

TABLE 2. Average monthly salaries and benefits for select Ministry of Health and Family Welfare clinic staff

| Staff designation | Salary and benefits range* | Median level of salary and benefits† |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Gynecologist | 21,700–32,900 | 396 |
| General practitioner‡ | 16,100–26,842 | 302 |
| Anesthetist | 16,100–26,842 | 302 |
| Nurse | 12,300–21,700 | 238 |
| Paramedic family welfare visitor | 8,675–16,357 | 175 |
| Counselor | 8,675–16,357 | 175 |
| Lab technician | 9,980–19,142 | 159 |
| Ayah/cleaner | 6,850–10,884 | 125 |
| Ward boy | 6,850–10,884 | 125 |

*In Bangladesh Taka; US\$1=BDT69. †In U.S. dollars. ‡Individuals with a bachelor's degree in medicine and surgery. *Source:* Government of Bangladesh, *Bangladesh Gazette*, Dec. 2, 2009, Dhaka, Bangladesh: Government Press of Bangladesh, 2009, pp.7535–7538.