# ENAP and EPMM Country Profile | May 2023 Mozambique



#### **Key Demographics**



**33,897,000** Total population<sup>1</sup> (2023)



**1,500**<sup>i</sup> Number of maternal deaths<sup>2</sup> (2020)



**8,216,000** Women of reproductive age (15–49 years)<sup>1</sup> (2023)



**20,723** Number of stillbirths² (2021)



**1,217,000** Total number of births<sup>1</sup> (2023)



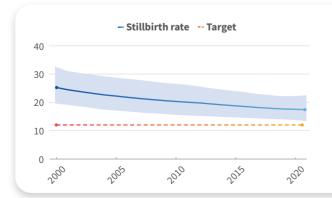
**32,000** Number of neonatal deaths<sup>2</sup> (2021)

Numbers of maternal deaths have been rounded according to the following scheme
< 100 rounded to nearest 1; 100-999 rounded to nearest 10; 1000-9999 rounded to
population and a 10 000 rounded to populate 1000

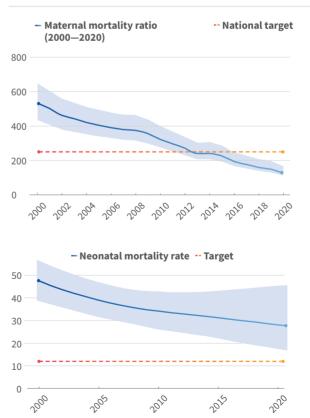
Nation	National Mortality Targets				
G	<b>250 per 100,000 live births</b> MMR (Target) <sup>3</sup>	2023			
G	<b>16 per 1,000 total births</b> SBR (Target) <sup>3</sup>	2023			
G	19 per 1,000 live births NMR (Target) <sup>3</sup>	2023			

Additional Indicators		Value (%)	Year
	Low birth weight <sup>ii</sup>	14	2015
	Immediate breastfeeding	77	2011
	Caesarean section rate	3.9	2011
	Demand for family planning satisfied with modern methods (SDG 3.7.1)	<b>56.2</b>	2023
ii % of live hir	ths that weighed less than 2500 g		

National Policies	Status
Costed RMNCH strategy/plan including MNH	Yes
RMNCH/MNH plan updated to include quality of care standard	ds No
Eight ANC contacts	No
Birth/Labour companion	Yes
Labour Care Guide/Revised partograph	No
PNC updated with WHO recommendations	No
Birth registration	Yes
Maternal death registration with civil registrar	Yes
Neonatal death registration with civil registrar	Yes
Stillbirth registration	No



## Progress to meet Maternal, Newborn Mortality and Stillbirth Reduction Targets





## **Progress to meet ENAP EPMM Coverage Targets**







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# **ENAP Target 4**

Scaling up small and sick newborn care	Status
National strategy/implementation plan for scale-up	No 🛑
Specific budget line in the national plans (and where relevant subnational plans)	No 🛑
Standardized designs and floor plans to deliver level 2 package of services	No 🛑
Defined Human Resources staffing norms for level 2 newborn care	No 🛑
Defined list of essential equipment needed for level 2 small and sick newborn care <sup>iii</sup>	Yes 🛑
Data system to record admissions, outcomes, and quality of care for level 2 newborn care	No 🛑
Policy provision of free transport of small and sick newborn (either government-provided or voucher for transport)	No 🛑
Coordination mechanism linking improvement of level 2 newborn care with improving maternity services to prevent major conditions causing newborn deaths <sup>iv</sup>	Yes
Provision in policy/guidelines for engagement of families in the care of babies	Yes
System for post discharge follow-up of babies to improve survival, growth and development	No 🛑



### **EPMM Target 4**<sup>3</sup>

Access to Emergency Obstetric Care (EmOC)	Status
National strategy/implementation plan for scale-up	No 🛑
Specific budget line in the national plans (and where relevant subnational plans)	No 🛑
EmOC facility mapping showing the 2021 geographical distribution with MoH	No 🛑
Standardized designs and floor plans for the basic EmOC health facilities	Yes 🛑
Defined minimum number of midwives to be staffed in an EmOC health facility for providing 24h/7d care	No 🛑
Defined list of essential equipment needed for basic and comprehensive EmOC <sup>v</sup>	No 🛑
Country capacity to provide yearly data on the performance of EmOC signal functions for measuring the availability of EmOC	No 🛑
Proportion of functioning EmOC facilities	NO DATA

