# Turkmenistan

## Illustrative Human Capital Indicators

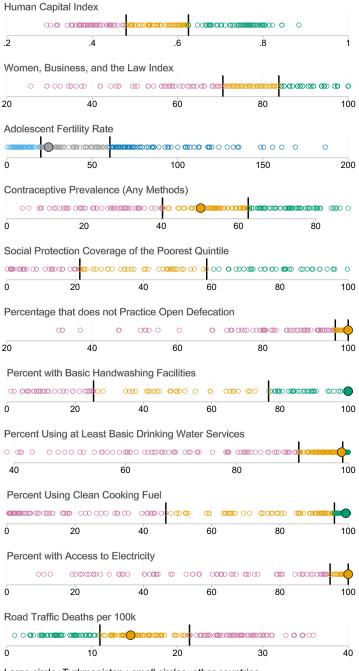
This country profile presents a snapshot of illustrative indicators to guide discussions during the Annual Meetings while the set of more strategic indicators are under development. It is intended to be a conversation starter on where a country is on various aspects of human capital development and, as such, it includes indicators from various sectors. It is to be noted that not all the indicators included here are relevant for each country. Information contained here should be complemented with other more context-specific indicators.

In Turkmenistan there are no enough data to calculate the productivity as a future worker of a child born today. The HCI has three components: survival to age 5, health, and education. For more information on the HCI, please visit <a href="https://www.worldbank.org/humancapitalproject">www.worldbank.org/humancapitalproject</a>.

#### ILLUSTRATIVE OUTCOME AND OUTPUT INDICATORS

- Women, Business and the Law Index. In Turkmenistan, data on the women, business and the law index do not exist. The average for the country's region is 90 and the average for its income group is 90.
- Adolescent Fertility Rate. In Turkmenistan, there are 24 births per 1,000 women ages 15-19. This is higher than the average for its region (16) but lower than the average for its income group (45).
- Contraceptive Prevalence. In Turkmenistan, **50 percent** of women ages 15-49 uses some form of contraceptive method. This is lower than both the average for its region (63) and the average for its income group (56).
- Social Protection Coverage. In Turkmenistan, data on the percentage
  of the population that is covered by social safety nets do not exist. The
  average for the country's region is 50 percent and for its income group
  is 50 percent.
- **Open Defecation.** In Turkmenistan, **0 percent** of the population practices open defecation. This is lower than both the average for its region (0) and the average for its income group (2).
- Hygiene. In Turkmenistan, 100 percent of the population has basic hygiene services (soap and water). This is higher than both the average for its region (91) and the average for its income group (78).
- Source of Drinking Water. In Turkmenistan, 99 percent of the population has at least basic source of drinking water. This is higher than both the average for its region (98) and the average for its income group (95).
- Cooking Fuel. In Turkmenistan, 99 percent of the population primarily uses clean cooking fuels. This is higher than both the average for its region (94) and the average for its income group (81).
- Access to Electricity. In Turkmenistan, 100 percent of the population
  has access to electricity. This is similar to the average for its region
  (100) but higher than the average for its income group (96).
- Road Traffic Deaths. In Turkmenistan, for every 100,000 people 15 people die due to road traffic injury. This is higher than the average for its region (8) but lower than the average for its income group (17).

## 1. Key Indicators on Human Capital

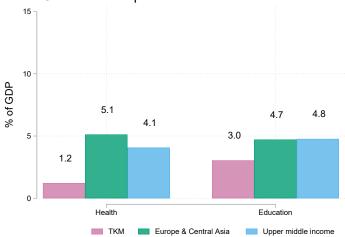


- Large circle=Turkmenistan; small circles=other countries.
- Vertical lines separate terciles of the distribution.
- Colors indicate the terciles of the distribution across countries.

#### DOMESTIC RESOURCE USE AND MOBILIZATION

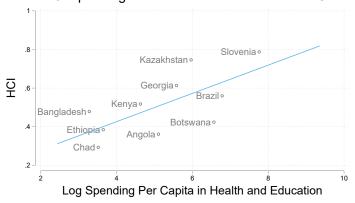
- **Health Spending.** Turkmenistan spends **1.2 percent** of its GDP on health. This is lower than both the regional average (5.1) and the average for its income group (4.1).
- **Education Spending.** Turkmenistan spends **3 percent** of its GDP on education. This is lower than both the regional average (4.7) and the average for its income group (4.8).
- Social Assistance Spending. In Turkmenistan, data on social assistance spending do not exist. The average for the country's region is 2.2 percent and for its income group is 1.7 percent.

### 2. Government Expenditure on the Social Sectors



• Efficiency of Spending. Given the lack of data, it is not possible to predict if the HCI in Turkmenistan is higher or lower than what would be predicted for its level of per capita government spending.

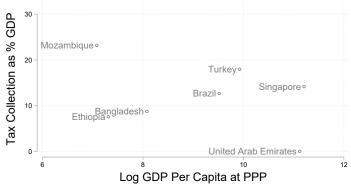
## 3. Spending on Health and Education and HCI



- A selection of 146 countries in the regression are displayed.

Domestic Resource Mobilization. In Turkmenistan, data on domestic resource mobilization do not exist. The average for the country's region is 19.6 percent and for its income group is 16.8 percent.

## 4. Domestic Resource Mobilization



- A selection of countries are displayed.
- Countries with DRM greater than 33% of GDP are excluded.

### **OTHER RELEVANT INDICATORS**

- Human Capital Project. Turkmenistan has not yet signed up to be a member of the Human Capital Project.
- Building Human Capital. In Turkmenistan, data on the Country Policy and Institutional Assesment rating for building human resources do not exist. The average for the country's region is 3.8 percent and for its income group is 3.8 percent. This indicator assesses the national policies and public and private sector service delivery that affect access to and quality of health and education services.
- **Identification.** In Turkmenistan, **8.1 percent** of the population is not registered. This is higher than the average for its region (8) but lower than the average for its income group (8.9).

This country profile is based on most recent data available under the Human Capital Project, the World Development Indicators, Atlas of Social Protection - Indicators of Resilience and Equity (ASPIRE) and Identification for Development (ID4D).

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