# WHO 2005 Global Survey for Maternal and Perinatal Health

The Case of Mexico and Nigeria

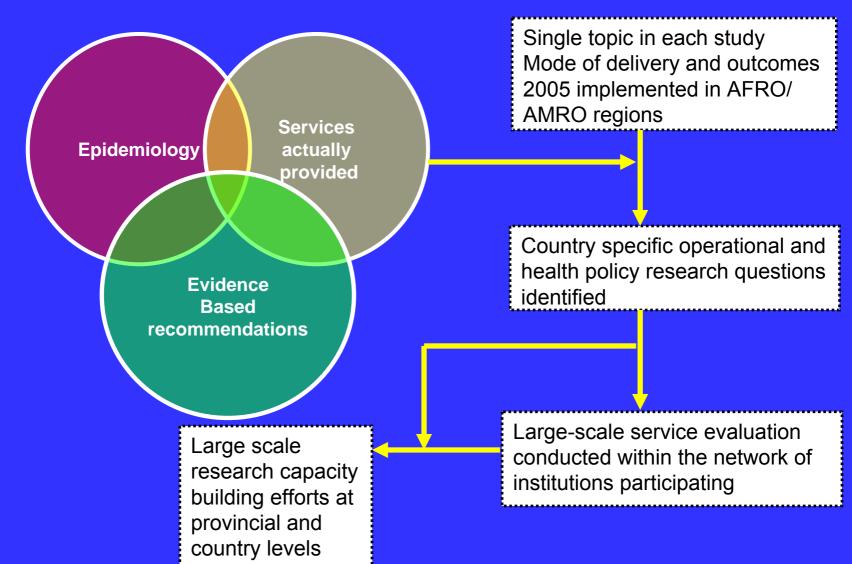
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**Maternal and Perinatal Health Research** 

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# WHO Global Survey for Maternal and Perinatal Health



# Main Objective

To collect up to date, focused information on the epidemiology of maternal and perinatal conditions, the services actually provided and how the evidence based recommendations are being implemented

# Specific Objectives

- To study the relationship between mode of delivery, intrapartum care and maternal and perinatal health outcomes.
- To obtain regional estimation of different mode of deliveries, and maternal and perinatal outcomes.
- To develop a network and strengthen capacity of health facilities worldwide that would participate in future studies including cluster randomised trials.
- To test a technologically simple on-line data entry and management system for a large dataset in developing countries.

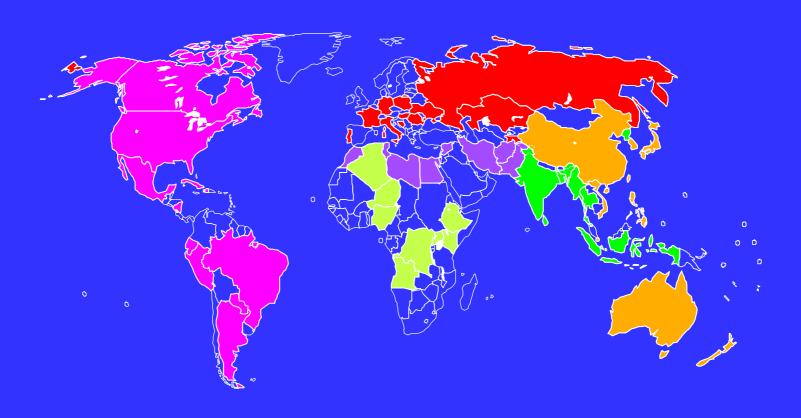
# Sampling Selection

- 14 sub-regions based on levels of child and adult mortality for WHO Member States
- In Latin América 9 and Africa 8 countries were randomly selected with probability proportional to population. EEUU and Canada were also selected.
- The capital was always included plus 2 provinces randomly selected with probability proportional to population.

# Sampling Selection

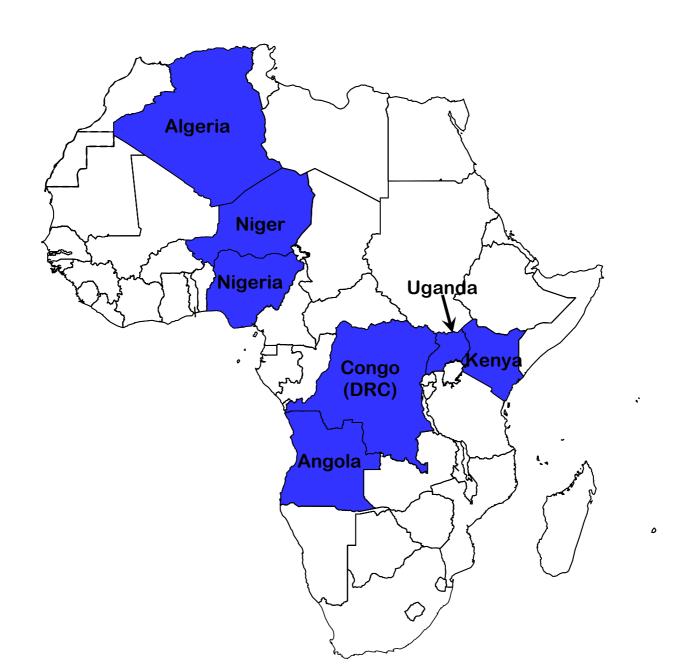
- If the capital or province was very large a sample of political subdivisions was randomly taken based on their population size.
- Census of all facilities with more than 1000 births / year .
- A random sample of 7 facilities was taken with probability proportional to the number of births for each geografic area.

