

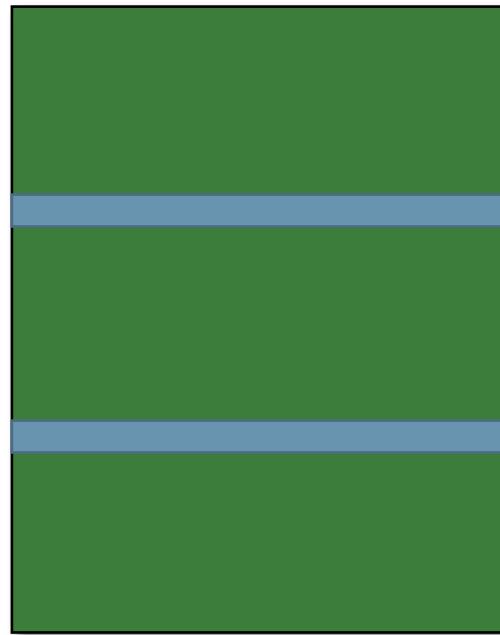
Mortality

#NigeriaDHS



2024 Nigeria Demographic and Health Survey (NDHS)

Childhood mortality



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the Final Report

Childhood Mortality Estimates

Neonatal mortality: Probability of dying in the first month of life

Postneonatal mortality: Probability of dying between one month and first birthday

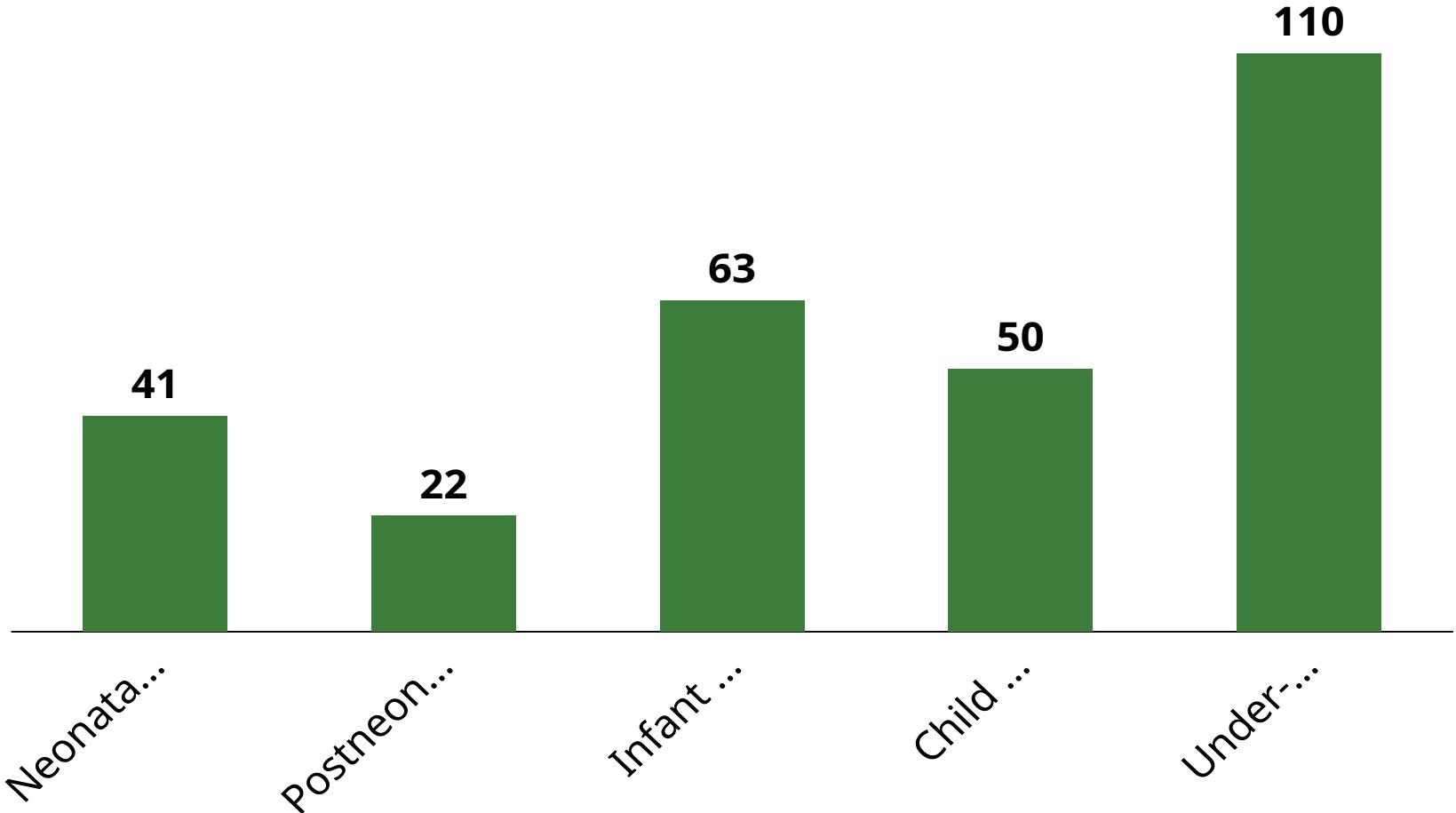
Infant mortality: Probability of dying before the first birthday

