

ITEMS AND INDICATORS		DATA			Notes	DEF.	
		2009	2010	2011			
		A DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIO-ECONOMIC INDICATORS		A1			Population	10.491.492	10.517.247	10.496.672	see def.
A2	Area (square Km)			78.870	78.870	78.870	see def.
A3	Average population density per square Km			133,02	133,35	133,09	see def.
A4	Birth rate per 1000 population			11,28	11,14	10,35	see def.
A5	Death rate per 1000 population			10,24	10,16	10,18	see def.
A6	Life expectancy at birth (years)			77,50	77,81	78,06	
A6a	Men			74,34	74,58	74,87	see def.
A6b	Women			80,60	80,98	81,19	
A7	Real Gross Domestic Product (GDP) PPP\$ per capita			25.645,20	25.357,80	26.332,30	see def.

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B	B1	Healthcare coverage of population	Free-of-charge healthcare for all citizens. Based on the criterion of the place of residence, the insurance system covers a very large part of the population. Individuals are free to choose their insurance, although the state-guaranteed insurance covers almost 63% of the population and most of the unemployed persons.			see def.
	B2	Gate-keeping system	No			see def.
	B3	Total health expenditure, PPP\$ per capita	2.039,10	1.884,40	1.966,00	see def.
	B4	Public sector health expenditure as % of total health expenditure	84,00%	83,80%	84,20%	see def.
	B5	Total health expenditure as % of Gross Domestic Product (GDP)	8,00%	7,40%	7,50%	see def.
	B5a	Public sector health expenditure as % of GDP	6,72%	6,26%	6,16%	see def.
	B5b	Private sector health expenditure as % of GDP	1,28%	1,22%	1,22%	see def.
	B6	Expenditure on inpatient care per capita (PPP\$)	653,20	608,00	640,20	see def.
	B7	Public inpatient expenditure as % of total inpatient expenditure	95,80%	96,10%	96,90%	see def.
	B8	Total inpatient expenditure as % of total health expenditure	32,00%	32,30%	32,60%	see def.
B9	Public funding	Statutory health insurance since 1991 with 9 decentralised insurances, collecting social contributions and concluding contracts with the service providers. Those insurances are independent and not-for-profit administrative entities.			see def.	

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C	HOSPITAL GOVERNANCE					
	C1 Administration and management				The university hospitals belong to the state, whereas all other hospitals belong to the regions.	see def.
	C2 Surveillance authority				The Ministry of Health is responsible for health legislation. It manages the regional hospitals and the university hospitals (i. e. the 19 biggest hospitals) directly. The districts and local authorities deliver the authorisations for the establishment and operation of private hospitals and healthcare centres. Each territorial level has to implement the principles of the national health policy in its given territory.	see def.

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D	HOSPITAL FINANCING					
	D1 Hospital financers				The health insurances fund the largest part of the operating costs of hospitals. But the state and the regional and local authorities also contribute out of their budgets.	see def.
	D2 Modes of payment				The health insurance companies negotiate the contracts with the hospitals and determine the tariffs to apply over the year. The state intervenes only in case of persistent disagreement.	see def.
	D3 Use of DRGs					see def.
	D4 Hospital investments				Investments are financed with taxes on the national and local level. The investments of the regional hospitals and university hospitals are funded out of the state budget. Investments in district and municipal hospitals are financed by the local authorities.	see def.

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E	TOTAL HOSPITAL CARE PROVISION	E1	Public / Private ownership	Coexistence of public and private, for-profit and not-for-profit hospitals. But privatisation is very rare and, if it ever happens, it concerns small units.			see def.
		E1a	% of hospitals private for profit				see def.
		E1b	% of hospitals private not for profit				see def.
		E2	Categories	Hospital organisation is territorialised: - regional hospitals provide specialised tertiary healthcare services, - district hospitals specialised care, - municipal hospitals concentrate on internal medicine, surgery, paediatrics and gynecology-obstetrics.			see def.
		E3	Total number of hospitals	256	255	255	see def.
		E4	All hospitals per 100.000 population	2,44	2,42	2,43	see def.
		E5	Total number of hospital beds	74.607	73.746	71.750	see def.
		E5a	Public inpatient hospital beds (number and % of all beds)	63.999 85,78%	...	...	see def.
		E5b	Private inpatient hospital beds (number and % of all beds)	10.608 14,22%	...	...	see def.
		E6	All hospital beds per 100.000 population	711,12	701,19	683,55	see def.
		E7	Number of inpatient care admissions/discharges	2.165.319	2.159.927	2.149.273	see def.
		E8	Inpatient care admissions/discharges per 100 population	20,64%	20,54%	20,48%	see def.
		E9	Average length of stay for all hospitals (bed-days)	10,00	9,90	9,80	see def.

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F	F1	Number of acute care hospitals	165	160	156	see def.
	F1a	Acute care hospitals as % of all hospitals	64,45%	62,75%	61,18%	see def.
	F2	Acute care hospitals per 100.000 population	1,57	1,52	1,49	see def.
	F3	Number of acute care hospital beds	52.333	51.216	49.350	see def.
	F3a	Acute care hospital beds as % of all hospitals beds	70,14%	69,45%	68,78%	see def.
	F4	Acute care hospital beds per 100.000 population	498,81	486,97	470,15	see def.
	F5	Number of acute care hospital admissions/discharges	2.021.320	2.011.961	1.997.672	see def.
	F6	Acute care admissions/discharges per 100 population	19,27%	19,13%	19,03%	see def.
	F7	Average length of stay for acute care hospitals (bed-days)	7,10	7,00	6,80	see def.
	F8	Bed occupancy rate for acute care hospitals	75,26%	73,83%	72,80%	see def.

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G	HEALTHCARE WORKFORCE					
	G1	Number of General Practitioners (GPs)	7.366	7.369	7.369	see def.
	G1a	General Practitioners per 100.000 population	70,21	70,07	70,20	see def.
	G1b	Population per one GP	1.424,31	1.427,23	1.424,44	see def.
	G2	Number of physicians	37.351	37.661	38.171	see def.
	G2a	Number of physicians per 100.000 population	356,01	358,09	363,65	see def.
	G3	% of physicians working in hospitals	56,87%	57,22%	57,64%	see def.
	G4	Number of nurses	88.874	89.233	88.807	see def.
	G4a	Nurses per 100.000 population	847,11	848,44	846,05	see def.
	G5	% of nurses working in hospitals	...	...	...	see def.
G6	Number of nurses per doctor	2,38	2,37	2,33	see def.	