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Determinants' of Maternal Health Care Services Utilization in Syria, (2001-2009).

The objectives of the study is to examine the demographic and socio-economic determinants of maternal health care services utilization and major factors that influence such utilization among ever married women in reproductive age 15-49 years.

For more specifically the study is met the following objectives:

- To examine the most recent utilization levels and trends of maternal health care services available for ever married women in reproductive age 15-49 years in Syria.
- To examine the pattern and differentials of Utilization of Maternal health care services provided to ever married women in reproductive age in terms of antenatal care, medical assistance at child birth, place of delivery and postnatal car.
- To identify demographic and socio-economic determinants of maternal health care services utilization in Syria.

This study relied on primary data obtained from the Syria Household and Health Surveys in 2001 and 2009 and The Syrian Family and Health Survey (SFHS 2009).

The study used the following techniques: Descriptive Approach, Testing Hypotheses and Multivariate Technique.