## PHR 2021

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## PHR in 2021

- 18 hospitals contributed complete data
- 29,485 admissions, 1582 deaths


## Overall gains in mortality sustained

Overall paediatric case fatality rates 2011-2021


| Diagnoses | Admissions 2021 | Deaths 2021 | Case fatality <br> rate 2021 | Average CFR <br> $\mathbf{2 0 0 9 - 2 0 2 1}$ |
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| All paediatric admissions | 29485 | 1582 | 5.4 | 6.83 |
| Pneumonia | 4967 | 211 | 4.2 | 4.40 |
| Severe pneumonia | 1984 | 183 | 9.2 | 10.38 |
| Neonatal conditions | 12292 | 726 | 5.9 | 8.23 |
| Diarrhoea | 2179 | 91 | 4.2 | 4.31 |
| Malaria | 829 | 34 | 4.1 | 4.43 |
| Severe malnutrition | 2514 | 256 | 10.2 | 15.43 |
| Tuberculosis | 1953 | 156 | 8.0 | 10.09 |
| Meningitis | 836 | 104 | 12.4 | 16.91 |
| HIV | 384 | 61 | 15.9 | 15.23 |
| Anaemia | 2184 | 277 | 12.7 | 12.71 |
| Rheumatic heart disease | 170 | 15 | 8.8 | 10.52 |
| Congenital heart disease | 466 | 64 | 13.7 | 17.30 |
| Measles | 3 | 0 | 0.0 | 2.95 |
| Cancer | 138 | 39 | 28.3 | 30.80 |
| Tetanus | 10 | 2 | 17.57 |  |
| Acute flaccid paralysis | 21 | 4 | 19.0 | 4.96 |
| Whooping cough | 33 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.84 |
| Child protection | 127 | 30 | 23.6 | 17.93 |
| Trauma and injuries | 331 | 3 | 0.9 | 1.06 |

## Pneumonia deaths worse in 2021

Pneumonia case fatality rates 2011-2021


Severe pneumonia case fatality rates 2011-2021


## Excess deaths from pneumonia in 2021

- 48 excess deaths, based on mortality rate from 2020 \& 2019
- 361/11035 = 3.37\% (2.95-3.62\%)
- Expected deaths 163 out of 4967 cases ( $95 \%$ CI 147-180)
- Observed deaths 211
- Therefore 211-163 = 48 (CI 31-64)

Why

- Oxygen crisis?
- Covid-19 in children?
- Other?


## Reduction in children with HIV being admitted

| Year | Admission <br> of children <br> with HIV | Deaths in <br> children <br> with HIV |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2016 | 532 | 86 |
| 2017 | 545 | 89 |
| 2018 | 547 | 87 |
| 2019 | 389 | 48 |
| 2020 | 479 | 82 |
| 2021 | 384 | 61 |



[^0]- 4 deaths from AFP - presumably Guillain Barre syndrome
- 30 deaths from child protection issues
- Persistence of anaemia as a comorbidity in child deaths


## PHR the future

- Wide distribution of the 2021 Annual Report, to disseminate the lessons
- More consistent reporting in 2022 using PHR V12.2
- Editorial committee to write the Annual Report
- Maternal / obstetric reporting
- No changes to the program for 5 years (except correction of any errors). PHR program now downloadable at www.pngpaediatricsociety.org


[^0]:    Pulmonary tuberculosis admissions

    - Pulmonary tuberculosis case fatality rate

    Extrapulmonary tuberculosis admissions
    Tuberculosis meningitis admissions

    - Extrapulmonary tuberculosis case fatality rate
    - Tuberculosis meningitis case fatality rate

