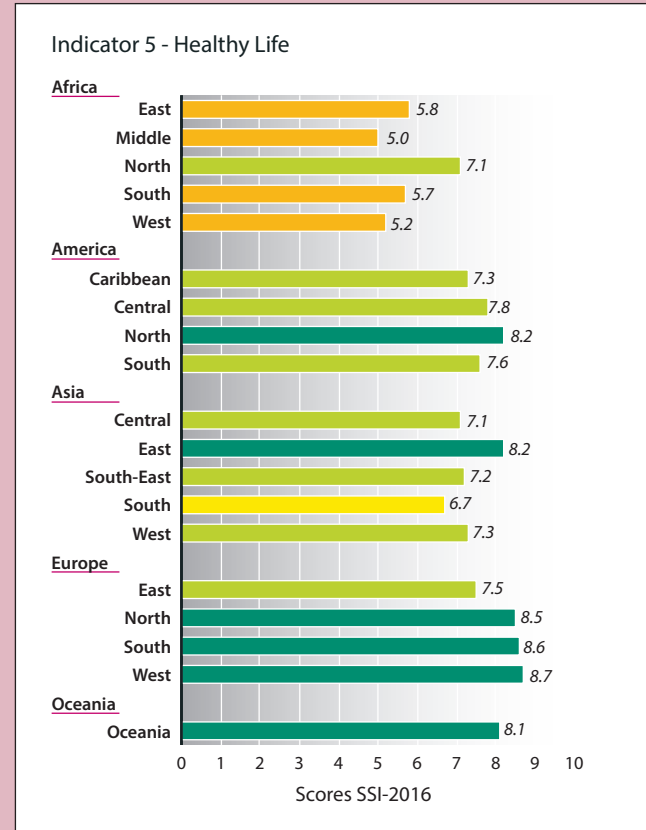
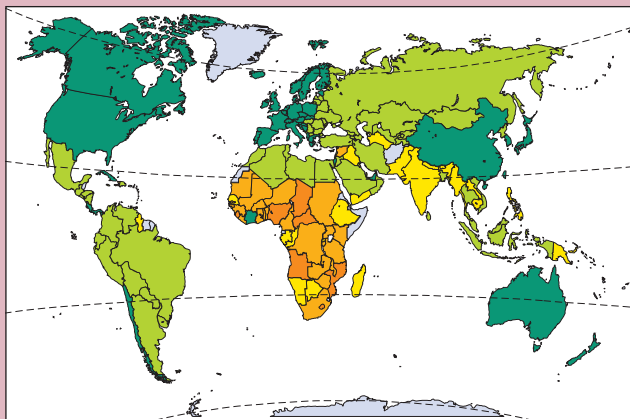


*Indicator:* life expectancy at birth in number of healthy life years  
*Source:* World Bank  
*Year of data:* 2015  
*Target:* The actual maximum



Commonly, life expectancy at birth is used as a measure for the level of a country's health care. However, WHO has refined this measure in 2002, resulting in the Health Adjusted Life Expectancy (HALE). This is the number of years that a newborn is expected to live minus the number of years spent in poor health. HALE thus not only takes into account the average number of years people are living, but also their health.

Healthy Life (healthy life years)					
Top 10			Bottom 10		
Rank	Country		Rank	Country	
1	Japan	74.9	145	Malawi	51.2
2	Singapore	73.9	146	Mali	51.1
3	Korea, South	73.2	147	Cameroon	50.3
4	Taiwan	73.2	148	Mozambique	49.6
5	Switzerland	73.1	149	Nigeria	47.7
6	Israel	72.8	150	Lesotho	46.6
7	Italy	72.8	151	Chad	46.1
8	Iceland	72.7	152	Centr. Afr. Rep.	45.9
9	France	72.6	153	Angola	45.9
10	Spain	72.4	154	Sierra Leone	44.4

