

**Table 1 Dentists, population and economic indicators in Egypt at beginning and end of study**

	Beginning of study 1995	End of study 2014	Percent increase
No. of dental graduates: total per year	499	3828	667.13
Dentists (total)	3866	15 317	296.20
Population (total)	57 509 998	86 813 723	50.95
Dentists per 1000 population, mean (SD)	0.07 (0.05)	0.18 (0.08)	209.65 (118.25)
Weekly wages in LE (adjusted for inflation), mean (SD)	636.5 (111.03)	1691.41 (1142.68)	164.54 (202.40)

LE = Egyptian pounds; SD = standard deviation.