Kyrgyzstan

Countdown to 2030
Women's, Children's & Adolescents' Health

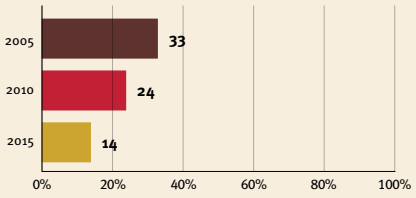
Demographics

Population	6,524,191
Annual births	150,543
Children under 5	760,255 (12%)
Under-five mortality	18/1,000

Threats to Early Childhood Development

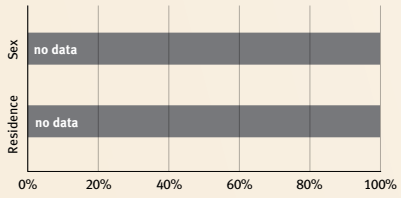
Maternal mortality	60/100,000	Young mothers (births by 18y)	3%
Low birthweight	6%	Preterm births	10%
Child poverty	1%	Under-five stunting	12%
Violent discipline	64%	Inadequate supervision	8%

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

29% — Estimate in terms of % loss of annual adult wage

Children with functional difficulty

1%

Children developmentally on-track

72%

Support and services for early childhood development:

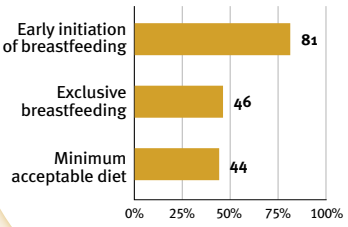
Nurturing care

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

Treatment for HIV+ pregnant women: 78%
Careseeking for child pneumonia: 60%
Postnatal visits: 96%
Antenatal care (4 or more visits): 94%

Nutrition



Early learning

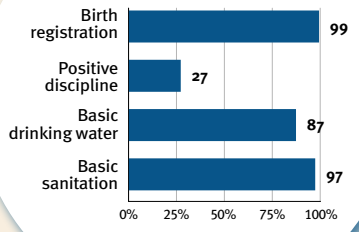
Early stimulation at home: 87%
Children's books in the home: 21%
Playthings at home: 72%
Attendance in early childhood education: 39%

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

None	<14	14 – <18	18 – <26	≥26
Paid maternity leave (weeks)				
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Paid paternity leave (weeks)				
Not	Slightly	Moderately	Substantially	
International Code of Marketing of Breastmilk Substitutes (alignment)				

no data	National minimum wage
✓	Child and family social protection

International conventions

✓	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