# Countries Randomly Selected by Region



- AFRO region
- AMRO region
- **EMRO** region
- **EURO** region
- SEARO region
- WPRO region





# Elegible Women

 All women admitted for delivery during study period (3 months)

 Facilities with < 6000 births collected data 3 months; those with > 6000 births collected data 2 months

Survey Period: 15/09/04 to 15/03/05

# Characteristics of the Survey

- Specific objectives change as needed
- Short, specific, detailed data collection form
- Institutions randomly selected
- Sampling unit: cluster
- Prospective data collection
- Very short period of recruitment
- Sample close to 100.000 births by region
- Recent information: 2005

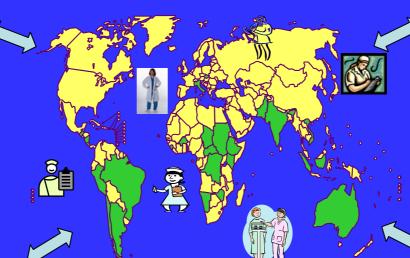
# **Characteristics of the Survey**

- Online data management
- Extensive network of collaborators (>600 per region)
- Included institutions not previously collaborating with WHO
- Strengthening WHO Research network and that of local institutions

# 2005 Global Survey: Data Management



Data Entry
Country Level



**General Coordination:** WHO/Geneva

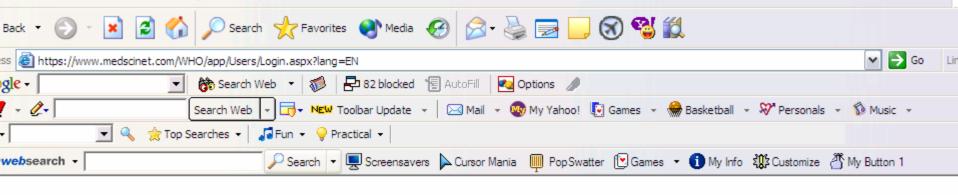


Regional coordination: CREP



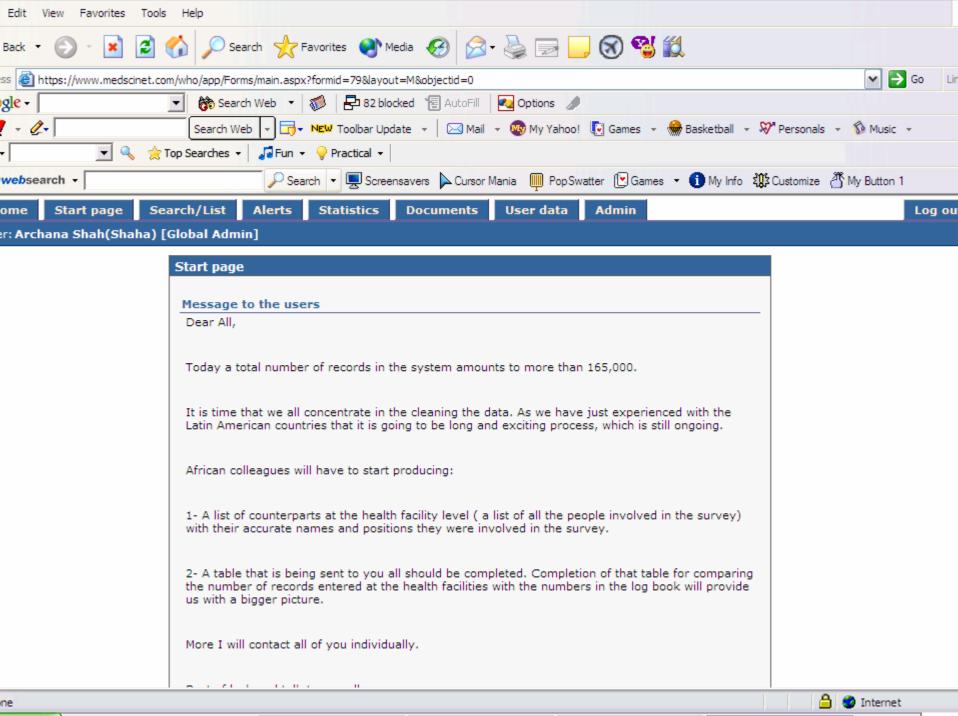
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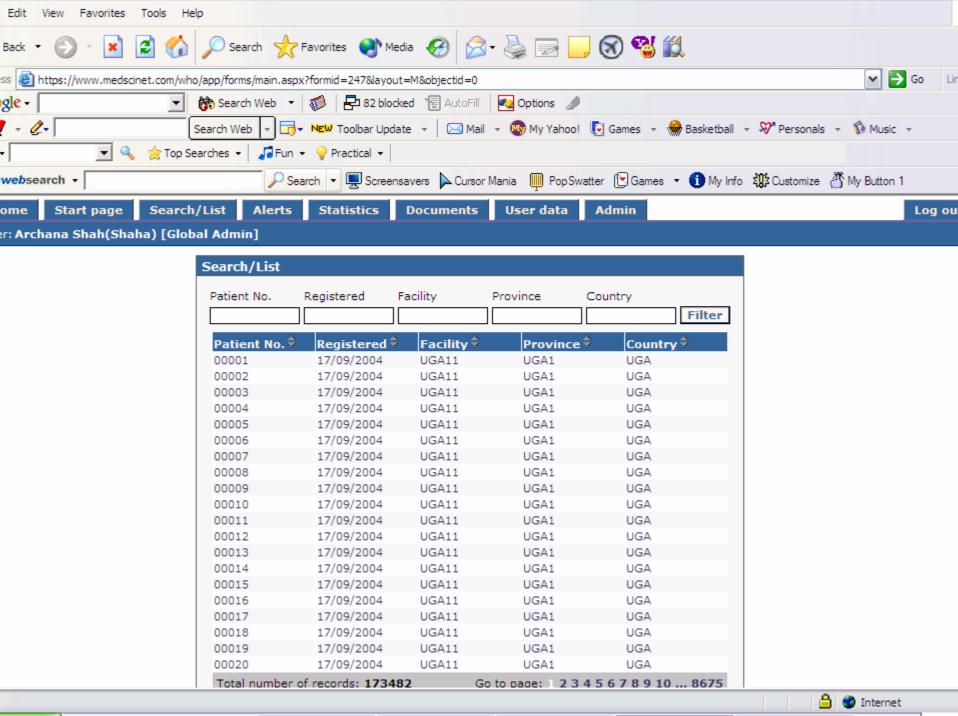


