

PAKISTAN

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ESTIMATED NATIONAL DROWNING DEATH RATE (PER 100 000)*

23 107

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REGIONAL AVERAGE RATE (PER 100 000) 4.5

GLOBAL AVERAGE RATE (PER 100 000) 3.8

* WHO Global Health Estimate data, 2021

GOVERNANCE AND COORDINATION

NATIONAL FOCAL POINT FOR DROWNING PREVENTION ✗

NATIONAL DROWNING PREVENTION STRATEGY ✗

NATIONAL COORDINATION MECHANISM FOR DROWNING PREVENTION ✗

GOVERNMENT SECTORS CONTRIBUTING TO DROWNING PREVENTION:
Health | Police | Transport | Maritime Safety | Disaster Risk Reduction

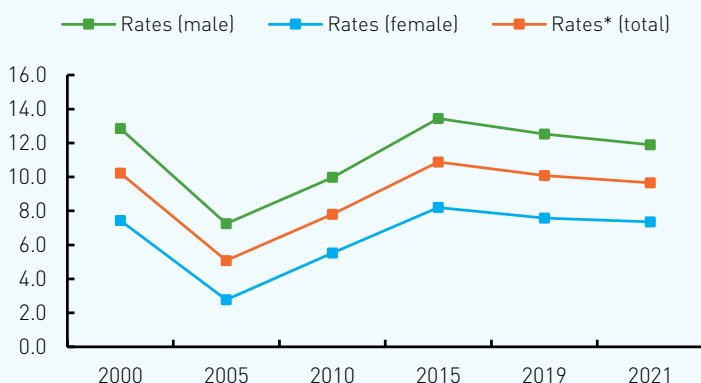
NON-GOVERNMENT SECTORS CONTRIBUTING TO DROWNING PREVENTION:

Lifesaving organizations | Search and rescue organizations

POLICY AND LEGISLATION

Policy for disaster risk management which specifies drowning	SUB-NATIONAL
Legislation for fencing around private swimming pools	NO
Legislation for fencing around public swimming pools	NO
Legislation to ensure safety of domestic passenger water transport	SUB-NATIONAL
Legislation mandating lifejacket use when boating	NATIONAL
Regulations preventing alcohol consumption and/or sales near public waterbodies	SUB-NATIONAL

RATE OF DROWNING DEATHS OVER TIME



* Rate = age standardized death rate

POPULATION	INCOME GROUP	GROSS NATIONAL INCOME PER CAPITA
231 402 116	Lower middle income	1 500

DATA

DROWNING DEATHS CAPTURED IN VITAL REGISTRY SYSTEM ✓
MOST DETAILED NATIONAL DATA SOURCE CAPTURES:

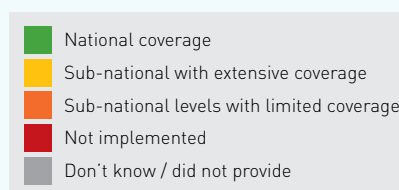
Age of victim	✓	Sex of victim	✓
Type of water body	✓	Activity at time of drowning	✓

INTERVENTIONS

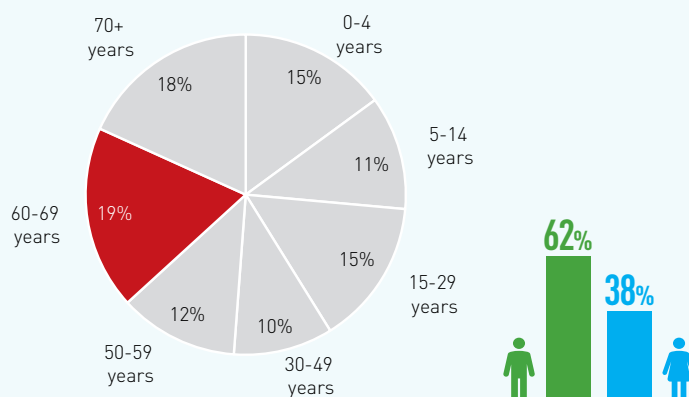
Daycare services provided for pre-school children	✓
Swimming and water safety included in school curriculum	✓
Barriers installed to limit access to water	✓
Lifeguards present at public swimming venues	✓
Rescue and resuscitation training programmes available	✓
Operational search and rescue service present	✓
Free weather alerts available	✓
Operational disaster warning systems	✓
Community resilience for managing flood risk exists	✓
Community disaster resilience programs exist which specify drowning	✓

AWARENESS RAISING

Drowning prevention mass media campaigns	✓
Campaigns on child safety	✓
Campaigns highlighting the dangers of consuming alcohol before or during aquatic activities	✗



SHARE OF DROWNING DEATHS BY AGE GROUP



Global Health Estimates Data, 2021