

# MATERNAL AND NEWBORN HEALTH PERFORMANCE 2023–2025

Stronger Services. Better Care. Saving Lives.

**OVERALL TREND**  
Increased service utilization, improved quality of care and reductions in mortality.

**MATERNITY ADMISSIONS**



**ANC 1ST VISIT**



**DELIVERIES**



**LIVE DELIVERIES**



**MATERNAL DEATHS**



**NEONATAL MORTALITY RATE**



PERFORMANCE AT A GLANCE	KEY INDICATORS	2023	2024	2025	TREND (2023–2025)	PERCENTAGE CHANGE		
						2023–2024	2024–2025	2023–2025
<p><b>SERVICE UTILIZATION</b> Consistent increase in uptake of maternal health services.</p>	Maternity Admissions	90,187	102,832	117,974		▲ 14%	▲ 15%	▲ 31%
	ANC 1st Visit	98,424	112,305	128,515		▲ 14%	▲ 14%	▲ 31%
	ANC 1st Visit in 1st Trimester	32,731	40,939	55,319		▲ 25%	▲ 35%	▲ 69%
	% ANC 1st Visit in 1st Trimester	33%	36%	43%		▲ 10%	▲ 19%	▲ 29%
	Total ANC Visits	312,952	363,470	413,042		▲ 16%	▲ 14%	▲ 32%
	Total Deliveries	68,367	76,523	87,053		▲ 12%	▲ 14%	▲ 27%
<p><b>QUALITY OF CARE &amp; REFERRALS</b> Improved management at lower facilities and reduced referrals.</p>	Live Deliveries	67,575	77,060	85,161		▲ 14%	▲ 11%	▲ 26%
	Maternity Referrals to HC IV & Hospitals	4,228	4,539	4,098		▲ 7%	▼ 10%	▼ 3%
	Maternity Referrals out of HC IV & Hospitals	1,775	1,648	994		▼ 7%	▼ 40%	▼ 44%
<p><b>NEWBORN CARE</b> Stronger newborn care practices and coverage.</p>	Live births – less than 2.5kg	2,910	3,460	4,114		▲ 19%	▲ 19%	▲ 41%
	<2.5kg Initiated on KMC	1,583	2,139	2,252		▲ 35%	▲ 5%	▲ 42%
	% <2.5kg Initiated on KMC	54%	62%	55%		▲ 15%	▼ 11%	▲ 1%
<p><b>NEONATAL COMPLICATIONS MANAGEMENT</b> Better identification and improved clinical outcomes.</p>	Asphyxia Babies	1,337	2,158	2,316		▲ 61%	▲ 7%	▲ 73%
	Asphyxia Babies Successfully Resuscitated	1,262	2,027	2,229		▲ 61%	▲ 10%	▲ 77%
	% Asphyxia Babies Successfully Resuscitated	94%	94%	96%		–	▲ 2%	▲ 2%
<p><b>MORTALITY IMPACT</b> Significant reductions in maternal and neonatal mortality indicators.</p>	Maternal Deaths	17	7	9		▼ 59%	▲ 29%	▼ 47%
	Institutional Maternal Mortality Rate	25	9	11		▼ 64%	▲ 22%	▼ 58%
	Institutional Perinatal Mortality Rate	8.5	9.1	7.9		▲ 7%	▼ 13%	▼ 7%
	Institutional Neonatal Mortality Rate	1.3	1.4	0.8		▲ 8%	▼ 43%	▼ 34%
<p><b>STILLBIRTHS &amp; EARLY NEONATAL DEATHS</b> Variations reflect better recording and reporting.</p>	Fresh Stillbirths	257	282	323		▲ 10%	▲ 15%	▲ 26%
	Macerated Stillbirths	239	304	291		▲ 27%	▲ 4%	▲ 22%
	0–7 Days Deaths	86	109	72		▲ 27%	▼ 34%	▼ 16%

**KEY TAKEAWAYS**

- Strong increase in service utilization across ANC, deliveries and admissions.
- Major improvement in early ANC attendance (+69% vs 2023).
- Reduced referrals reflecting improved management at lower facilities.
- Better newborn care with higher KMC initiation and resuscitation success.
- Significant decline in maternal and neonatal mortality (overall).
- Increased stillbirths and early neonatal deaths likely due to better reporting.

★ Continued commitment to quality care, early detection and timely management will further improve maternal and newborn outcomes.