With the Sustainable Development Goals, countries have committed to ending malnutrition in all its forms by 2030. Consequently, there is growing global demand for country-specific information to track population-level nutritional status and its determinants including the coverage of key nutrition interventions.

Periodic population-based surveys form the backbone of most national nutrition information systems. Many countries and development partners are investing in strengthening administrative data systems for nutrition. However, data on the coverage of nutrition specific and sensitive interventions remain sparse. Clear evidence of demand for information is needed to justify modifying existing surveys and administrative data collection tools or introducing new data collection channels.

Identify which nutrition indicators and data sources are used by the global nutrition community and what information gaps remain.

We developed an online survey using Qualtrics that was disseminated through nutrition-focused listservs and professional networks. Respondents completed the survey using a unique anonymous link (n=235). Data were collected from July 16 to August 16, 2018.

Respondents were asked about their professional background, use of nutrition indicators in the previous year, sources of accessed data, unfilled nutrition data needs, data challenges they experienced, and how they used data in their work. We compared the data sources and use of specific indicators by geographic scope of the stakeholders (single versus multi-country). We calculated Pearson chi-squared statistics using Stata Version 14.0.

**Results**

The Demographic Health Surveys (DHS) are the most accessed source of country-specific nutrition data. Global nutrition stakeholders would like more frequent data collection and more data at the subnational level. Given the demand for intervention coverage and utilization indicators, further work is needed to identify the best ways to collect these data.

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