



Individual Exercise – Thinking about your Health System¹

Name _____

Health System Profile for Country _____.

General Health Relevant Descriptive Details and Status

- Total Population _____
- Annual growth rate (%) _____
- Urban: rural ratio _____
- Literacy rate >15y _____
- Low birth weight rate (%) _____ (% <2,500 g)
- Infant mortality _____
- Under five mortality _____
- Stunting rate (H/A) _____ (% severe)
- Maternal mortality _____ (per 100,000 live births)
- Adult mortality (15 to 60) _____
- HIV prevalence (adults) _____
- Total fertility rate _____
- Life expectancy _____
- Coverage of vital stats _____ (% of deaths certified and registered)
- Human development Index _____ (UNDP)
- % below poverty line _____
- Gini coefficient _____ (0 – 1)(0 = equality; 1 equals inequality)

Health System - Economic Support (selected indicators)

Per capita GDP or GNI: \$ _____

High (>\$10,000) Medium (\$1000 to \$10,000) Low (<\$1000)(USD)

Basic Model: Beveridge Bismark NHI Out-of-Pocket Other

Health financing mix (mainly for developing countries):

- Public sources
 - Government (Tax) _____%
 - Social Insurance _____%
 - Bilateral / Multilateral Donors _____%
 - SWAp _____%
- Private sources
 - Private Insurance _____%
 - Employers _____%
 - Out-of-Pocket _____%
 - Voluntary organizations _____%
- Others _____%

¹ Fill in as completely as possible using sources provided (e.g. Annual Reports of WHO, UNICEF, UNDP, World Bank, National Health Accounts, etc. and your country experience)

Health System Profile for Country _____ continued.

Health System - Resource Allocation (selected annual indicators) (WHO Statistics)

Total health expenditure per capita (THE)	\$_____ \$INT
% of GDP spent on health	_____ %
% of government spending allocated to health	_____ %
% of THE provided by government	_____ %
% of THE that is private	_____ %
% of private health spending from insurance	_____ %
% of private health spending that is out-of-pocket	_____ %
% of THE on curative services	_____ %
% of THE on preventive services	_____ %
% of THE on administration	_____ %
% of THE on tertiary services	_____ %
% of THE on primary services	_____ %
% of THE on vertical programs	_____ %
% of population within 1 hour of health facility	_____ %
% of population with safe drinking water sources	_____ %
% of population with adequate sanitation	_____ %
Population per health facility	_____ (or other ratio)
Population per doctor	_____ (or other ratio)

Health System - Organization and Planning of Programs (selected indicators)

List centrally planned vertical programs if any _____

Level of decentralization (lowest level at which priorities are set and resources allocation decisions are made)

- Central
- Province / Region / State
- District
- Sub-district
- Community
- Health Facility

Health System – Service provision (some sample indicators)

List minimum essential health services offered free to all _____

% children immunized for measles by 12 months	_____ %
% births attended by trained attendant	_____ %
% of population with access to essential drugs	_____ %
% of diarrhoea episodes managed with ORS	_____ %
Cigarette consumption per adult	_____
Seat belt legislation enforced	_____