

Welcome to ES718

A new workshop on innovation in global health

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Plan for today

- First 70 minutes: Global Health briefing
- Next 50 minutes: in-class exercise to review useful data sources
 - you may step out for up to 10 minutes for a mini-break
- last hour: share your review with classmates, form teams, and plan for tomorrow

what is global health?

Global health takes on health problems that **cross national boundaries**, traditionally focusing on those that impose the greatest burden in resource-limited settings. To address the challenges, the field now encompasses a broad range of disciplines. Proponents have argued that it should account for “**cultural identities, political organizations, transnational corporations, civil society movements and academic institutions**” (Frenk 2010), along with populations.

Recent reframings of global health place interdependence at the center. If the origins and effects of many of today’s biggest health problems cross national borders, then global health should be less concerned with geographical location or stage of development, and more concerned with the ways in which health issues are interconnected. This new definition of global health thus aligns with calls for multilateral collaboration and learning that flow both ways across state, sector, and socioeconomic boundaries, and for recognizing “the many contributions of both resource-rich and resource-scarce nations” (Fried et al, 10). In fact, some argue that global health is (or should be) “**collaborative trans-national research and action for promoting health for all**” (Beaglehole & Bonita, 10). Others note that acknowledging interrelationships requires **equity to factor into solutions** (Frenk, 10; Piot & Garnett, 10).

Source: Sastry 2011

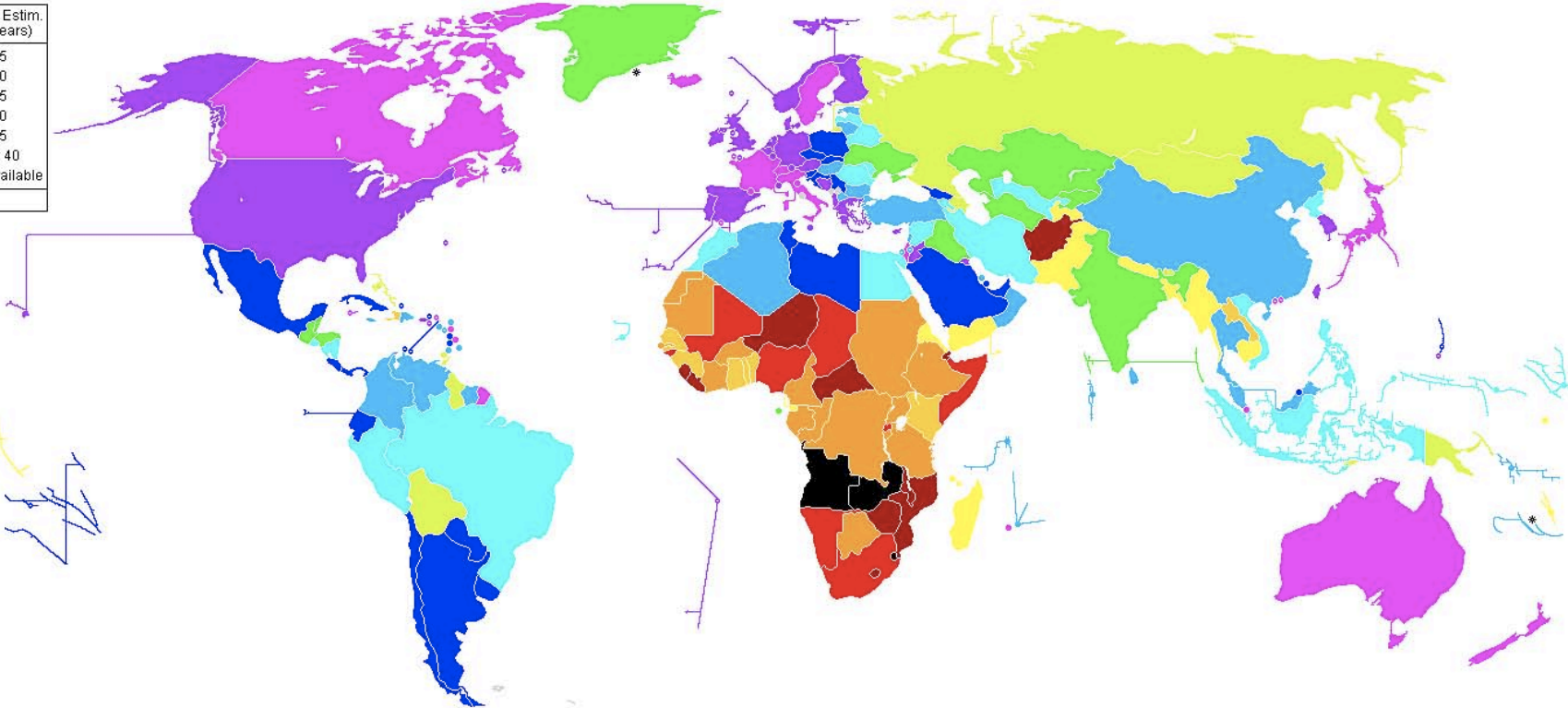
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How long will you live?

CIA World Factbook 2008 Estim.
Life expectancy at birth (years)

over 80	60 - 65
77.5 - 80	55 - 60
75 - 77.5	50 - 55
72.5 - 75	45 - 50
70 - 72.5	40 - 45
67.5 - 70	under 40
65 - 67.5	not available

*/# Dependent territory



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Article and interactive map:

<http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-2240855/How-does-nation-rank-world-map-life-expectancy.html#ixzz2dy9R5IDx>

maternal death

Chance of dying in childbirth

- in Boston
 - 1 in 4,800
- In Burundi
 - 1 in 16
- in Austria
 - 1 in 21,500
- world
 - 1 in 92

A women's lifetime risk of dying from pregnancy-related complications:
Niger: 1 in 7
Ireland: 1 in 48,000

What's the response?

Alma Ata Declaration 1978

Health for All in the 21st Century 1998

People's Health Charter 2000

Millennium
Development Goals
2000

Universal Declaration of Human Rights 1948

UN Millennium Goals

- Goal 1: Eradicate extreme hunger and poverty
- Goal 2: Achieve universal primary education
- Goal 3: Promote gender equality and empower women
- Goal 4: Reduce child mortality
- Goal 5: Improve maternal health
- Goal 6: Combat HIV/AIDS, Malaria and other diseases
- Goal 7: Ensure environmental sustainability
- Goal 8: Develop a global partnership for development

See [http://www.un.org/millenniumgoals/pdf/\(2011_E\)%20MDG%20Report%202011_Book%20LR.pdf](http://www.un.org/millenniumgoals/pdf/(2011_E)%20MDG%20Report%202011_Book%20LR.pdf)

