

Selected Child Health Indicators among Palestinian Refugees

	Infant Mortality Rate(per 1,000 live births)		% Low birth Weight (infants)	% 12–23 months Fully vaccinated
	Male	Female		
West Bank Camp	29.5	21.9	9	82
West Bank Non-camp				73
Gaza Strip Camp	32.9	23.4		
Gaza Strip Non-camp				
Jordan Camp	26.6	23.2	6	82
Jordan Non-camp			8	83
Lebanon Camp and Non-camp	26	23.3	7	75
Syria Camp and Non-camp	24	21.5	8	73

Source: Finding Means: UNRWA's Financial Situation and the Living Conditions of Palestinian Refugees, Summary Report, FAFO: Institute for Applied Social Science, 2000. Figures for Lebanon and Syria include camps and gatherings (defined as a community outside a camp with 25 or more households).

Data for low birth weight for the OPT is for births in the last year prior to the survey; the data on Jordan is for the most recent births, while data for Lebanon and Syria is for births during the five years preceding the survey. Infant mortality rates for Syria and Lebanon are from 2006; PCBS

Note : For source and more details about these figures see chapter 2 in the Survey of Palestinian Refugees and Internally Displaced Persons 2008-2009 - BADIL - Dec 2009