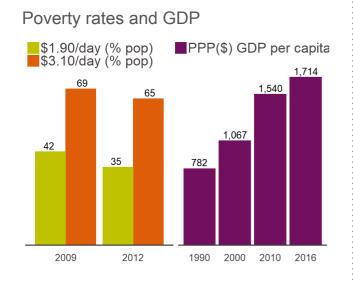
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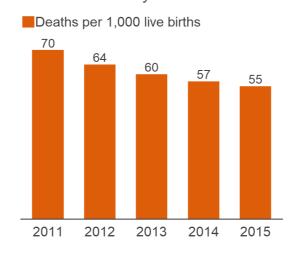


ECONOMICS AND DEMOGRAPHY



Source: World Bank 2017. Note: pop: population; PPP: purchasing power parity.

Under-5 mortality rate



Source: UN Inter-agency Group for Child Mortality Estimation 2015.

Income inequality

Gini index score*	Gini index rank**	Year
41	84	2012

Source: World Bank 2017.

Notes: *0 = perfect equality, **100 = perfect inequality. The countries with a Gini index are ranked from most equal (1) to most unequal (152).

Population

Population (thousands)	42,863	2017
Under-5 population (thousands)	7,882	2017
Urban (%)	17	2017
>65 years (%)	2	2017

Source: 2017 projections from UN Population Division 2017.

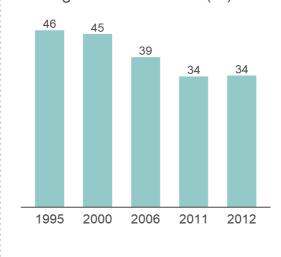
CHILD ANTHROPOMETRY

Child anthropometry

Number of children under 5 affected (thousands)			
Stunting ¹	2,318	2012	
Wasting ¹	291	2012	
Overweight ¹	393	2012	
% of children under 5 affected			
Wasting ¹	4	2012	
Severe wasting ¹	0	2012	
Overweight ¹	6	2012	
Low birth weight ² 12 2011			

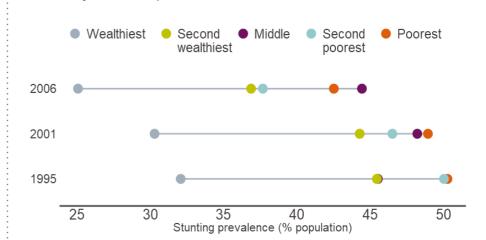
Source: WHO/World Bank Group Joint Child Malnutrition Estimates 2017; UNICEF 2015. 2

Prevalence of stunting among children under 5 (%)



Source: WHO/World Bank Group Joint Child Malnutrition Estimates 2017.

Changes in stunting prevalence over time, by wealth quintile



Source: DHS surveys 1990–2011 adapted from Bredenkamp et al. 2014.

ADOLESCENT AND ADULT NUTRITION STATUS

Adolescent and adult anthropometry (% population)

Adolescent overweight ¹	7	2003
Adolescent obesity ¹	1	2003
Women of reproductive age, thinness ²	12	2011
Women of reproductive age, short stature ²	2	2011

Source: WHO 2015; 1 DHS 2017.2

Note: NA: not available.

Metabolic risk factors for diet-related non-communicable diseases (%)



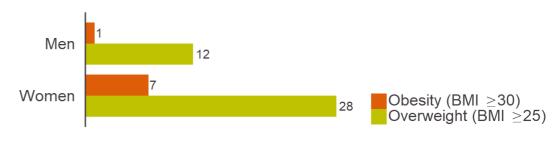
Source: WHO 2017 and NCD Risk Factor Collaboration 2017.

Micronutrient status of population

Women of reproductive age with anaemia ¹		
Total population affected (thousands of people)	2,583	2016
Total population affected (%)	29	2016
Vitamin A deficiency in children 6–59 months old (%) ²	39	2013
Population classification of iodine nutrition (age group 5–19 years old) ³	Risk of adverse health consequences (iodine induced hyperthyroidism, auto-immune thyroid diseases)	1999

Source: WHO 2017; 1 Stevens et al. 2015; 2 WHO 2004. 3

Prevalence of adult overweight and obesity (%), 2014



Source: WHO 2017 and NCD Risk Factor Collaboration 2017. Note: BMI: body mass index.

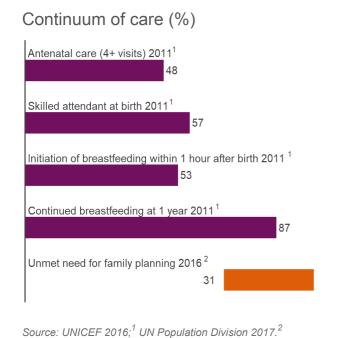
PROGRESS AGAINST GLOBAL NUTRITION TARGETS 2017

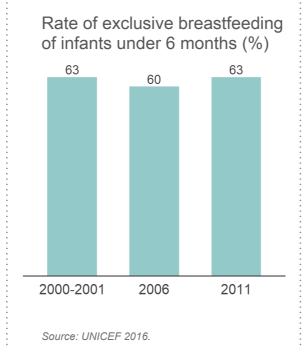
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Under-5 stunting	Under-5 wasting	Under-5 overweight	WRA anaemia	EBF
NA	NA	NA	Some progress	NA