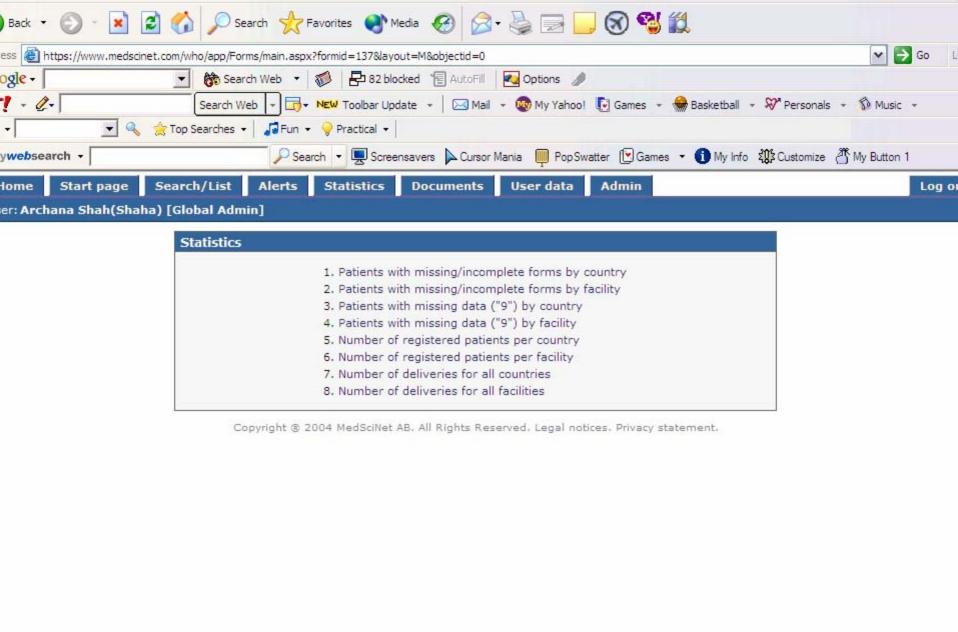


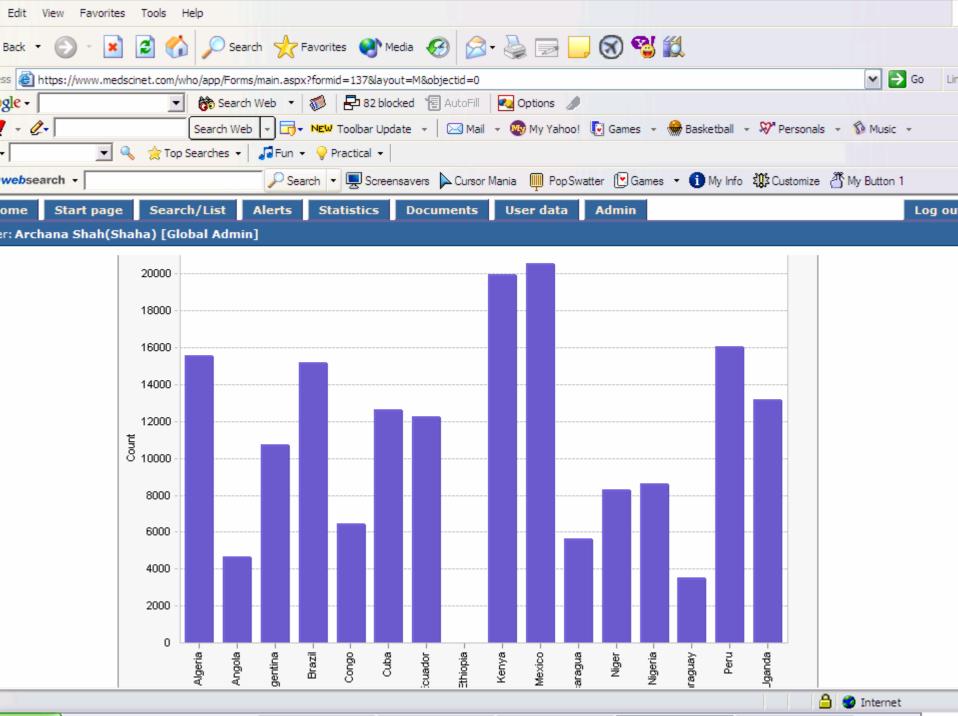