Child mortality: Probability of dying between age one and five

Under-5 mortality: Probability of dying before the fifth birthday

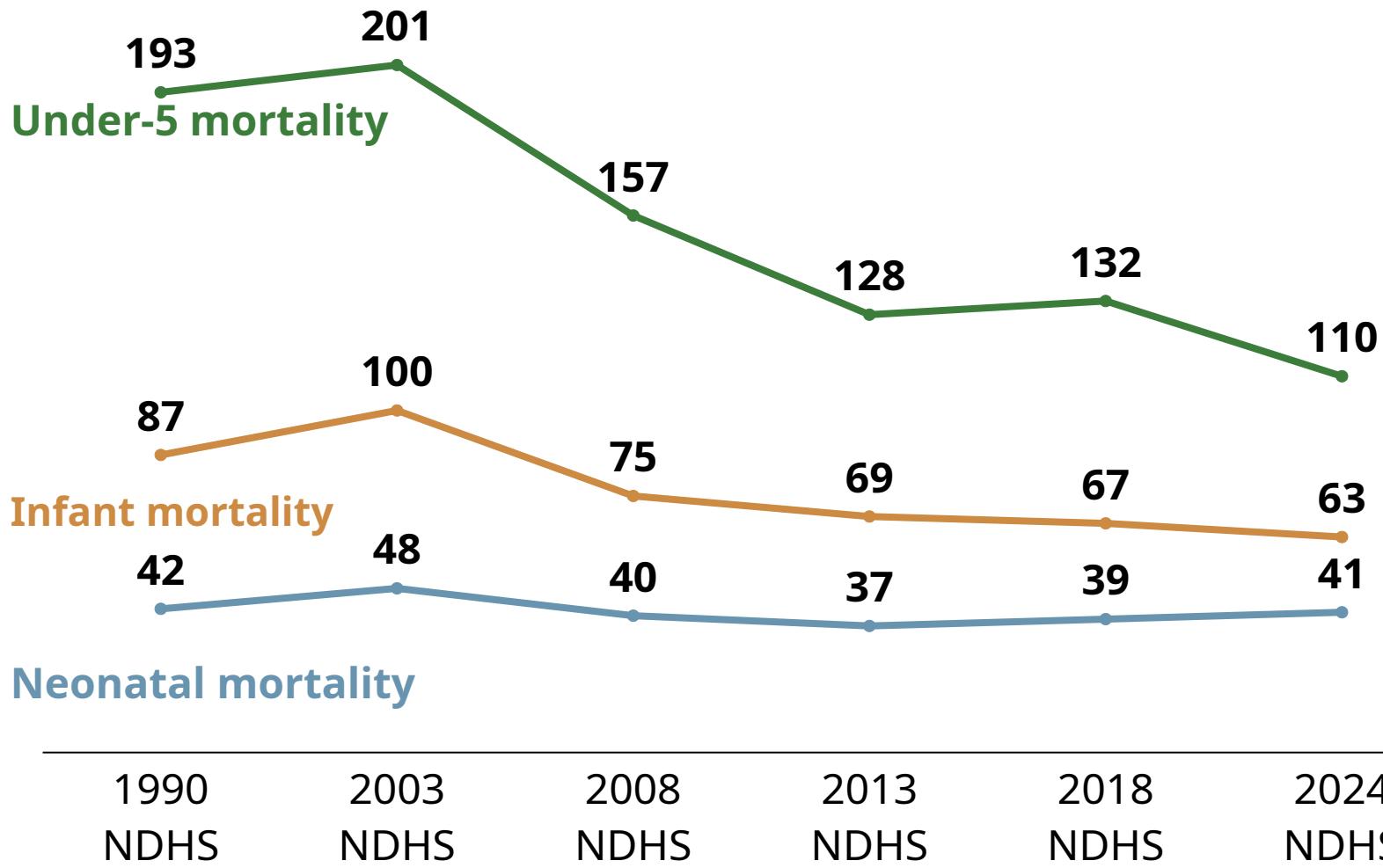
Childhood Mortality Rates

Deaths per 1,000 live births for the 5-year period before the survey



