



Liberia

Countdown to 2030

Women's, Children's & Adolescents' Health

Demographics

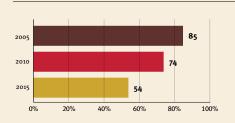
| Population | 5,302,681 |
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| Annual births | 164,452 |
| Children under 5 | 751,340 (14%) |
| Under-five mortality | 76/1,000 |

Threats to Early Childhood Development

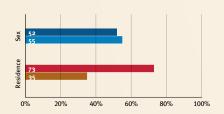
| Maternal mortality | 652/100,000 |
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| Low birthweight | 0.198812653 |
| Child poverty | 35% |
| Violent discipline | 76% |

| Adolescent birth rate | 128/1,000 |
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| Preterm births | 14% |
| Under-five stunting | 27% |
| Inadequate supervision | no data |

Young children at risk of poor development



Risk by sex and residence



Health



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.

Treatment for HIV+ **Nutrition** Early initiation of breastfeeding Careseeking 86% for child Postnatal visits Exclusive breastfeeding Antenatal care **80%** (4 or more visits) Minimum acceptable diet 25% 50% 75%

Early learning

early childhood

education

Early stimulation at home



Playthings at home

data



Responsive caregiving

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

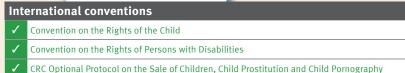


Comparative country data urgently needed

Facilitating environments

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

and safety Birth registration Positive discipline Basic drinking water Basic 75%



Hague Convention on Protection of Children and Cooperation in Respect of Intercountry Adoption