

TABLE 3. 14 INFANT MORTALITY – BY SEX AND REGION

REGION	DEATHS PER THOUSAND LIVE BIRTHS								
	1998-99 PIHS (1995-97 PERIOD)			2001-02 PIHS (1997-99 PERIOD)			2005-06 PSLM (2001-2003 PERIOD)		
	MALE	FEMALE	BOTH	MALE	FEMALE	BOTH	MALE	FEMALE	BOTH
URBAN AREAS	67	80	73	60	70	65	43	39	41
RURAL AREAS	98	91	95	92	84	88	85	79	82
OVERALL	90	89	89	84	81	82	73	67	70

NOTES:

1. Infant mortality rates are calculated as the proportion of children who die before they reach their first birthday.
2. Period of births from 2001-2003.

TABLE 3. 15 INFANT MORTALITY AND MOTHER’S EDUCATION

EDUCATION LEVEL	DEATHS PER THOUSAND LIVE BIRTHS	
	2005-06 PSLM (2001-2003 PERIOD)	
No education	79	
Class 1-4	84	
Class 5-9	60	
Class 10 or more	26	
OVERALL	70	

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