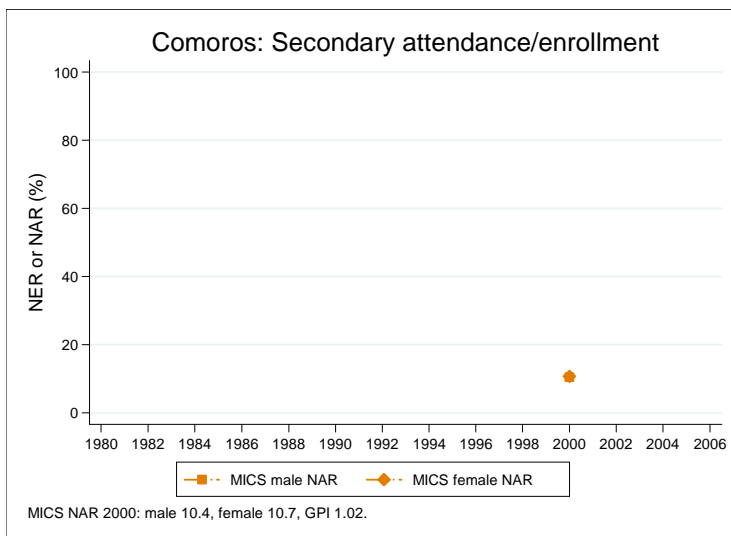
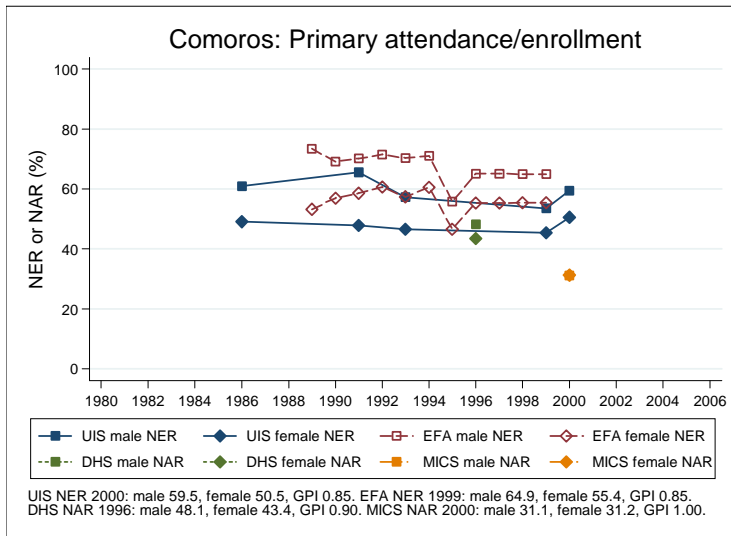
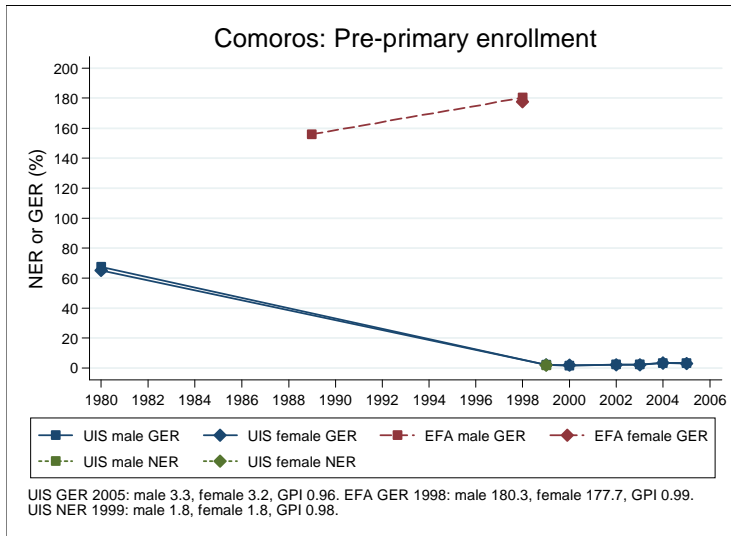
