

Unit 3

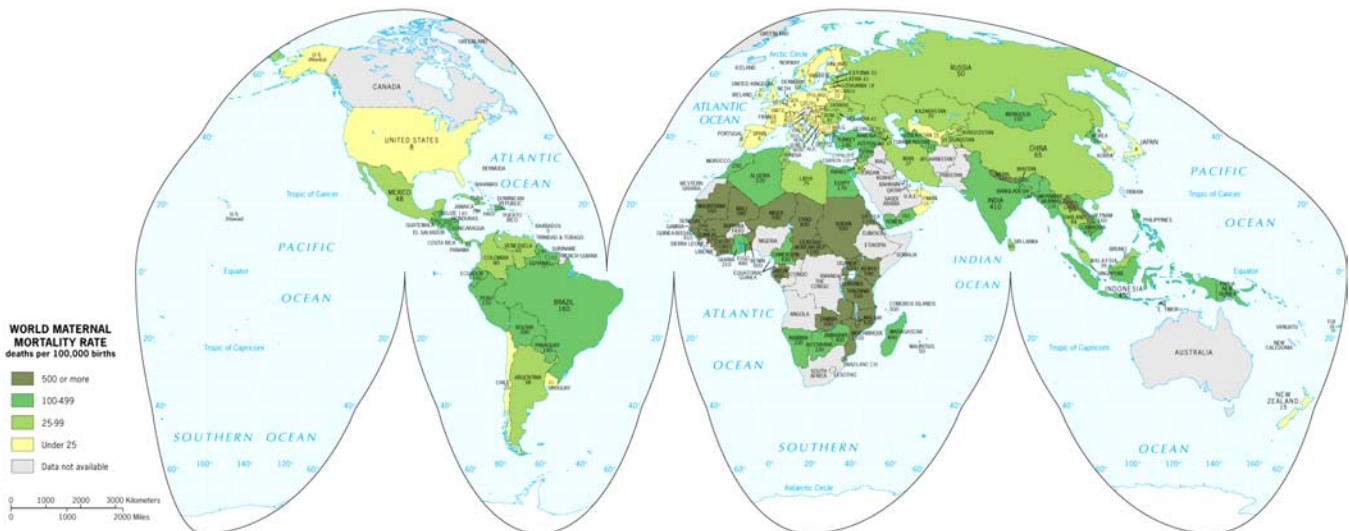
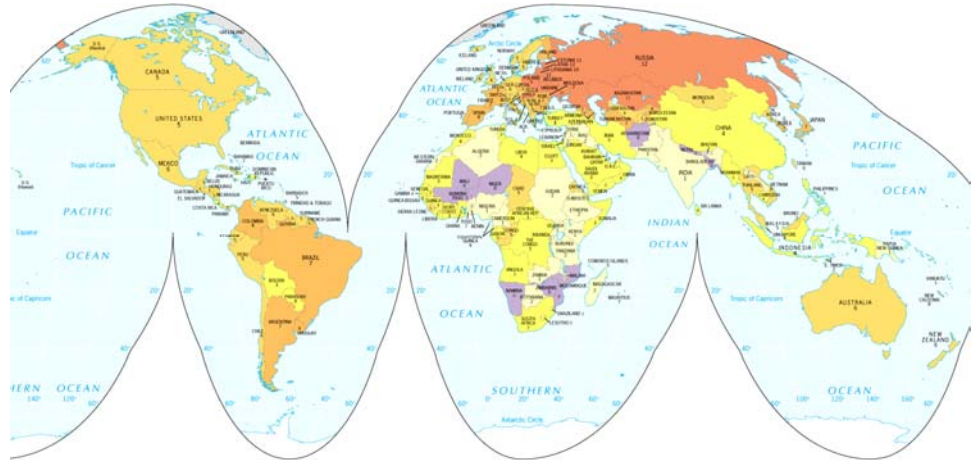
Gender Issues

Cultural Geography

The following information corresponds to Chapter 32 in your textbook. Fill in the blanks to complete the definition or sentence. Note: All of the following information in addition to your reading is important, not just the blanks you fill in.

