



Rwanda

Countdown to 2030

Women's, Children's & Adolescents' Health

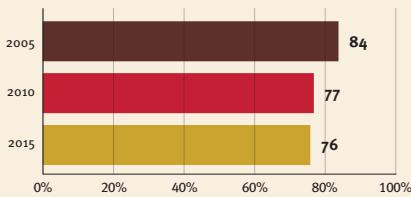
Demographics

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| Population (2019) | 12,627,000 |
| Annual births | 395,000 |
| Children under 5 (2019) | 1,849,000 (15%) |
| Under-five mortality | 35/1 000 |

Threats to Early Childhood Development

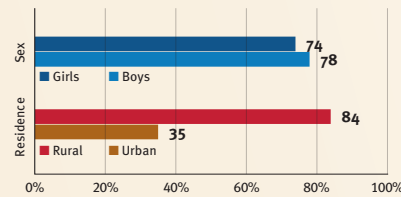
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| Maternal mortality | 248/100 000 | Young mothers (births by 18y) | 6% |
| Low birthweight | 8% | Preterm births | 10% |
| Child poverty | 68% | Under-five stunting | 37% |
| Violent discipline | no data | Inadequate supervision | 35% |

Young children at risk of poor development

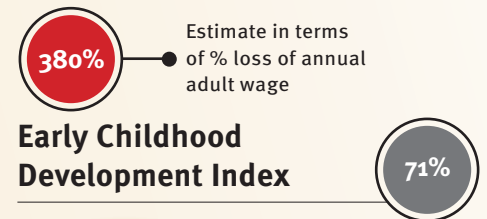


At risk in 2005, 2010 and 2015, using a composite indicator of under-five stunting or poverty

Risk by sex and residence



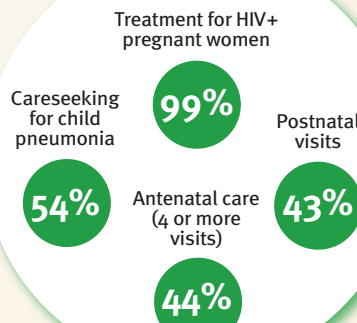
Lifetime cost of growth deficit in early childhood



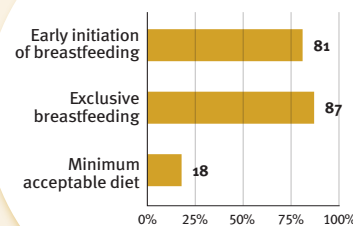
Support and services for early childhood development: Nurturing care

Parents and caregivers need a facilitating environment of laws, policies, services and community support to assist them in providing their young children with nurturing care.

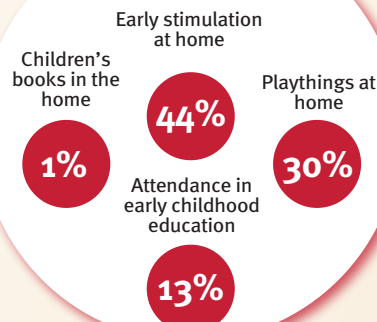
Health



Nutrition



Early learning

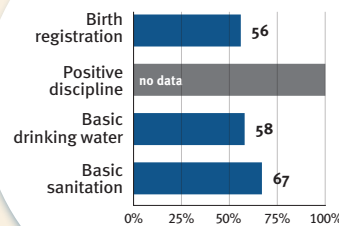


Responsive caregiving

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

Comparative country data urgently needed

Security and safety



Facilitating environments

Policies

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| X | Paid maternity leave | ✓ | Paid paternity leave |
| no data | National minimum wage | | |
| X | Child and family social protection | | |
| ✓ | International Code of Marketing of Breastmilk Substitutes | | |

International conventions

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| ✓ | Convention on the Rights of the Child |
| ✓ | Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities |
| ✓ | CRC Optional Protocol on the Sale of Children, Child Prostitution and Child Pornography |
| ✓ | Hague Convention on Protection of Children and Cooperation in Respect of Intercountry Adoption |