# Mauritius



## Country report card - under-5s

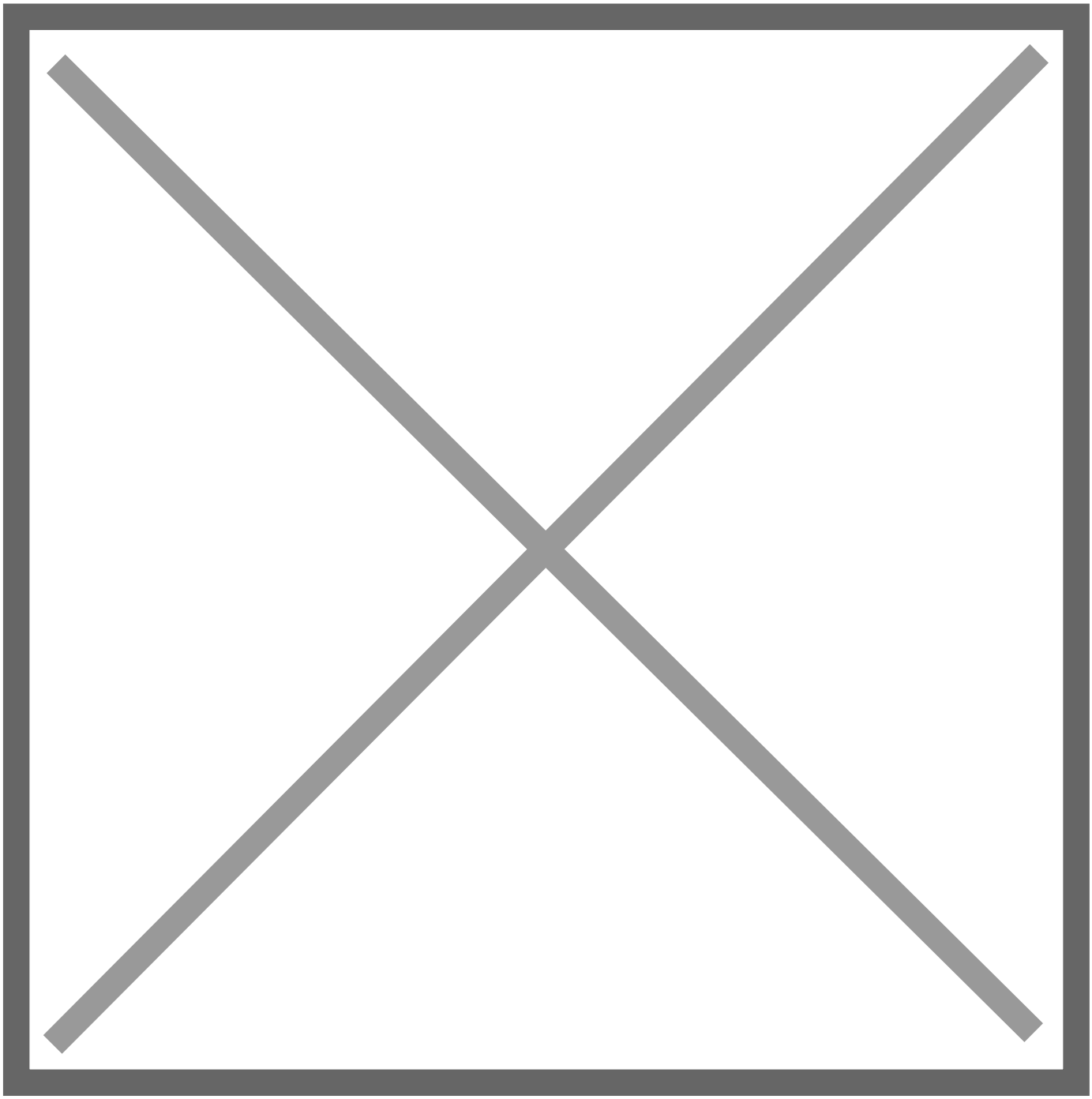
*This report card contains the latest data available on the Global Obesity Observatory on overweight and obesity for children under 5. Where available, data on common and relevant obesity drivers and comorbidities are also presented.*

*View the latest version of this report on the Global Obesity Observatory at https://data.worldobesity.org/country/mauritius-137/.*

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## Obesity prevalence

## 0-5 years, 1995



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| **Age:** | 0-5 |
| **Sample size:** | 1537 |
| **References:** | NNS: A survey on nutrition in Mauritius and Rodrigues, 1995. Port Louis, Mauritius, 1996 |
| **Notes:** | UNICEF/WHO/World Bank Joint Child Malnutrition Estimates Expanded Database: Overweight (Survey Estimates), May 2023, New York. For more information about the methodology, please consult https://data.unicef.org/resources/jme-2023-country-consultations/ Percentage of children under 5 years of age falling above 2 standard deviations (moderate and severe) from the median weight-for-height of the reference population. |

| **Definitions:** | =>+2SD |
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## Overweight/obesity by ethnicity

*Ethnic groups are as defined by publication of origin and are not as defined by WOF. In some instances ethnicity is conflated with nationality and/or race.*

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