On November 19, 1999 International Men's Day (IMD) was inaugurated in Trinidad and Tobago. It is an annual international event focusing on men's and boy's health, improving gender relations, promoting gender equality, and highlighting positive male role models. It is an occasion to highlight discrimination against men and boys and to celebrate their achievements and contributions, in particular for their contributions to community, family, marriage, and child care. International Men's Day is celebrated in over 60 countries of the world and finds support from a variety of individuals and groups in Australia, the Caribbean, North America, Asia, Europe, Africa, and the United Nations.

- As of the end of September 2014 the total male population in Aruba is estimated at 50,777.
- At birth a baby boy can expect to live on average 73.88 years of which he can expect to live an average of 63.25 years in good health and 10.63 years in poorer health.

Table 1. Total population by age and sex

|  | End of year |  |  | $3^{\text {rd }}$ Q 2014 |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Index } \\ (2010=100) \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | Male | Female | Total |  |
| 0-4 yrs. | 6,260 | 6,111 | 6,042 | 3,056 | 2,947 | 6,003 | -7.82 |
| 5-9 yrs. | 6,995 | 7,006 | 7,006 | 3,596 | 3,382 | 6,977 | -0.93 |
| 10-14 yrs. | 7,561 | 7,491 | 7,398 | 3,677 | 3,566 | 7,243 | -3.46 |
| 15-19 yrs. | 7,556 | 7,660 | 7,572 | 3,803 | 3,669 | 7,471 | 2.30 |
| 20-24 yrs. | 5,572 | 5,884 | 6,288 | 3,249 | 3,063 | 6,312 | 19.53 |
| 25-29 yrs. | 5,611 | 5,695 | 5,842 | 2,893 | 3,077 | 5,970 | 8.95 |
| 30-34 yrs. | 6,539 | 6,571 | 6,607 | 3,043 | 3,567 | 6,610 | 3.15 |
| 35-39 yrs. | 7,179 | 7,083 | 7,136 | 3,242 | 3,910 | 7,153 | -4.30 |
| 40-44 yrs. | 8,499 | 8,513 | 8,399 | 3,805 | 4,442 | 8,248 | -0.17 |
| 45-49 yrs. | 9,066 | 8,948 | 8,793 | 3,978 | 4,702 | 8,679 | -6.11 |
| 50-54 yrs. | 8,790 | 9,044 | 9,252 | 4,351 | 5,024 | 9,374 | 11.48 |
| 55-59 yrs. | 7,232 | 7,515 | 7,889 | 3,710 | 4,378 | 8,088 | 17.29 |
| 60-64 yrs. | 5,482 | 5,880 | 6,186 | 2,988 | 3,447 | 6,435 | 25.30 |
| 65-69 yrs. | 4,016 | 4,262 | 4,533 | 2,085 | 2,604 | 4,689 | 25.36 |
| 70-74 yrs. | 3,009 | 3,106 | 3,190 | 1,445 | 1,826 | 3,271 | 11.48 |
| 75-79 yrs. | 2,121 | 2,198 | 2,310 | 975 | 1,431 | 2,406 | 21.78 |
| 80-84 yrs. | 1,219 | 1,376 | 1,417 | 560 | 910 | 1,470 | 34.25 |
| 85-89 yrs. | 511 | 511 | 620 | 228 | 435 | 663 | 33.01 |
| 90-94 yrs. | 208 | 220 | 229 | 73 | 165 | 238 | 9.79 |
| 95+ yrs. | 80 | 81 | 88 | 20 | 73 | 93 | 25.71 |
| Total | 103,504 | 105,157 | 106,795 | 50,777 | 56,617 | 107,394 | 5.82 |
| Source: 2010 Census and the Population Registry Office |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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Men are expected to live
$\because$ - 0 years
less than women

There are

## 90

men for every 100 women

There are
84.5
men aged 14 plus years with a bachelor's degree for every 100 women aged 14 plus years with a bachelor's degree

## According to the STEPS 2006


of men was obese

- During the 2010 Census a total of 433 single father households, regardless of the age of the children, were counted, .
- 613 children aged 0 through 17 years indicated that only their father was present in the household.
- On the other hand 12,983 children between 0 and 17 years indicated living with both their mother and father.
- School participation rate for boys was around 98 percent up until the age of 17 years where the participation rate dropped to 86.4 percent. At age 18 and 19, participation rates dropped even further to respectively 71.8 percent and 56.3 percent.
- Of the total male population not attending school 14 years of age and over, 11.8 percent had a bachelor's degree (HBO diploma) or higher.
- Where the health of men was concerned, the results of the STEPS Aruba 2006 showed that the prevalence of raised blood pressure, high triglycerides, and overweight and obesity were significantly higher in men than in women.
- The prevalence of overweight and obesity was significantly higher in men between 35 and 44 years of age, compared to women in the same age category.

