EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT



China

Countdown to 2030

Women's, Children's & Adolescents' Health

Demographics

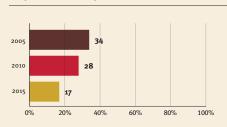
Population	1,444,216,102
Annual births	15,918,889
Children under 5	82,445,544 (6%)
Under-five mortality	8/1,000

Threats to Early Childhood Development

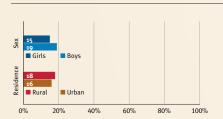
Maternal mortality	29/100,000
Low birthweight	5%
Child poverty	3%
Violent discipline	no data

Adolescent birth ra	te 9/1,000
Preterm births	7%
Under-five stunting	5%
Inadequate supervi	sion no data

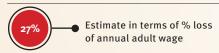
Young children at risk of poor development



Risk by sex and residence



Lifetime cost of growth deficit in early childhood



Children with functional difficulty

Children developmentally on-track



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

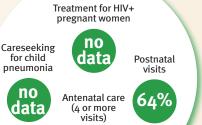
Support and services for early childhood development:

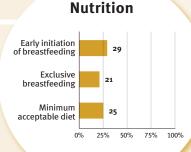
Nurturing care

a facilitating environment of laws, policies, services and community support to assist them in providing their young

Health

81%





Parents and caregivers need

children with nurturing care.

Early learning Early stimulation at home

Children's

no

data

books in the home no data

Playthings at home no data Attendance in early childhood education

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Security

and safety

Responsive caregiving

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

Comparative country data urgently

Facilitating environments





Paid paternity leave (weeks) Slightly Moderately Substantially International Code of Marketing of Breastmilk Substitutes (alignment) National minimum wage

Child and family social protection

Positive discipline Basic drinking water Basic

International conventions

- Convention on the Rights of the Child
- Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities

Birth registration

- 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