

## **SDG Goal 3                      Good health and well-being**

**SDG Target 3.1                      By 2030, reduce the global maternal mortality ratio to less than 70 per 100,000 live births**

**SDG Indicator 3.1.2                      Proportion of births attended by skilled health personnel**

**Time series                      Births attended by skilled health personnel**

### **1. General information on the time series**

- Date of national metadata: March 24, 2026
- National data: <https://sdg-indicators.de/3-1-2>
- Definition: The time series shows the proportion of births attended by skilled health personnel in hospitals.
- Disaggregation: Not available.

### **2. Comparability with the UN metadata**

- Date of UN metadata: March 2025
- UN metadata: <https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/metadata/files/Metadata-03-01-02.pdf>
- The time series is partly compliant with the UN metadata. It only includes child deliveries in hospitals. Births outside hospitals are not recorded, even if they were attended by medical professionals, such as midwives in the case of home births.

### **3. Data description**

- The data on the number of child deliveries in hospitals (the number of women who have given birth in hospital) and the number of live births in hospitals are taken from the hospital statistics (basic data of the hospitals and the prevention or rehabilitation facilities) of the Federal Statistical Office.

### **4. Access to data source**

- Child deliveries in hospitals - GBE:  
<https://www.gbe-bund.de/gbe10/i?i=480:55582E>

### **5. Metadata on source data**

- Quality Report – Basic data of the hospitals (only available in German):  
<https://www.destatis.de/DE/Methoden/Qualitaet/Qualitaetsberichte/Gesundheit/gruenddaten-krankenhaeuser.pdf>

### **6. Timeliness and frequency**

- Timeliness: t + 9 months
- Frequency: Annual

### **7. Calculation method**

- Unit of measurement: Percentage
- Calculation:

$$\text{Births attended by skilled health personnel} = \frac{\text{Hospital live births [number]}}{\text{Total live births [number]}} \cdot 100 [\%]$$