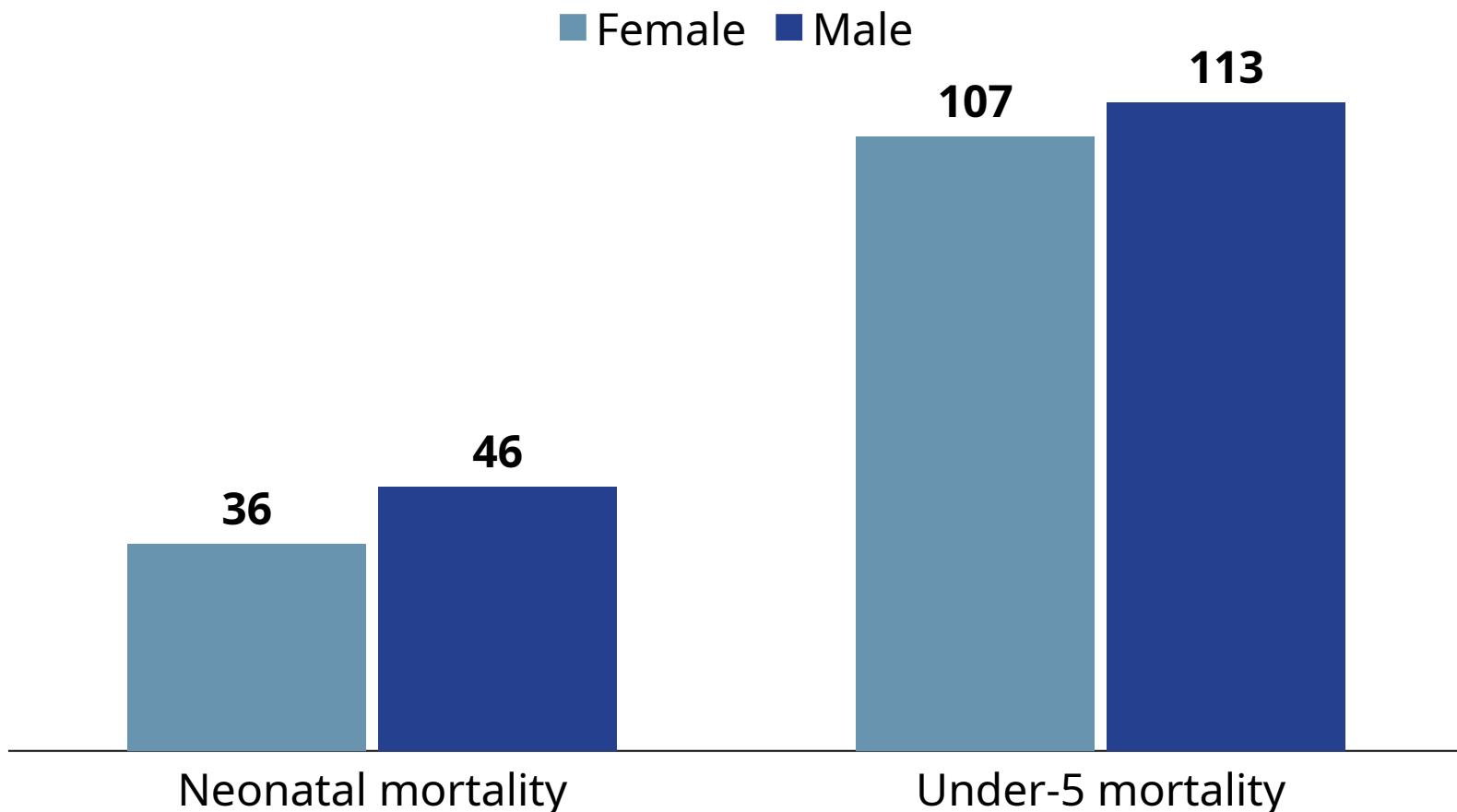
Trends in Childhood Mortality

Deaths per 1,000 live births for the 5-year period before the survey



Childhood Mortality by Sex

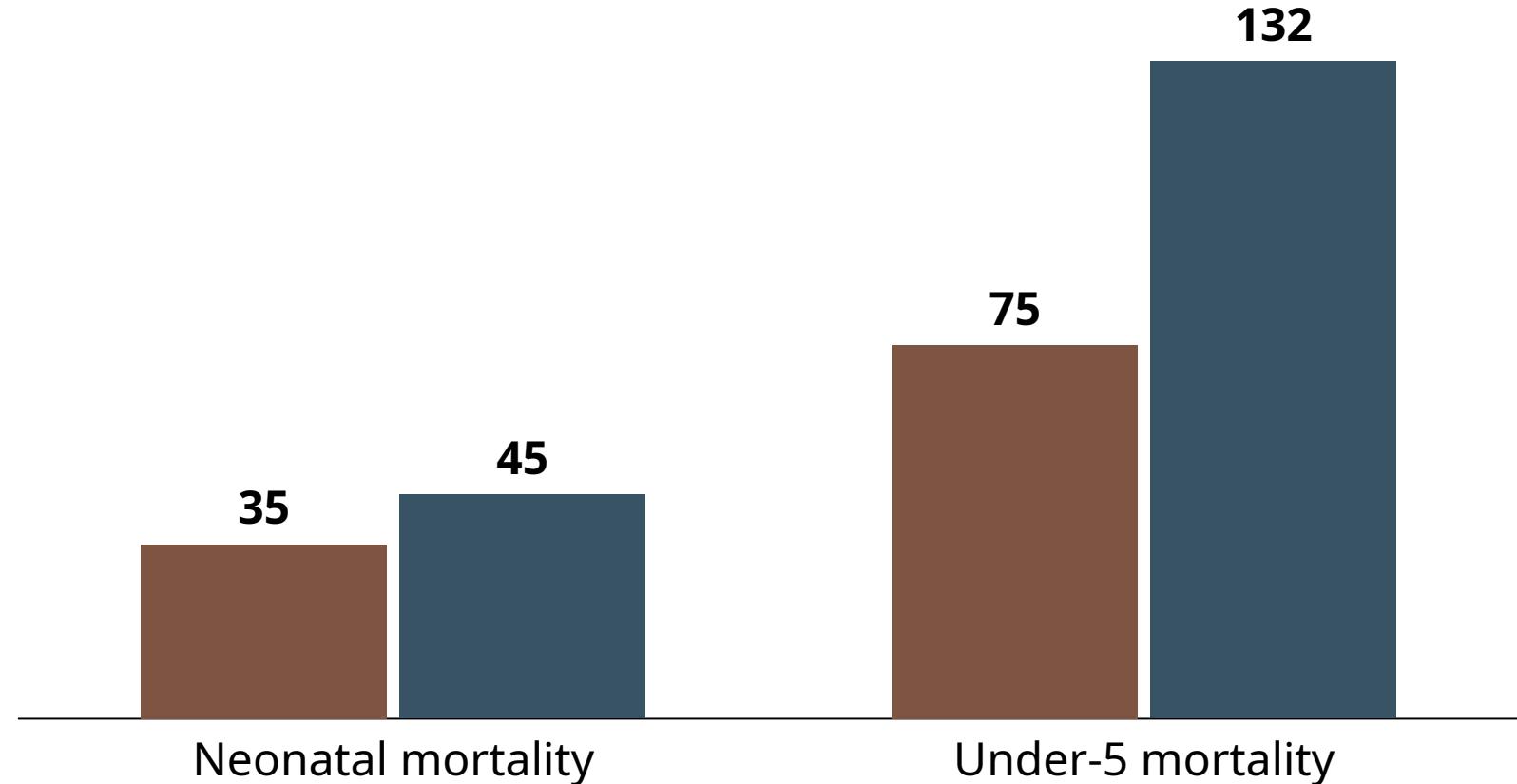
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Childhood Mortality by Residence

