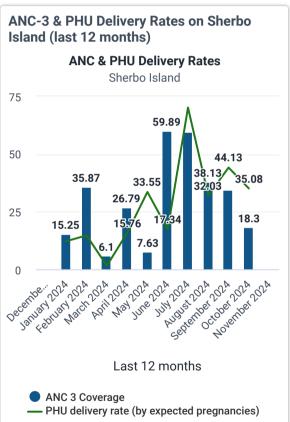
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| Sierra Leone | 100 | 89.1 | 88.32 | 86.51 | 89.27 | 89.62 | 90.4 | 88.24 | 84.17 | 75 | 75 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 | 66.96 |

Section-2: Antenatal Care and Maternal Health

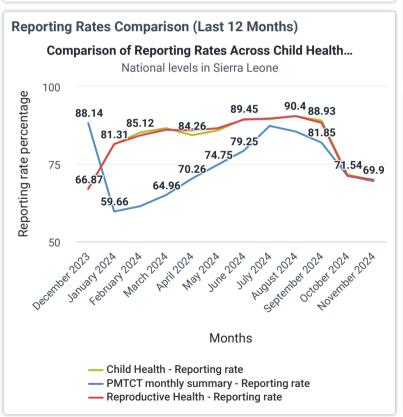
Through a choropleth map and bar-line chart, we observe higher ANC 3 Coverage but comparatively lower PHU delivery rates on Sherbro Island, highlighting gaps in translating antenatal care into facility-based deliveries and the need for targeted interventions.





Section-3: Connecting Maternal and Infant Health

Here in this line graph comparing comparing reporting rates for Reproductive Health, Child Health, and PMTCT monthly summaries. This analysis bridges maternal health insights with PMTCT efforts, emphasizing the role of maternal care in preventing mother-to-child HIV transmission and safeguarding infant health.

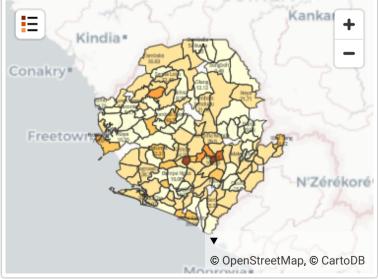


Section-4: Vaccination Coverage (Focus on Infants <1 Year Old)

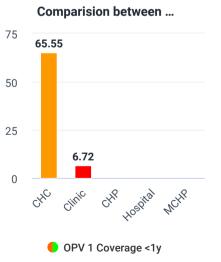
As part of our exploration of child health, this visualization highlights OPV1 vaccination coverage across Sierra Leone's chiefdoms for infants under 1 year, showcasing regions with high immunization rates over the past 12 months and identifying areas that may require targeted support.

As we delve deeper into child health, this visualization compares OPV1 coverage for infants under 1 year across facilities in Sherbro Island and its surrounding coastal region, highlighting significant disparities in immunization rates

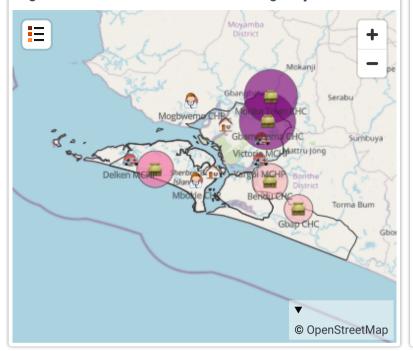
OPV1 coverage(<1y) in Sierra Leone over the past 12 months



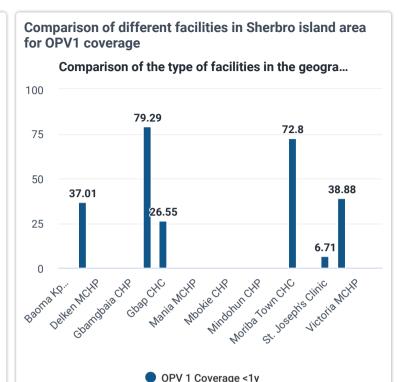
Comparison between various facility types in Sherbro island for OPV1(<1yr) coverage



Comparison of the type of facilities in the geographical region of Sherbro Island for OPV1 coverage <1yr



As we delve into infant health and vaccination, we focus on Sherbro Island, an isolated region, comparing facility-level OPV1 coverage. Using a choropleth map and bar chart, we identify the types of facilities with the highest and lowest vaccination rates for infants under 1 year. Notably, the facility with the lowest coverage is near the mainland, which works out as families may still access healthcare services more easily on the mainland, highlighting the interplay between geography and service utilization in this unique area.