Adult female obesity	Adult male obesity	Adult female diabetes	Adult male diabetes
Off course	Off course	Off course	Off course

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INTERVENTION COVERAGE AND CHILD-FEEDING PRACTICES





Intervention coverage (%)

0 ()		
Severe acute malnutrition, geographic coverage ¹	9	2012
Vitamin A supplementation, full coverage ²	66	2014
Children under 5 with diarrhoea receiving ORS ²	44	2011
Immunisation coverage, DTP3 ³	78	2016
lodised salt consumption ²	87	2006

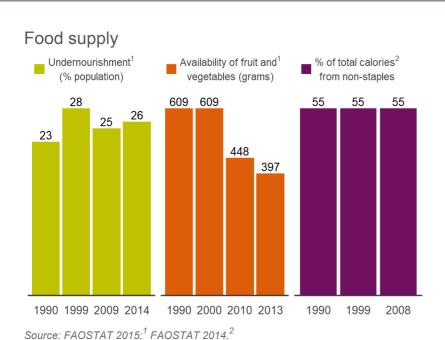
Source: UNICEF/Coverage Monitoring Network/ACF International 2012; ¹ UNICEF 2016; ² WHO 2016.³ Note: Geographical coverage is defined as the % of physical facilities that provide intervention. Full coverage is defined as the % of children that receive the full intervention (two doses). DTP3: 3 doses of combined diphtheria/tetanus/pertussis vaccine; ORS: oral rehydration salts.

Infant and young child (6–23 months) feeding practices (%)

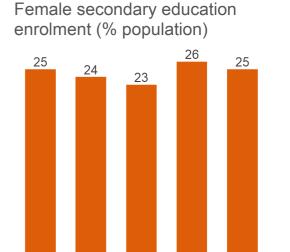
Minimum acceptable diet	6	2011
Minimum dietary diversity	13	2011

Source: UNICEF 2016.

UNDERLYING DETERMINANTS



Gender-related determinants			
Early childbearing: births by age 18 (%) ¹ 33 2011			2011
Gender Inequality Index (score*)	2	0.52	2015
Gender Inequality Index (country	rank) ²	121	2015
Source: UNICEF 2016; ¹ UNDP 2016. ² Note: *0: low inequality, 1: high inequality. Population density of health workers per 1,000 people			
Physicians	0.12	20	005
Nurses and midwives 1.34 2005			005
Community health workers 0.19 2005			005



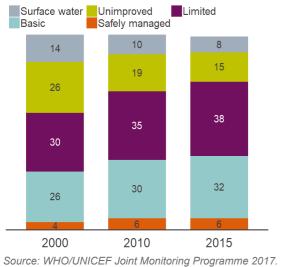
Source: UNESCO Institute for Statistics 2017. Note: Enrolment can be larger than 100% when women/girls enroled exceeds the secondary school age group.

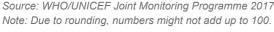
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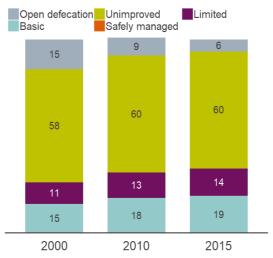
Drinking water coverage (% population)





Sanitation coverage (% population)

Source: WHO 2017.

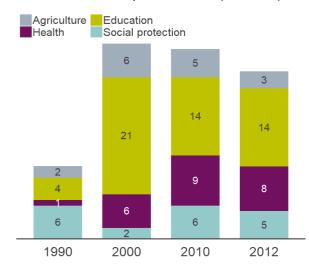


Source: WHO/UNICEF Joint Monitoring Programme 2017. Note: Due to rounding, numbers might not add up to 100.

Government expenditures (% total)

2011

2010



Source: IFPRI 2015.

FINANCIAL RESOURCES AND POLICY, LEGISLATION, AND INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

Scaling Up Nutrition (SUN) country institutional transformations (%), 2017 Bringing people into a shared space for action 100 Ensuring a coherent policy and legal framework 88 84 Aligning actions around a common results framework 75 Financial tracking and resource mobilisation 87 Total weighted

Source: SUN 2017.

Policy and legislative provisions		
National implementation of the International Code of Marketing of Breast-milk Substitutes ¹	Full provisions in law	2016
Extent of constitutional right to food ²	High	2003
Maternity Protection Convention 183 ³	No protections	2011
Wheat fortification legislation ⁴	Mandatory	2015
Undernutrition mentioned in national development plans and economic growth strategies ⁵	39	2010–2015
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Source: WHO/UNICEF and IBFAN 2016; ¹ FAO 2003;	² ILO 2013; ³ FFI 20	15; ⁴ IDS 2015. ⁵

Availability and stage of implementation of guidelines/ protocols/standards for the management of NCDs

All major NCDs	Available	2015		
Source: WHO 2015				

Note: NCDs: non-communicable diseases.