Chad

Demographics
Population 14,453,000
Annual births 615,000
Children under 5 2,666,000 (18%)
Under 5 mortality 127/1,000

Young children at risk of poor development

Risks by gender and residence

Threats to Early Childhood Development
Maternal mortality 856/100,000
Low birthweight 20%
Child poverty 48%
Harsh punishment 71%

Lifetime cost of growth deficit in early childhood

Support and services for Early Childhood Development: Nurturing Care

Support and services for Early Childhood Development: Facilitating Environments

Early Learning
- Children have support for learning
- Children have playthings at home
- Homes have children’s books
- Attendance in early childhood education 47%
- 1%

Health
- Pregnant women living with HIV on treatment
- Early initiation of breastfeeding
- Exclusive breastfeeding
- Women receive 4 antenatal care visits
- Postnatal newborn care
- Minimum acceptable diet
- 63%
- 16%
- 6%
- 26%
- 31%

Nutrition
- Early initiation of breastfeeding
- Exclusive breastfeeding
- Minimum acceptable diet
- 23
- 0
- 6

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

Security and Safety
- Birth registration
- Positive discipline
- Basic drinking water
- Basic sanitation
- 12
- no data
- 43
- 10

Policies
- Paid maternity 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