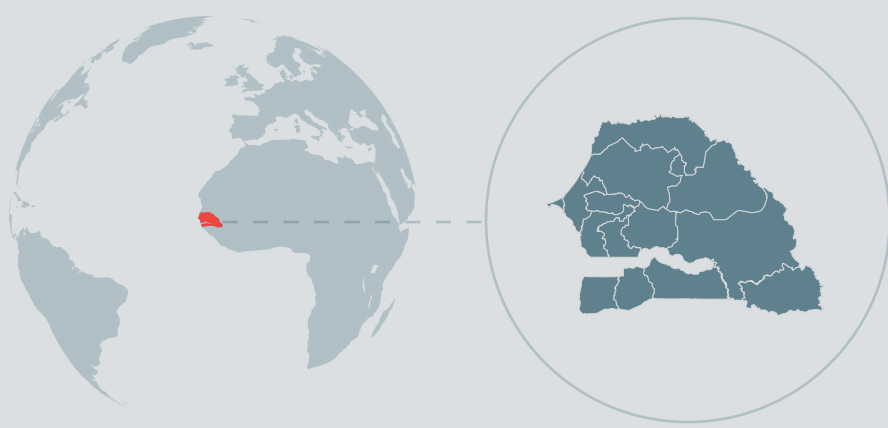




EVOLUTION OF UHC IN
SENEGAL

Countries learning from each other to achieve
and maintain Universal Health Coverage (UHC)



Capital
Dakar 14°40'N 17°25'E

Official languages
French

Ethnic groups
• Wolof 41.3%
• Fula 17.8%
• Serer 15.7%
• Mandinka 14.0%
• Jola 3.7%
• Soninke 1.1%

Independence
• from France (4 April 1960)
• Withdrawal from the Mali Federation (20 August 1960)

GENERAL INFORMATION

Basic package:
care through health posts and health centers

Supplementary package:
care provided by hospitals

Basic contribution:
7000 per year and per person with a subsidy of 3500 from the State

Significant achievements in the areas of health, inequalities and gender disparities, although efforts still need to be made. Progress on education (access), but with shortcomings (quality and efficiency of spending). An HDI of 0.494 ranks the country among the countries with “low human development”.

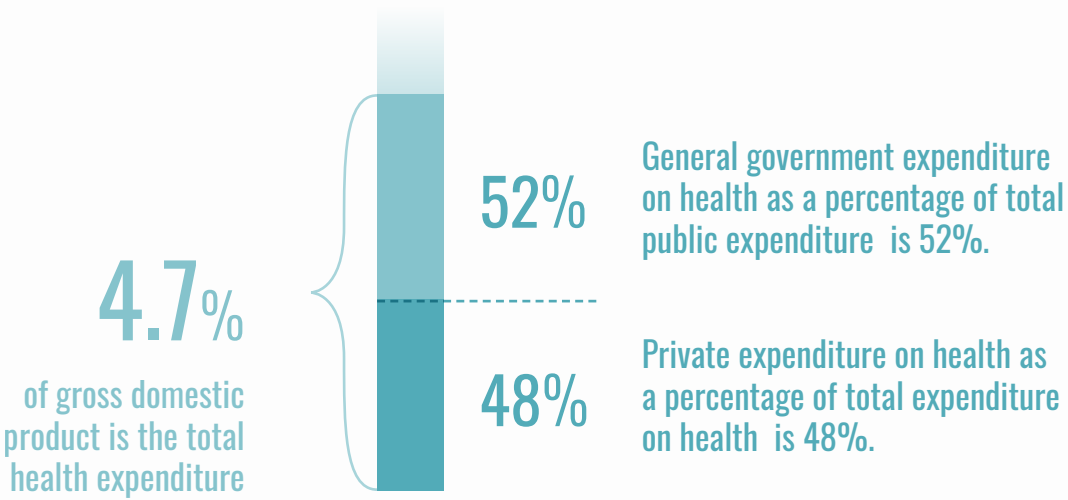


NATIONAL UHC
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towards
SDG 3.8.2

2013

Launch on 20 September 2013 of the National Program of Universal Health Coverage by the President of the Republic.



2015

Creation of the Agency of Universal Health Insurance by decree in January 2015.

Launch of the National Health Financing Strategy by the President of the Republic

2017

Creation of the Health Economics Cellule in July 2017

6.8% Economic growth rate

35.6% Poverty rate



“The penetration rate of health mutuals has improved significantly between 2012 and 2018, but challenges remain for social mobilization, the collection of contributions and the professionalisation of management.”

Demba Mame Ndiaye
President of the National Union of Community Health Mutuals

2019

Launch of the third National Health and Social Development Program 2019-2028.

Transfer of the Agency of Universal Health Insurance from the supervision of Ministry of Health to the Ministry of Social Equity.

Estimated population: **16M** INHABITANTS (mostly young)

Demographic growth: **2.5%**

Maternal mortality rate: **236** PER 100,000 LIVE BIRTHS

Infant mortality: **56** PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS

Persistence of communicable diseases and rapid increase in non communicable diseases

2018

44.5%

The penetration rate of mutual health insurance is 44.5% of the target population.

18.5%

The coverage rate of the Senegalese population by health mutuals is 18.5%.

49.3%

The coverage rate for all schemes combined (formal and informal people) is 49.3%.

US\$ **406,75M**
HEALTH BUDGET

PRIMARY GOALS

- Implementation of the National Social Protection Strategy
- Launch of family safety scholarships
- Launch of the Equal Opportunity Cards