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IMPLEMENTATION GAP

Global health delivery failures



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Intervention

ARVs for PMTCT

Reduce HIV transmission by 40%

Implementation

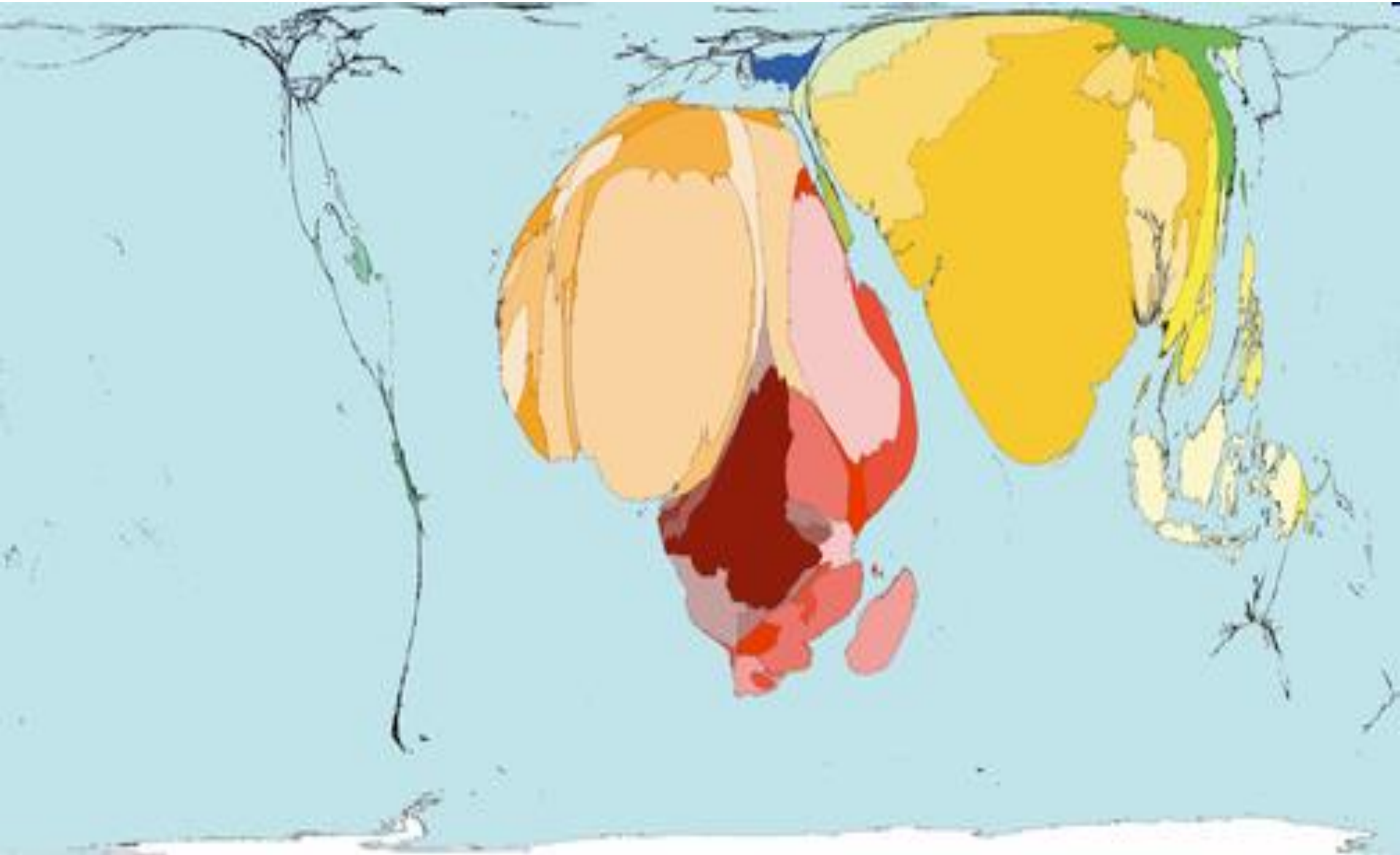
9% coverage of women overall and 50% of women who test positive in a clinic are given ARVs for PMTCT

ITNs for Malaria Prevention

Reduce infant mortality by 23%

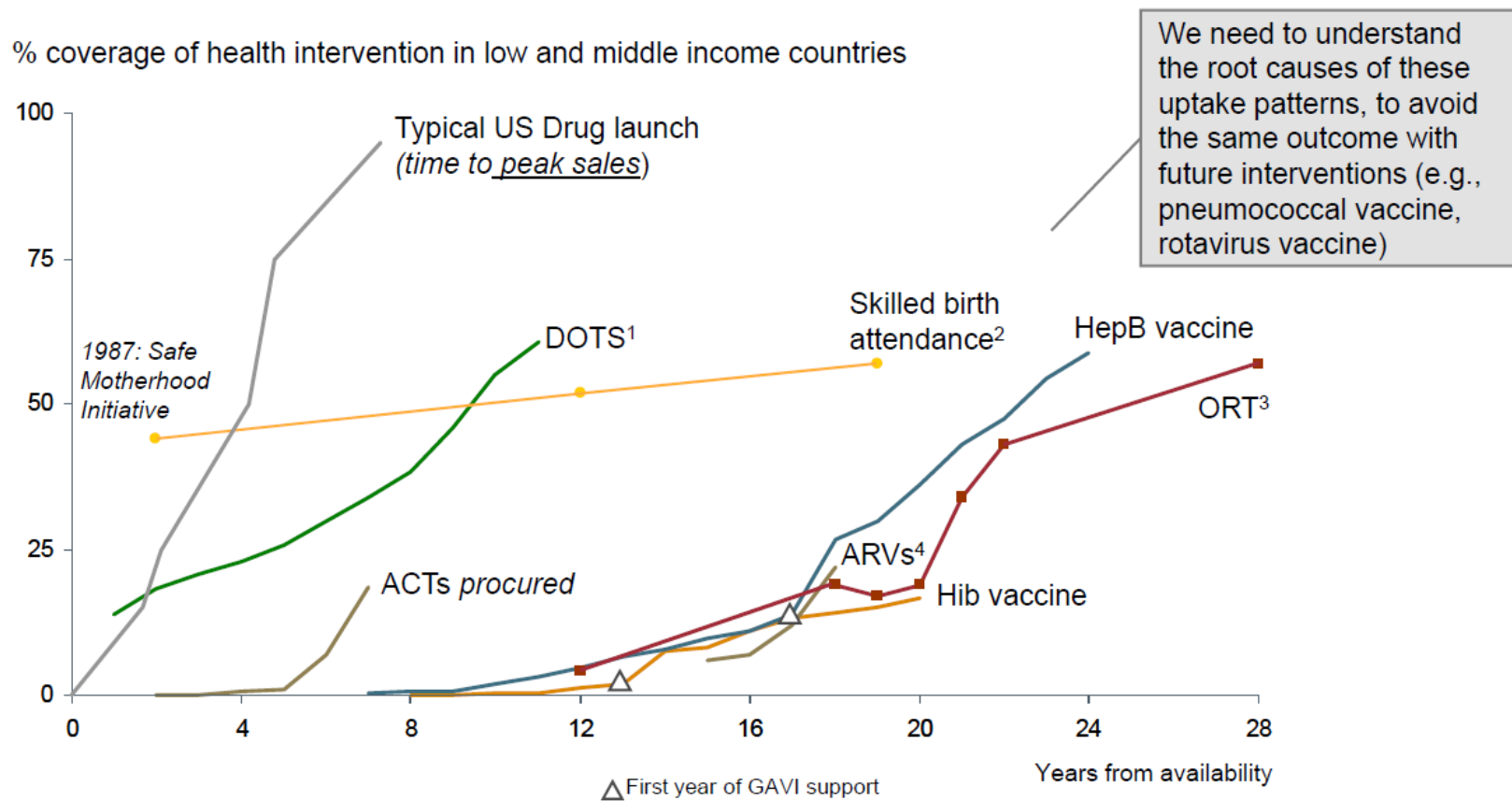
Only 24% of children in endemic areas sleep under nets

Vaccine-Preventable Deaths



Critical health interventions have historically faced slow uptake and low coverage

