

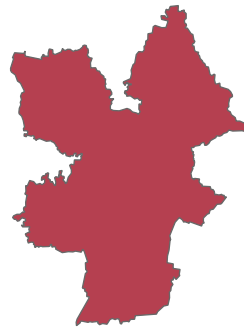
Ghatal (GEN)

West Bengal

No. of Electors (2019): 18,00,002

Intersecting Districts

Paschim Medinipur
Purbo Medinipur



What this Factsheet Contains

This Factsheet is based on our interactive **NFHS Policy Tracker for Parliamentary Constituencies (PCs)**—part of our **India Policy Insights** initiative. It provides performance measures for 93 indicators and a side-by-side comparison with national and state averages for each PC. It also shows the net change between 2016 and 2021 for 86 indicators to highlight performance gains and losses. The Factsheet additionally lists the intersecting districts for each PC and links each indicator to a current GOI program, thereby readily providing a policy and program context for its meaningful use. See: <https://geographicinsights.iq.harvard.edu/nfhs-tracker-pc>

Indicator Summary (2021)

Number of Indicators better than All-India average



Number of Indicators better than State average

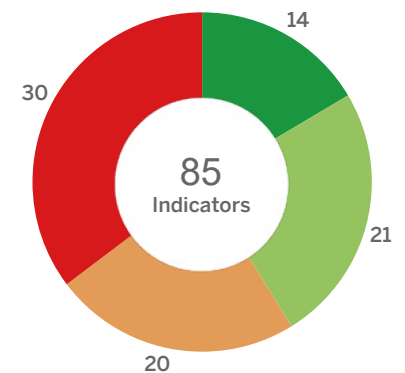


Indicator Change Summary (Between 2016 and 2021)

Ranking based on Percentage of Indicators showing Any Improvement (out of 543 PCs)



● Highest Improvement | ● Improvement | ● Worsened | ● Extremely Worsened



Top 15 Indicators showing Improvement

- Iron folic acid for 100 days
- Iron folic acid for 180 days
- Breastfed within one hour of birth
- Children with diarrhoea who received ORS
- Antenatal check-up in the first trimester
- Receiving solid/semi-solid food (6-8 months)
- Children with diarrhoea who received zinc
- Menstrual hygiene
- Children with diarrhoea taken to health facility
- Tobacco use (Men)
- BMI below normal (Women)
- 3 doses of penta or hepatitis B vaccine
- Improved sanitation
- Births by skilled health personnel
- In public facility

Top 15 Indicators showing Worsening

- Postnatal check by skilled health workers
- At least 4 antenatal care visits
- Anemia (Children)
- Anemia (Non-pregnant women)
- Any contraceptive method
- High or very high or taking medicine (Women)
- High or very high or taking medicine (Men)
- Anemia (All women)
- Full vaccination
- Vitamin A dose in the last 6 months
- Anemia (All adolescent women)
- Adolescent pregnancy
- Improved water
- Child marriage (Women)
- 3 doses of polio vaccine

For more details, see the complete listing of Improving or Worsening Indicators (pp. 2-4).