Key MNH statistics

Indicator	Value	Comment
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Number of births in 2019	516,806	This is the increase in population between 2018 and 2019. The effect of international migration can be considered negligible. The total population for 2019 was arrived at by projecting the 2018 population size.
Average number of births	4.2 children per woman	2018 PHC
Number of women in productive ages (working population – 15-64)	4,757,173	2018 PHC
Number of women in the reproductive ages (WRA – 15-49 years)	4,267,788	2018 PHC
Maternal mortality ratio in Malawi / 100,000 live births	439 maternal deaths per 100,000 live births	2015/16 DHS
Infant mortality rate	42 per 1000 live births	2015/16 DHS
Assistance during delivery from a skilled provider	89.8%	2015/16 DHS
Number of disabled women in productive ages (working population – 15 – 64 years)	523,289	Will require a re-run of the census data and some sort of institutional validation by NSO. Crude estimates have been made by applying the national female disability prevalence rate of 11% to the female population (15 - 64 years)
Number of disabled women in reproductive ages (WRA – 15 – 49)	469,457	Crude estimates have been made by applying the national female disability prevalence rate of 11% to the female population (15 - 49 years)