

GET2020 data

As at 17 April 2018

Overview epidemiology

Commonwealth Country	Global Health Observatory status	Total population in country	Trachoma confirmed to require public health level interventions			Trachoma suspected to be a public health problem ¹	
			Requiring S interventions	Requiring A,F,E interventions		Districts	Population in those districts
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WHO Region: AFRO							
Botswana	Status uncertain	2,214,858	-	0	0	Status uncertain	
Cameroon	Known to require interventions	24,994,885	9	0	0	0	0
Gambia	Claims to have eliminated	2,051,363	-	0	0	0	0
Ghana ³	Validated as having eliminated	27,499,924	-	-	-	-	-
Kenya ¹	Known to require interventions	47,615,739	28	20	2,450,663	6	743,966
Malawi	Known to require interventions	19,196,246	13	6	1,357,904	0	0
Mozambique	Known to require interventions	26,573,706	24	34	4,395,204	0	0
Namibia	Status uncertain	2,484,780	Status uncertain			Status uncertain	
Nigeria ¹	Known to require interventions	190,632,261	213	99	20,136,409	29	5,609,255
Uganda	Known to require interventions	39,570,125	31	4	589,421	0	0
United Republic of Tanzania	Known to require interventions	53,950,935	58	13	3,216,046	0	0
Zambia	Known to require interventions	15,972,000	21	34	4,528,460	8	621,830
WHO Region: EMRO							
Pakistan ¹	Known to require interventions	204,924,861	13	9	3,177,676	16	4,908,029
WHO Region: SEARO							
India	Known to require interventions	1,281,935,911	6	0	0	2	5,437,278
WHO Region: WPRO							
Australia	Known to require interventions	23,232,413	-	5	20,123	0	0
Fiji	Known to require interventions	920,938	0	4	911,449	0	0
Kiribati ⁴	Known to require interventions	108,145	24	24	120,007	0	0
Nauru	Status uncertain	11,359	Status uncertain			Status uncertain	
Papua New Guinea ²	Known to require interventions	6,909,701	0	6	1,158,540	1	62,495
Solomon Islands	Known to require interventions	647,581	0	37	441,973	0	0
Vanuatu	Known to require interventions	282,184	0	6	277,708	0	0
Total		1,971,730,545	446	301	42,781,583	62	17,320,358

Source: WHO Alliance for GET2020 Database as of 17 April 2018

1. Insecure (country followed by district count): Kenya (6), Nigeria (29), Pakistan (16)
2. Further assessment pending (country followed by district count): Papua New Guinea (1).
3. Validated as having eliminated: Ghana
4. Kiribati: Since the publication of the WHO Weekly Epidemiology Record, 29 June 2018, vol.93,26 the population requiring A,F,E in Kiribati has been corrected to 105,658, using population data from the TEMF.

Background notes:

- The GET2020 Database identifies **20** Commonwealth countries as having trachoma as a public health problem.
- **1** Commonwealth country has been validated by WHO for elimination of trachoma as a public health problem (Ghana, June 2018)
- **10** Commonwealth countries are on track to reach elimination thresholds by 2020 (Australia, Kenya, Malawi, Fiji, Kiribati, Mozambique, Solomon Islands, Uganda, Zambia and Vanuatu).
- **16** Commonwealth countries have programs to tackle trachoma in different stages of implementation (as above plus Cameroon, India, Nigeria, Pakistan and Tanzania)
- **4** Commonwealth countries without programs (reporting status uncertain or known to require interventions and not yet started): Botswana, Namibia, Nauru, Papua New Guinea