Deaths per 1,000 live births for the 5-year period before the survey

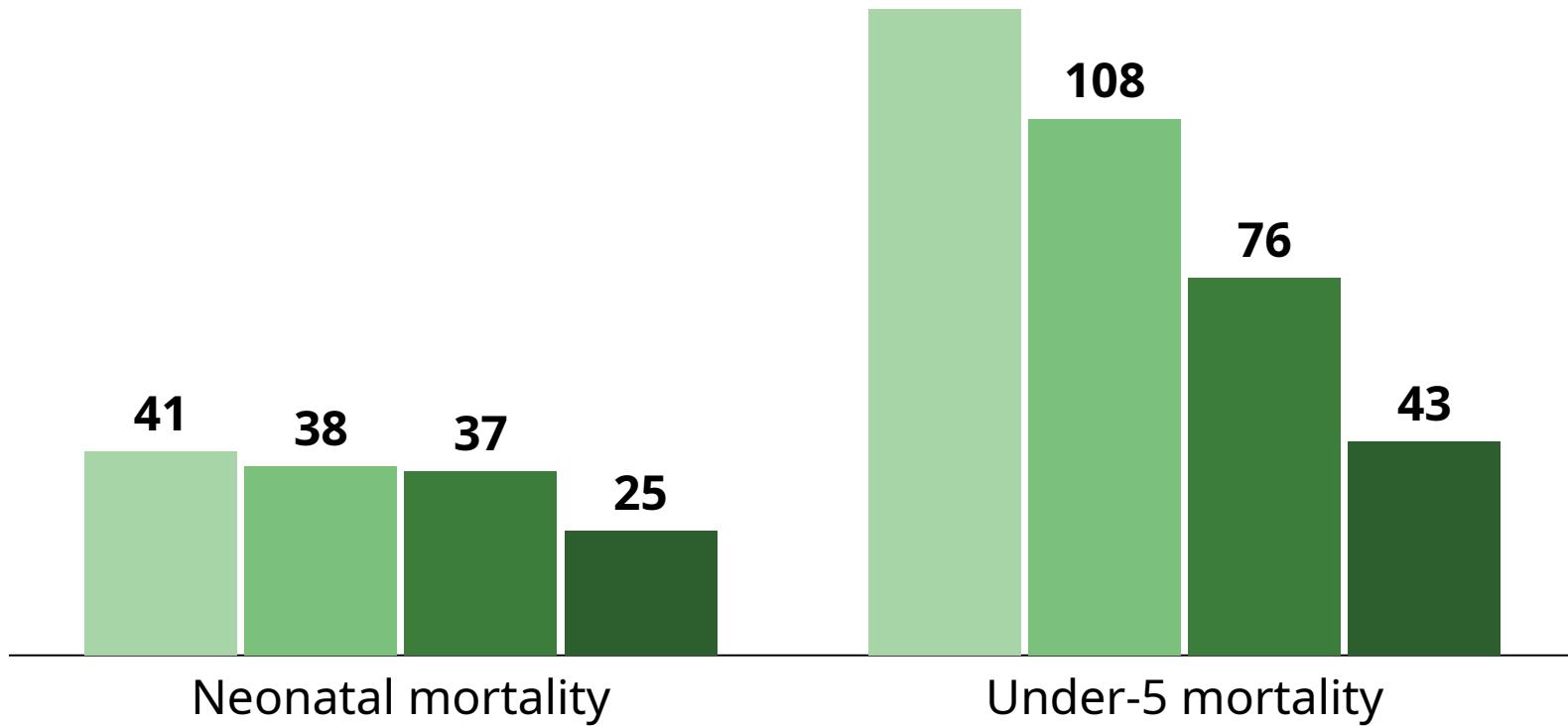
■ Urban ■ Rural



Childhood Mortality by Mother's Education

Deaths per 1,000 live births for the 10-year period before the survey

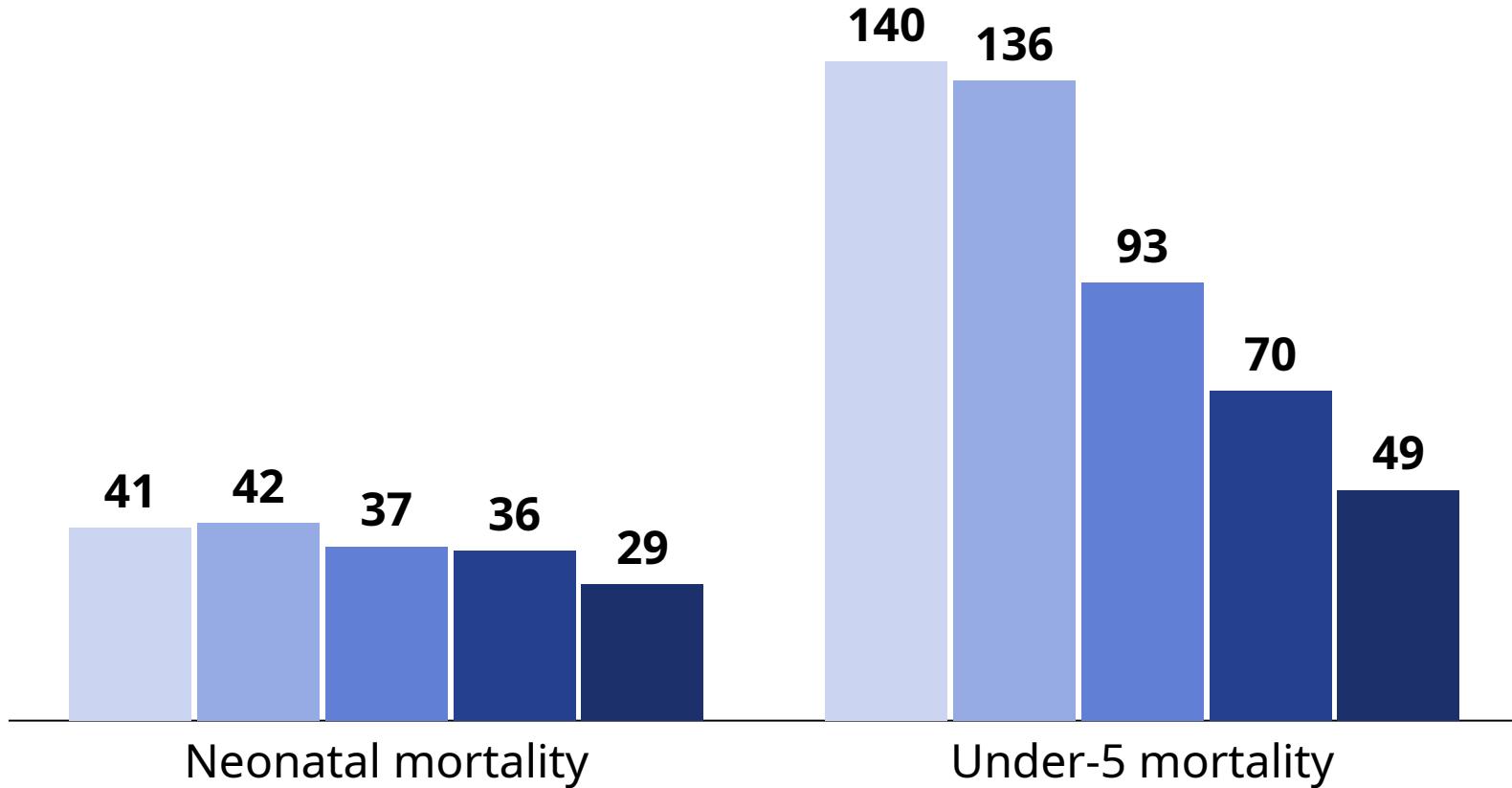
■ No education ■ Primary
■ Secondary ■ More than secondary