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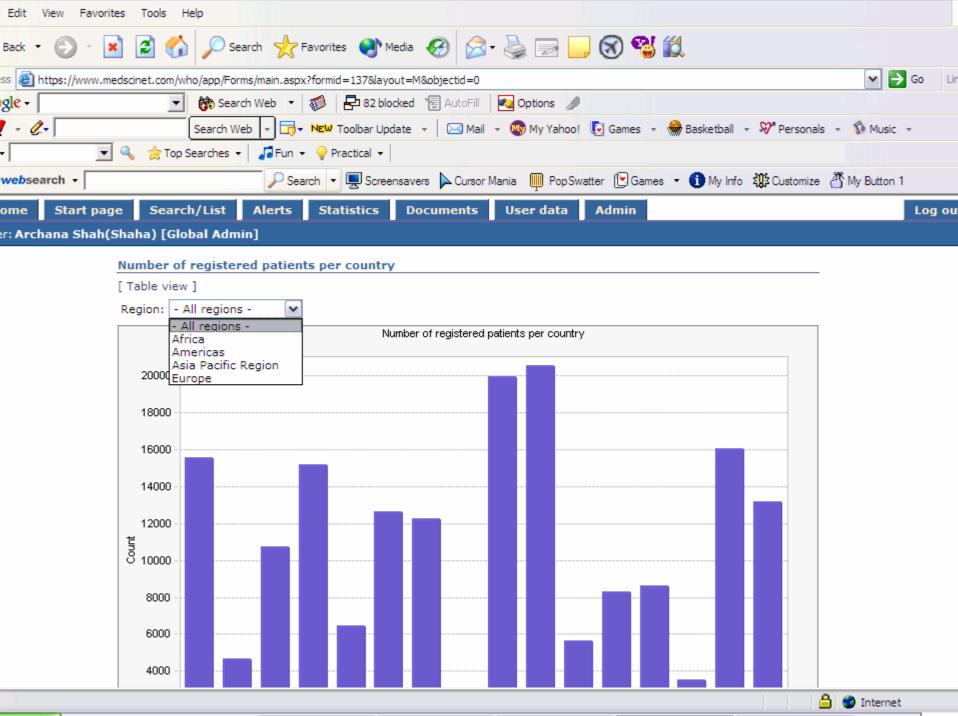


