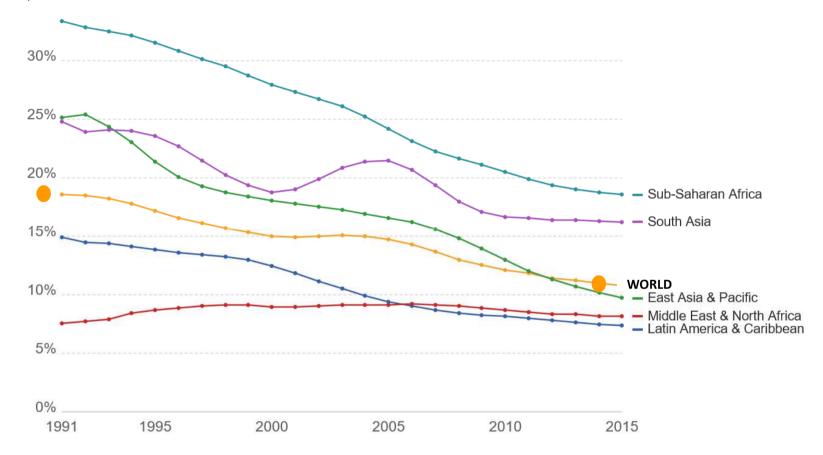


# NUEVOS RETOS DE LA NUTRICION Nutricion temprana: una prioridad para la sociedad

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#### Share of the population that is undernourished

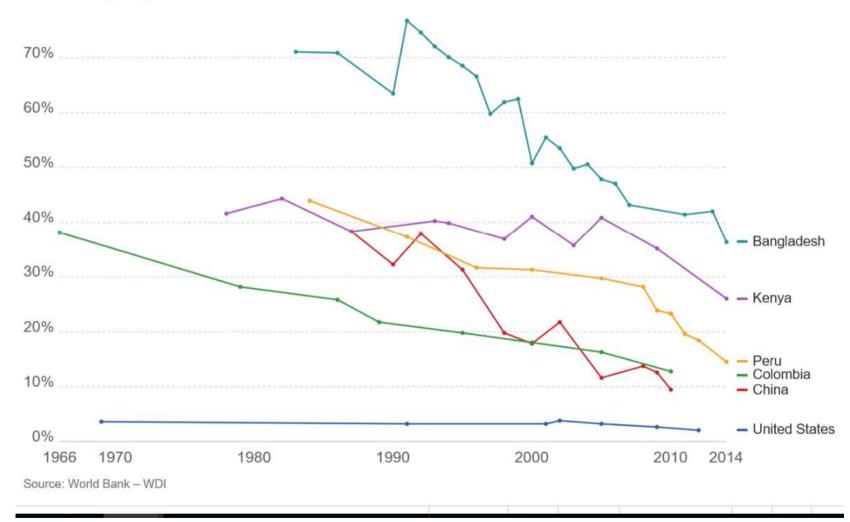
This is the main FAO hunger indicator. It measures the share of the population that has a caloric intake which is insufficient to meet the minimum energy requirements necessary for a given individual. Data showing as 5 may signify a prevalence of undernourishment below 5%.



Source: UN Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO)

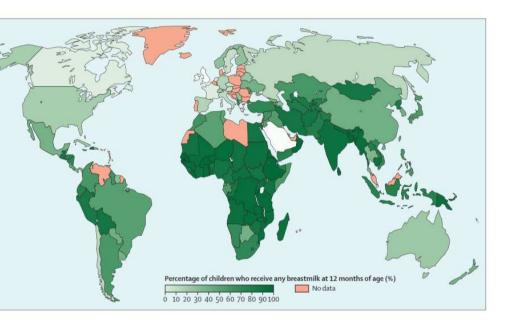
Note: Developed countries are not included in the regional estimates since the prevalence is below 5%.

Share of children younger than 5 who suffer from stunting
Share of children younger than 5 years that fall below two standard deviations from the median height-for-age of the
WHO Child Growth Standards. When data for the indicated year is not available the closest observation is shown (within a tolerance of 5 years).



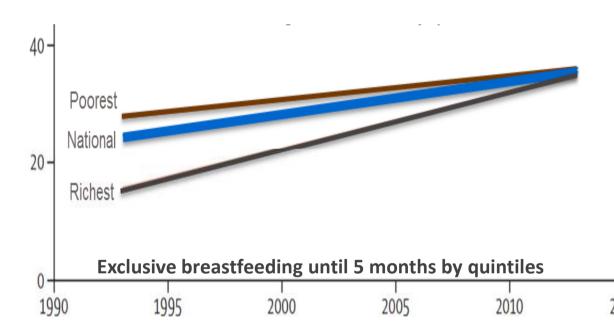
#### Breastfeeding rates are increasing globally