Section-5: Childhood Illnesses and Interventions

As we shift to childhood illnesses, this analysis focuses on the 'Diarrhea <5y Incidence Rate' indicator, which consists of three components: diarrhea cases with blood (dysentery), severe dehydration follow-ups, and the total population under 5 years. A pivot table provides district-level insights, showcasing how these components constitute the indicator over the past year.

Through a detailed pivot table and bar chart analysis, we identified the Western Area as having the highest average rate of diarrhea cases under 5 years. Using this insight, we forecasted the minimum ORS stock required to meet treatment needs effectively.

https://colab.research.google.com/drive/1uJU6T-kG4uvTla2_JSfj83l0s9Pzxug1?usp=sharing Minimum ORS stock required for Freetown for the next year (5 days per case): 36730 Minimum ORS stock required for Rural Western Area for the next year (5 days per case): 26730 Total minimum ORS stock required for the district for the next year (5 days per case): 63460

Incidence of Diarrhea and its components in Seirra Leone							
December 2023, January 2024, February 2024, March 2024, April 2024,							
	Diarrhoea <5 y incidence rate (%)	Diarrhoea with blood (Dysentery) new	Diarrhoea with severe dehydration follow-up	Total population < 5 years			
Во	5.21	3 899	600	86 101.60			
Bombali	3.95	2 662	345	76 006.53			
Bonthe	1.82	234	265	27 317.3			
Kailahun	4.63	2 875	288	68 105.9			
Kambia	4.75	1 942	490	51 079.1			
Kenema	4.37	3 687	458	94 594.2			
Koinadugu	4.02	1 753	252	49 753.1			
Kono	2.26	1 203	255	64 322.8			
Moyamba	3.06	1 435	104	50 091.1			
Port Loko	3.01	1 962	683	87 638.6			
Pujehun	3.09	1 151	217	44 164.			
Tonkolili	6.56	3 683	670	66 214.			
Western Area	3.22	3 668	1 093	147 438			

Under 5 by District								
Nov	November 2022 - October 2023							
	Diarrhoea with blood (Dysentery) new 0-11m	Diarrhoea with blood (Dysentery) \$ new 12- 59m	Diarrho with se dehydra new 0-1					
Во	583	1 018						
Bombali	617	892						
Bonthe	52	77						
Kailahun	463	782						
Kambia	373	695						
Kenema	595	914						
Koinadugu	119	464						
Kono	201	408						

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Moyamba

Port Loko

Pujehun

Tonkolili

Western Area

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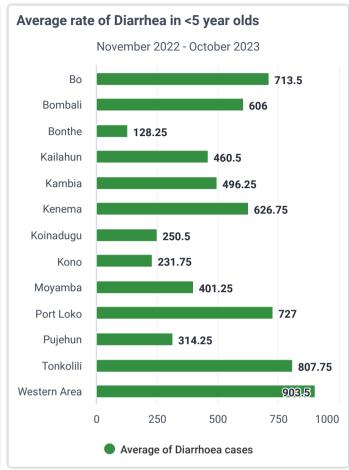
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Average Rate of Diarrhea Cases in Children



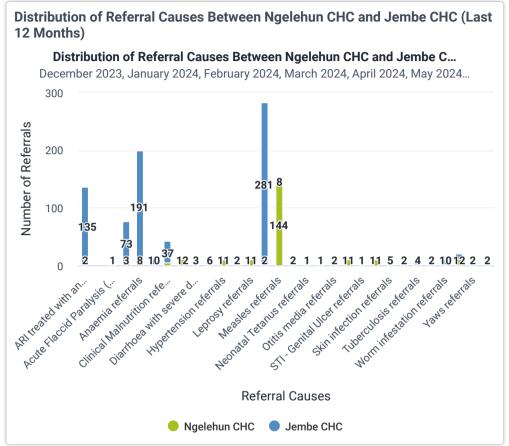
Section-6: Referral Trends and Forecasting