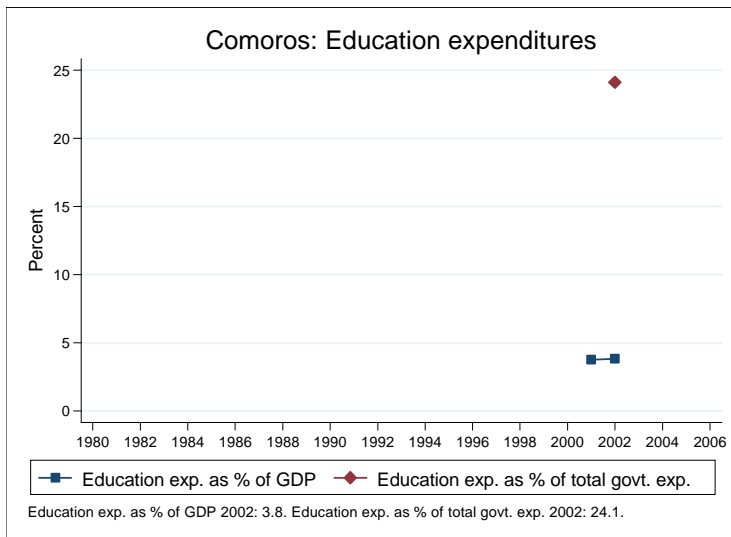
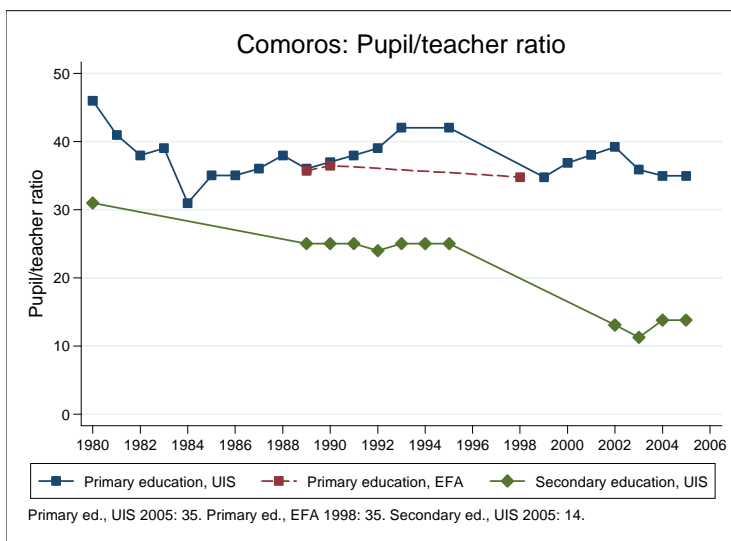
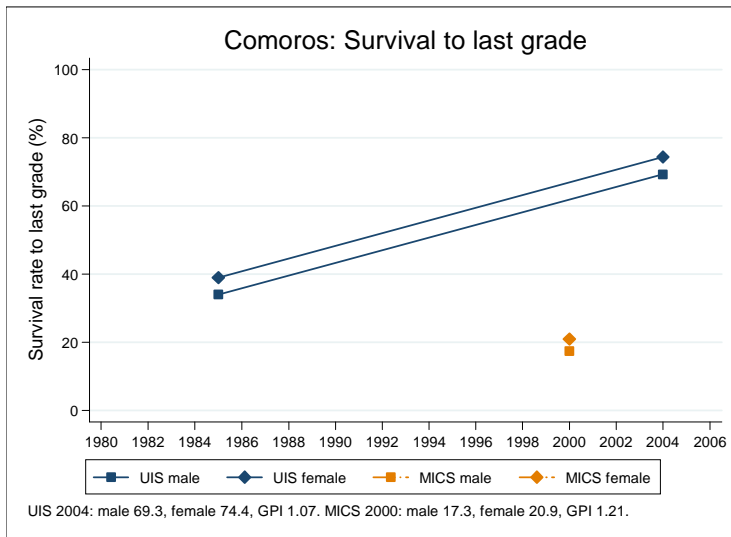


