

**TABLE 3. Levels and trends in the proportion and number of women aged 15–49 receiving antenatal care from skilled health personnel at least once during pregnancy, 1990 and 2008**

Region	% receiving antenatal care			No. receiving antenatal care (in 000s)		
	1990	2008	Average annual change (%)	1990	2008	Average annual change (%)
Sub-Saharan Africa	67	76	0.7	15,000	24,000	2.5
Southern Asia	48	70	2.1	19,000	28,000	2.1
Southeastern Asia	72	93	1.4	8,700	10,000	0.9

*Notes:* See note in Table 1 for information on rounding. The number of women receiving antenatal care was estimated by multiplying the number of live births by the proportion of women receiving antenatal care. *Sources:* Births—reference 19; antenatal care—reference 25.