Gaps in coverage fall disproportionately on the poor, and amplify inequity



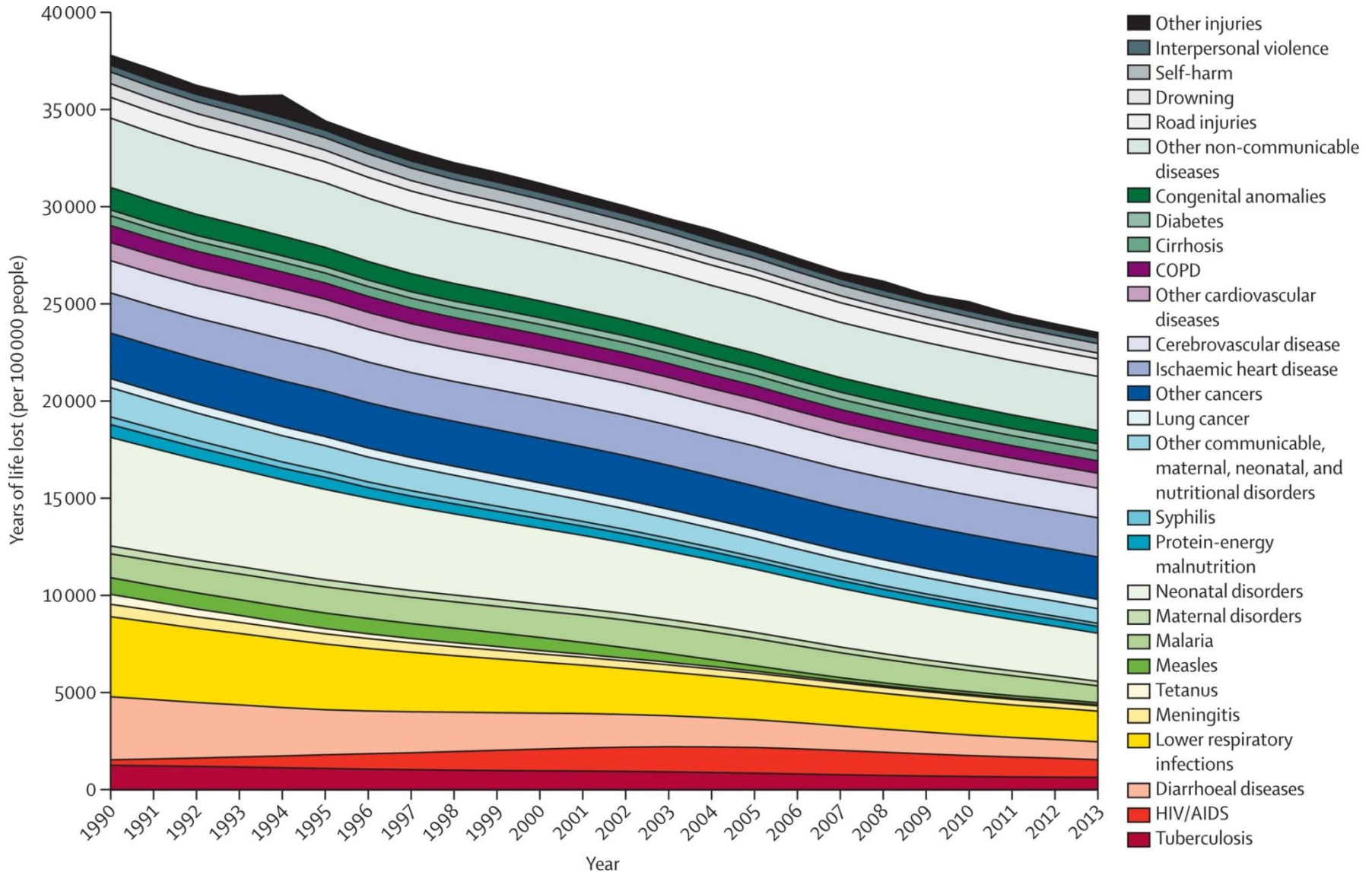
1. DOTS represents a new model to deliver older technologies (drugs), so uptake is faster than completely new interventions 2. Skilled birth attendance is an ancient intervention, but its introduction is measured from 1987, when the Safe Motherhood Initiative was launched. Skilled birth attendance is considerably lower in Sub-Saharan Africa, where it is only 44%.3. Average of 49 countries reporting ORS rates 1999-2005, weighted by population under 15 years old 4. NRTIs were first approved in 1987, which is used as the start date. NNRTIs were approved in 1997 while PIs were approved in 1995. 6 million people are estimated to need ARVs. 5. ACT coverage is overstated as numbers represent only those procured, not those properly administered. Source: WHO/UNICEF; World Bank; BCG analysis

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**HOW DO YOU CHOOSE WHERE TO
FOCUS?**

START WITH BURDEN OF DISEASE

Years of life lost by cause

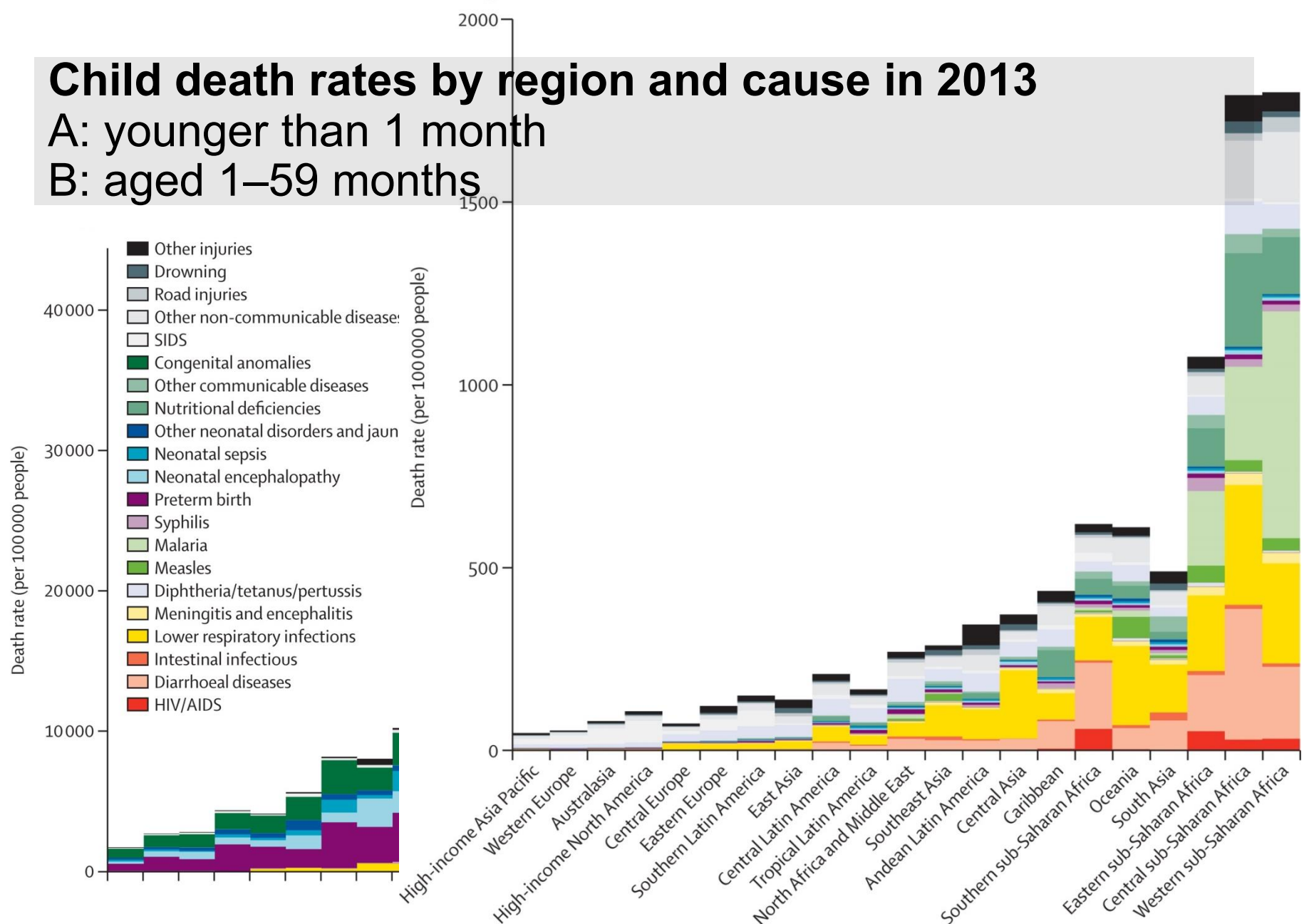


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Child death rates by region and cause in 2013

