**CERVICAL CANCER PROFILE**

**Morbidity and Mortality**

- Crude cervical cancer incidence per 100 000 women (2020): 22.8
- Age-standardized cervical cancer incidence per 100 000 women (2020): 16.3
- Cumulative risk of cervical cancer, ages 0-74 (2020): 1.6%
- Cervical cancer deaths (2019): 210
- Cervical cancer mortality-to-incidence ratio (2020): 0.52
- Population-based cancer registry exists (2021): Yes

**Primary Prevention**

- HPV vaccination programme coverage among girls (2020): Yes
- HPV included in national vaccination programme: Yes
- Scale of vaccination programme: Subnational
- Year of introduction: 2019
- Primary target cohort: 10 years

**Related risk factors:**
- Tobacco use prevalence, women aged 15+ years (2020): 6%
- Condom use at last high-risk sex (2005): 42%
- HIV incidence per 1000, women aged 15+ years (2020): 0.17

**Secondary Prevention**

- National screening programme for cervical cancer exists (2021): Yes
- Primary screening test used (2021): cytology
- Target age range of programme (2021): 25-61 years
- Programme/guidelines exist to strengthen early detection of first symptoms at primary health care level (2021): Yes
- Clearly defined referral system exists from primary care to secondary and tertiary care (2021): Yes

**Treatment and Supportive Care**

- National guidelines on cervical cancer management exist (2021): Yes

**WHO Cervical Cancer Elimination Strategy Targets for 2030**

- 90% of girls fully vaccinated with the HPV vaccine by the age of 15
- 70% of women are screened with a high-performance test by 35 years of age and again by 45 years of age
- 90% of women identified with cervical disease receive treatment

**HPV vaccination programme (2020):**

- Programme coverage: Yes

**Screening for cervical cancer (2019):**

- Ever screened: 73%

**Number of medical staff (per 10 000 cancer patients):**

- Radiation oncologists (2019): ND
- Medical physicists (2019): 10
- Surgeons (2013): 368
- Radiologists (2019): 196
- Nuclear medicine physicians (2019): 2

**Number of radiotherapy units per 10 000 cancer patients (2021):** 2

**Number of brachytherapy units per 10 000 cancer patients (2021):** 1

**Palliative care for patients with NCDs in the public health system generally available (2021):**

- In primary health care facilities: Yes
- In community or home-based care: No

**Reported annual opioid consumption - excluding methadone - in oral morphine equivalence per capita (2017):** 7mg

**World Health Organization - Cervical Cancer Country Profiles, 2021**