Table 2 (b). Current achievement of SDG3 target in South Asian countries

SDG3 targets in South Asian Countries	Myanmar				Nepal				Pakistan				Sri Lanka			
	Value	Year	Rating	Trend	Value	Year	Rating	Trend	Value	Year	Rating	Trend	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Maternal mortality rate (per 100,000 live births)	250	2017	•	→	186	2017	•	^	140	2017	•	^	36	2017	•	^
Neonatal mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	22.4	2019	•	7	19.8	2019	•	7	41.2	2019	•	→	4.3	2019	•	^
Mortality rate, under-5 (per 1,000 live births)	44.7	2019	•	7	30.8	2019	•	1	67.2	2019	•	7	7.1	2019	•	^
Incidence of tuberculosis (per 100,000 population)	322.0	2019	•	7	238.0	2019	•	→	263.0	2019	•	→	64.0	2019	•	1
New HIV infections (per 1,000 uninfected population)	0.2	NA	•	↑	0.0	2019	•	^	0.1	2019	•	1	0.0	2019	•	1
Age-standardized death rate due to cardiovascular disease, cancer, diabetes, or chronic respiratory disease in adults aged 30–70 years (%)	24.2	2016	•	→	21.8	2016	•	7	24.7	2016	•	→	17.4	2016	•	→
Age-standardized death rate attributable to household air pollution and ambient air pollution (per 100,000 population)	156	2016	•	•	194	2016	•	•	174	2016	•	•	80	2016	•	•
Traffic deaths (per 100,000 population)	20.4	2019	•	+	16.3	2019	•	1	13.0	2019	•	→	19.7	2019	•	+
Life expectancy at birth (years)	69.1	2019	•	→	70.9	2019	•	7	65.6	2019	•	→	76.9	2019	•	7
Adolescent fertility rate (births per 1,000 females aged 15 to 19)	28.2	2018	•	↑	64.4	2018	•	7	38.2	2018	•	7	20.7	2018	•	↑
Births attended by skilled health personnel (%)	60.2	2016	•	•	58.0	2017	•	→	69.3	2018	•	^	100.0	2014	•	•
Surviving infants who received 2 WHO-recommended vaccines (%)	84	2019	•	→	92	2019	•	^	75	2019	•	7	99	2019	•	^
Universal health coverage (UHC) index of service coverage (worst 0–100 best)	61	2017	•	^	48	2017	•	→	45	2017	•	7	66	2017	•	1
Subjective well-being (average ladder score, worst 0–10 best)	4.4	2015	•	→	5.4	2019	•	1	4.4	2019	•	4	4.2	2019	•	4
Major challenges	•	Challe	enges ren	nain	•	SDG achieved					nformatio	on unava	ilable			
Decreasing Stagnating	7	Moderately improving On track or maintaining Information unavailable SDG achievement														

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