

SDG Goal 5

Gender equality

SDG Target 5.6

Ensure universal access to sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights as agreed in accordance with the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development and the Beijing Platform for Action and the outcome documents of their review conferences

SDG Indicator 5.6.2

Number of countries with laws and regulations that guarantee full and equal access to women and men aged 15 years and older to sexual and reproductive health care, information and education

Time series

Access to sexual and reproductive health care, information and education

1. General information on the time series

- Date of national metadata: 30 September 2021
- National data: <http://sdg-indikatoren.de/en/5-6-2/>
- Definition: The time series measures the existence and extent of national laws and regulations that guarantee full and equal access to women and men aged 15 years and older to sexual and reproductive health care, information and education. The time series consists of 13 components assigned to 4 sections, which are:
SECTION I: MATERNITY CARE
Component 1. Maternity care
Component 2. Life-saving commodities
Component 3. Abortion
Component 4. Post-abortion care
SECTION II: CONTRACEPTION AND FAMILY PLANNING
Component 5. Contraception
Component 6. Consent for contraceptive services
Component 7. Emergency contraception
SECTION III: COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION AND INFORMATION
Component 8. CSE law
Component 9. CSE curriculum
SECTION IV: HIV and HPV
Component 10. HIV testing and counselling
Component 11. HIV treatment and care
Component 12. Confidentiality of health status for men and women living with HIV
Component 13. HPV vaccine
- Disaggregation: Not available.

2. Comparison with global metadata

- Date of global metadata: March 2021
- Global metadata: <https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/metadata/files/Metadata-05-06-02.pdf>
- The time series is compliant with the global metadata.

3. Data description

- The time series is based on the official response of the government to the United Nations Inquiry among Governments on Population and Development, module on reproductive health (RH). The questions in the RH module are answered by the Federal Ministry for Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth (BMFSFJ). Each question is relevant as either an enabler or a barrier to calculate a component.

4. Accessibility of source data

- Calculation of SDG indicator 2019:
https://sdg-indikatoren.de/public/Calculation_2019.xlsx
- Questionnaire on SDG indicator 2019:
https://sdg-indikatoren.de/public/12th_Inquiry_among_Governments_on_Population_and_Development_2021_RH_Module.pdf
- Questionnaire on SDG indicator 2021:
https://sdg-indikatoren.de/public/13th_Inquiry_among_Governments_on_Population_and_Development_2021_RH_Module.pdf

5. Metadata on source data

Not available.

6. Timeliness and frequency

- Timeliness: Not available.
- Frequency: Every 2 years

7. Calculation method

- Unit of measurement: %
- Calculation method:

$$S_i = \frac{\sum C_j [\%]}{n [\text{number}]}$$

$$C_j = \left(\frac{\text{Existing enablers}_j [\text{number}]}{\text{Total enablers}_j [\text{number}]} - \frac{\text{Existing barriers}_j [\text{number}]}{\text{Total barriers}_j [\text{number}]} \right) \cdot 100 [\%]$$

S_i = Section; $i = 1 - 4$

C_j = Component; $j = 1 - 13$