



Guyana

Countdown to 2030

Women's, Children's & Adolescents' Health

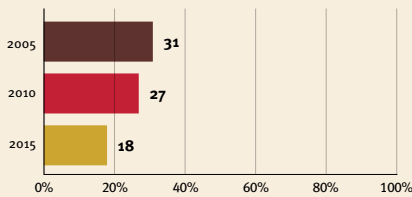
Demographics

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| Population | 808,726 |
| Annual births | 16,129 |
| Children under 5 | 78,980 (10%) |
| Under-five mortality | 28/1,000 |

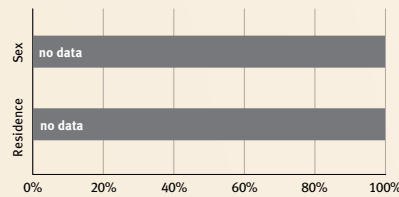
Threats to Early Childhood Development

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| Maternal mortality | 112/100,000 | Adolescent birth rate | 65/1,000 |
| Low birthweight | 17% | Preterm births | 13% |
| Child poverty | no data | Under-five stunting | 8% |
| Violent discipline | 67% | Inadequate supervision | 5% |

Young children at risk of poor development



Risk by sex and residence



Children with functional difficulty



Children developmentally on-track



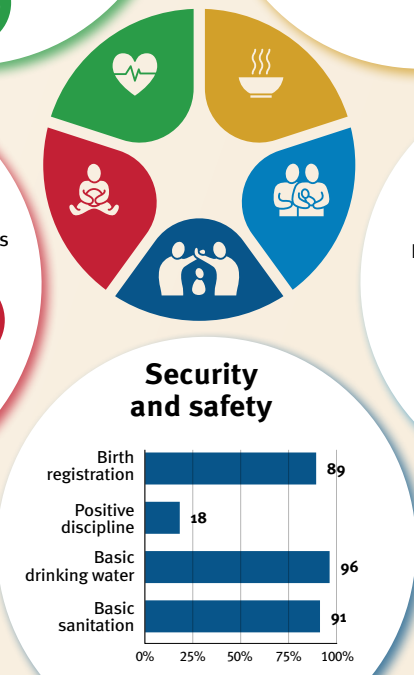
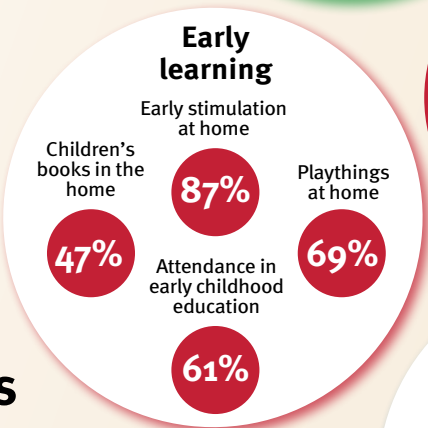
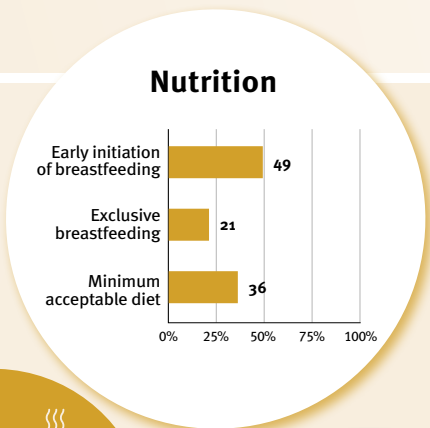
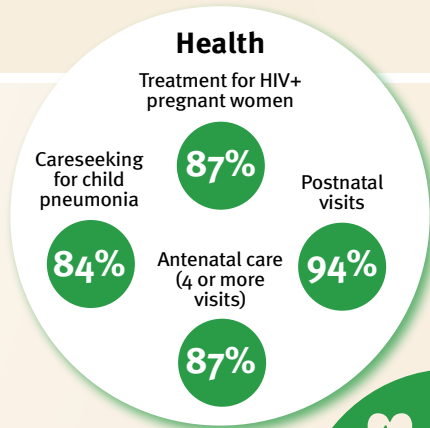
At risk in 2005, 2010 and 2015, using a composite indicator of under-five stunting or poverty

Support and services for early childhood development: Nurturing care

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 | | | | |
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| <20% | 20-39% | 40-59% | 60-79% | ≥80% |
| ✓ Officially adopted national multisectoral ECD policy | | | | |
| Child and family social protection | | | | |
| None | <14 | 14 - <18 | 18 - <26 | ≥26 |
| Maternity leave (weeks) | | | | |
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| Not | Slightly | Moderately | Substantially | |
| International Code of Marketing of Breastmilk Substitutes (alignment) | | | | |



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 |