

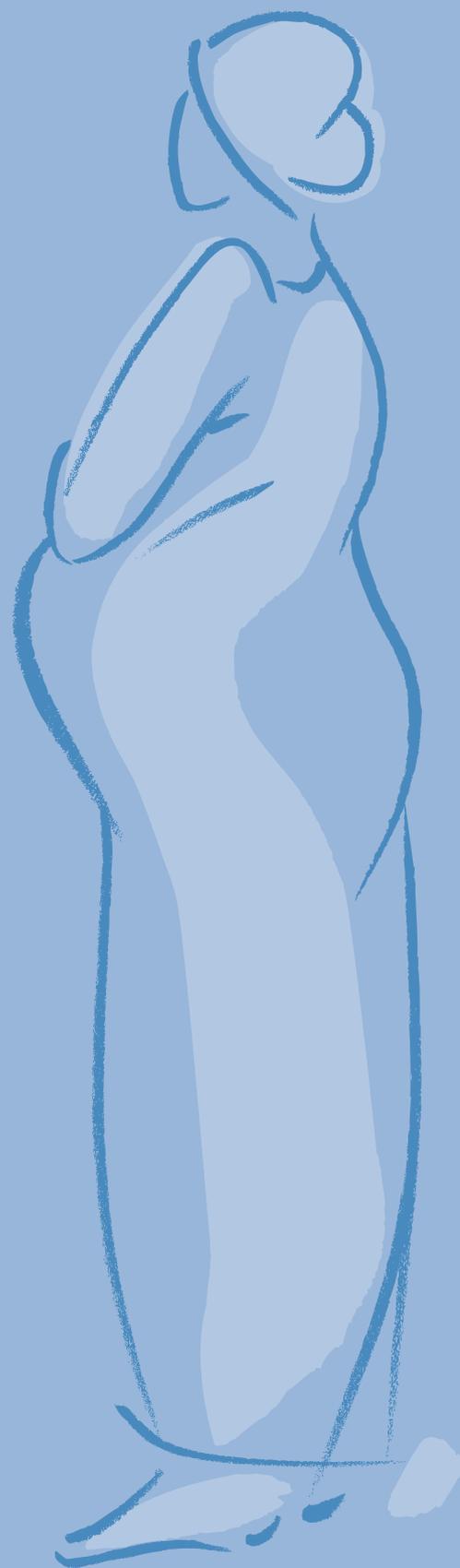
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AMDF	AIDS adjusted PMDF
CEMD	Confidential Enquiry into Maternal Deaths
DHS	Demographic and Health Surveys
GDP	gross domestic product per capita based on purchasing power parity conversion
GFR	general fertility rate
HDI	Human Development Index
HIV/AIDS	human immunodeficiency virus/acquired immunodeficiency syndrome
ICD-10	International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems (10th Revision)
MDG	Millennium Development Goal
MMEIG	Maternal Mortality Estimation Inter-Agency Group
MMR	maternal mortality ratio
MMRate	maternal mortality rate
PMDF	proportion maternal among deaths of females of reproductive age
PPP	purchasing power parity
RAMOS	reproductive-age mortality studies
SAB	skilled attendant at birth as a proportion of total live births
TAG	Technical Advisory Group
TFR	total fertility rate
UNAIDS	The Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS
UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund
UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund
UNPD	United Nations Population Division
WHO	World Health Organization

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