Education statistics: Comoros

UNICEF, Division of Policy and Practice, Statistics and Monitoring Section, www.childinfo.org, May 2008





Administrative data: UNESCO Institute for Statistics

Comoros

Population (1,000)	Total	Male	Female
Preschool age, 2006	73	37	36
Primary school age, 2006	128	65	63
Secondary school age, 2006	125	63	62
Total population, all ages, 2007	839	421	418
Official school age (years)	Entrance age	Graduation age	Duration
Preschool, 2005	3	5	3
Primary school, 2005	6	11	6
Secondary school, 2005	12	18	7
Compulsory education, 2005	6	13	8
Net enrolment ratio (%)	Total	Male	Female
Preschool NER, 1999	1.8	1.8	1.8
Primary school NER, 2000	55.1	59.5	50.5
Secondary school NER			
Gross enrolment ratio (%)	Total	Male	Female
Preschool GER, 2005	3.3	3.3	3.2
Primary school GER, 2005	85.4	90.7	79.9
Secondary school GER, 2005	35.1	40.0	30.2
Entrance and transition (%)	Total	Male	Female
Primary net intake rate, 1999	15.5	18.2	12.8
Primary gross intake rate, 2005	70.0	74.0	65.9
Primary entrants with ECCE			
Transition rate primary-secondary, 2004	63.2	70.3	55.1
Repetition and completion	Total	Male	Female
Primary repetition rate (%), 2005	27.1	28.2	25.9
Secondary repetition rate (%), 2005	16.4	15.4	17.7
Survival rate to grade 5 (%), 2004	80.3	79.5	81.2
Survival rate to last primary grade (%), 2004	71.7	69.3	74.4
Primary completion rate (%), 2005	50.5	51.8	49.1
School life expectancy (years), 2005	7.9	8.6	7.2
Teaching staff	Pupil/teacher ratio	% trained teachers	% female teachers
Preschool, 2000	25.9		94.0
Primary school, 2005	35.0		32.9
Secondary school, 2005	13.8	51.2	13.0
Public expenditure per student as % of GDP per capita			
Primary school, 2002	9.3		
Secondary school, 2002	25.4		
Total public expenditure on education			
As % of GDP, 2002	3.8		
As % of total government expenditure, 2002	24.1		

Data sources:

Population: United Nations Population Division, *World Population Prospects: The 2006 Revision*, March 2007.

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Survey data: Comoros 2000 MICS

