



Press Release

Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

On the occasion of international day of woman's health development

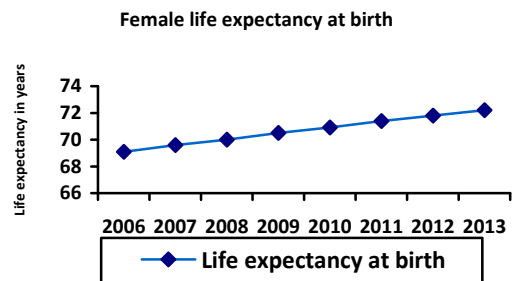
72.2 years old is the life expectancy at birth in 2013

On the occasion of International Day of woman's health development, Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics issued on 28/5/2014 a press release reviewing the current woman health status. Celebration of this day started on the occasion of the members of the Global Women's Network meeting for reproductive rights in Costa Rica in 1987, in which was determined May 28th the International Day for Woman's Health development.

In this context some health indicators for Egyptian woman are presented as follows:

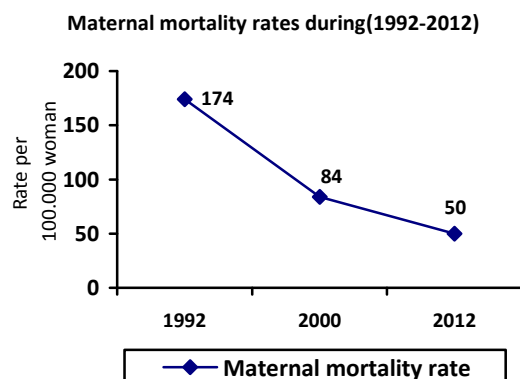
Females Life expectancy at birth

Females Life expectancy at birth Increased from 69.1 years old in 2006 to 70.5 years old in 2009 and continued rising till it reached 72.2 years in 2013.



Maternal mortality

Maternal mortality rate reached 174 woman per 100.000 living births in 1992, dropped to 84 woman in 2000 and continued to decline reaching 50 woman in 2012, so Egypt is on its way to achieve the goal of reducing maternal mortality by 75% as expected (according to Ministry of Health estimates) that maternal mortality will reach only 44

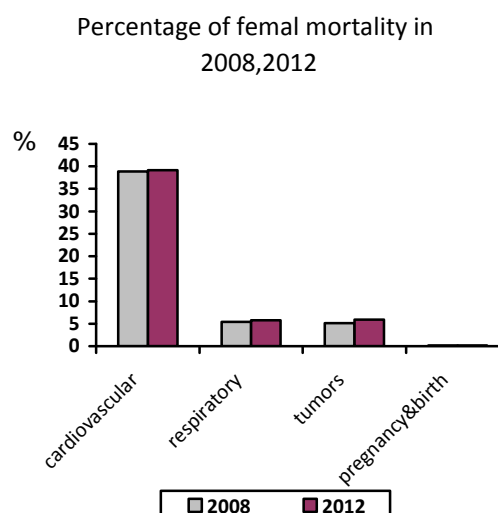


Female mortality

There is a slight increase in female mortality rate, it was 5.6 per 1000 females in 2008, compared to 5.8 in 2012.

Female mortality Causes

The highest reason for female mortality was due to cardiovascular system diseases by 38.9% of the total female deaths in 2008 compared to 39.15% in 2012, then mortality due to respiratory system diseases by 5.4% of the total female deaths in 2008 compared to 5.8% in 2012, also Deaths due to tumors increased from 5.1% in 2008 to 5.9% in 2012, while the lowest percentage of female deaths was due to pregnancy and birth by 0.14% in 2008 decreased to



Reproductive Health

According to Ministry of Health Statistical Yearbook data, it is indicated that:

- Half of women (50%) in the reproductive age (15-49) are with anemia diseases in 2012.
- 79% of women have given birth by trained persons, while 73% of women have given birth in health units in 2012.
- The number of maternal and child centers reached 149 centers in 2012.
- The number of fixed family planning units in urban reached 1339 compared to 3840 in rural , and 497 mobile family planning unit in 2012.

Smoking

According to income and expenditure survey data, the percentage of female smokers (15 years and above) reached 0.2% versus 33.3% for males in 2012/2013.

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