Childhood Mortality by Wealth

Deaths per 1,000 live births for the 10-year period before the survey

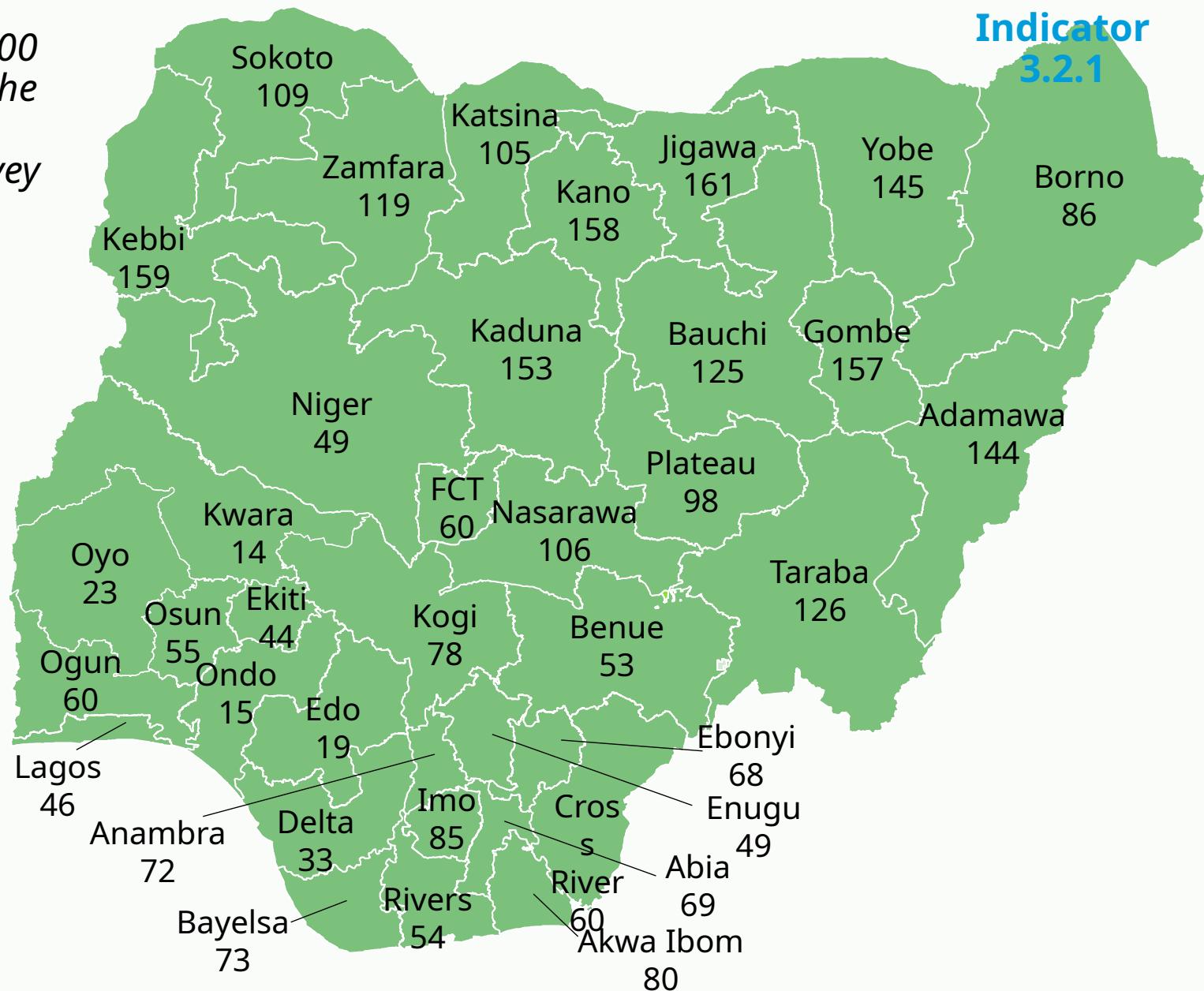
■ Lowest ■ 2nd ■ Middle ■ 4th ■ Highest



