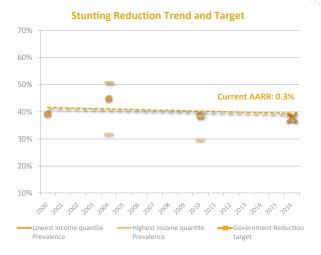
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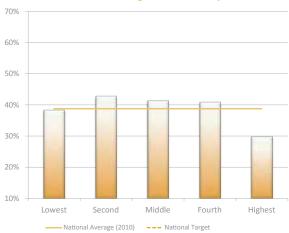


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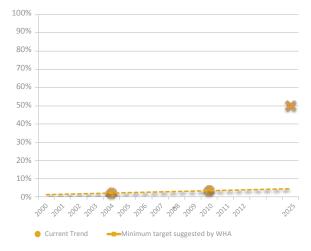
Demographic data	
National Population (million, 2010)	11.7
Children under 5 (million, 2010)	2.3
Adolescent Girls (15-19) (million, 2010)	0.60
Average Number of Births (million, 2010)	0.50
Population growth rate (2010)	3.15%
WHA nutrition target indicators (MICS 2010)	
Low birth weight	20.0%
0-5 months Exclusive Breastfeeding	3.4%
Under five stunting	38.7%
Under five wasting	15.7%
Under five overweight	2.8%
Coverage of Nutrition-relevant Factors	
Infant and young child feeding practice	
6-23 months with Minimum Acceptable Diet	-
6-23 months with Minimum Diet Diversity	-
Programs for vitamin and mineral deficiencies	
Zinc Supplementation for Diarrhea	0.2%
Pregnant Women Attending 4 or more Antenatal Care Visits	23.1%
Vitamin A supplementation (6-59 months)	0.0%
Households Consuming Adequately Iodized Salt	53.8%
Women's Empowerment	
Female literacy	12.1%
Female employment rate	60.2%
Median age at first marriage	_
Access to skilled birth attendant	22.7%
Women who have first birth before age 18	44.4%
Fertility rate	6.9
Other Nutrition-relevant indicators	
Rate of urbanization	20.83%
Income share held by lowest 20%	6.26%
Calories per capita per day (kcal/capita/day)	2,053.4
Energy from non-staples in supply	34.23%
Iron availability from animal products (mg/capita/day)	1.3
Access to Improved Sanitation Facilities	15.4%
Open defecation	65.6%
Access to Improved Drinking Water Sources	52.1%
Access to Piped Water on Premises	5.3%
Surface Water as Drinking Water Source	3.6%
GDP per capita (current USD, 2013)	1,046.00
Exports-Agr Products per capita (current USD, 2012)	-
Imports-Agr Products per capita (current USD, 2012)	_

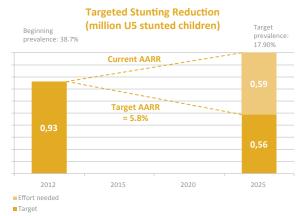


#### Distribution of stunting across wealth quintiles



#### **Trend of Exclusive Breastfeeding Rate**





## Bringing people together into a shared space for action

A multi-sectoral and multi-stakeholder platform (PMS) has been set up, comprising representatives of key public administration sectors, NGO representatives, academics, civil society partners and institutions. The order setting it up will be signed shortly and the focal point has been designated. The President of the National Assembly has set up a network of parliamentarians with nutrition awareness.

The European Union has been designated the focal point of donors.

Meetings take place periodically and specialized technical sub-groups have been set up.

Efforts must continue to expand the number of sectors participating in the platform and to create links with sub-national structures and stakeholders.

### Ensuring a coherent policy and legal framework

The members of the multi-stakeholder platform took part in drafting and validating the national food and nutrition policy and in its inter-sectoral action plan (National Nutrition and Food Policy). Efforts are now focused on getting the government to sign these documents.

A national nutrition and food committee is in the process of being set up.

Chad has a strategic development plan for 2013-2015, a national plan for 2013-2015 for the health sector, and a national food security program, set up in 2010 but efforts are needed to improve nutrition integration and ensure the dissemination of regulations in force. Nutrition legislation, maternity leave and empowerment of women must be stepped up.

The UN action plan for the period 2014-2015, which includes nutrition, is currently being prepared and it follows the broad outline of the strategic development plan.

#### Aligning actions around a Common Results Framework

The national nutrition and food plan is currently being costed and a monitoring and evaluation system is to be incorporated. However, the distribution of tasks and resources requires improvement.

Nutrition program are implemented and assessed on a regular basis. An information system on tools for collecting information on food security has been set up and the Health Ministry has proposed regular mapping to avoid crises.

#### Financial Tracking and resource mobilization

Significant resources mobilized for nutrition, particularly development partners, are mainly directed at responding to emergency situations and to date no analysis has been carried out on current spending. The government provides funds in this area and since 2012; a budget line for nutrition has been established in the form of a grant. Budgetary efforts in relation to nutrition and spending on MSP operations are listed in the 2014-2018 budget, which has not yet been formally released. PSM stakeholders would like to see budget lines defined for all sectors concerned.

## Progress Across Four SUN Processes Chad

