



Abbreviated name Cervical cancer screening

Indicator name Cervical cancer screening

Domain Service coverage

Subdomain Reproductive, maternal, newborn, child and adolescent health

Associated terms Screening and preventive care

Definition Proportion of women aged 30—49 years who report they were screened for cervical cancer using any of the following methods: visual Inspection

with acetic acid/vinegar (VIA), pap smear, human papilloma virus (HPV) test.

Numerator Number of women aged 30—49 years who report ever having had a screening test for cervical cancer using any of these methods: VIA, pap smear

and HPV test.

Denominator All female respondents aged 30—49 years.

Disaggregation/ Age, sex, other relevant additional dimension

 $\label{lem:Age} Age, sex, other \ relevant \ sociodemographic \ stratifiers \ where \ available$

Method of measurement

Method of estimation (Number of female respondents aged 30—49 years who report ever having had a screening test for cervical cancer)/(number of female respondents

aged 30-49 years) x 100.

Measurement frequency At least every 5 years

Monitoring and evaluation framework

Outcome

Preferred data sources Population-based (preferably nationally representative) surveys

Other possible data sources Facility-based data

Further information and related links

Draft comprehensive global monitoring framework and targets for the prevention and control of noncommunicable diseases, including a set of indicators. Agenda item A66/8, Sixty-sixth World Health Assembly, 20–28 May 2013. Geneva: World Health Organization; 2013 (http://apps.who.int/gb/ebwha/pdf_files/WHA66/A66_8-en.pdf?ua=1, accessed 29 March 2015).

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