Philippines

Demographics
Population 103,320,000
Annual births 2,386,000
Children under 5 11,530,000 (11%)
Under 5 mortality 27/1,000

Threats to Early Childhood Development
Maternal mortality 114/100,000
Low birthweight 21%
Child poverty no data
Harsh punishment no data

Young mothers (births by 18y) 8%
Preterm births 15%
Under 5 stunting 30%
Inadequate supervision no data

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
- 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