
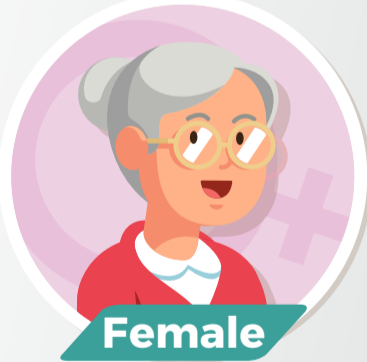


Life EXPECTANCY at Birth



Life Expectancy at Birth was 1.6 years higher than a decade ago but slightly lower than in 2019 before the COVID-19 pandemic



Life expectancy at birth (Years)	2011	2019	2021
 Male	79.5	81.4	81.1
 Female	84.1	85.9	85.9

*Data pertain to the life expectancy at birth of the resident population (i.e. Singapore citizen and permanent residents).
Note: Data for 2021 are preliminary and have been affected by higher mortality rates due to the COVID-19 pandemic. It may not be representative of the number of years that individuals can expect to live if mortality rates were to return to pre-pandemic levels.*

Life expectancy at birth is defined as the average number of years a new-born baby might expect to live, if he or she were to experience the age-specific mortality rates of the reference period throughout his or her life.