A: younger than 1 month

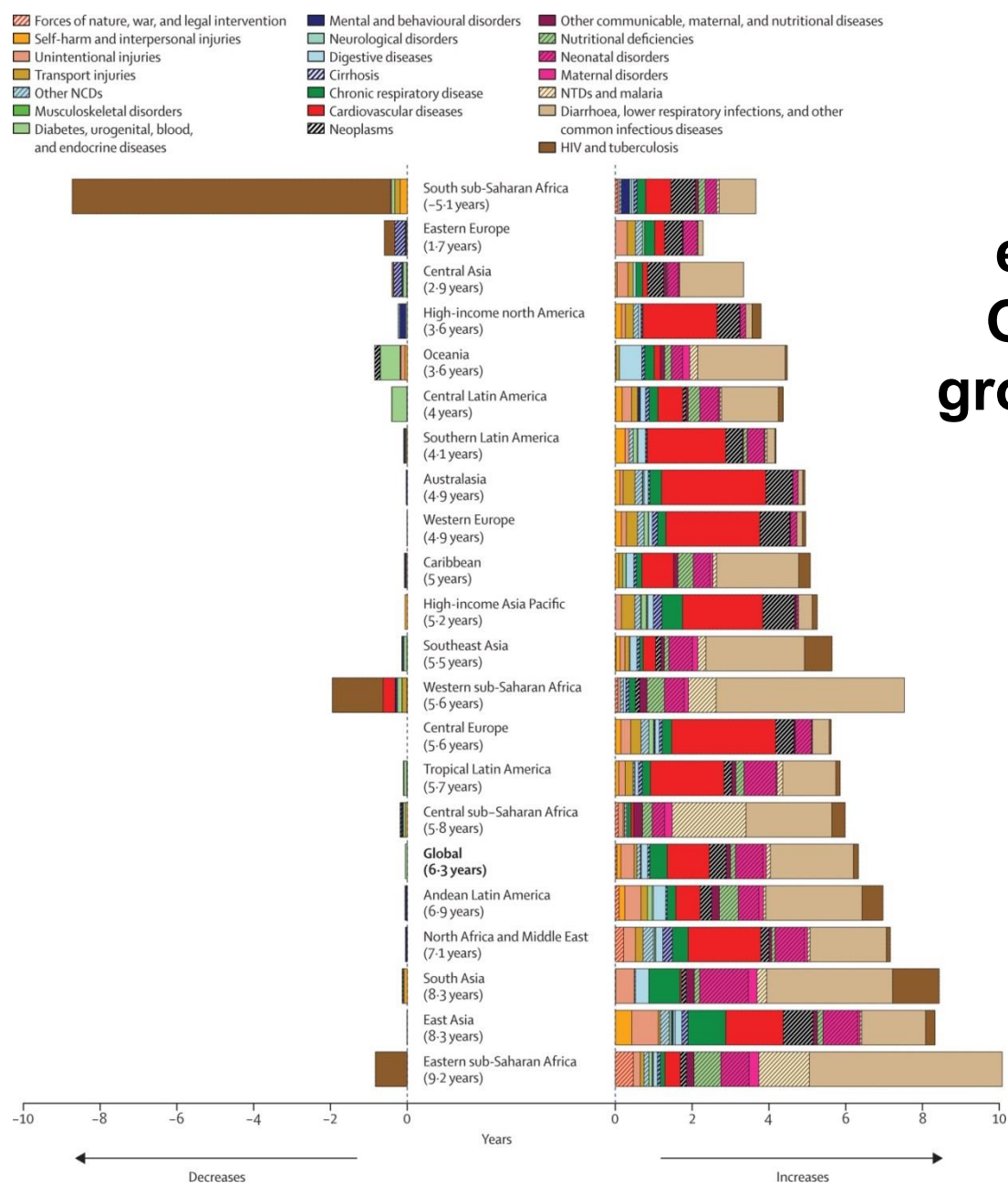
B: aged 1–59 months



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Top 50 causes of global years of life lost in 1990 and 2013

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Change in life expectancy at birth by GBD region and cause group from 1990 to 2013

An interactive figure with these data is available at <http://vizhub.healthdata.org/le>. Changes in life expectancy as a result of specific causes were decomposed from the difference between all-cause lifetables and cause-deleted lifetables (mortality set to zero for a specific cause). Because all changes in life expectancy are based on cross-sectional lifetables, the cause-specific changes add up to the total change in life expectancy. NTDs=neglected tropical diseases

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Quantifying the Burden of Disease from mortality and morbidity

Disability-Adjusted Life Year (DALY)

Definition

- One DALY can be thought of as one lost year of "healthy" life. The sum of these DALYs across the population, or the burden of disease, can be thought of as a measurement of the gap between current health status and an ideal health situation where the entire population lives to an advanced age, free of disease and disability.
- DALYs for a disease or health condition are calculated as the sum of the Years of Life Lost (YLL) due to premature mortality in the population and the Years Lost due to Disability (YLD) for incident cases of the health condition:

Calculation

$$\text{DALY} = \text{YLL} + \text{YLD}$$

- The YLL basically correspond to the number of deaths multiplied by the standard life expectancy at the age at which death occurs. The basic formula for YLL (without yet including other social preferences discussed below), is the following for a given cause, age and sex: $\text{YLL} = \text{N} \times \text{L}$

where:

N = number of deaths

L = standard life expectancy at age of death in years

- Because YLL measure the incident stream of lost years of life due to deaths, an incidence perspective is also taken for the calculation of YLD. To estimate YLD for a particular cause in a particular time period, the number of incident cases in that period is multiplied by the average duration of the disease and a weight factor that reflects the severity of the disease on a scale from 0 (perfect health) to 1 (dead). The basic formula for YLD is the following (again, without applying social preferences): $\text{YLD} = \text{I} \times \text{DW} \times \text{L}$

where:

I = number of incident cases

DW = disability weight

L = average duration of the case until remission or death (years)

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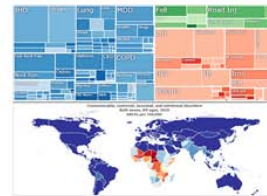
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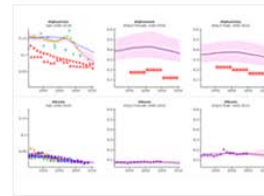
Not sure which visualization will provide you with the results you are looking for? [Click here](#) for a guide that will help you determine which tool will best address your data needs.

GBD Compare is new to IHME's lineup of visualizations and has countless options for exploring health data. To help you navigate this new tool, we have a [video tutorial](#) that will orient you to its controls and show you how to interact with the data. You can also [watch the video](#) of IHME Director Christopher Murray presenting the tools for the first time at the public launch on March 5, 2013.

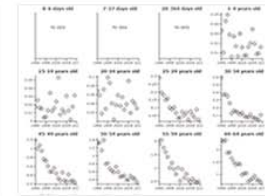
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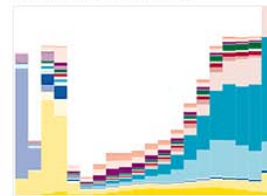
Mortality Visualization



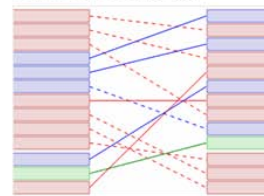
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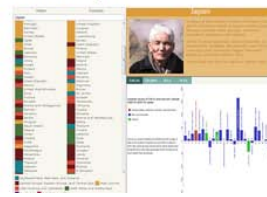
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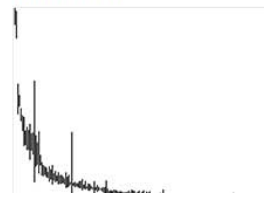
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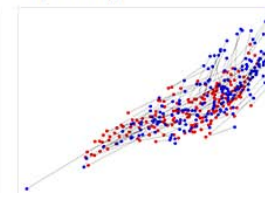
GBD Insight