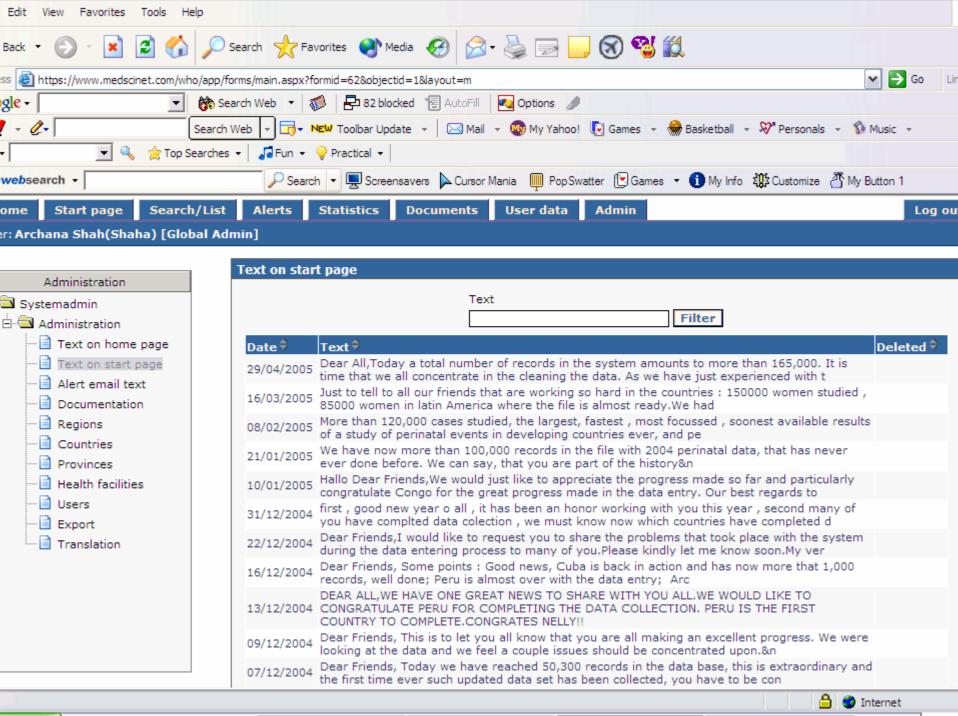


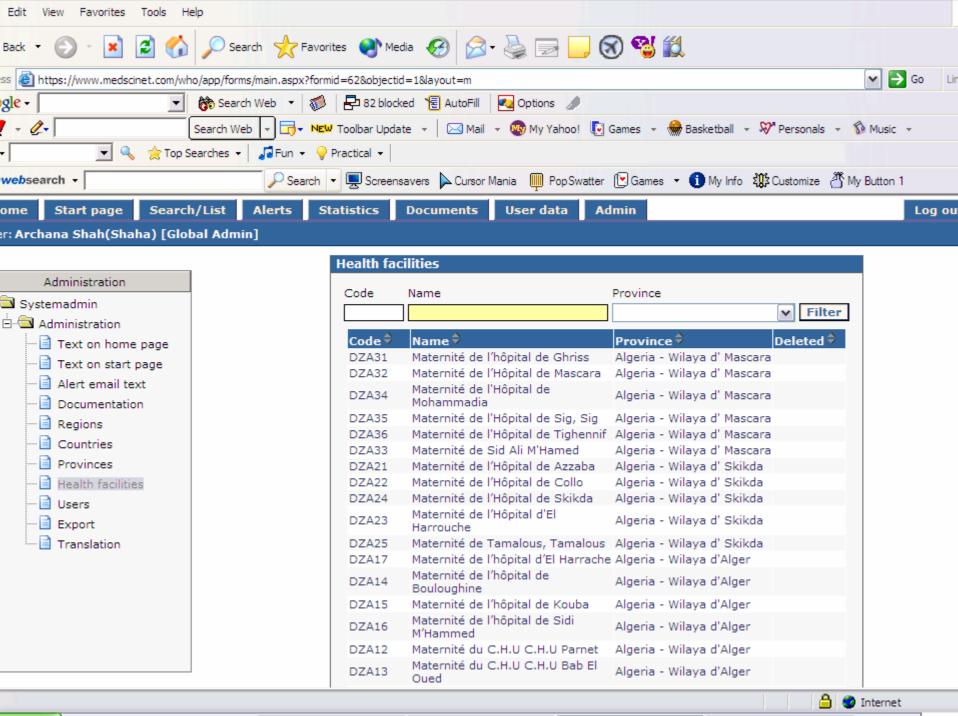




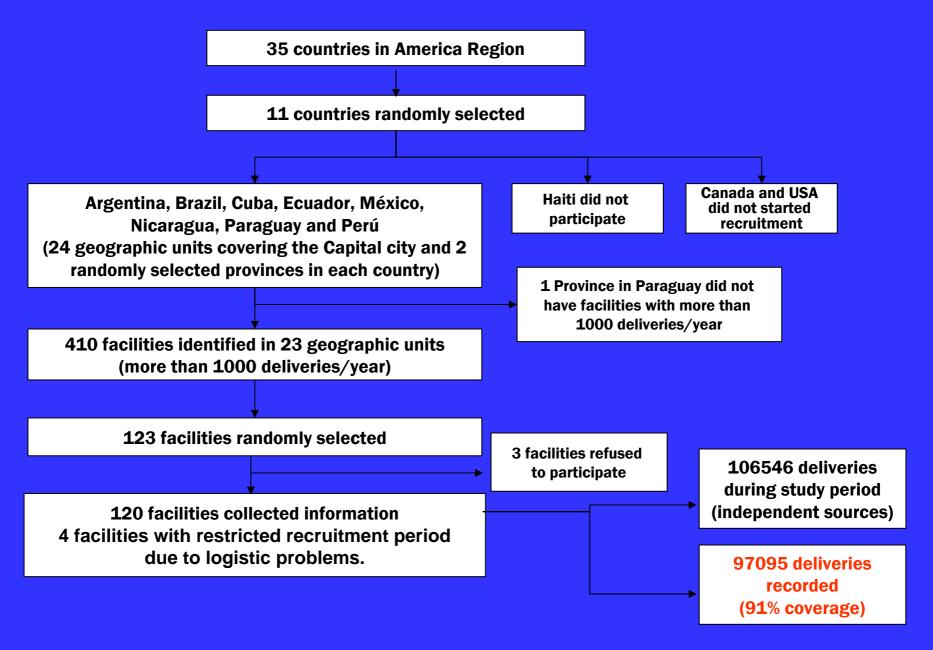




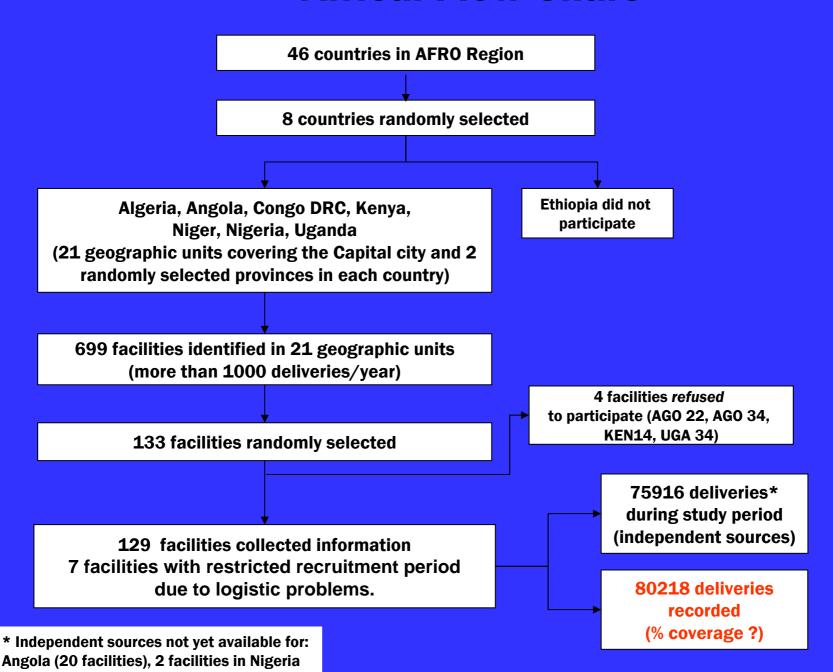




#### **America: Flow Chart**



#### **Africa: Flow Chart**



#### **Distribution of Women by Country**

Latin America				Africa	
	Health Facilities Randomly Selected	Deliveries		Health Facilities Randomly Selected	Deliveries
Argentina	14	10748	Algeria	18	15587
Brazil	19	15197	Angola	18	5503
Cuba	17	12642	Congo, DRC	21	8326
Ecuador	18	12414	Kenya	20	20017
