



Gabon

Countdown to 2030

Women's, Children's & Adolescents' Health

Demographics

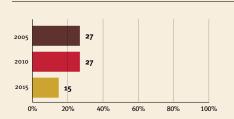
Population	2,388,993
Annual births	64,022
Children under 5	307,092 (13%)
Under-five mortality	40/1 000

Threats to Early Childhood Development

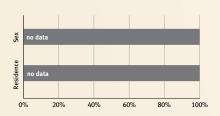
Maternal mortality	227/100,000
Low birthweight	15%
Child poverty	2%
Violent discipline	no data

Adolesce	ent birth rate	114/1,000
Preterm	births	16%
Under-fiv	e stunting	13%
Inadequa	ate supervision	no data

Young children at risk of poor development



Risk by sex and residence



Health Treatment for HIV+

82%

Antenatal care

(4 or more visits)

Postnatal visits

60%



Nutrition

50% 75%

Early initiation of breastfeeding

Exclusive

Minimum acceptable diet

breastfeeding

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

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.

Early learning

Careseeking

for child

Early stimulation at home Children's



home

data

data early childhood education

Playthings

at home



and safety

Responsive caregiving

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



Comparative country data urgently needed

Facilitating environments

Policies						
X Officially adopted national multisectoral ECD policy						
<20%	20-39%	40-59%	60-79%	s ≥80%		
Child and family social protection						
None	<14	14 - <1	3 18 - <20	6 ≥26		
Maternity leave (weeks)						
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Not	Slight	tly	Moderately	Substantially		
International Code of Marketing of Breastmilk Substitutes (alignment)						

Birth registration Positive drinking water Basic 75%

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