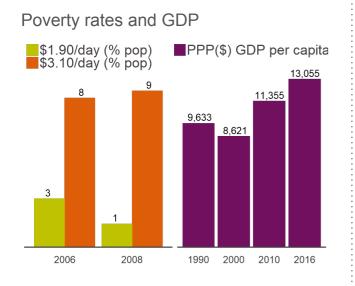
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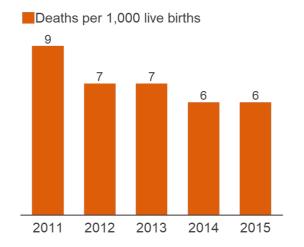
#### **ECONOMICS AND DEMOGRAPHY**



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
44	111	2008

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)	2,083	2017
Under-5 population (thousands)	118	2017
Urban (%)	57	2017
>65 years (%)	13	2017

Source: 2017 projections from UN Population Division 2017.

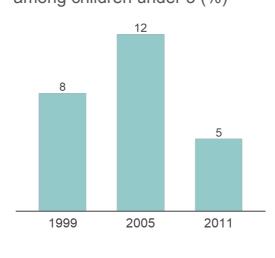
#### CHILD ANTHROPOMETRY

#### Child anthropometry

Number of children under 5 affected (thousands)			
Stunting <sup>1</sup>	5	2011	
Wasting <sup>1</sup>	2	2011	
Overweight <sup>1</sup>	14	2011	
% of children under 5 affected			
Wasting <sup>1</sup> 2 2011			
Severe wasting <sup>1</sup>	0	2011	
Overweight <sup>1</sup>	12	2011	
Low birth weight <sup>2</sup>	5	2011	

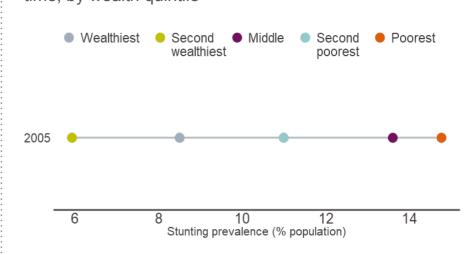
Source: WHO/World Bank Group Joint Child Malnutrition Estimates 2017; UNICEF 2015. 2

# 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

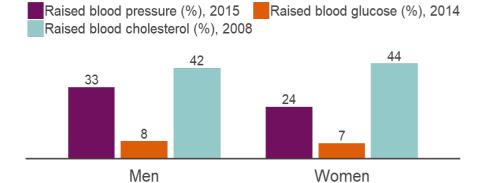
#### Adolescent and adult anthropometry (% population)

Adolescent overweight <sup>1</sup>	21	2007
Adolescent obesity <sup>1</sup>	3	2007
Women of reproductive age, thinness <sup>2</sup>	NA	NA
Women of reproductive age, short stature <sup>2</sup>	NA	NA

Source: WHO 2015;<sup>1</sup> DHS 2017.<sup>2</sup> Note: NA: not available.

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Metabolic risk factors for diet-related non-communicable diseases, 2008 (%)



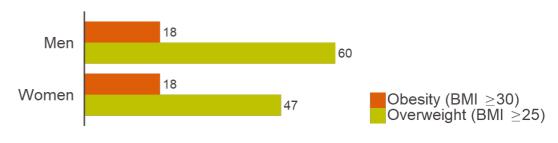
Source: WHO 2017 and NCD Risk Factor Collaboration 2017.

#### Micronutrient status of population

Women of reproductive age with anaemia <sup>1</sup>			
Total population affected (thousands of people)	120	2016	
Total population affected (%)	23	2016	
Vitamin A deficiency in children 6–59 months old (%) <sup>2</sup>	NA	NA	
Population classification of iodine nutrition (age group 5–19 years old) <sup>3</sup>	Optimal iodine nutrition	2002	

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.

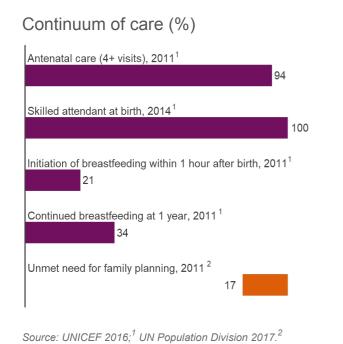
#### PROGRESS AGAINST GLOBAL NUTRITION TARGETS 2017

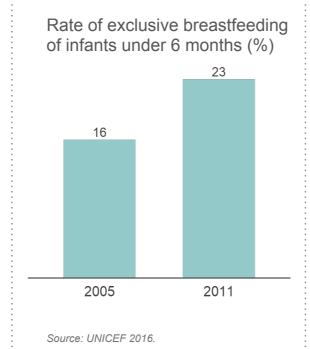


Adult female obesity <sup>1</sup>	Adult male obesity <sup>1</sup>	Adult female diabetes <sup>1</sup>	Adult male diabetes <sup>1</sup>
Off course	Off course	Off course	Off course