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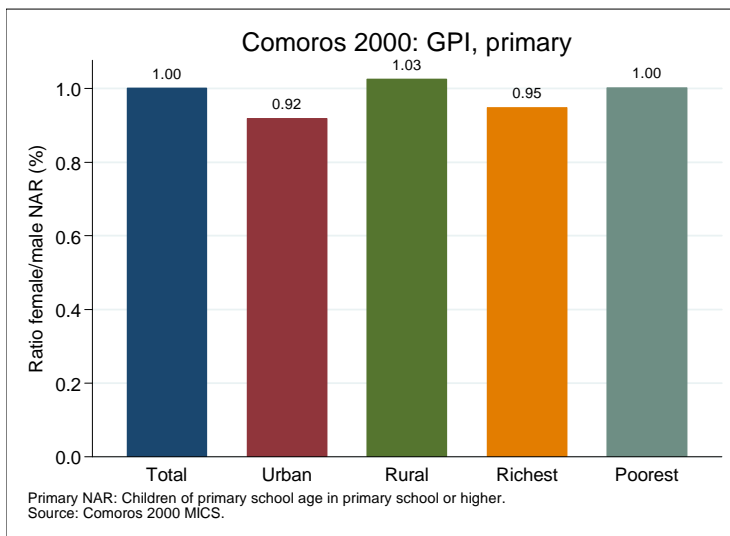
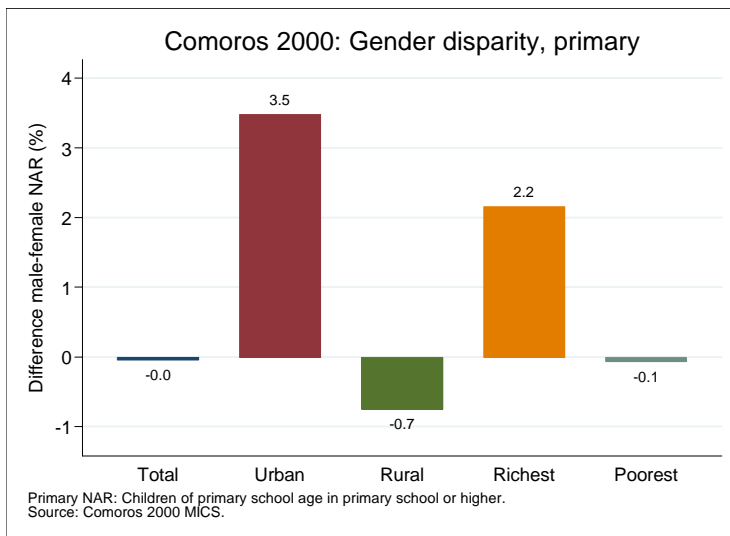
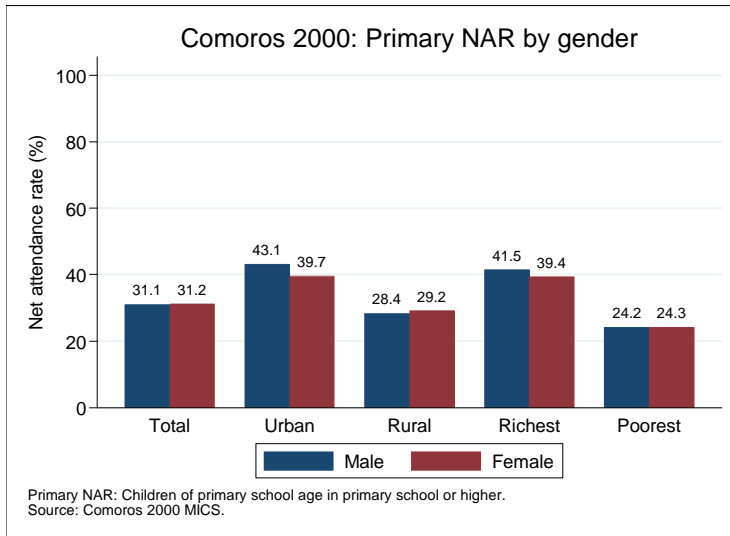
Net attendance rate (%)	Total	Male	Female	Urban	Rural	Richest	Poorest
Primary school NAR	31.1	31.1	31.2	41.4	28.8	40.5	24.2
Secondary school NAR	10.6	10.4	10.7	19.2	8.2	17.5	6.5
Gross attendance rate (%)	Total	Male	Female	Urban	Rural	Richest	Poorest
Primary school GAR	54.6	53.0	56.3	69.3	51.2	72.1	43.1
Secondary school GAR	11.1	10.9	11.1	20.3	8.5	18.4	7.2
Primary age in school (%)	Total	Male	Female	Urban	Rural	Richest	Poorest
Primary school	30.8	30.8	30.7	40.4	28.5	39.7	23.7
Secondary school	0.4	0.3	0.4	1.0	0.2	0.8	0.6
Preschool	9.7	10.0	9.4	6.1	10.6	12.5	7.9
Non-formal education	0.9	1.1	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.2	0.3
Secondary age in school (%)	Total	Male	Female	Urban	Rural	Richest	Poorest
Secondary school	10.6	10.4	10.7	19.2	8.2	17.5	6.5
Higher education							
Primary school	28.1	28.7	27.6	28.8	27.9	31.5	25.3
Preschool	8.4	9.4	7.6	4.2	9.6	9.9	6.0
Non-formal education	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.4
Entrance and transition (%)	Total	Male	Female	Urban	Rural	Richest	Poorest
Primary net intake rate	5.3	4.8	5.8	9.5	4.4	10.8	1.3
Primary gross intake rate	21.9	25.4	18.6	20.6	22.2	33.1	15.1
Primary entrants with ECCE	31.3	25.0	39.2	48.2	27.6	41.8	37.0
Transition rate prim.-sec.	37.6	38.5	36.8	40.5	35.9	43.7	30.2
Repetition and completion (%)	Total	Male	Female	Urban	Rural	Richest	Poorest
Primary repetition rate	27.2	26.8	27.7	25.7	27.8	25.2	29.8
Primary dropout rate	17.1	18.3	15.8	20.7	15.9	18.4	14.6
Secondary repetition rate	21.4	22.2	20.8	21.6	21.3	22.8	10.0
Secondary dropout rate	14.7	16.9	12.9	16.8	13.3	15.4	15.6
Survival rate to grade 5	25.4	23.0	28.2	18.5	28.0	20.6	29.7
Survival rate to last prim. grade	18.9	17.3	20.9	13.0	21.4	15.2	28.0

Primary school NAR: children of primary school age in primary school or higher.