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Table 2. Live births by age of mother

|  | End of year |  | YTD |  |  | $3^{\text {rd }}$ Q 2014 |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 2012 | 2013 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | Male | Female | Total |
| $<\mathbf{1 5}$ yrs. | 2 | 4 | 2 | 4 | - | - | - | - |
| $15-19$ yrs. | 135 | 126 | 94 | 96 | 87 | 13 | 18 | 31 |
| $20-24$ yrs. | 278 | 292 | 205 | 211 | 220 | 43 | 29 | 72 |
| $25-29$ yrs. | 268 | 281 | 188 | 192 | 217 | 41 | 26 | 67 |
| $30-34$ yrs. | 247 | 251 | 179 | 182 | 227 | 39 | 38 | 77 |
| $35-39$ yrs. | 152 | 169 | 122 | 130 | 103 | 15 | 16 | 31 |
| $40-44$ yrs. | 54 | 29 | 37 | 26 | 29 | 6 | 3 | 9 |
| $45-49$ yrs. | 3 | 2 | 3 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| $50+$ yrs. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Not reported | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | 1,140 | 1,154 | 830 | 842 | 883 | 157 | 130 | 287 |
| Source: Population Registry Office |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 3. Deaths by age and sex

|  | End of |  |  | TD |  |  | Q 2014 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2012 | 2013 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | Male | Female | Total |
| < 1 yrs. | 3 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 1 | - | 1 |
| 1-49 yrs. | 69 | 46 | 45 | 39 | 34 | 6 | 2 | 8 |
| 50-59 yrs. | 67 | 66 | 45 | 57 | 49 | 13 | 6 | 19 |
| 60-69 yrs. | 113 | 107 | 85 | 79 | 82 | 20 | 13 | 33 |
| 70-79 yrs. | 147 | 154 | 110 | 113 | 118 | 28 | 16 | 44 |
| 80-89 yrs. | 133 | 127 | 98 | 96 | 114 | 25 | 15 | 40 |
| 90+ yrs. | 63 | 55 | 44 | 45 | 43 | - | 17 | 17 |
| Total | 595 | 560 | 429 | 433 | 444 | 93 | 69 | 162 |
| Source: Population Registry Office |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 4. Domiciliation by nationality and place of birth

|  | End of year |  | YTD |  |  | $3^{\text {rd }}$ Q 2014 |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 2012 | 2013 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | Male | Female | Total |  |
| Dutch born in Aruba/N.A. | 943 | 926 | 711 | 709 | 541 | 95 | 113 | 208 |  |
| Dutch born in the Neth. | 626 | 694 | 518 | 566 | 440 | 132 | 121 | 253 |  |
| Dutch born elsewhere | 206 | 237 | 142 | 192 | 161 | 32 | 28 | 60 |  |
| Foreign-born | 1,447 | 1,415 | 1,122 | 1,039 | 925 | 146 | 151 | 297 |  |
| Unknown | 61 | 63 | 38 | 51 | 25 | 2 | 5 | 7 |  |
| Total | 3,283 | 3,335 | 2,531 | 2,557 | 2,092 | 407 | 418 | 825 |  |
| Source: Population Registry Office |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 5. Departures by nationality and place of birth

|  | End of year |  | YTD |  |  | $3^{\text {rd }}$ Q 2014 |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2012 | 2013 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | Male | Female | Total |  |
| Dutch born in Aruba/N.A. | 1,119 | 1,167 | 915 | 999 | 955 | 303 | 293 | 596 |  |
| Dutch born in the Neth. | 526 | 457 | 432 | 383 | 372 | 80 | 110 | 190 |  |
| Dutch born elsewhere | 246 | 326 | 194 | 262 | 244 | 60 | 62 | 122 |  |
| Foreign-born | 283 | 341 | 211 | 267 | 361 | 61 | 58 | 119 |  |
| Unknown | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - |  |
| Total | 2,175 | 2,291 | 1,753 | 1,911 | 1,932 | 504 | 523 | 1,027 |  |
| Source: Population Registry Office |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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Graph 2. Absolute number of live births by age of mother, YTD


Graph 3. Absolute number of deaths by age, YTD


Graph 4. Absolute number of domiciliation, YTD


Graph 5. Absolute number of departures, YTD



1,932 Departures