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#### INTERVENTION COVERAGE AND CHILD-FEEDING PRACTICES





Intervention coverage (%)		
Severe acute malnutrition, geographic coverage <sup>1</sup>	NA	2012
Vitamin A supplementation, full coverage <sup>2</sup>	NA	2014
Children under 5 with diarrhoea receiving ORS <sup>2</sup>	62	2011
Immunisation coverage, DTP3 <sup>3</sup>	95	2016
lodised salt consumption <sup>2</sup>	94	2005

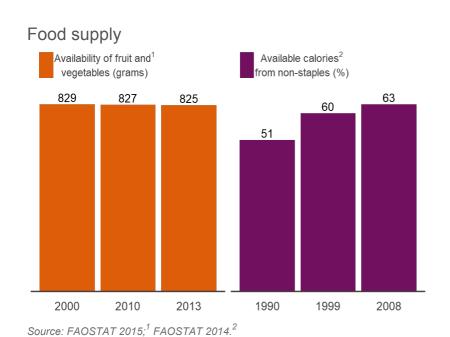
Source: UNICEF/Coverage Monitoring Network/ACF International 2012;<sup>1</sup> UNICEF 2016;<sup>2</sup> WHO 2016.<sup>3</sup> Note: DTP3: 3 doses of combined diphtheria/tetanus/pertussis vaccine; ORS: oral rehydration salts.

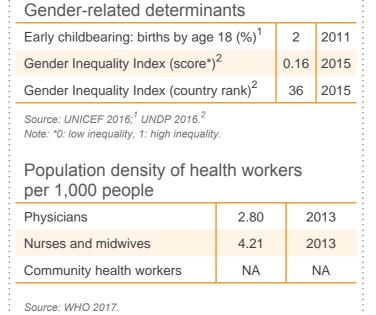
### Infant and young child (6-23 months) feeding practices (%)

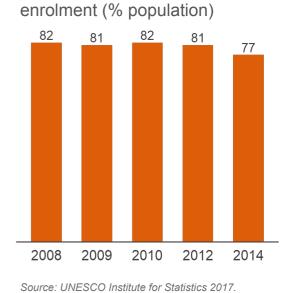
Minimum acceptable diet	NA	NA
Minimum dietary diversity	NA	NA

Source: UNICEF 2016.

#### **UNDERLYING DETERMINANTS**

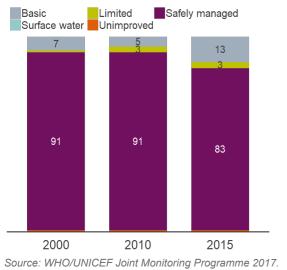


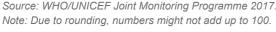




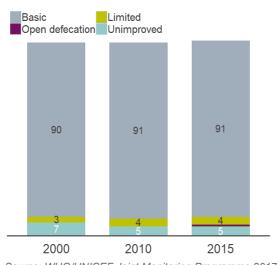
Female secondary education

Drinking water coverage (% population)



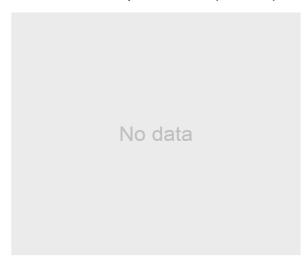


Sanitation coverage (% population)



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

Government expenditures (% total)



Source: IFPRI 2015.

#### FINANCIAL RESOURCES AND POLICY, LEGISLATION, AND INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

Scaling Up Nutrition (SUN) country institutional transformations, 2017 (%)

No data

Source: SUN 2014.

Policy and legislative provisions		
National implementation of the International Code of Marketing of Breast-milk Substitutes <sup>1</sup>	Few provisions in law	2016
Extent of constitutional right to food <sup>2</sup>	Medium high	2003
Maternity Protection Convention 183 <sup>3</sup>	NA	2011
Wheat fortification legislation <sup>4</sup>	Planning	2015
Undernutrition mentioned in national development plans and economic growth strategies <sup>5</sup>	NA	NA
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Source: WHO/UNICEF and IBFAN 2016; <sup>1</sup> FAO 2003; <sup>2</sup> ILO 2013; <sup>3</sup> FFI 2015; <sup>4</sup> IDS 2015. <sup>5</sup>		

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

All major NCDs	Yes	2015

Source: WHO 2015.

Note: NCDs: non-communicable diseases.