We began by creating a pivot table to summarize the referral trends and patient characteristics at Ngelehun CHC and Jembe CHC over 12 months. This was followed by side-by-side bar charts to compare the total referrals and delve into the causes behind these referrals, offering insights into disparities in patient care and resource allocation. Continuing our analysis, we began by using a bar chart to compare referral causes between Ngelehun CHC and Jembe CHC, identifying disparities in service needs. Building on this, we utilized stacked bar charts to explore patient demographics and referral statuses, uncovering patterns that reflect differences in healthcare access and outcomes across the facilities

Monthly Patient Referrals from Ngelehun CHC and Jembe CHC (Last 12 Months)

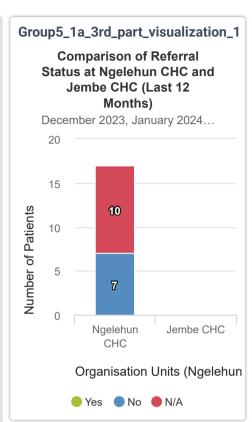
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	Ngelehun CHC	J			
December 2023					
January 2024	119				
February 2024	6				
March 2024	17				
April 2024	7				
May 2024	13				
June 2024	14				
July 2024	13				
August 2024	7				
September 2024	14				
October 2024	51				
November 2024					
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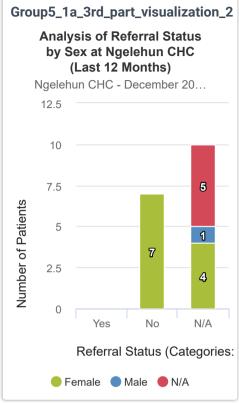


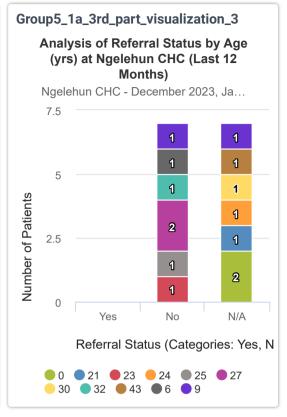


Monthly Patient Referrals from Ngelehun CHC and Jembe CHC (Jan 2023 – Dec 2024)

Monthly Patient Referrals from Ngelehun CHC a					
ARI treated with antibiotics (pneumonia) referra					
	Ngelehun 🛊	Jembe CHC			
January 2023	119	48			
February 2023		48			
March 2023	3	89			
April 2023		49			
May 2023	2	42			
June 2023	2	71			
July 2023	2	101			
August 2023	1	64			
September 2023		87			
October 2023		55			
November 2023		66			
December 2023		52			
January 2024	119	48			
February 2024	6	48			
March 2024	17	49			
April 2024	7	89			
May 2024	13	42			
June 2024	14	71			
July 2024	13	101			
August 2024	7	64			
September 2024	14	87			
October 2024	51	66	•		
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Building on our exploration of referrals, we expanded our analysis to forecast referral patterns using SES Holt-Winters predictive model. These forecasts, derived from referral data across Ngelehun and Jembe CHCs, provide actionable insights to enhance resource planning and service delivery. By predicting patient referral trends for the next 12 months, we enable health administrators to address critical gaps in maternal and child healthcare, ensuring timely interventions and resource allocation. This effort not only reinforces proactive healthcare delivery in the region but also sets a precedent for leveraging data to optimize maternal and child health outcomes on a broader scale. https://colab.research.google.com/drive/1-
XC5MgoX47xNJPCBoLO5BA72AkM3aal_?usp=sharing

Resources

- Rates in Reproductive Health Across Sierra
 Leone Districts: Trends and Time Series
 Components for 2023
- Forecasting Diarrhea cases under 5 yrs using Autoarima
- group5 Question1b decomposition of Jembe CHC and Ngelehun CHC time series.
- <u>group5 question1b 12-Month Referral</u> <u>Forecast for Jembe CHC and Ngelehun CHC</u> (2025)

Topic and Sentiment Analysis: https://colab.research.google.com/drive/1dUQ_duDEKGLUcw800jxdSiFBscog6ogU?usp=sharing

Topic Analysis for question 2:

http://jtay.me/question_2_topics_9.html

Topic Analysis for question 8:

http://jtay.me/question_8_topics.html