Mexico	21	20892	Niger	11	8278
Nicaragua	8	5636			
Paraguay	6	3525	Nigeria	21	8955
Peru	17	16041	Uganda	20	13552
Total	120	97095	Total	129	80218

# **Missing Values**

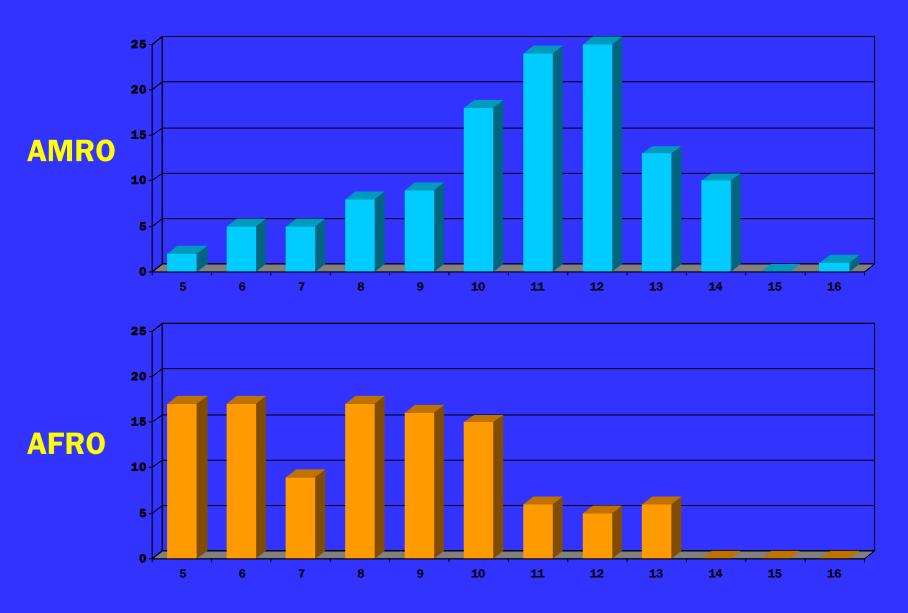
	AM	IRO	AFRO		
Variable	Available for Analysis	% of Missing Values	Available for Analysis	% of Missing Values	
Caesarean Section	97988	0.09	81594	0.11	
Birth Weigth	97872	0.20	80922	0.93	
Gestational Age	97488	0.60	79058	3.21	
Newborn Status at Discharge	96931	0.09	78453	0.17	
Maternal Status at Discharge	97035	0.06	79873	0.43	

