



Turkey

Countdown to 2030

Women's, Children's & Adolescents' Health

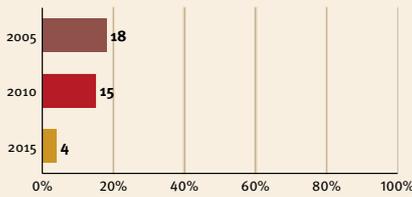
Demographics

Population	79 512 000
Annual births	1 294 000
Children under 5	6 775 000 (9%)
Under 5 mortality	13/1 000

Threats to Early Childhood Development

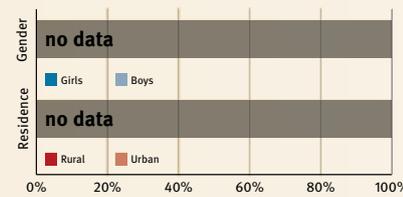
Maternal mortality	16/100 000	Young mothers (births by 18y)	6%
Low birthweight	11%	Preterm births	12%
Child poverty	no data	Under 5 stunting	10%
Harsh punishment	no data	Inadequate supervision	no data

Young children at risk of poor development

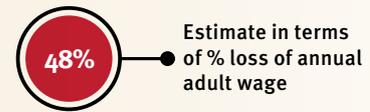


At risk in 2005, 2010 and 2015, using a composite indicator of under 5 stunting or poverty

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

Health

- Pregnant women living with HIV on treatment: 89%
- Careseeking for child pneumonia: no data
- Postnatal newborn care: no data
- Women receive 4 antenatal care visits: 88%

Nutrition

- Early initiation of breastfeeding: 50
- Exclusive breastfeeding: 30
- Minimum acceptable diet: no data

Early Learning

- Children have support for learning: no data
- Children have playthings at home: no data
- Homes have children's books: no data
- Attendance in early childhood education: no data



Responsive Caregiving

- Public information about ECD
- Parental mental health
- Parent support (groups, home visits)
- Quality child day care
- Comparative country data urgently needed

Security and Safety

- Birth registration: 99
- Positive discipline: no data
- Basic drinking water: 99
- Basic sanitation: 96

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