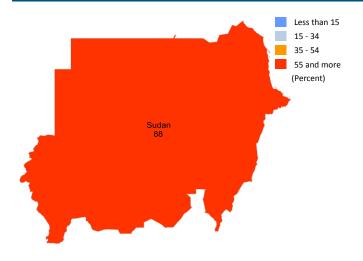
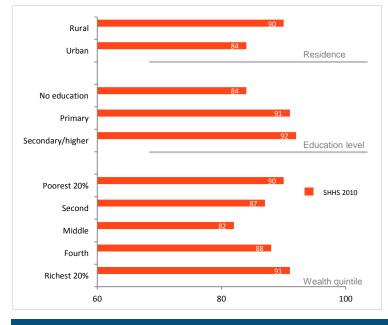
# SUDAN

#### Prevalence of Female Genital Mutilation/Cutting (FGM/C) among Women Aged 15-49



**Inequalities**: Human rights violations affect women and girls differently. Girls who are living in rural areas are at the greatest risk of FGM/C.

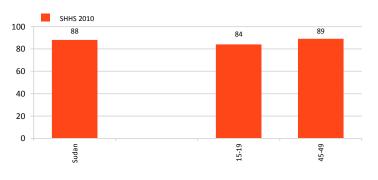


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#### **Opposition to FGM/C**

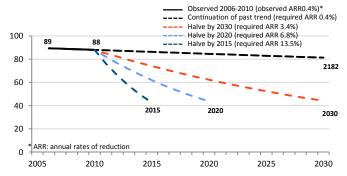
Levels: currently, 88% of women aged 15-49 in Sudan have undergone some form of FGM/C

Trends: FGM/C is less common among girls 15-19 than women 45-49



#### Projections

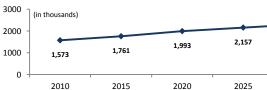
To meet the target of reducing the FGM/C rate by half, more intensive interventions and resources are needed



If present trends continue, 2,317,000 girls born between 2010-2015 will experience FGM/C by 2030

2.317

2030



#### **Key Indicators**

<b>Population size, female age 15-49</b> (in thousands), 2010	8,521	World Population Prospects 2012
Prevalence of FGM/C among women 15-49 (%)	88	SHHS 2010
Prevalence of FGM/C among girls 15-19 (%)	84	SHHS 2010
Ethnic group with the highest prevalence in the country (%)		-
Existence of national policies and laws banning FGM/C; Year passed	Yes; 2008-2009	FGM/C programme data

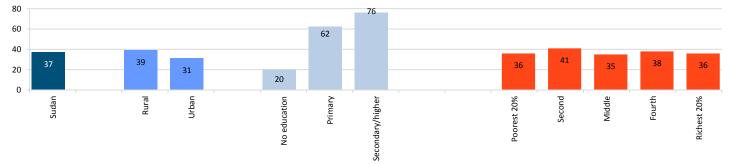
Source: SHHS 2010 unless indicated | Prepared by Population and Development Branch, Technical Division, UNFPA



## FGM/C among Young Girls

37% of daughters aged 0-14 in Sudan have undergone some form of FGM/C

Indicator captures a certain point in time and not an eternal truth, as these young girls might be cut at a later stage in their lives



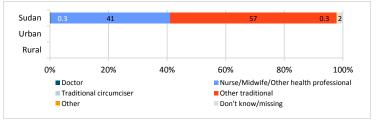
## Age at FGM/C

#### Type of FGM/C and Performers of FGM/C

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FGM/C is essentially performed by other traditional (more than 50%)



# Monitoring the UNFPA-UNICEF Joint Programme on FGM/C

Community leaders and stakeholders committed to FGM/C abandonment	Religious leaders that make public declarations delinking FGM/C from religion	Cumulative number of villages declaring the abandonment of FGM/C	Health facilities integrating FGM/C prevention in their antenatal and postnatal care
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