Under-5 Mortality by State

*Deaths per 1,000
live births for the
10-year period
before the survey*

Indicator
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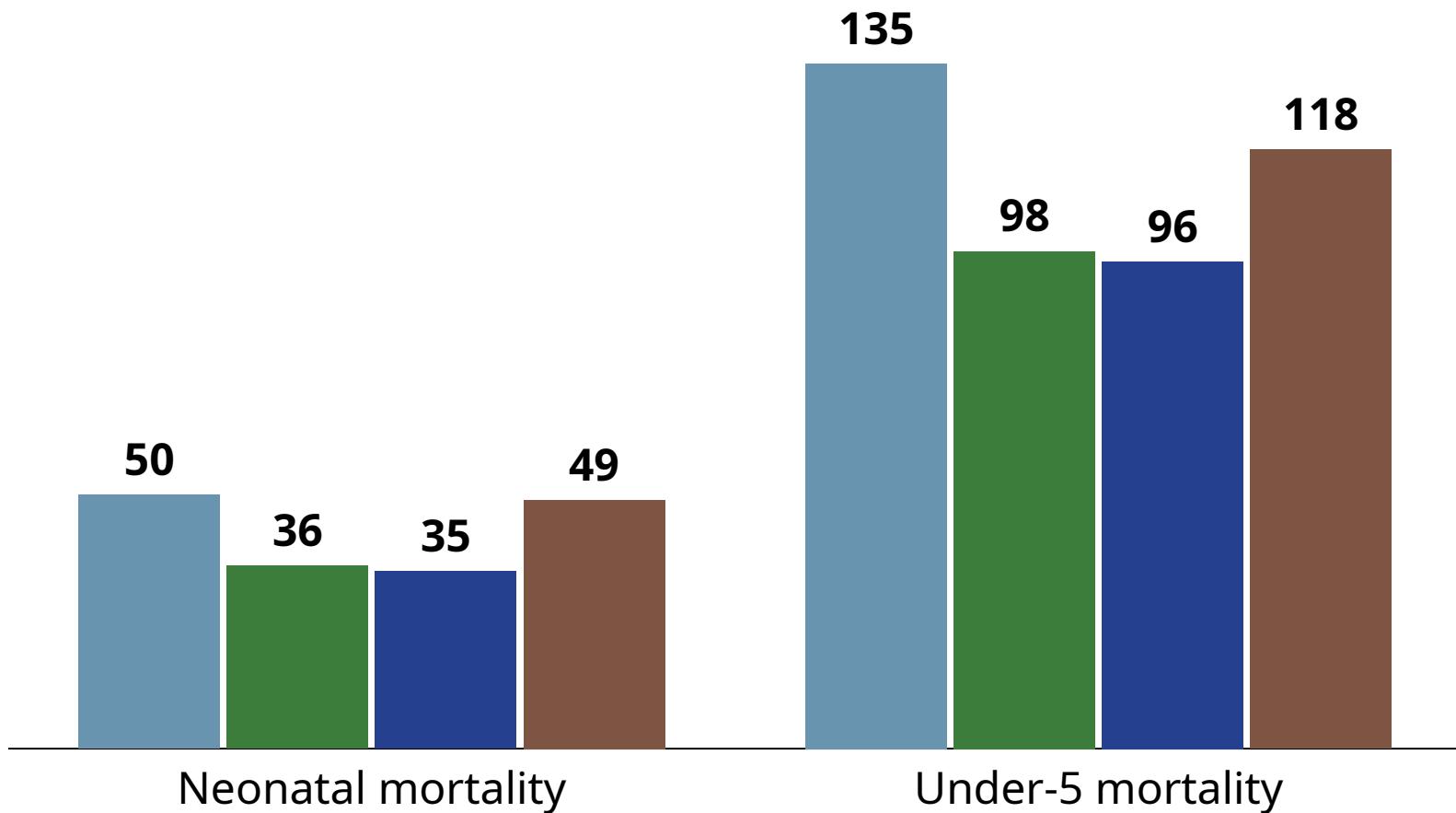


