

Opportunities/Barriers (response variable)			Circumstances used to determine the furthest behind/ best-off groups (independent variables)								Closest SDG indicator reference	
Indicator	Survey used	Reference population in survey	Wealth: Bottom 40- Top 60	Residence: Urban - Rural	Education: Lower - Secondary - Higher	Sex: Male- Female	Children: Number under 5	Age group (15-24, 24-35, 35-49)	Marital status (Single, currently/ formerly married or in a union)	Ethnicity/ Religion / Language* (Major- Minor)	Related SDG Indicator	
1	Completion of secondary education	DHS/MICS	Household member aged 20-35	Wealth	Residence	n/a	Woman/ Man	n/a	n/a	n/a	Separate additional analysis	4.1.1 Proportion of children and young people: (a) in grades 2/3; (b) at the end of primary; and (c) at the end of lower secondary achieving at least a minimum proficiency level in (i) reading and (ii) mathematics, by sex
2	Completion of higher education	DHS/MICS	Household member aged 25-35	Wealth	Residence	n/a	Woman/ Man	n/a	n/a	n/a	Separate additional analysis	4.3.1 Participation rate of youth and adults in formal and non-formal education and training in the previous 12 months, by sex
3	Stunting in children under 5 years of age	DHS/MICS	Child aged 0-5 who has been measured	Wealth	Residence	Mother's Education	Boy/ Girl	Number of children under <5 years of age	n/a	n/a	Separate additional analysis	2.2.1 Prevalence of stunting (height for age <-2 standard deviation from the median of the World Health Organization (WHO) Child Growth Standards) among children under 5 years of age
4	Overweight in children under 5 years of age	DHS/MICS	Child aged 0-5 who has been measured	Wealth	Residence	Mother's Education	Boy/ Girl	Number of children under <5 years of age	n/a	n/a	Separate additional analysis	2.2.2 Prevalence of malnutrition (weight for height >+2 or <-2 standard deviation from the median of the WHO Child Growth Standards) among children under 5 years of age, by type (wasting and overweight)
5	Wasting in children under 5 years of age	DHS/MICS	Child aged 0-5 who has been measured	Wealth	Residence	Mother's Education	Boy/ Girl	Number of children under <5 years of age	n/a	n/a	Separate additional analysis	2.2.2 Prevalence of malnutrition (weight for height >+2 or <-2 standard deviation from the median of the WHO Child Growth Standards) among children under 5 years of age, by type (wasting and overweight)
6	Demand for modern contraception met	DHS/MICS	Women between 15-49 currently in union	Wealth	Residence	Respondee's education	Only Woman	Number of children under <5 years of age	Age group	n/a	Separate additional analysis	3.7.1 Proportion of women aged 15-49 years who have their need for family planning satisfied with modern methods
7	Skilled birth attendance	DHS/MICS	Women between 15-49 ever given birth in the last 5 years	Wealth	Residence	Respondee's education	Only Woman	Number of children under <5 years of age	Age group	Marital status	Separate additional analysis	3.1.2 Proportion of births attended by skilled health personnel
8	Access to basic drinking water	DHS/MICS	All households	Wealth	Residence	Highest Education in household	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Separate additional analysis	1.4.1 Use of drinking water from an improved source that is available with a collection time of not more than 30 minutes for a round trip, including queuing. Also related to (foundation of): 6.1.1 Proportion of population using safely managed drinking water services*
9	Access to basic sanitation services	DHS/MICS	All households	Wealth	Residence	Highest Education in household	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Separate additional analysis	1.4.1 Use of improved facilities that are not shared with other households. Also related to (foundation of): 6.2.1 Proportion of population using safely managed sanitation services, including a hand-washing facility with soap and water.
10	Access to electricity	DHS/MICS	All households	Wealth	Residence	Highest Education in household	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Separate additional analysis	7.1.1 Proportion of population with access to electricity
11	Access to clean fuels	DHS/MICS	All households	Wealth	Residence	Highest Education in household	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Separate additional analysis	7.1.2 Proportion of population with primary reliance on clean fuels and technology
12	Ownership of bank account (household)	DHS/MICS	All households	Wealth	Residence	Highest Education in household	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Separate additional analysis	8.10.2 Proportion of adults (15 years and older) with an account at a bank or other financial institution or with a mobile money-service provider
12	Ownership of bank account (individual)	DHS/MICS	All individuals	Wealth	Residence	Highest Education in household	Male / Female	n/a	n/a	n/a	Separate additional analysis	8.10.2 Proportion of adults (15 years and older) with an account at a bank or other financial institution or with a mobile money-service provider
13	Internet use	DHS/MICS	All households/ Household member	Wealth	Residence	Highest Education in household	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Separate additional analysis	17.8.1 Proportion of individuals using the internet
14	Sexual, physical or emotional violence against women	DHS	Ever married women	Wealth	Residence	Respondee's education	Only Woman	Number of children under <5 years of age	Age group	n/a	Separate additional analysis	5.2.1 Proportion of ever-partnered women and girls aged 15 years and older subjected to physical, sexual or psychological violence by a current or former intimate partner in the previous 12 months, by form of violence and by age
14	Violence against women justified	MICS	Ever married women	Wealth	Residence	Respondee's education	Only Woman	Number of children under <5 years of age	Age group	n/a	Separate additional analysis	5.2.1 Proportion of ever-partnered women and girls aged 15 years and older subjected to physical, sexual or psychological violence by a current or former intimate partner in the previous 12 months, by form of violence and by age
15	Protection against COVID-19	DHS/MICS	All individuals	Wealth	Residence	Respondee's education	Male / Female	n/a	n/a	n/a	Separate additional analysis	ESCAP-defined Index defined as follows: the individual has access to the internet, TV, phone, mobile phone or radio; lives in a household with water pipes into the dwelling or yard or other private water source; and with a handwashing facility on premises with soap and water available; there are no more than 2 people per sleeping room in the household; and lives in a household that has a toilet which is not shared with other households.

Note 1: Improved sources include: piped water, boreholes or tube wells, protected dug wells, protected springs, and packaged or delivered water

Note 2: Improved facilities include: flush/pour flush to piped sewer systems, septic tanks or pit latrines; ventilated improved pit latrines, composting toilets or pit latrines with slabs.

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