Demography and Health

- In the economic core, the _____ widened from 5 years to 7 years between 1950 - 2000.
- Women are less inclined to adopt _____ habits often associated with affluence: smoking, drinking, over-eating, dangerous behavior, and high _____ (however, this last trend may reverse as women continue to move into the workplace).
- Women outlive men in all but 9 countries; 3 in _____ (e.g. Afghanistan), 3 in _____ (e.g. Niger), and 3 in _____ (e.g. Zimbabwe) – the lower life expectancies for women in the African states may be largely attributed to the _____ pandemic.

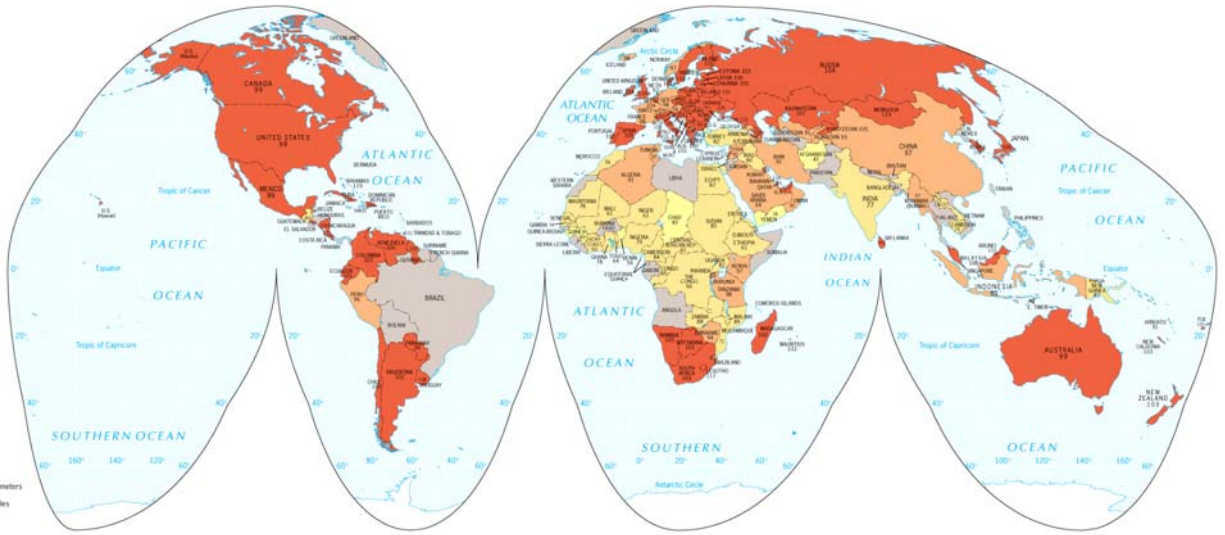


- Life expectancy does not accurately reflect women's _____ of life; women in poorer realms (the periphery) who become pregnant may face health risks 80 to _____ times greater than in richer ones.
- The world's highest _____ are in the regions of Sub-Saharan Africa and South Asia; leading causes are inadequate _____ services, an excessive number of _____ and _____ (especially due to a lack of iron in their diets).
- Another disturbing practice that still occurs today is female _____, especially problematic in countries like India (where 300,000 more girls than boys die each year) and in China (due to the lasting effects of the one-child policy).
- In India, this practice is most common in the _____ sectors; in China, the _____.

WOMEN'S EDUCATION AS A RATIO TO MEN'S

- Greater than 98%
- 90-98%
- 60-89%
- Less than 60%
- Data not available

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WOMEN'S ENFRANCHISEMENT

Year of enfranchisement

- 1930 and earlier
- 1931-1950
- 1951-1970
- 1971 and later
- Data not available

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