



Somalia

Countdown to 2030

Women's, Children's & Adolescents' Health

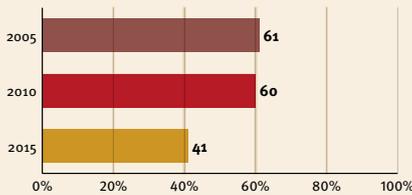
Demographics

Population	14 318 000
Annual births	609 000
Children under 5	2 617 000 (18%)
Under 5 mortality	133/1 000

Threats to Early Childhood Development

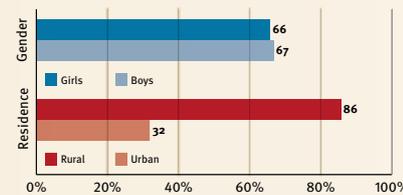
Maternal mortality	732/100 000	Young mothers (births by 18y)	no data
Low birthweight	no data	Preterm births	12%
Child poverty	no data	Under 5 stunting	38%
Harsh punishment	no data	Inadequate supervision	79%

Young children at risk of poor development



At risk in 2005, 2010 and 2015, using a composite indicator of under 5 stunting or poverty

Risks by gender and residence



Lifetime cost of growth deficit in early childhood



Estimate in terms of % loss of annual adult wage

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 to provide their young children with nurturing care.

Support and services for Early Childhood Development: Facilitating Environments

Health

- Pregnant women living with HIV on treatment: 7%
- Careseeking for child pneumonia: 79%
- Postnatal newborn care: no data
- Women receive 4 antenatal care visits: 6%

Nutrition

- Early initiation of breastfeeding: 23
- Exclusive breastfeeding: 5
- Minimum acceptable diet: no data

Early Learning

- Children have support for learning: no data
- Children have playthings at home: no data
- Homes have children's books: no data
- Attendance in early childhood education: 2%



Responsive Caregiving

- Public information about ECD
- Parental mental health
- Parent support (groups, home visits)
- Quality child day care
- Comparative country data urgently needed

Security and Safety

- Birth registration: 3
- Positive discipline: no data
- Basic drinking water: 40
- Basic sanitation: 16

Policies

✗ Paid maternity leave	✗ Paid paternity leave
✗ National minimum wage	
✗ Child and family social protection	
✗ International Code of Marketing of Breastmilk Substitutes	

International Conventions

✓ Convention on the Rights of the Child
✗ Convention on the Rights of People with Disabilities
✗ CRC Sale of Children, Child Prostitution & Child Pornography
✗ Convention on Protection of Children and Cooperation in Respect of Intercountry Adoption