

Table 15: Percentage of under-five children who are severely or moderately undernourished, Country, Year

	Weight for age		Height for age		Weight for height		Number of children
	Percent below	Percent below	Percent below	Percent below	Percent below	Percent below	
	- 2 SD	-3 SD	- 2 SD	-3 SD	-2 SD	-3 SD	
Male	10.8	2.7	14.2	2.5	3.9	0.8	887
Female	7.1	1.9	11.6	1.3	2.6	0.6	779
Central	5.8	1.4	10.8	1.9	3.3	0.8	609
South Central	8.7	2.5	16.6	1.6	4.6	1.1	350
West	6.1	1.7	11.1	.8	3.9	0.2	228
East	7.4	.5	6.9	.9	1.0	0.2	207
South	20.4	6.0	19.4	3.9	2.9	0.7	272
Urban	6.2	1.3	10.8	1.4	3.3	0.6	816
Rural	11.9	3.3	15.1	2.4	3.3	0.8	849
< 6 months	2.5	.5	3.6	1.0	0.5	0.3	196
6-11 months	8.4	2.9	11.0	3.4	4.3	2.1	141
12-23 months	13.1	4.2	16.8	2.3	5.2	0.7	346
24-35 months	8.6	1.6	12.4	1.6	3.4	0.3	378
36-47 months	9.5	2.5	14.3	1.6	2.9	1.0	315
48-59 months	8.8	1.7	14.8	2.0	2.8	0.7	288
Mother's education							
None	15.5	4.5	15.1	3.7	3.3	0.9	211
Primary	13.2	2.4	16.2	2.2	3.2	0.7	444
Secondary +	5.9	1.8	11.2	1.4	3.4	0.7	1010
Total	9.1	2.3	13.0	1.9	3.3	0.7	1665