# **Complexity Index**

Complexity Index	# of Facilities AMRO	# of Facilities AFRO*	Complexity	# of Facilities AMRO	# of Facilities AFRO*
5	2	17			
6	5	17			
7	5	9	Low	29 (24.2)	76 (70.4)
8	8	17		(27.2)	(10.4)
9	9	16			
10	18	15			
11	24	6	Medium	67 (55.8)	26 (24.1)
12	25	5			(24.1)
13	13	6			
14	10	0	111-4	24	6
15	0	0	High	(20.0)	(5.6)
16	1	0			
Total	120	108	Total	120	108

<sup>\*</sup> Complexity index incomplete for 21 facilties (20 in Angola, 2 in Congo DRC and 1 in Uganda)

# **Complexity Index**



#### **Distribution of Total Number of Women by Province**

#### **Mexico**

Province	# of Health Facilities Randomly Selected	# of Deliveries Recorded
Distrito Federal	7	7995
Guanajuato	7	7113
Tamaulipas	7	5784
Total	21	20892

#### **Nigeria**

Province	# of Health Facilities Randomly Selected	# of Deliveries Recorded
Abuja	7	3582
Lagos	7	2217
Katsina	7	3156
Total	21	8955

#### **Characteristics of Women**

	Mexico		Nig	eria
	n	%	n	%
Marital Status: Single	2518	12.1	98	1.1
Age				
Mean, SD (years)	25.5	6.1	27.9	6.1
< 20 yo.	3585	16.9	853	9.5
≥ <b>40</b> yo.	347	1.7	343	3.8
Education : < 7 years	6594	31.6	3254	36.7
Maternal Height (cm)	157	7.4	159	8.6
Maternal Weight (kg)	70.3	12.6	70.9	16.2

# **Characteristics of Women: Medical History**

	Mexico		Nige	eria
	n	%	n	%
HIV	86	0.4	154	1.7
<b>Chronic Hypertension</b>	157	0.7	45	0.5
Cardiac / Renal Disease	137	0.6	23	0.2
<b>Chronic Respiratory Conditions</b>	46	0.2	42	0.4
Diabetes Mellitus	173	0.8	77	0.8
Malaria	12	0.0	1814	20.2
Sickle Cell Anaemia	254	1.2	48	0.5
Severe Anaemia (Hb < 7g/l)	115	0.5	62	0.6

# **Characteristics of Women: Reproductive History**

	Mexico		Nig	eria
	n	%	n	%
Primigesta	7148	34.2	2417	27.1
Primiparous	7800	37.3	2490	29.1
Low Birth Weight in Last Birth	1097	8.5	271	7.7
<b>Outcome of Previous Pregnancy</b>				
Abortion / Miscarriage	1725	12.6	999	<b>15.4</b>
Neonatal Death	121	0.9	178	2.8
Stillbirth	130	1.0	323	5.0
Previous Surgery Uterus or Cervix	901	4.3	320	3.6
Caesarean Last Pregnancy	3310	15.9	427	4.8

# Characteristics of Women: Current Pregnancy

	Mexico		Nig	eria
	n	%	n	%
<b>Prelabour Rupture of Membranes</b>	1750	8.3	482	5.3
Pregnancy Induced Hypertension	837	4.0	344	3.8
Pre-eclampsia	1526	7.3	267	2.9
Eclampsia	67	0.3	99	1.1
Vaginal Bleeding in 2 <sup>nd</sup> Half of Pregnancy	904	4.3	179	2.0
<b>Pyelonephritis or Urinary Infection</b>	4282	20.5	99	1.1
Any Genital Ulcer Disease	135	0.6	51	0.5
Condyloma Acuminata	69	0.3	5	0.0

# **Characteristics of Deliveries**

	Mex	Mexico		eria
	n	%	n	%
Onset of Labour				
Spontaneous	14910	71.4	8033	89.9
Induced	2467	11.8	556	6.2
No Labour	3511	16.8	350	3.9
Mode of Delivery				
Spontaneous	12605	60.3	<b>7230</b>	80.9
C-Section	7888	37.8	1287	14.4
Forceps	329	1.6	124	1.4
Vacuum	18	0.1	29	0.3
Other	51	0.2	264	3.0

# **Maternal Outcomes**

	Mexico		Nig	eria
	n	%	n	%
<b>Antibiotics Treatment</b>	11911	57.0	6684	74.8
3th/4th Degree Perinal Laceration	104	0.5	109	1.2
Hysterectomy	40	0.2	18	0.2
Admission to Intensive Care Unit	161	0.8	424	4.8
Maternal Death	2	0.01	74	0.83

#### **Characteristics of Newborns**

	Mex	Mexico		eria
	n	%	n	%
Gestational Age				
< 32 weeks	377	1.8	155	1.8
32 – 36 weeks	1701	8.1	1043	11.8
Birth Weight				
< 2500 g.	2031	9.7	669	7.6
4500 g. or more	100	0.5	130	1.5

