

# EPI Country Report

## Nicaragua, 2020



### Demographics and socioeconomic

Total Population (in 1000) (2020)	6,624.55
Population <1 year of age (in 1000) (2020)	129.35
Population 1 year of age (in 1000) (2020)	130.71
Population <5 years of age (in 1000) (2020)	656.94
Women of childbearing age (in 1000) (2020)	5,541.80
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1000 live births) (2018)*	12.2
Gross national income (US\$ per capita) current value (2020)	1,850.0
National Health Expenditure Public (2018)	5.1
National Health Expenditure Private (2018)	3.0

\* preliminary data

### Immunization system highlights

- There is a comprehensive multi-year plan for immunization covering 2020-2021.
- A standing national technical advisory group on immunization (NITAG) with formal written terms of reference exists. The group met 2 times in 2020.
- 89% of spending on routine immunization is financed using government funds.
- 89% of spending on vaccine purchases is financed using government funds.
- A national nominal electronic immunization registry implementation is in progress.

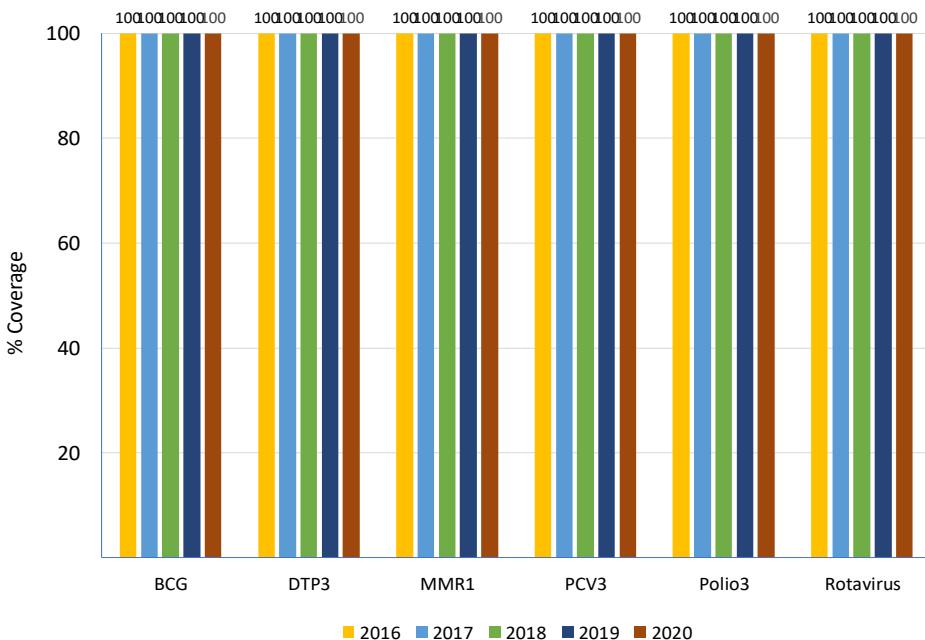
### Vaccine Introduction

	Year
Bacterial Meningitis	
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b	1999
Hepatitis B	1999
HPV	
Influenza	2007
MMR1	1998
MMR2	2017
Pentavalent	1999
Pneumococcal Conjugate	2010
Rotavirus	2006
Tdap	
Tetraivalent DPT-Hib or DPT-HepB	
Yellow Fever	

### Immunization Schedule

NIC	Doses					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
BCG	B					
HepB pediatric						
DTP-Hib						
DTP-Hib-HepB	M2		M4	M6		
DTP-Hib-IPV						
DTP-Hib-HepB-IPV						
DTP				M18	Y6	
Influenza pediatric						
IPV	M2					
OPV		M4	M6			
MMR	M12	M18				
Pneumoco conjugate	M2	M4	M6			
Rotavirus	M2	M4				
Td		Y10	Y20			
TdaP						
HPV						

### Vaccination Coverage



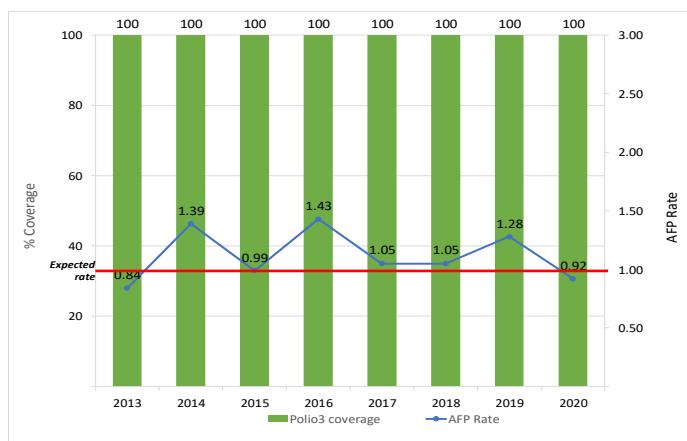
### Surveillance indicators

Acute flaccid paralysis (AFP)		2020
Number of AFP suspected cases		18
AFP rate per 100,000 population <15 years old		0.92
% of cases with 1 adequate samples		78
% of cases investigated within <48 hours		89
% sites reporting		100

