

BASIC HEALTH INDICATORS

(Latest available rates)

INDICATOR	WEST BENGAL	INDIA	Rank of West Bengal	MAJOR STATES BETTER THAN WEST BENGAL*
Birth Rate, 2010 (SRS)	16.8	22.1	4	Kerala (14.8), Tamil Nadu (15.9), Punjab(16.6)
Death Rate, 2010 (SRS)	6.0	7.2	1	Lowest
Infant Mortality Rate, 2010 (SRS)	31	47	4	Kerala (13), Tamil Nadu (24), Maharashtra (28)
Total Fertility Rate, 2009 (SRS)	1.9	2.6	2	Tamil Nadu (1.7), Kerala (1.7)
Neo-natal Mortality Rate, 2009 (SRS)	25	34	4	Kerala (7), Tamil Nadu (18), Maharashtra (24)
Under 5 Mortality Rate, 2009 (SRS)	40	64	4	Kerala (14), Tamil Nadu (33), Maharashtra (36)
Maternal Mortality Ratio, 2007- 09 (SRS)	145	212	5	Kerala (81), Tamil Nadu (97), Maharashtra (104), Andhra Pradesh (134)

* States having population 20 million or more as per Census, 2011