

FAST FACTS FROM THE 2016 SOUTH AFRICA DHS

The 2016 South Africa Demographic and Health Survey (SADHS) is designed to provide data for monitoring the population and health situation in South Africa. The first SADHS was conducted in 1998.

ADULT NUTRITIONAL STATUS



2/3 of women and 1/3 of men age 15+ are overweight or obese.

CHRONIC DISEASES





Almost **half** of women and men age 15+ have **high blood pressure**.



13% of women and **8%** of men age 15+ are **diabetic**.

TOBACCO AND ALCOHOL USE



More than **1/3** of men age 15+ **smoke cigarettes**.



5% of women and 28% of men age 15+ drank 5+ drinks on one occassion in the month before the survey.







