

Central African Rep.

FP2030 Indicator Summary Sheet: 2024 Measurement Report

Modern Contraceptive Use and Need

Source : Family Planning Estimation Tool (FPET)

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
All Women	Total users of modern methods of contraception*												
	98,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	110,000	110,000	120,000	130,000	140,000	140,000	150,000	160,000	180,000
	Modern contraceptive prevalence rate (mCP)												
	9.3%	9.7%	10.0%	10.4%	10.7%	11.1%	11.4%	11.8%	12.2%	12.7%	13.1%	13.5%	14.0%
	Percentage of women estimated to have an unmet need for modern methods of contraception (mUN)												
29.3%	29.6%	29.7%	29.9%	30.2%	30.5%	30.9%	31.0%	31.0%	30.8%	30.8%	30.6%	30.3%	
Percentage of women estimated to have their demand for family planning met with a modern method of contraception (mDS)													
24.1%	24.6%	25.2%	25.7%	26.1%	26.7%	27.1%	27.6%	28.3%	29.1%	29.8%	30.7%	31.7%	

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Married Women	Total users of modern methods of contraception												
	70,000	72,000	73,000	74,000	77,000	80,000	84,000	88,000	95,000	100,000	100,000	110,000	120,000
	Modern contraceptive prevalence rate (mCP)												
	9.9%	10.3%	10.7%	11.0%	11.3%	11.6%	11.9%	12.3%	12.7%	13.1%	13.6%	14.0%	14.5%
	Percentage of women estimated to have an unmet need for modern methods of contraception (mUN)												
34.3%	34.9%	35.2%	35.5%	35.9%	36.5%	36.7%	37.1%	37.1%	37.1%	37.2%	36.9%	36.7%	
Percentage of women estimated to have their demand for family planning met with a modern method of contraception (mDS)													
22.6%	22.9%	23.2%	23.5%	23.8%	24.1%	24.5%	24.9%	25.5%	26.2%	26.8%	27.5%	28.3%	

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Unmarried Women	Total users of modern methods of contraception												
	26,000	28,000	29,000	31,000	32,000	35,000	38,000	41,000	44,000	47,000	50,000	54,000	59,000
	Modern contraceptive prevalence rate (mCP)												
	7.6%	8.0%	8.5%	8.9%	9.2%	9.8%	10.2%	10.7%	11.1%	11.5%	11.9%	12.4%	12.8%
	Percentage of women estimated to have an unmet need for modern methods of contraception (mUN)												
18.6%	18.8%	19.0%	19.1%	19.3%	19.3%	19.6%	19.7%	19.4%	19.1%	18.9%	18.6%	18.1%	
Percentage of women estimated to have their demand for family planning met with a modern method of contraception (mDS)													
29.3%	30.1%	31.0%	32.1%	32.9%	33.8%	34.5%	35.7%	36.8%	37.9%	39.1%	40.4%	41.5%	

Impacts of Modern Contraceptive Use among All Women

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Number of unintended pregnancies averted due to modern contraceptive use													
35,000	37,000	37,000	38,000	40,000	42,000	44,000	47,000	50,000	54,000	57,000	61,000	66,000	
Number of unsafe abortions averted due to modern contraceptive use													
9,800	10,000	10,000	10,000	11,000	11,000	12,000	13,000	13,000	14,000	15,000	16,000	18,000	
Number of maternal deaths averted due to modern contraceptive use													
210	210	220	220	230	240	260	270	290	310	330	360	380	

Couple Years of Protection (CYPs)

Calculated from routine service provision data

Source	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
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Fertility Outcomes

	Value	Source
Adolescent birth rate (per 1000 women 15-19)	184	2019 MICS
Percent of births that are unintended	51%	2019 MICS

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Estimated Number of Unintended Pregnancies													
180,000	180,000	180,000	180,000	180,000	190,000	190,000	190,000	200,000	210,000	210,000	220,000	220,000	

Contraceptive Use, Availability, and Discontinuation by Method

Modern Contraceptive Method Mix			
Long-Acting and Permanent Methods	Sterilization (female)	1.7%	Source 2019 MICS
	Sterilization (male)	0.6%	
	IUD	0.1%	Population All Women
	Implant	18.2%	
Short-Term Methods	Injectable	21.7%	
	Pill	40.2%	
	Condom (Male)	16.8%	
	Condom (Female)	0.6%	
	LAM	0.0%	
Standard Days method	0.0%		
Other Modern Methods	0.0%		

Percentage of facilities stocked out, by method offered, on the day of assessment			
Long-Acting and Permanent Methods	Sterilization (female)	---	Source ---
	Sterilization (male)	---	
Short-Term Methods	IUD	---	Year ---
	Implant	---	
	Injectable	---	
	Pill	---	
	Condom (Male)	---	
	Condom (Female)	---	
Emergency Contraception	---		
Other modern methods	---		

	Value	Source	Year
Percentage of primary SDPs that have at least 3 modern methods of contraception available on day of	42%	UNFPA SDP Survey	2022
Percentage of secondary/tertiary SDPs with at least 5 modern methods of contraception available on	68%	UNFPA SDP Survey	2022

Contraceptive Discontinuation Rates and Method Switching (first 12 months)**						
	IUD	Implant	Injectable	Pill	Condom (male)	Source
Discontinuation while in need	---	---	---	---	---	---
Discontinuation while not in need	---	---	---	---	---	
Total discontinuation (all reasons)	---	---	---	---	---	
Switching to a different method	---	---	---	---	---	

Contraceptive Services and Decision-Making

	Value	Source	Population
Method Information Index**	---	---	---
Percentage of women who received family planning information during a contact with a health service provider **	---	---	---
Percent of current modern contraceptive users who last obtained their family planning method from each source (All Methods) **			
Public	---		
Private Medical	---	---	---
Other	---		
Percentage of women who decided to use family planning alone or jointly with their husbands/partners **	---	---	---

Investment in Family Planning

	Value	Year	Source
Annual expenditure on family planning from government domestic budget (USD \$)			

Traditional Contraceptive Use

Source : Family Planning Estimation Tool (FPET)

Traditional Contraceptive Use did not meet the reporting threshold (tCP among Married Women >5% in 2023) and so is not reported for this country.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
All Women	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Married Women	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Unmarried Women	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

Notes

--- indicates no data post 2012 was available

* Total Users among Married Women and Unmarried Women will not sum exactly to the Total Users among All Women

** Additional disaggregation or details available in the full data set.