Childhood Mortality by Mother's Age at Birth

SUSTAINABLE
DEVELOPMENT
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Indicators
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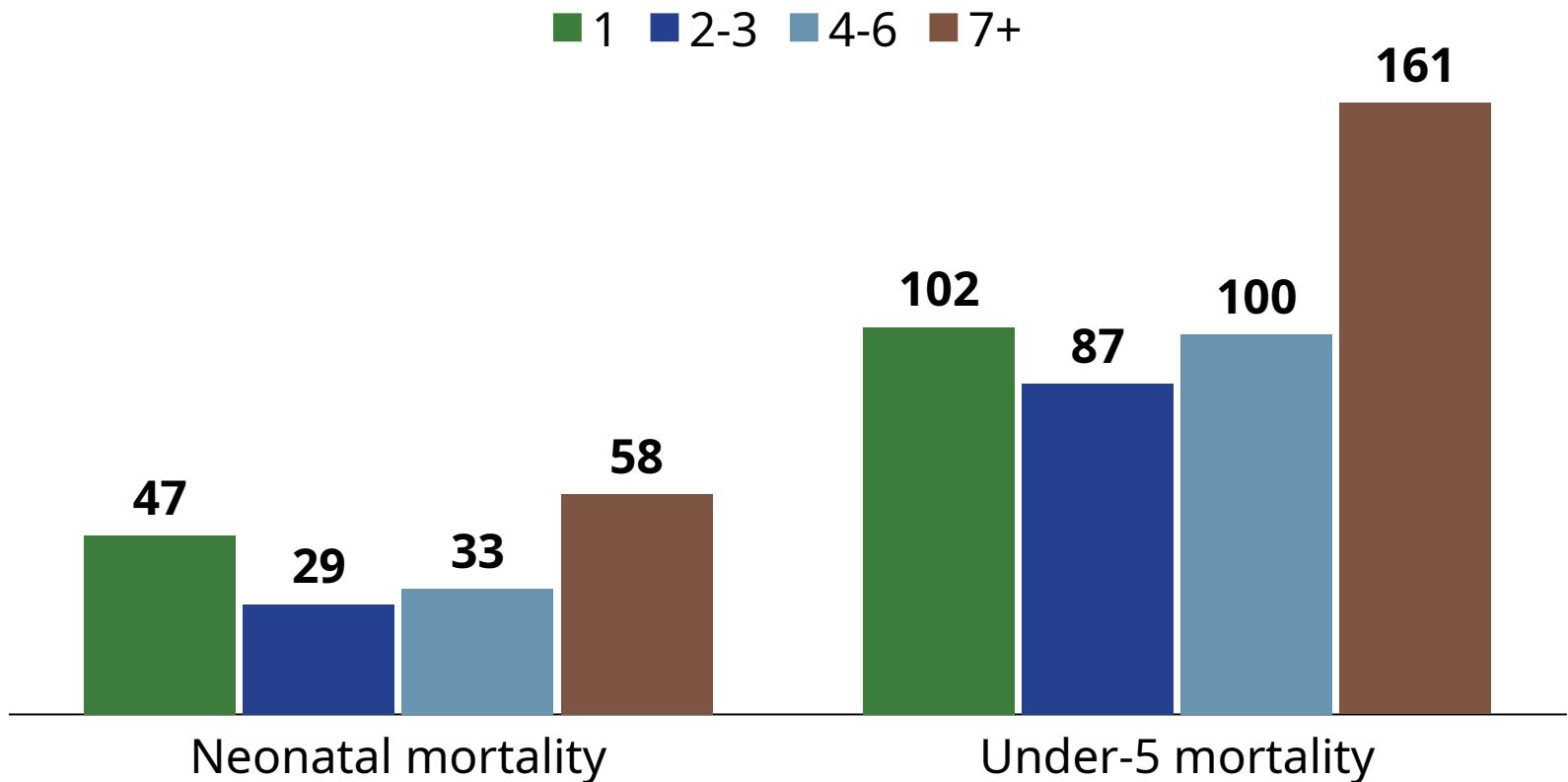
Deaths per 1,000 live births for the 10-year period before the survey

■ <20 ■ 20-29 ■ 30-39 ■ 40-49



Childhood Mortality by Birth Order

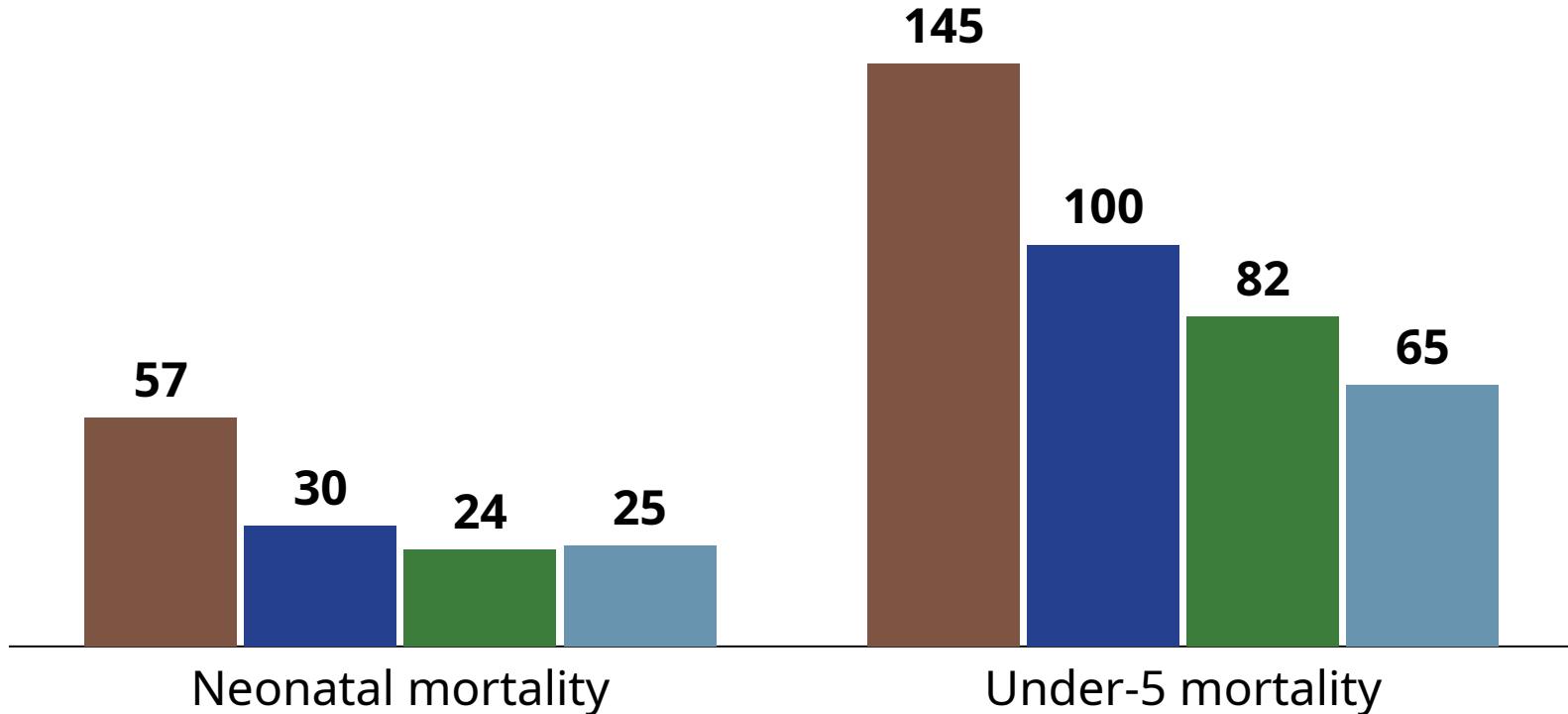
Deaths per 1,000 live births for the 10-year period before the survey



