



Health & Nutrition / APP - Nutrition Status of Women

Table 279.1: Nutritional Status of women

Local Government Area	Height - Percentage below 145 cm	Mean BMI	BMI 18.5-24.9 (total normal)	BMI < 18.5 (total thin)	BMI 17.0-18.4 (mildly thin)	BMI < 17 (moder- ately and severely thin)	BMI ≥25.0 (total over- weight or obese)	BMI 25.0-29.9 (over- weight)	BMI ≥30.0 (obese)
Banjul	0.5	24.4	47.9	12.0	7.6	4.4	40.1	23.9	16.2
Kanifing	0.0	24.1	55.3	10.9	7.2	3.7	33.7	21.3	12.4
Brikama	0.0	22.5	62.2	16.5	12.3	4.2	21.3	13.4	7.9
Mansakonko	0.4	21.6	60.7	21.5	14.3	7.2	17.8	14.1	3.7
Kerewan	0.8	21.4	63.0	21.4	13.4	8.0	15.6	11.7	3.9
Kuntaur	1.2	21.5	66.2	18.8	11.7	7.1	15.0	11.6	3.4
Janjanbureh	0.3	21.8	56.4	23.8	15.4	8.4	19.8	14.5	5.2
Basse	0.2	21.6	67.1	17.2	11.7	5.5	15.7	13.6	2.1

Source: DHS 2013