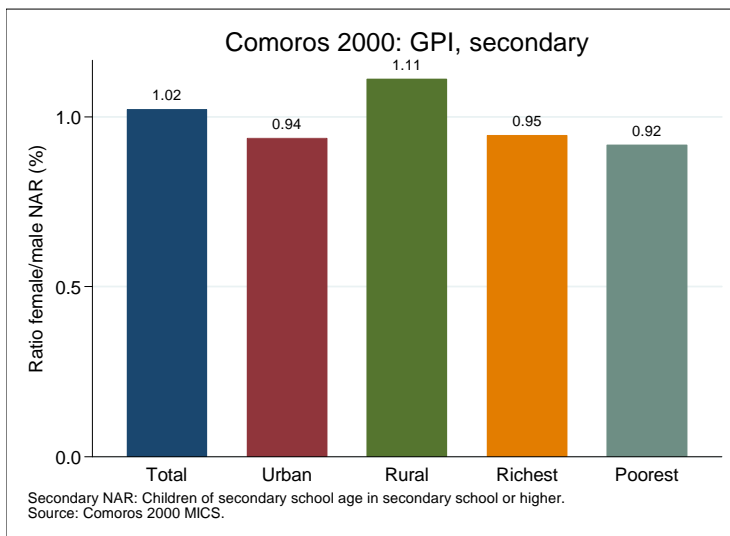
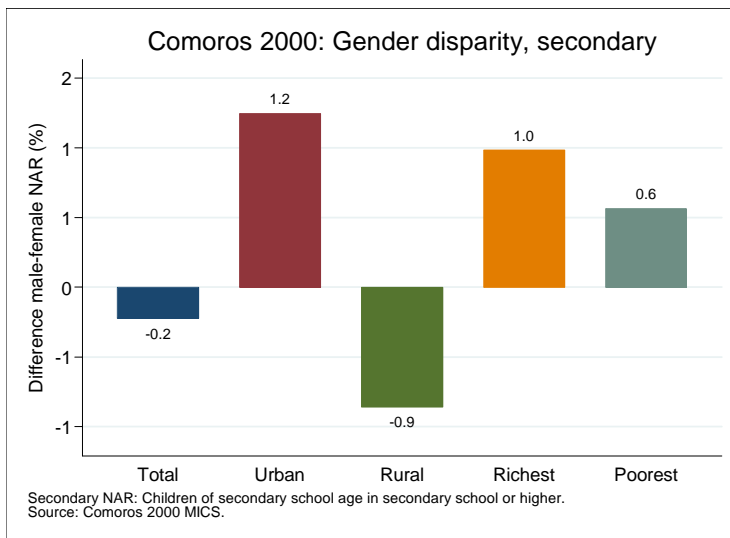
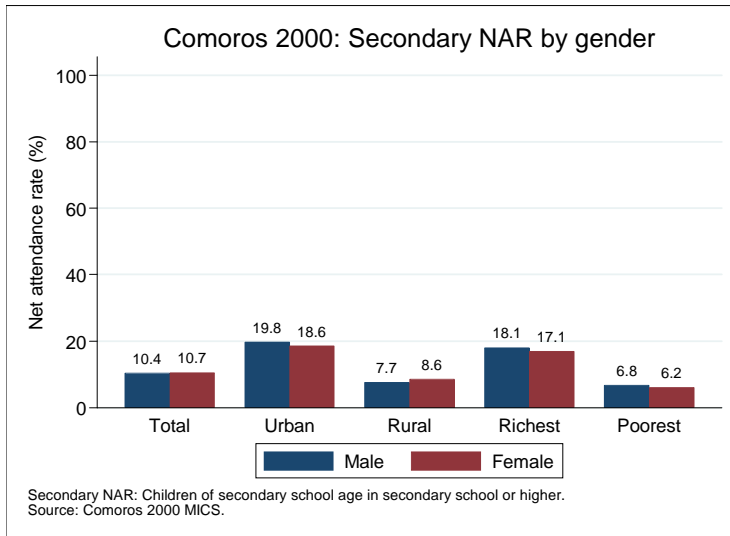
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Gender disparity in primary school (survey data)



Gender disparity in secondary school (survey data)



Projections to 2015