GBD Uncertainty Visualization



Healthy years lost vs life expectancy



Age distribution of burden of disease by country income group, 2004

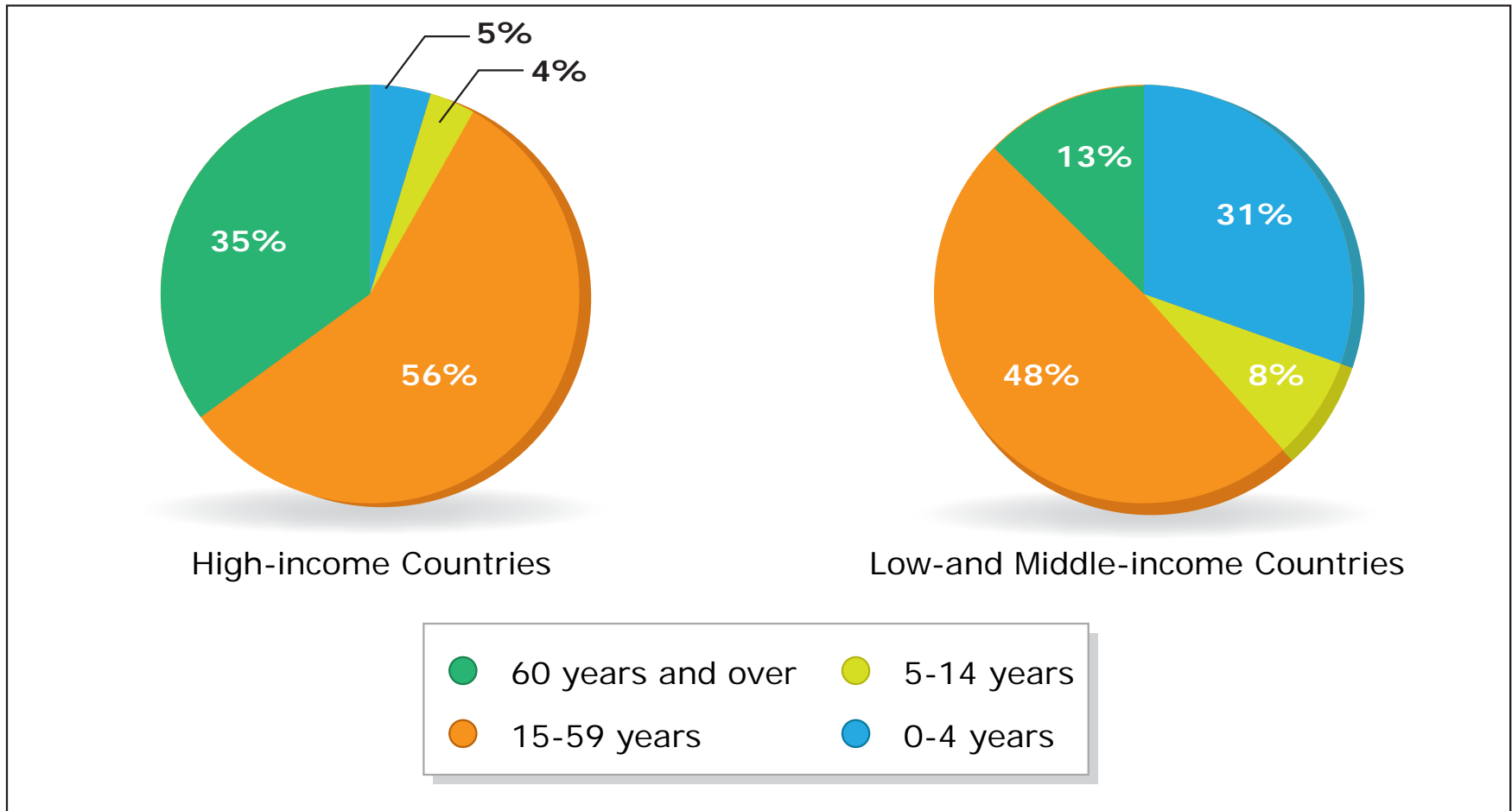


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Urban-rural differences, 2000-2008

