



Azerbaijan

Countdown to 2030

Women's, Children's & Adolescents' Health

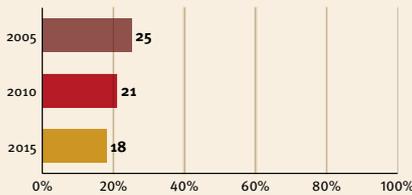
Demographics

Population	9 725 000
Annual births	176 000
Children under 5	891 000 (9%)
Under 5 mortality	31/1 000

Threats to Early Childhood Development

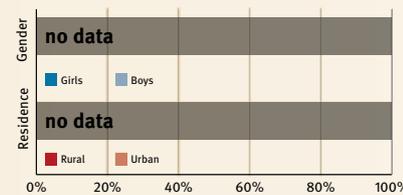
Maternal mortality	25/100 000	Young mothers (births by 18y)	4%
Low birthweight	10%	Preterm births	8%
Child poverty	0,1%	Under 5 stunting	18%
Harsh punishment	77%	Inadequate supervision	no data

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

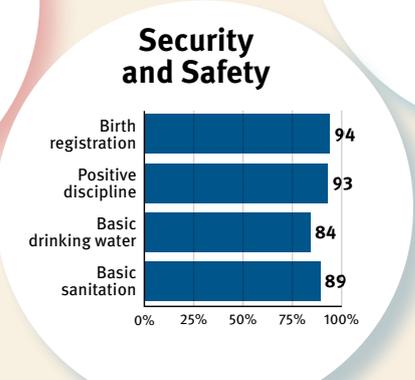
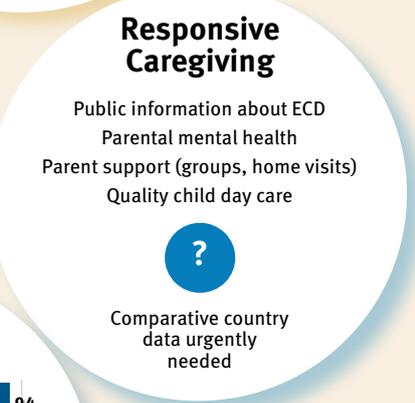
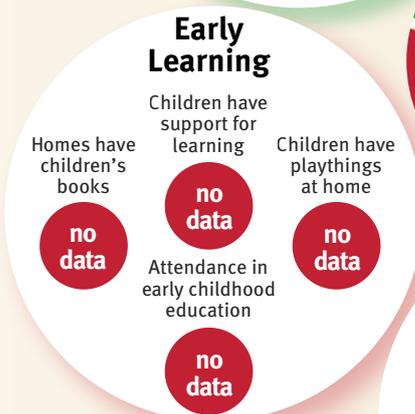
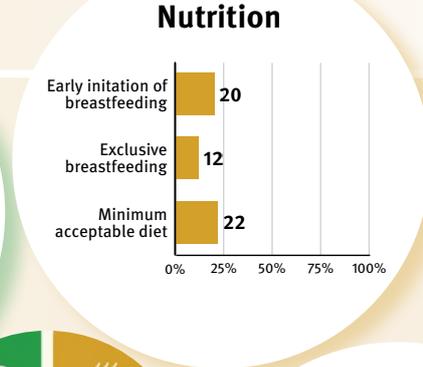
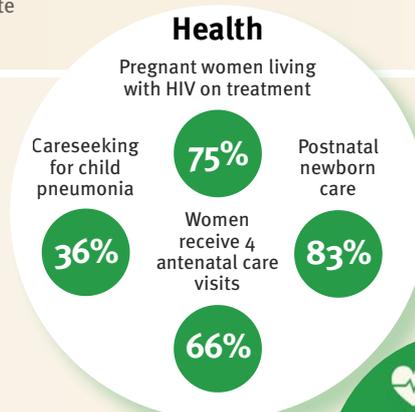


Estimate in terms of % loss of annual adult wage

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	