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Total population	1,367,254	Estimated dementia prevalence in GBD region	3.9%
% population over the age of 60	5%		
WHO region	AFR	Disability-adjusted life years due to dementia	available in 2018
World Bank income group	Lower middle income	Total deaths due to Alzheimer's and other dementias	available in 2018
Ministry with responsibility for dementia	Mental health		
Neurologists (per 100K population)	0.00	Long-term care facilities (per 100K population)	Data not available
Psycho-/Geriatricians (per 100K population)	0.00	Adult day centres (per 100K population)	0.0
Availability of dementia NGO	No	Outpatient social care centres (per 100K population)	0.0

Implementing dementia actions: current status

Dementia as a public health priority



• Existence of a dementia representative within the ministry	No	
• Existence of stand-alone or integrated dementia plan *	No	
• Dedicated financial resources to implement the dementia plan	Not applicable	
• Existence of legislation pertaining to the rights of people with dementia	No	
• Existence of government approved guidelines and standards for dementia care/support	No	

Dementia awareness & friendliness



• Existence of a public awareness-raising campaign for dementia (stigma and risk reduction) *	No	
• Existence of dementia-friendly social and physical environments *	No	
• Existence of dementia education/training for non-health care population groups *	Yes	

Dementia risk reduction



• Dementia risk reduction specifically mentioned in policies (either dementia-specific or NCD)	No	
• Available guidance for health and social care staff to manage dementia risk	Yes	
• Voluntary targets outlined in the NCD action plan ^(#) have been reached *	available in 2018	

Dementia diagnosis, treatment, care and support



• Diagnostic rate for dementia *	Data not available	
• Availability of community-based services for dementia	Yes	
• Overall access to community-based services	Capital and main cities only	
• Available mechanisms for dementia care coordination across sectors	No	
• Basic dementia competencies included in curricula for health/social workforce ^(§)	Some	

Support for carers of people with dementia



• Existence of dementia carer support services *	Yes	
• Available guidance for health/social care staff to identify and reduce carer stress	Yes	
• Existence of financial benefits/social protection for dementia carers	No	

Health information systems for dementia



• Number of people with dementia is routinely monitored	Yes	
• Availability and scope of dementia reporting	Data not available	

Dementia research and innovation



• Existence of stand-alone or integrated research agenda for dementia	No	
• Government research investment per year (in local currency)	No	
• Dementia research output (measured in publications in Medline) in 2016 *	0	
• Involvement of people with dementia in the research process ^	Not at All	
• Availability of investigational pharmacological trials for dementia	Data not available	

Legend: * : Indicator used to measure country's contribution towards reaching global targets of the Global Action Plan on the Public Health Response to Dementia 2017-2025.

: Global Action Plan for the Prevention and Control of Noncommunicable Diseases 2013-2020; § : included for none / some / most / all, ^ : not at all / rarely / sometimes / frequently