#### **Characteristics of Newborns**

	Mexico		Nigeria	
	n	%	n	%
Stillbirths	176	0.8	623	7.0
Apgar score at 5 minutes				
0 – 3	68	0.3	170	2.1
Admission to Intensive Care Unit	1630	7.9	609	7.3
Newborn Status at Discharge				
Alive with Obstetric Trauma	254	1.2	48	0.6
Alive but Referred at Higher Level	128	0.6	39	0.5
Dead	113	0.6	66	0.8

#### **Women Less than 20 years of age**

#### **Mexico**

Province	# of Women less than 20 yrs	%
Distrito Federal	1298	16.2
Guanajuato	1206	17.0
Tamaulipas	1081	18.7
Total	3585	17.2

#### **Nigeria**

Province	# of Women less than 20 yrs	%
Abuja	108	3.0
Lagos	36	1.6
Katsina	709	22.5
Total	853	9.5

	Me	exico	Ni	geria
	n	% < <b>20</b> y	n	% < <b>20</b> y
Marital Status				
Single	807	32.1	26	26.5
Not Single	2778	15.1	823	9.3
Years Attended				
School				
Less than 7	1157	<b>17.6</b>	670	20.6
7 or more	2428	17.0	<b>150</b>	2.7

	Mexico		Nigeria		
	n	%< <b>20</b> y	n	% < <b>20</b> y	
Previous Surgery on Uterus and Cervix	50	5.6	2	0.6	
No Surgery	3535	17.7	850	9.9	
Caesarean Section at Last Pregnancy	195	19.3	846	10.0	
No C-Section at Last Pregnancy	3390	<b>5.9</b>	3	0.7	
Any Pathology Previous Pregnancy <sup>1</sup>	97	10.6	270	12.7	
No Pathology Previous Pregnancy	3488	17.5	583	8.6	
Any Pathology During Current Pregnancy <sup>2</sup>	1127	18.4	95	7.3	
No Pathology During Current Pregnancy	2457	14.9	<b>758</b>	9.9	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> HIV positive status, chronic hypertension, cardiac/renal disease, chronic respiratory conditions, diabetes mellitus, malaria, sickle cell anaemia, severe anaemia.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> RPM, pregnancy induced hypertension, preclampsia, eclampsia, vaginal bleeding in 2nd half of pregnancy, pyelonephritis or urinary infection, any genital ulcer diseases, condyloma acuminata.

	Mexico			Nigeria
	n	% < <b>20</b> y	n	% < <b>20</b> y
Primiparous	2676	37.4	697	28.8
Multiparous	908	6.6	<b>153</b>	2.4
Primigesta	2778	35.6	660	26.5
Multigesta	807	6.2	<b>136</b>	2.2
LBW Previous Pregnancy <sup>1</sup>	89	8.1	7	2.6
Normal Weight in Previous  Pregnancy <sup>1</sup>	700	6.0	21	0.7
Outcome of Previous Pregnancy <sup>2</sup>				
Abortion / Miscarriage	<b>153</b>	8.9	<b>57</b>	5.7
Neonatal Death	<b>1</b> 5	12.4	2	1.1
Stillbirth	11	8.5	9	2.8
Alive at Discharge	728	6.2	84	1.7

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Computed in multiparous women

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Computed in multigesta women

		Gestational Age at Birth						
	Maternal Age		< 32 weeks	32 - 36 weeks	37 - 41 weeks	42 or more weeks		
	< 20	n	72	295	3116	98		
Mexico	years	%	2.0	8.2	87.0	2.7		
MEXICO	20 years	n	305	1406	15138	439		
	or more	%	1.8	8.1	87.6	2.5		
	< 20	n	22	130	685	6		
Nicorio	years	%	2.6	15.4	81.3	0.7		
	20 years	n	133	911	6756	220		
	or more	%	1.7	11.4	84.2	2.7		

	Mexico				Nigeria			
	< 20 years		20 yea		< 20 years		20 years o	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
<b>Antibiotics Treatment</b>	1888	52.7	10019	57.9	734	86.2	5944	73.6
3th/4th Degree Perineal Laceration	30	0.8	74	0.4	71	8.3	38	0.5
Hysterectomy	4	0.11	36	0.21	2	0.23	16	0.20
Admission to Intensive Care Unit	29	0.81	132	0.76	28	3.3	394	4.9
Maternal Death	0	0.00	2	0.01	7	0.82	67	0.83

	Motornal	Birth Weigth							
	Maternal Age		< 2500 g.	2500 – 4499 g	4500 g or more				
	< 20	n	384	3192	4				
Mavias	years	%	10.7	89.2	0.1				
Mexico 20 years	20 years	n	1647	15550	96				
	or more	%	9.5	89.9	0.6				
	< 20	n	123	690	5				
Nicorio	years	%	15.0	84.4	0.6				
Nigeria	20 years	n	545	7293	124				
	or more	%	6.9	91.6	1.6				