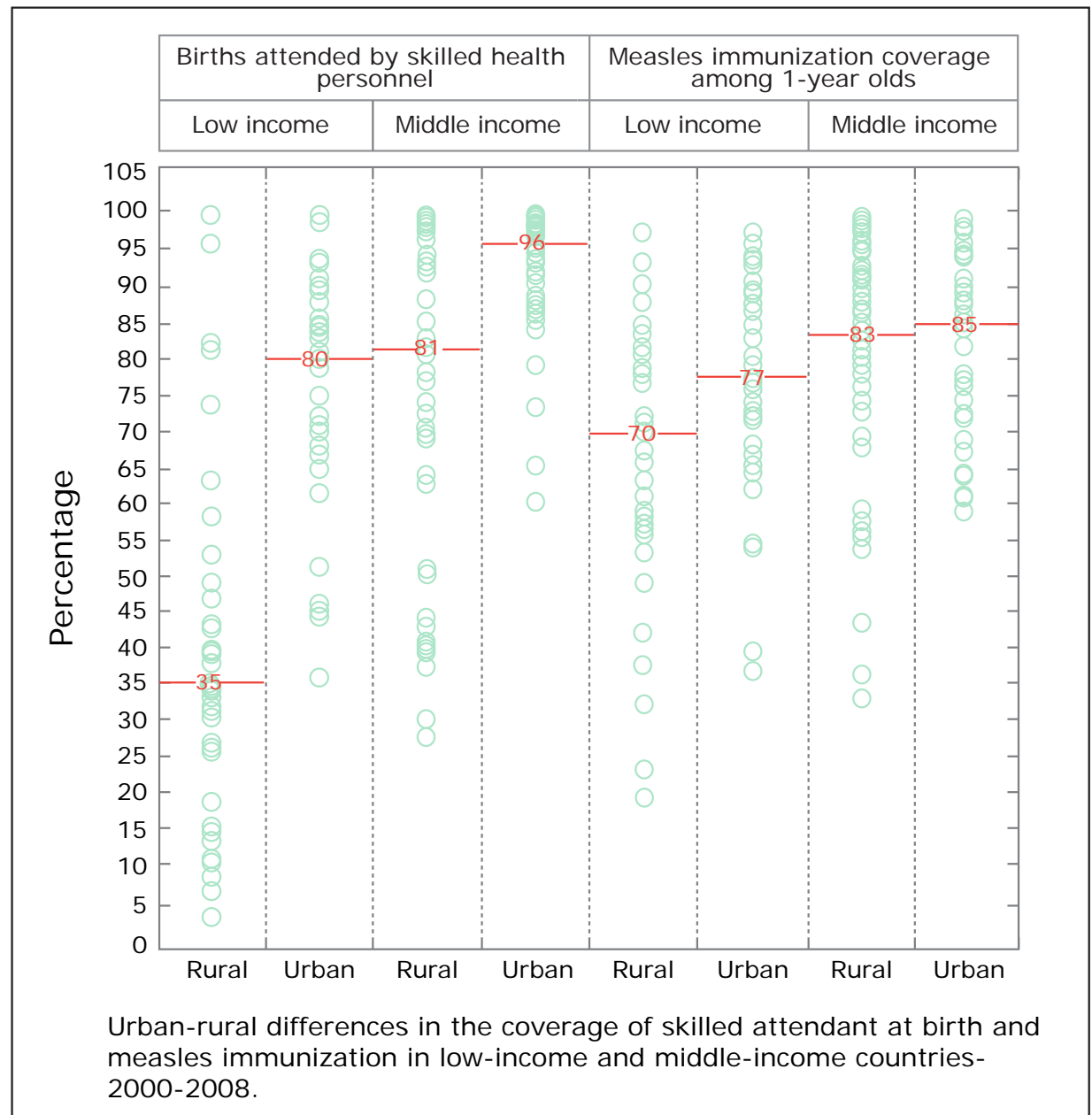


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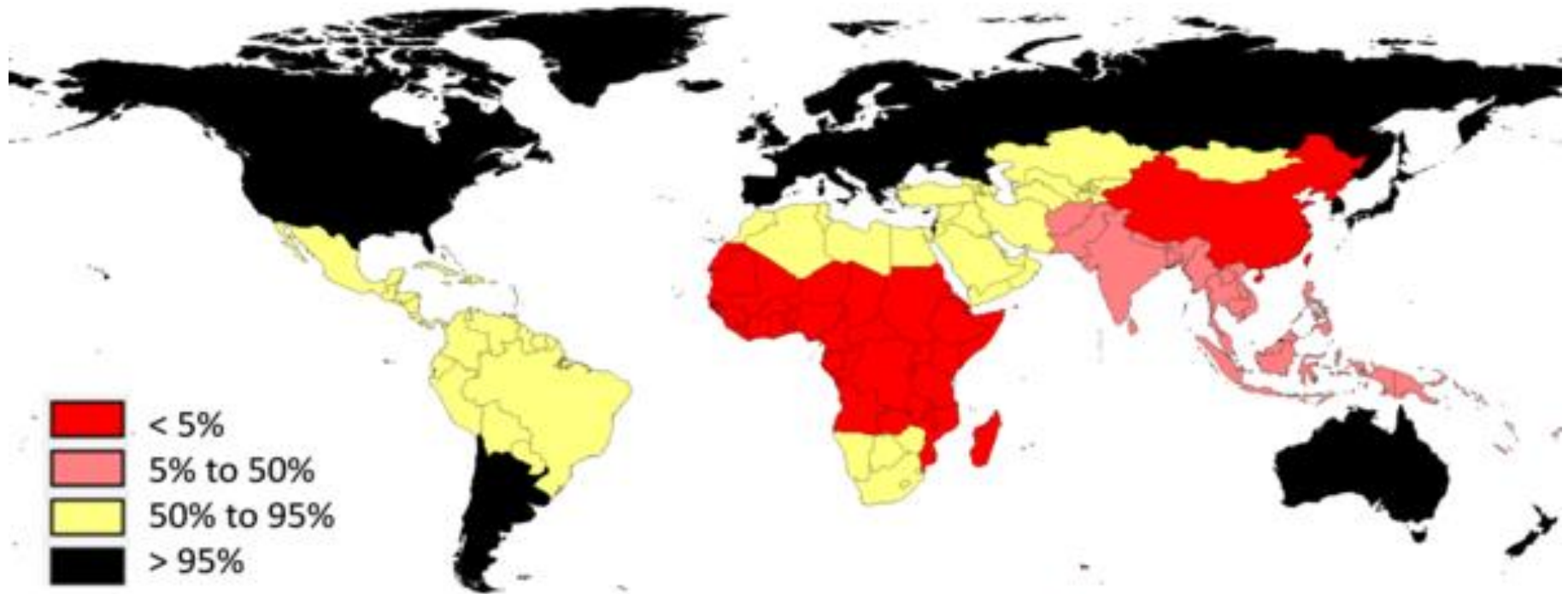
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SO, WHAT IS MOST NEEDED?

WE DEFINITELY NEED BETTER DATA

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Proportions of deaths covered by vital registration (by GBD-2010 regions)



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NEEDED INPUTS ARE MISSING

Doctors per person

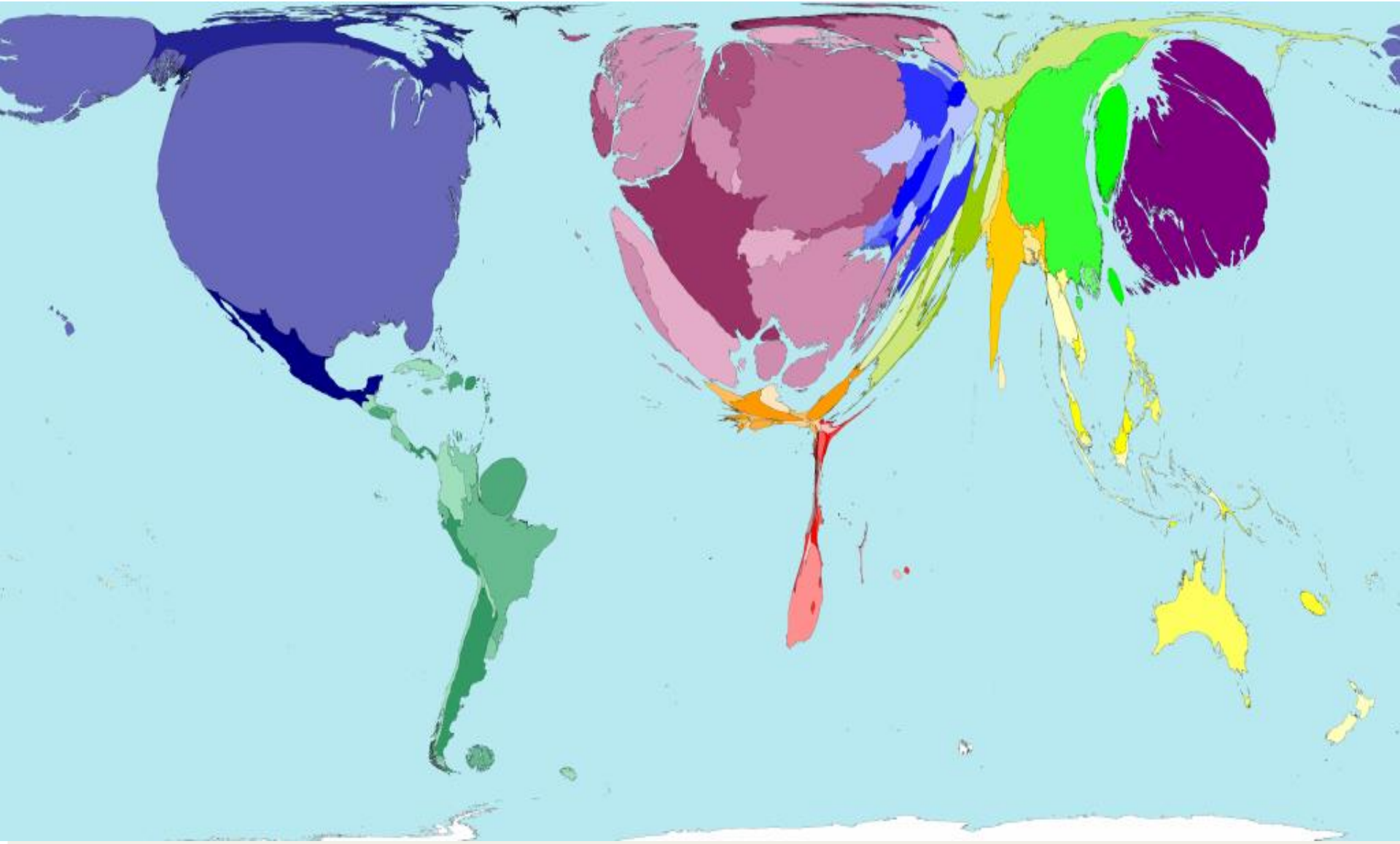
- In Massachusetts? 4.69 (nonfederal) per 1,000
- In Malawi? 0.02

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**MAYBE IT COMES DOWN TO MONEY:
NEED MORE ECONOMIC INPUTS**

Public Health Spending



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Health Expenditure Per Capita (PPP; International \$, 2010)

World map depicting health expenditure per capita removed due to copyright restrictions.

Source: Kaiser Family Foundation. "[Health Expenditure Per Capita \(PPP; International \\$, 2010\)](#)."

Comparing the US and Malawi

	Malawi	US
% GDP on health	9.1	15.2
Per capita health spending (PPP \$)	49	7,164
Pvt spend as % of total	39.4	52.2
Children/woman	5.5	2.1
Gross nat'l income per capita (PPP \$)	760	45,640
% population living on under PPP\$1/day	73.9	-

Note **2008 & 2009** data. Source:

<http://www.who.int/whosis/whostat/2011/en/index.html>

Development Assistance For Health, By Channel Of Assistance, 1990–2013.

