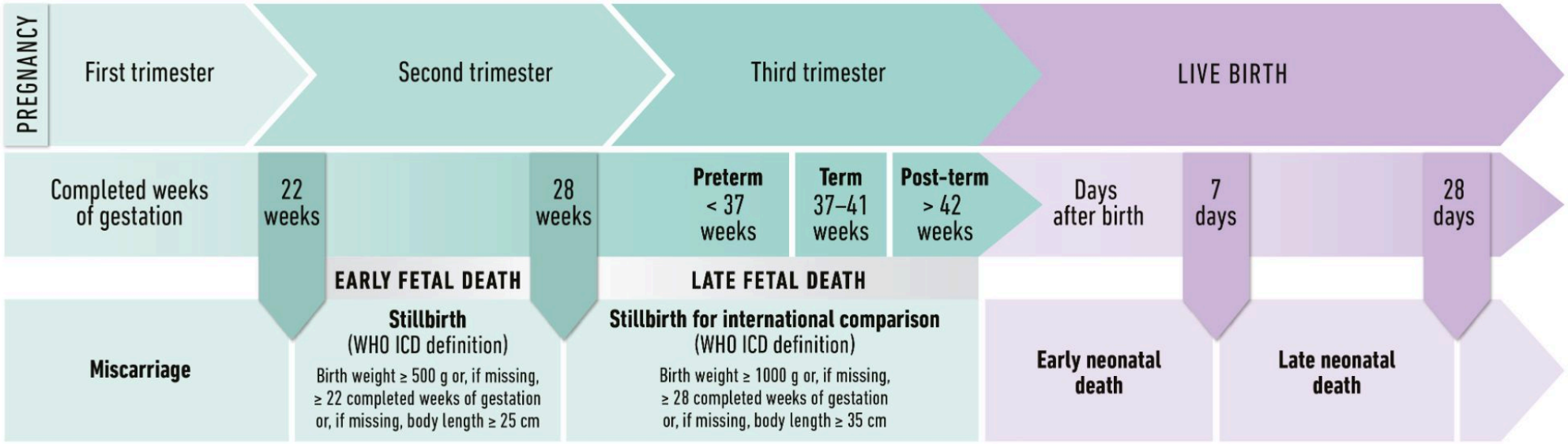
Fig. A1.1 Visual representation of the definitions of fetal death used by WHO and ICD



Source: World Health Organization & United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF). (2021). *Health sector contributions towards improving the civil registration of births and deaths in low-income countries: guidance for health sector managers, civil registrars and development partners*. World Health Organization. https://apps.who.int/iris/handle/10665/3419

Global Burden of Disease Classification system for analysing early childhood mortality	
Title of cause	**ICD-10 codes**
All Causes	**A00-Y89**
Communicable, maternal, perinatal and nutritional conditions (Group I)	**A00-B99 , D50-D53, D649, E00-E02, E40-E64, G00-G09, G14, H65-H66, J00-J22, J85, N30, N34, N390, N70-N73, O00-P96, U04, , U071, U072, U099, U109**
HIV/AIDS	B20-B24
Diarrhoeal diseases	A00-A09
Pertussis	A37
Tetanus	A33-A35
Measles	B05
Meningitis/encephalitis	A203, A321, A39, G00–G09
Malaria	B50-B54, P373, P374
Acute respiratory infections	H65-H66, J00-J22, J85, P23, U049, U071, U072, U099, U109
Prematurity	P010, P011, P07, P22, P25-P28, P52, P612, P77
Birth asphyxia and birth trauma	P017-P021, P024-P026, P03, P10-P15, P20-P21, P24, P50, P90-P91
Sepsis and other infectious conditions of the newborn	P35-P39 (minus P373, P374)
Other Group I	Remainder of Group I
Noncommunicable (Group II)	**C00-N99 (minus D50-D53, D649, E00-E02, E40-E64, G00-G09, G14, H65-H66, J00-J22, J85, N30, N34, N390, N70-N73), Q00-Q99, R95**
Congenital anomalies	Q00-Q99
Other Group II	Remainder of Group II
Injuries (Group III)	**V01-Y89, U129**

Note: Deaths coded to "Symptoms, signs and ill-defined conditions" (R00-R94, R96-R99 in ICD-10) are distributed proportionately to all Groups for neonatal deaths, but exclusively to Group I and Group II for the postneonatal deaths.