



From the top two graphs it can be seen that more Indian children fall under 2SD and 3SD for height-for-age as they get older. On the other hand, it seems as if the percentage of children falling under the 2SD and 3SD have been decreasing since 1992, which is good news. The bottom graph shows that prevalence of anemia has decreased slightly in children for all ages except 24-35 months since 1998. Note that information from 1992 was not available for anemia. It is also interesting to see that in the 2005-06 graph for anemia, the children get healthier as they get older, which could mean they start eating the right kinds of foods at a certain age. Overall, the decreasing percentage of children unhealthy according to height-for-age and the decreasing percentage of children with anemia (mild, moderate, or severe) shows that children in India have been getting slightly healthier since 1992.

