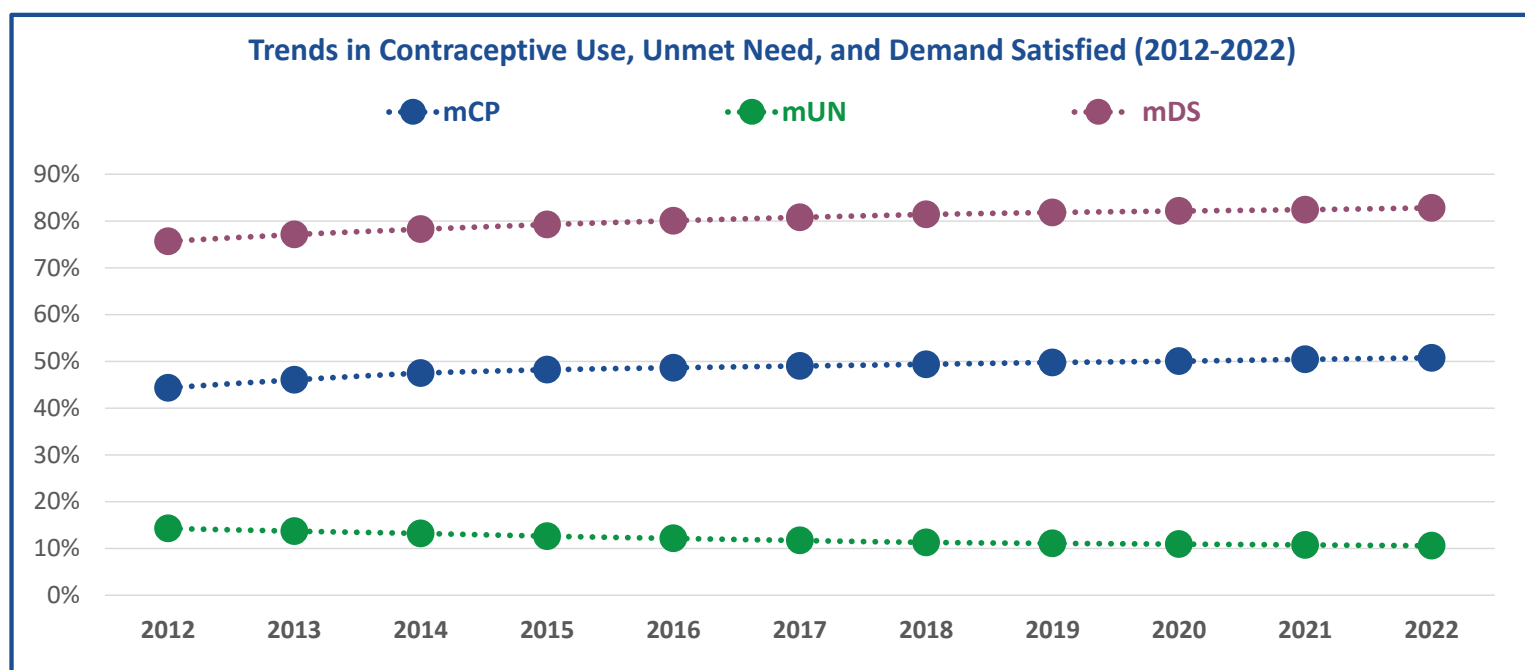


Lesotho

FP2030 Country Fact Sheet - 2022

	Estimate for 2012	Estimate for 2022
● Total Users of Modern Contraception	230,000	300,000
● Modern Contraceptive Prevalence Rate (mCP)	44.3%	50.7%
● Unmet Need for Modern Contraception (mUN)	14.3%	10.6%
● Demand Satisfied for Modern Contraception (mDS)	75.7%	82.8%



In 2022, we estimate

300,000

women are using a modern method of contraception in Lesotho

As a result of modern contraceptive use:

110,000

unintended pregnancies prevented

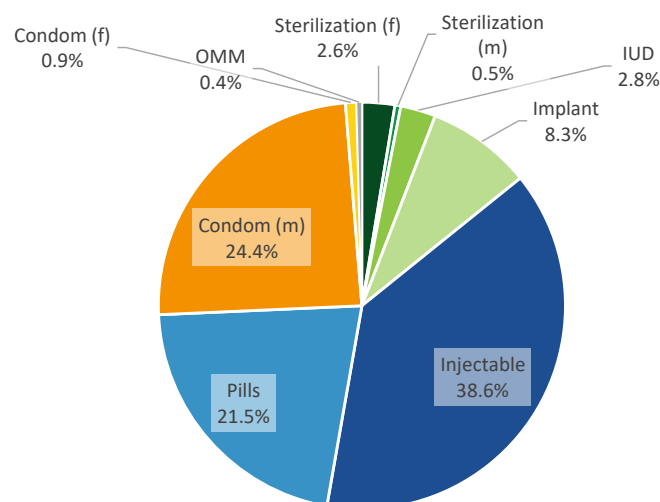
11,000

unsafe abortions averted

390

maternal deaths averted

Modern Contraceptive Method Mix



Source : 2018 MICS (All Women)

Data recency: color indicates year of most recent data used to inform estimates

- New : After 2017
- Recent : 2012 to 2017
- Old : Prior to 2012

Note: the population for all indicators is all women of reproductive age (15-49) unless otherwise noted.

Data sourced from FP2030 2022 Measurement Report