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## Countdown to 2030

Women's, Children's & Adolescents' Health

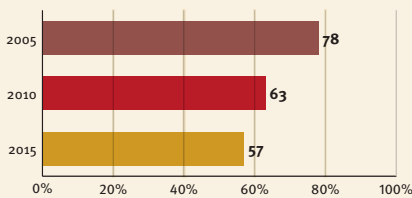
### Demographics

Population	12 396 000
Annual births	442 000
Children under 5	1 983 000 (16%)
Under 5 mortality	89/1 000

### Threats to Early Childhood Development

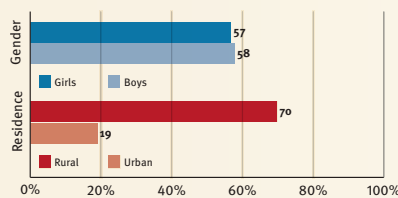
Maternal mortality	679/100 000	Young mothers (births by 18y)	40%
Low birthweight	12%	Preterm births	14%
Child poverty	40%	Under 5 stunting	31%
Harsh punishment	no data	Inadequate supervision	no data

### Young children at risk of poor development

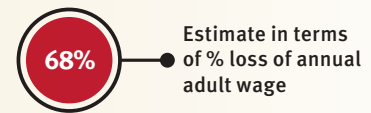


At risk in 2005, 2010 and 2015, using a composite indicator of under 5 stunting or poverty

### Risks by gender and residence



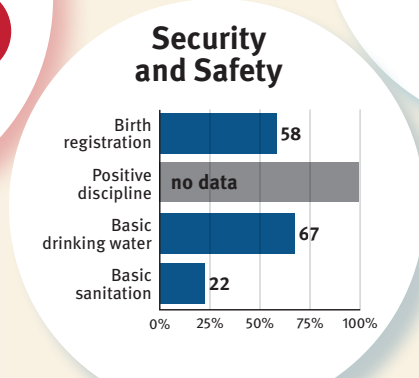
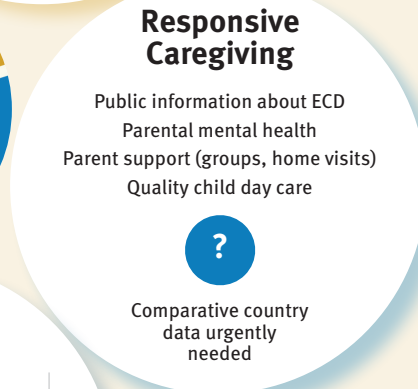
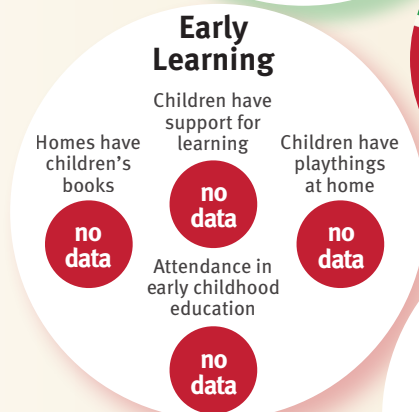
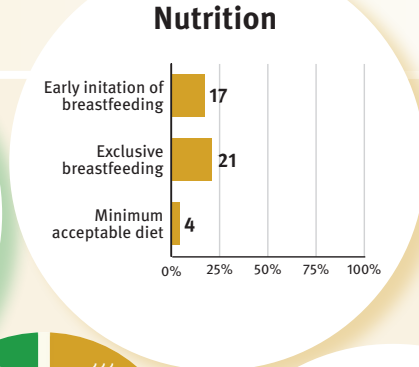
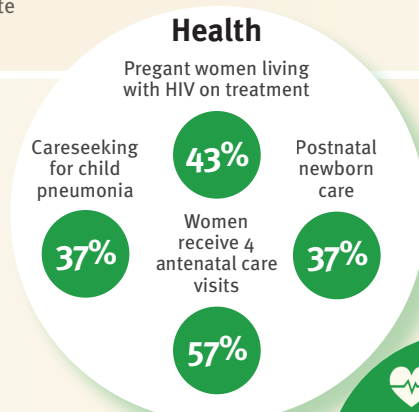
### Lifetime cost of growth deficit in early childhood



## Support and services for Early Childhood Development: Nurturing Care

Parents and caregivers need a facilitating environment of laws, policies, services and community support to assist them to provide their young children with nurturing care.

## Support and services for Early Childhood Development: Facilitating Environments



### Policies

✓ Paid maternity leave	✗ Paid paternity leave
✗ National minimum wage	
✗ Child and family social protection	
✓ International Code of Marketing of Breastmilk Substitutes	

### International Conventions

✓ Convention on the Rights of the Child
✓ Convention on the Rights of People with Disabilities
✓ CRC Sale of Children, Child Prostitution & Child Pornography
✓ Convention on Protection of Children and Cooperation in Respect of Intercountry Adoption