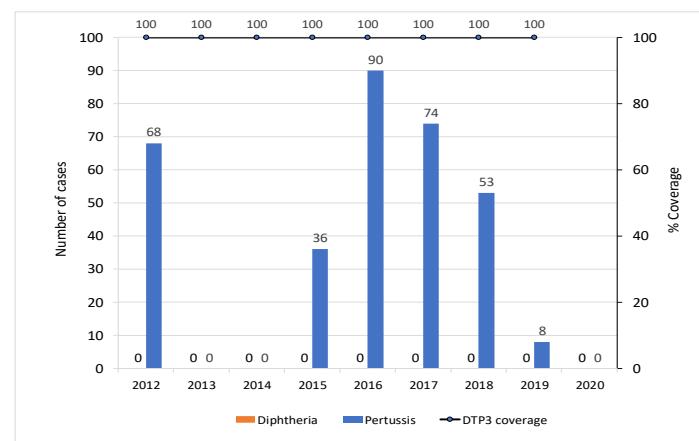
Measles-rubella (MR)		2020
Number of MR suspected cases		125
% of cases with adequate investigation		95
% of cases with adequate blood samples		97
% of samples received in laboratory <=5 days		94
% of laboratory samples results <=4 days		97



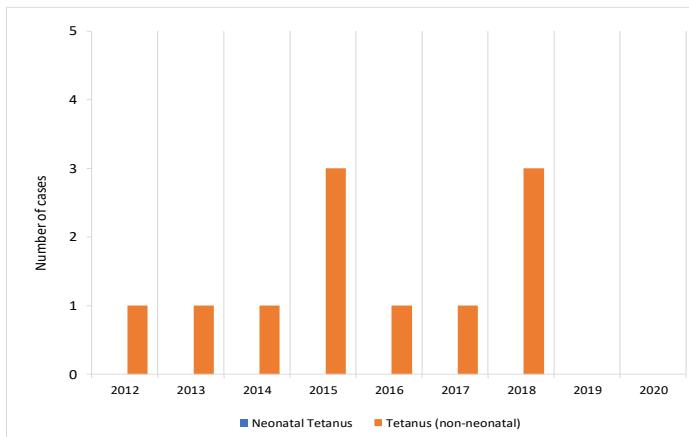
### Polio3 coverage and AFP rate per 100,000 children <15 years of age



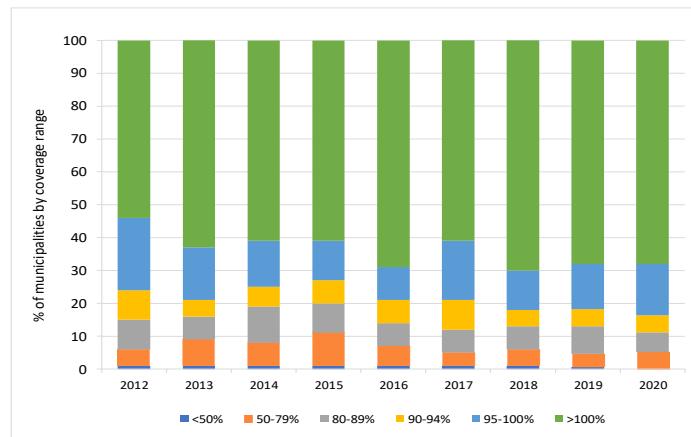
### DTP3 coverage and number of reported diphtheria and pertussis cases



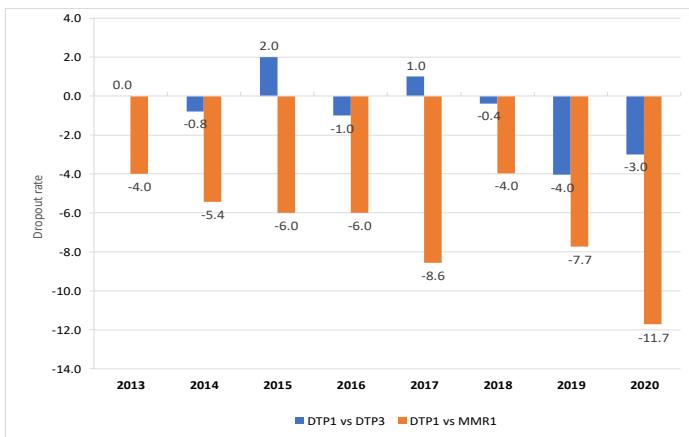
### Number of tetanus (no neonatal) and neonatal tetanus cases



### Proportion of municipalities by coverage range with DTP3 in children <1 years of age



### DTP1-DTP3 and DTP1-MMR1 Dropout Rate



Legend	
NB/nb-newborn	● with stockout
M/m -month	● no stockout
Y/y-year	● no data available
WCBA-women of childbearing age	

### Vaccine Stockout