Childhood Mortality by Previous Birth Interval

Deaths per 1,000 live births for the 10-year period before the survey

■ <2 years ■ 2 years ■ 3 years ■ 4+ years



Perinatal Mortality

Stillbirths: Foetal deaths in pregnancies lasting 28 or more weeks

Early neonatal deaths: Deaths at age 0-6 days among live-born children

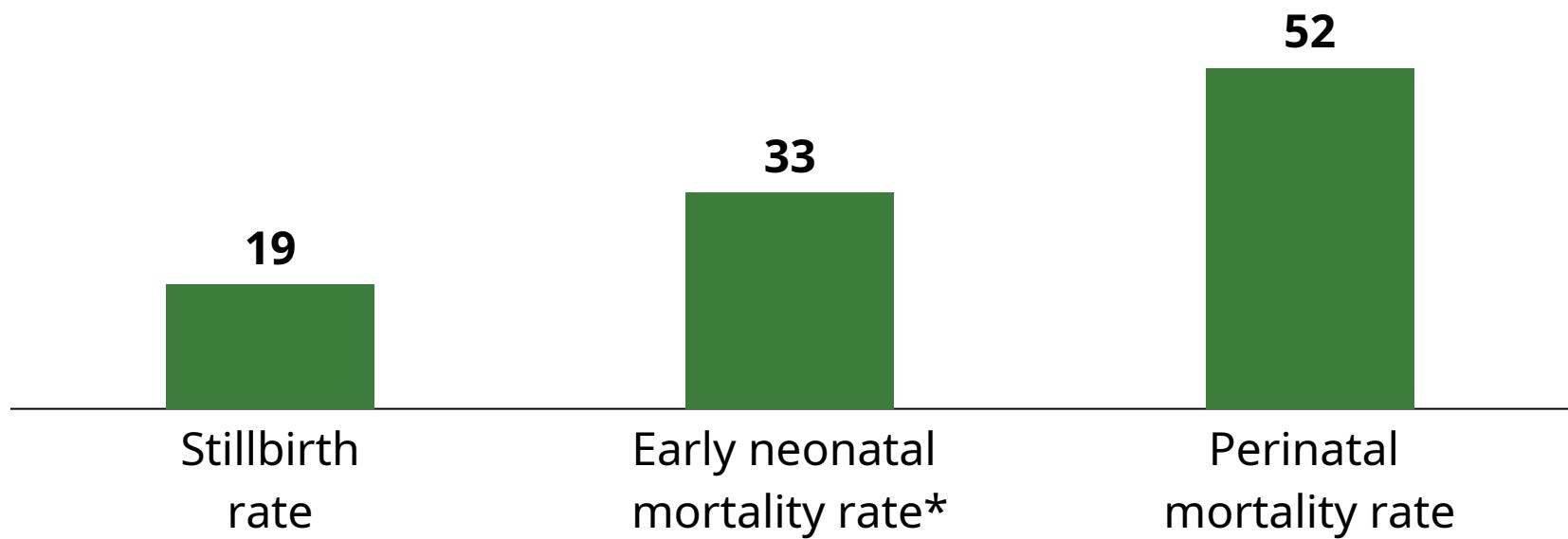
Stillbirth rate: Number of stillbirths per 1,000 pregnancies lasting 28 or more weeks

Early neonatal death rate: Number of early neonatal deaths per 1,000 live births

Perinatal mortality rate: Number of stillbirths and early neonatal deaths per 1,000 pregnancies lasting 28 or more weeks

Perinatal Mortality

Deaths per 1,000 pregnancies lasting 28 or more weeks for the 5-year period before the survey



*Per 1,000 live births

Key Results

- Childhood mortality has declined. The **neonatal mortality** rate is **41** deaths per 1,000 live births and the **under-5 mortality** rate is **110** deaths per 1,000 live births.
- Childhood mortality is higher among children **born less than 2 years after a previous birth**.