

# Mexico

## Countdown to 2030

Women's, Children's & Adolescents' Health

#### **Demographics**

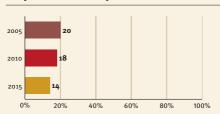
Population	127 540 000
Annual births	2 330 000
Children under 5	11 581 000 (9%)
Under 5 mortality	15/1 000

#### Threats to Early Childhood Development

Maternal mortality	38/100 000
Low birthweight	9%
Child poverty	3%
Harsh punishment	63%

Young mothers (	(births by 18y)	21%
Preterm births		7%
Under 5 stunting	g	12%
Inadequate sup	ervision	76%

## Young children at risk of poor development



### Risks by gender and residence



## Lifetime cost of growth deficit in early childhood



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

## 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.



with HIV on treatment

58%

Careseeking

for child

pneumonia

**Early** 

Learning

Children have

support for learning

Attendance in

early childhood

education

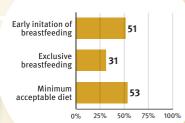
Homes have

children's

books

76%

#### Nutrition Health Pregant women living





Postnatal

newborn



Birth registration Positive

Basic drinking water

Basic

sanitation

Security

and Safety

no data

25% 50% 75%

## Responsive Caregiving

Public information about ECD Parental mental health Parent support (groups, home visits) Quality child day care



Comparative country data urgently needed

Support and services
for Early Childhood
<b>Development:</b>

# **Facilitating Environments**

Policies				
x	Paid maternity leave	V	Paid paternity leave	
~	National minimum wage			
~	Child and family social protection			
1	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

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