

Data availability

Description:

Data are available for practically all countries. They are, however, sometimes based on health statistics provided by international agencies as the national data are incomplete.

Actual country data for 2010 onwards period:

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Latin America and the Caribbean - 56% of countries (19 out of 34 countries)

Europe, North America, Australia, New Zealand and Japan -

94% of countries (44 out of 47 countries, missing are mainly very small countries)

For the period 2000-2009:

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Latin America and the Caribbean - 56% of countries (19 out of 34 countries)

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Web link to the database: <http://apps.who.int/gho/data/node.home>

The indicator has been established and available for more than a decade.

<http://apps.who.int/gho/data/node.main.INADEQUATEWSH?lang=en>

http://www.who.int/water_sanitation_health/gbd_poor_water/en/

WHO has been collating country figures and has been using these to produce global and regional estimates against this indicator.

Time series:

Limited time series data is available (comparable series for years 2012 and soon 2015; data for 2002 are also available but have more limited comparability)

Disaggregation:

Since this indicator is population-based, geographic location is the most natural disaggregation. Data also exists for age group and sex. Similar to JMP's work on disaggregation by income groups (wealth quintile), data can further be disaggregated by wealth quintile.

Calendar

Data collection:

Ongoing

Data release:

2017, first quarter

Data providers

National statistics offices, Various line ministries and databases covering civil registration with complete coverage and medical certification of cause of death.

Data compilers

WHO

References

URL:

http://www.who.int/water_sanitation_health/gbd_poor_water/en/

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Related indicators as of February 2020

Indicator 7.1.2: Proportion of population with primary reliance on clean fuels and technology