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US-based NGOs with highest cumulative overseas health expenditure, 2007-2010

Rank	Organization	Overseas health expenditure, adjusted	Overseas health expenditure, unadjusted	Overseas expenditure, unadjusted	Percent of revenue from private sources	Percent of revenue from in-kind contributions
1	Population Services International	1392.35	1392.36	1784.37	17.72	0.00
2	Catholic Relief Services	910.90	916.74	2750.85	32.11	0.85
3	Food for the Poor	793.18	3009.92	4709.03	98.55	90.08
4	PATH	667.75	683.20	799.46	78.67	2.91
5	Clinton Health Access Initiative	626.77	631.74	709.96	55.57	1.11
6	Management Sciences for Health, Inc.	577.22	577.22	609.58	0.77	0.00
7	Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation	411.98	413.23	434.94	15.60	0.37
8	CARE	355.95	358.28	2418.42	29.20	0.79
9	Save the Children	319.19	334.16	1701.05	50.34	5.70
10	World Vision	312.68	418.08	3440.61	78.01	30.81
11	Pathfinder International	307.76	310.04	354.37	22.83	0.85
12	MAP International	292.88	1384.72	1509.19	99.51	96.67
13	International Medical Corps	276.74	397.24	414.48	49.65	37.05
14	Rotary Foundation of Rotary International	271.83	271.83	587.14	99.99	0.00
15	Brother's Brother Foundation	239.60	1277.34	1919.16	99.96	99.36
16	Academy for Educational Development	232.72	233.93	943.28	11.21	0.62
17	Project HOPE	230.00	593.09	643.90	94.00	75.02
18	United Nations Foundation	219.47	230.85	342.12	88.30	8.63
19	Catholic Medical Mission Board	217.70	877.54	928.34	99.37	91.99
20	Feed the Children	212.60	738.36	2114.31	99.64	87.13

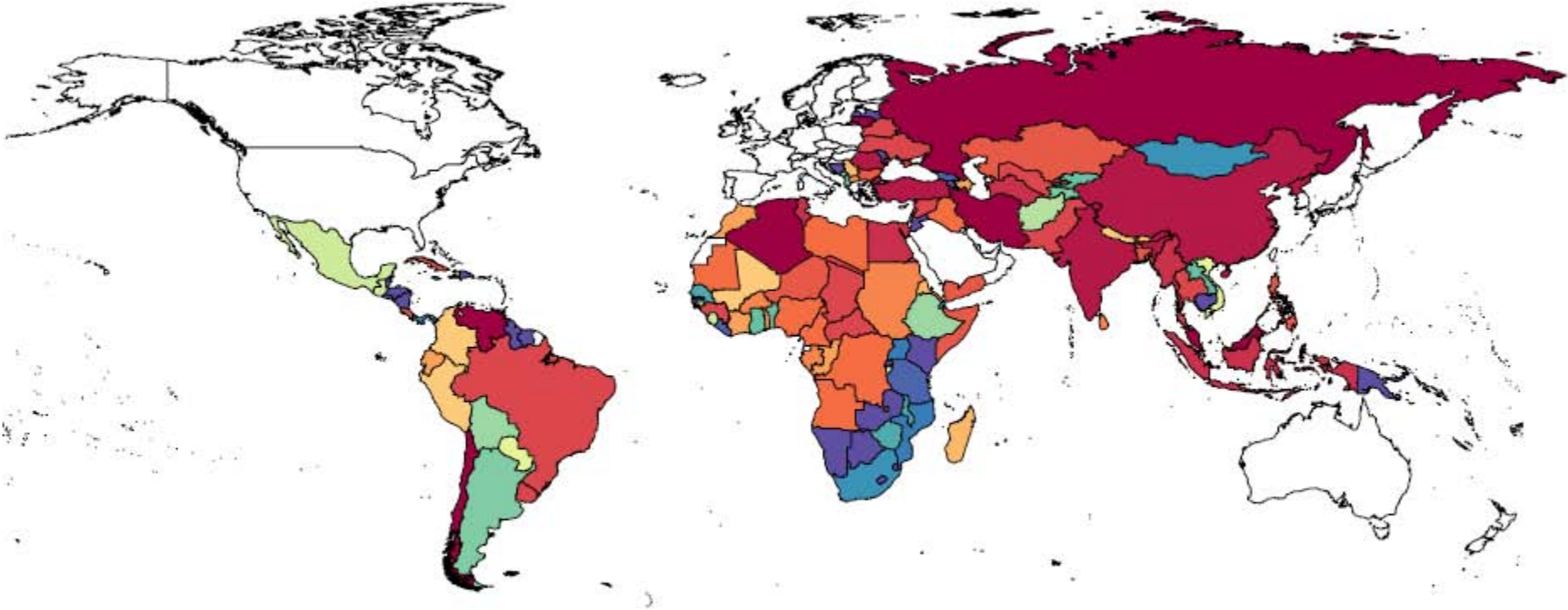
Source: IHME DAH Database 2013

Notes: Expenditures shown in millions of 2011 US dollars. Overseas health expenditure for 2011-2013 is not included because of data limitations. Data reflect NGOs registered with USAID. Adjusted overseas health expenditure reflects deflated private in-kind donations plus unadjusted financial assistance.

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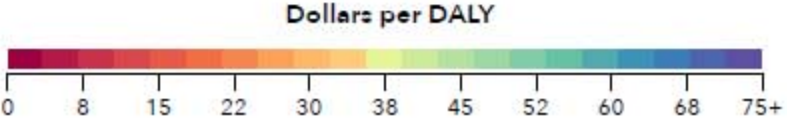
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DAH per all-cause DALY, 2009-2011



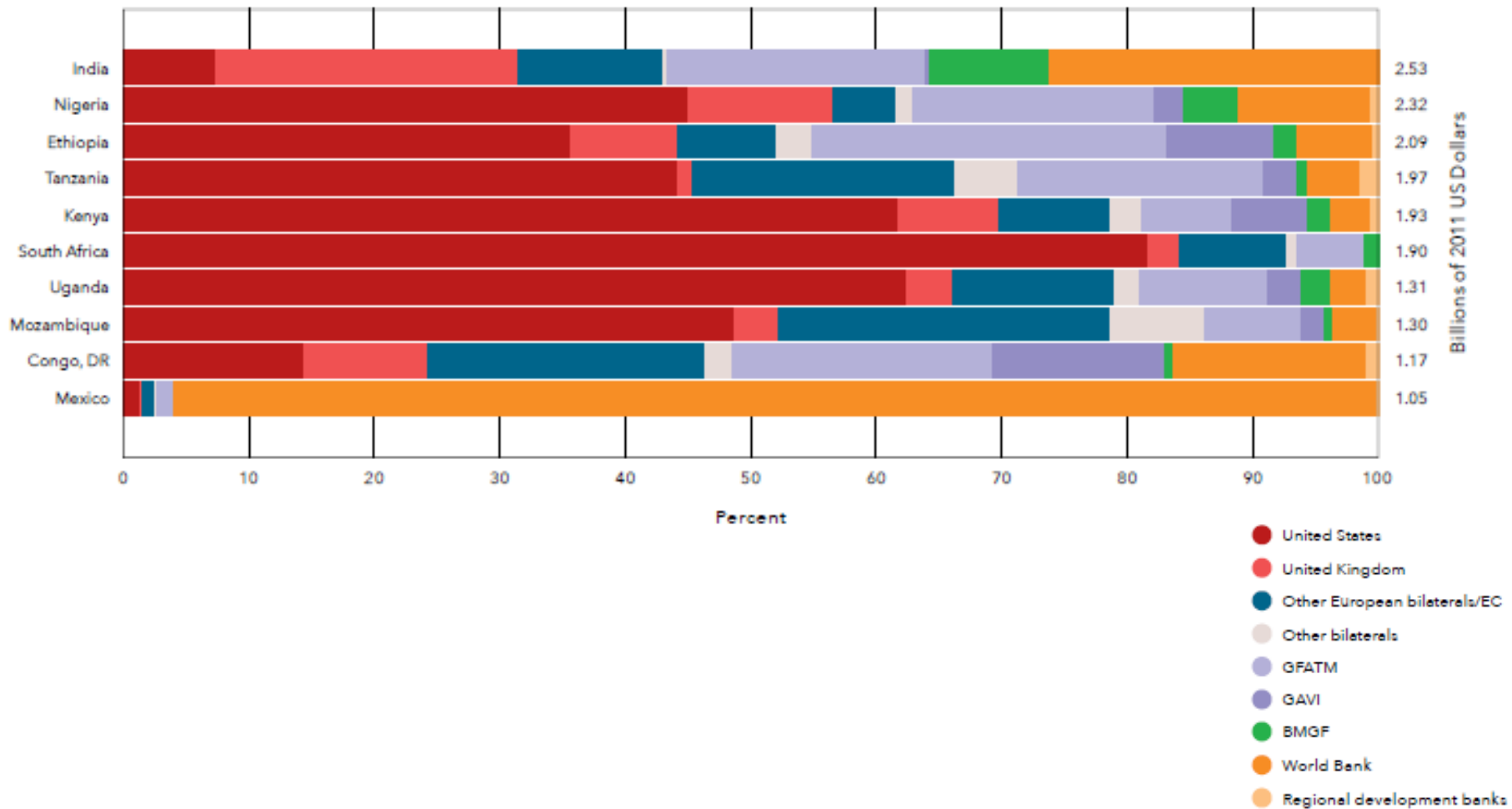
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Notes: Countries that were ineligible for DAH based on their World Bank income classification are shown in white. DAH received is shown in real 2011 US dollars.



