



Republic of Moldova

Countdown to 2030

Women's, Children's & Adolescents' Health

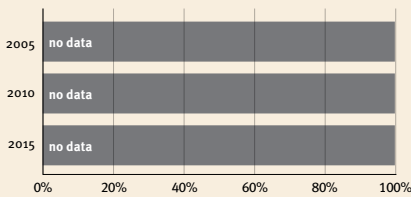
Demographics

Population	4,033,963
Annual births	39,360
Children under 5	202,520 (5%)
Under-five mortality	14/1,000

Threats to Early Childhood Development

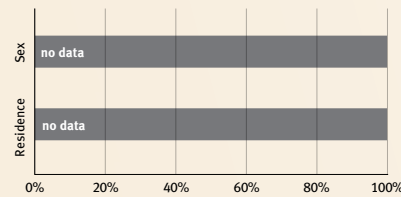
Maternal mortality	19/100,000	Young mothers (births by 18y)	4%
Low birthweight	5%	Preterm births	12%
Child poverty	no data	Under-five stunting	6%
Violent discipline	76%	Inadequate supervision	6%

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

no data ● Estimate in terms of % loss of annual adult wage

Children with functional difficulty

no data

Children developmentally on-track

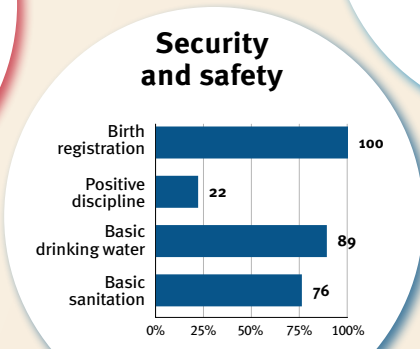
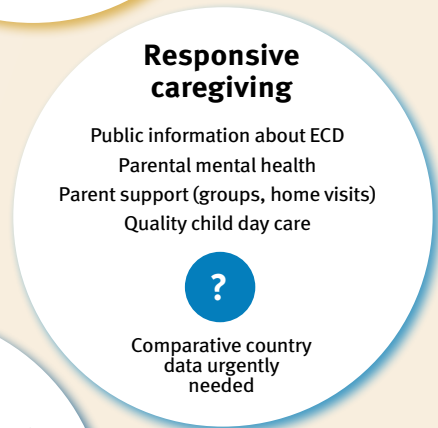
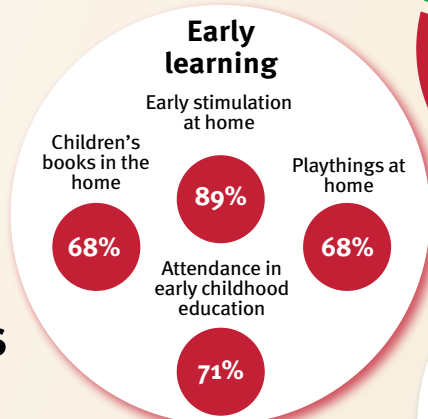
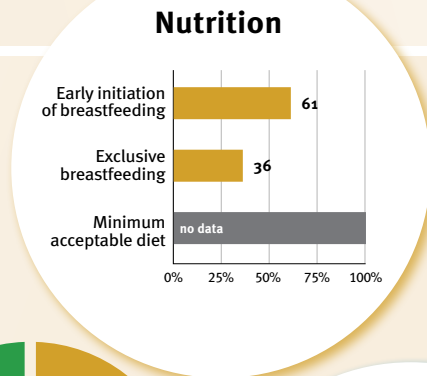
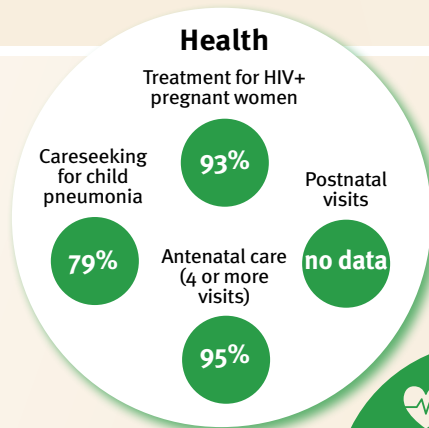
84%

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.

Facilitating environments

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