- CPAP, Oxygen systems, Pulse oximeter, Radiant warmer
- E.g., improved monitoring of labour, antenatal corticosteroids, infection prevention



#### **EPMM Target 5**<sup>3</sup>

SDG 5.6.1: Proportion of women aged 15-49 years who make their own informed decisions regarding sexual relations, contraceptive use and reproductive health care by division (2018)

DATA

SDG 5.6.2: Extent to which countries have 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, including Section (S1-EPMMS4) and Component (C1-C13) values (2019)

SDG 5.6.2	94
Maternity Care	79
Contraceptive Services	100
Sexuality Education	100
HIV and HPV	100

# **Progress toward ENAP EPMM Milestones**<sup>3</sup>

#### Policies/Planning, Investment, Response, Resiliency, Equity

Budgeted RMNCAH strategy (including MNH)	Yes 🛑	National emergency response plan	Yes
Subnational implementation plans at the State/ Regional/Provincial levels	Yes	User-fee exemptions for MNH	Yes
Subnational implementation plans at the district or an equivalent subnational unit level	No 🛑	Insurance or financial protection scheme for MNH	No
Budgeted/financed subnational plans	Yes	Emergency transport system for MNH	Yes
Fracking for domestic research allocations for MNH	NO DATA	Community participation integration in the RMNCAH strategy/MNH plan	Yes
Additional resources allocated for vulnerable	Yes		

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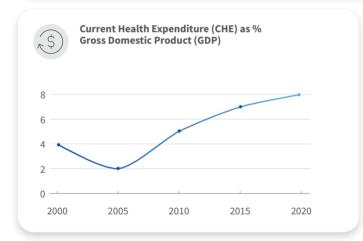
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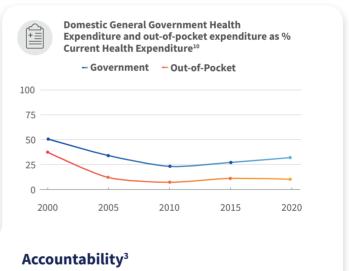




#### Quality of Care, Health Workforce, Commodities and Data for Action<sup>3</sup>

National quality of care standards for MNH	Under development	Defined core competencies for newborn care, including small and sick newborn care	Yes	
National quality of care standards for small and sick newborn care	Under development	Defined core competencies for community health or extension workers	Yes	
National quality of care plan included community participation in MNH for priority setting and planning	No 🛑	Tracking of availability and stock outs of essential MNH drugs (oxytocin)	Yes	
National quality of care plan included community participation in MNH for monitoring and evaluation	No 🛑	Tracking of availability and stock outs of essential MNH drugs (heat stable carbetocin)	No	
Agreed set of quality of care indicators	No 🛑	Tracking of availability and stock outs of essential MNH drugs (magnesium sulfate)	Yes	
National strategy for accrediting and contracting private sector for MNH	Yes 🛑	Tracking of availability and stock outs of essential MNH drugs (oxygen)	Yes	
Maternal and perinatal death surveillance system in place for maternal deaths	Yes	Tracking of availability and stock outs of essential MNH drugs (dexamethasone)	Yes	
Maternal and perinatal death surveillance system in place for neonatal deaths	Yes	Tracking of availability and stock outs of essential MNH drugs (caffeine citrate)	No	
Maternal and perinatal death surveillance system in place for stillbirths	No 🛑	Electronic individual patient-based data system for maternity care to include uterotonic use, labour monitor,	No	
Integration of maternal and perinatal death surveillance system data and routine health information system	Yes 🛑	breastfeeding, and neonatal resuscitation if needed		
National strategy/plan for human resources for MNH	Yes	Electronic individual patient-based data system for small and sick newborn care to include details on Kangaroo Mother Care, oxygen/CPAP use, antibiotics, etc.	No	
Defined core competencies for midwifery practice (essential competencies as per ICM)	Yes	Mechanism for data sharing from the private/NGO sector	No	





#### Research, Innovation and Knowledge Management<sup>3</sup>

National prioritized research agenda for MNH and Yes ( stillbirth prevention Identified innovation needs for MNH National mechanism for sharing learning

Representation from civil society, women's groups, and parent advocacy groups in technical working groups Representation from parent advocacy groups for MNH and prevention of stillbirths



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