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Top 10 country recipients of DAH by channel of assistance, 2009-2011

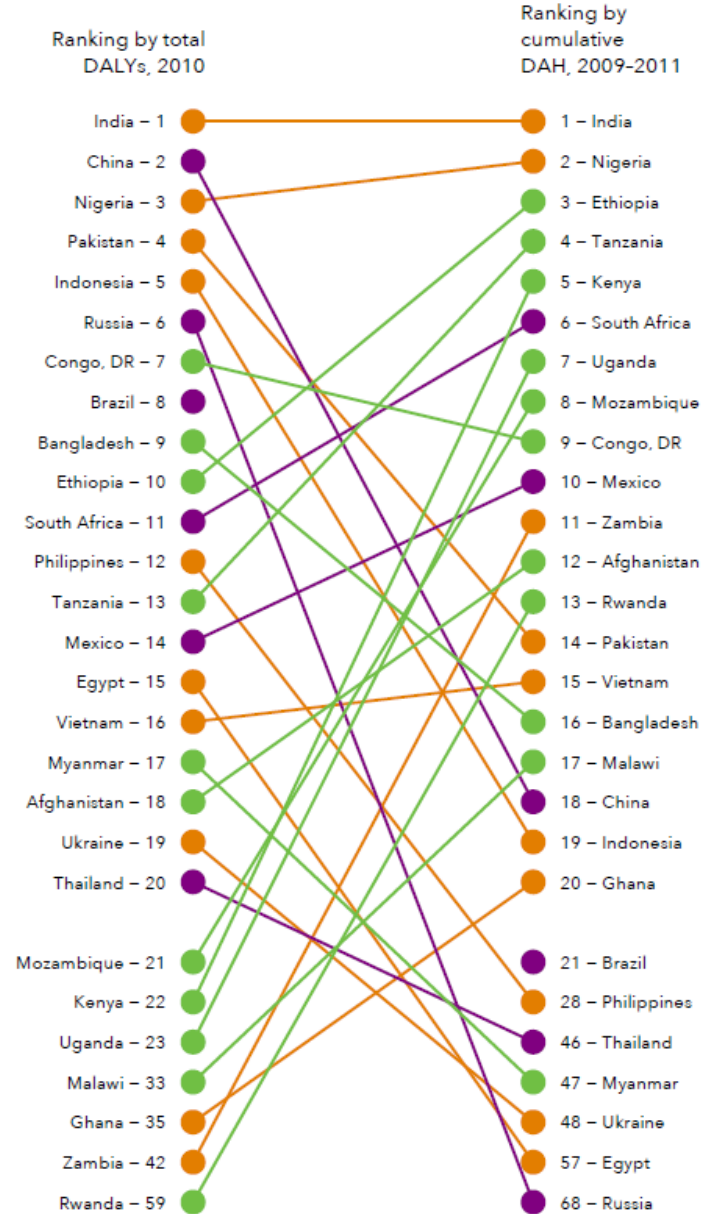


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Notes: The amount of DAH received by each country in billions of 2011 US dollars is shown on the right of the figure. The amount reflects only DAH allocable by country.

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Top 20 countries by 2010 all-cause burden of disease versus cumulative 2009–2011 DAH



● Low-income countries
● Lower-middle-income countries
● Upper-middle-income countries

Sources: IHME DAH Database 2013 and Global Burden of Disease Study 2010

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Now go watch this!

Reducing child mortality – a moral and environmental imperative

[15 minutes run time] September 27, 2010

Alternate link to the video

Many countries are making good progress towards MDG4 and it's time to stop talking about Sub-Saharan Africa as one place.

So, it's not all bad news—and

Rosling makes stats
and data compelling!

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MENTAL HEALTH

Mental health workforce shortages in 58 low- and middle-income countries

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"The Mental Health Workforce Gap in Low- and Middle-income Countries: A Needs-based Approach."
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[The mental health workforce gap in low- and middle-income countries: a needs-based approach.](#)

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Key background knowledge you'll need

1. India health outcomes; budget and government
2. technology, mHealth
3. innovations in mental health care; mental health in India
4. India healthcare delivery (esp mental hlth), service quality, HR, task shift
5. India health system
6. India social factors, poverty, equity

Next 40 minutes

Peruse your assigned materials, working in pairs

- Skim all articles
- Read several of them carefully

For your favorite readings, prepare a three-point briefing

- What's the particular resource about, in a nutshell?
- What is really great/interesting/valuable?
- What is missing? (what do you wish you knew more about?)

feel free to note pages or figures you think are most useful

Form groups

- Please mingle and form teams of 4; there may be one team of 5.
- Look for diverse backgrounds in your team
- You will work together tomorrow and Wednesday.
- I will assign your topics shortly.

Aging

Alcohol use disorders, addiction

Child development and disability

Maternal mental health

**OUR FOUR FOCAL AREAS ARE
GLOBAL NEEDS**

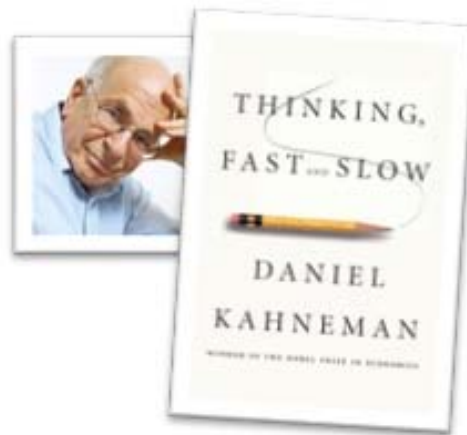
Sustaining Healthy Behavior Change

Personalized Health Technology
wirelessly and simultaneously tracks behavior change and delivers tailored recommendations to advance individual health.



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Behavioral Economics
incentivizes and nudges individuals to make healthy decisions.



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Smart Data Analytics
Analyses using health data provides new insights to drive healthy behaviors.



Healthy Behavior Change

Tonight's assignment

Read the following:

- Patel on SUNDAR (2.5 pp)
- Sangath for MIT intro, biosketches, key concepts (10 pp)
- Sangath Biennial report (review map to p. 30; p. 34-43; p. 47-60; p. 64-65; total 50 pages)
- Optional readings are also included in the folder numbered 0.

Come to class with at least one question for Sangath mapped out in writing. We kick off at 8 am with a joint call to all seven experts assigned to work with us.

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