



## Republic of Moldova

## Countdown to 2030

Women's, Children's & Adolescents' Health

#### **Demographics**

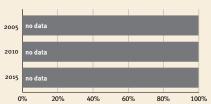
Population	3,272,996	
Annual births	36,943	
Children under 5	208,991 (6%)	
Under-five mortality	1//1.000	

#### **Threats to Early Childhood Development**

Maternal mortality	12/100,000
Low birthweight	6%
Child poverty	no data
Violent discipline	76%

,	Adolescent birth rate	25/1,000
)	Preterm births	12%
l	Under-five stunting	4%
	Inadequate supervision	6%

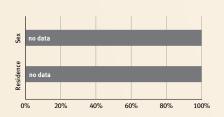
#### Young children at risk of poor development



At risk in 2005, 2010 and 2015, using a composite

indicator of under-five stunting or poverty

#### Risk by sex and residence



Postnatal visits

data

Health Treatment for HIV+

Antenatal care

(4 or more

visits)

Children with functional difficulty 10 data

Children developmentally on-track

Nutrition

Early initiation of breastfeeding

Exclusive

Minimum acceptable diet

breastfeeding

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**

Careseeking

for child

Early stimulation Children's

learning

home

68%

Attendance in early childhood education

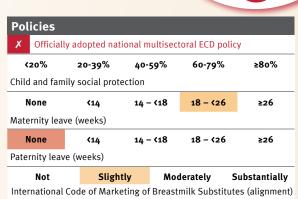
**Playthings** at home **68%** 

### 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



## Security and safety Birth registration Positive drinking water Basic



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