 Breastfeeding is more prolonged in LMICs



Breastfeeding at 12 months
Global distribution

• But fastest rates of increase are in the richer strata

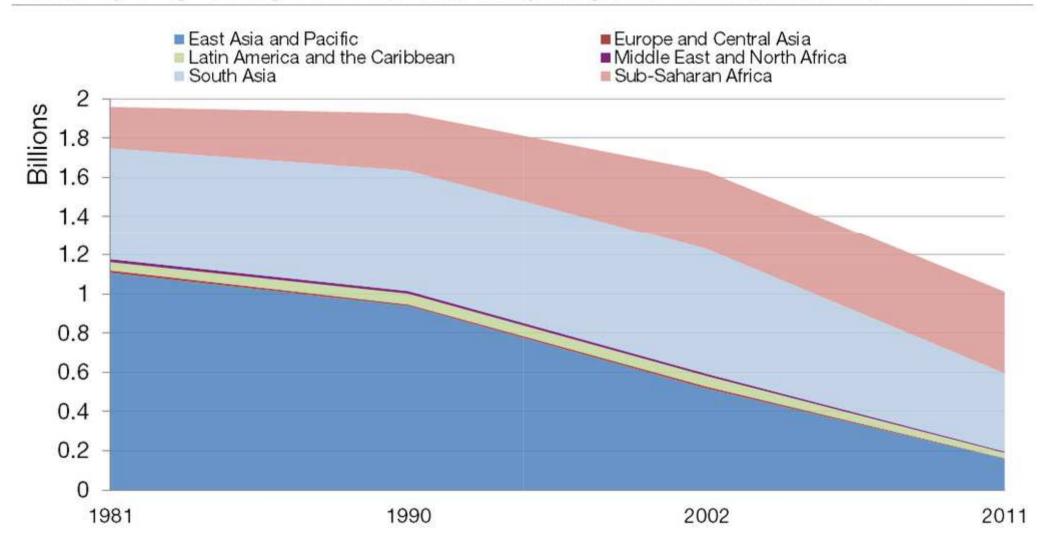


National Rates and and Wealth Related Rates of Breastfeeding 1993 -2013



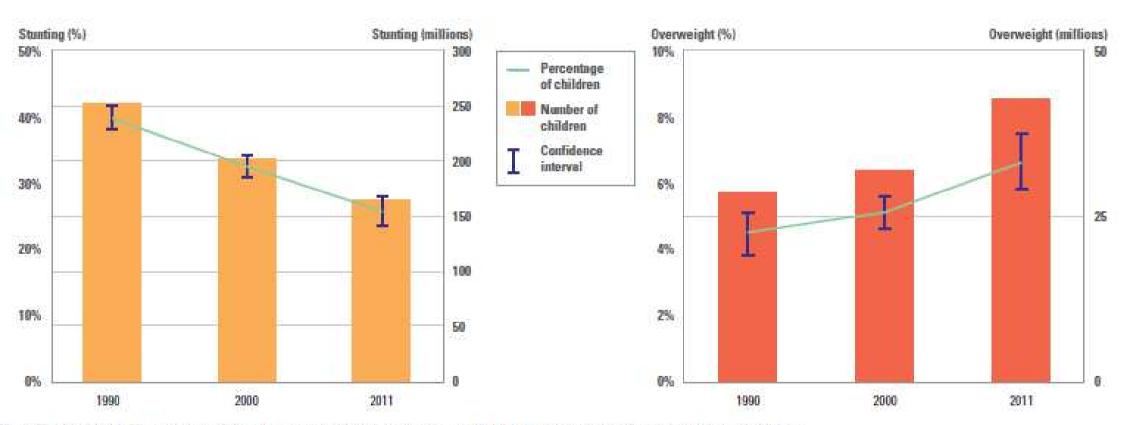
#### The number of people living in extreme poverty, 1981-2011

"Extreme poverty" is living on less than \$1.25 USD per day in 2005 International Dollar



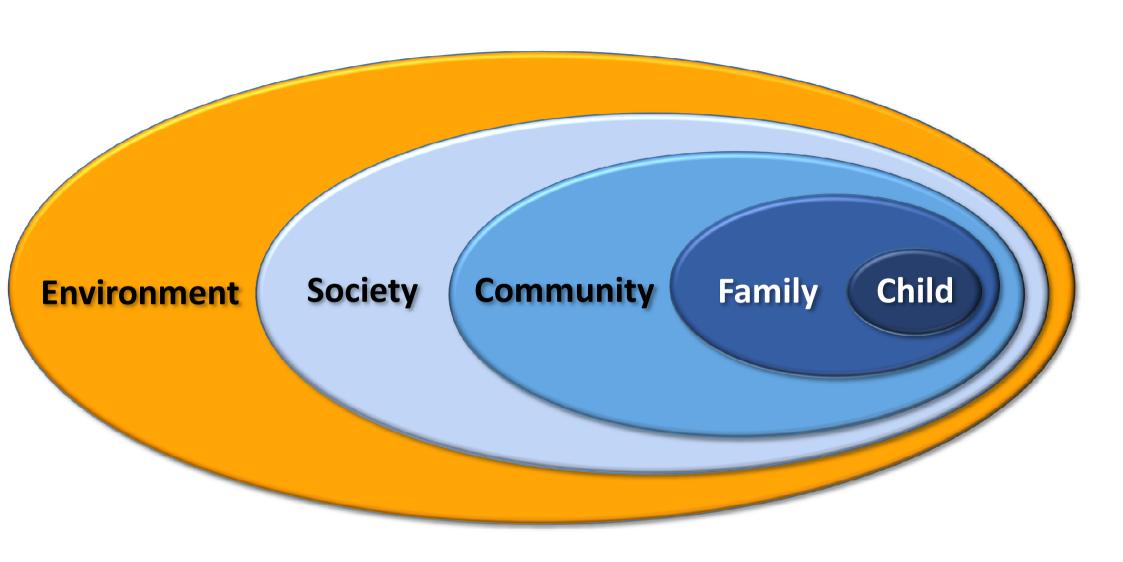
Source: World Bank, Our World in Data

# Stunting and overweight in children under 5 years of age The Double Burden of Obesity and Malnutrition

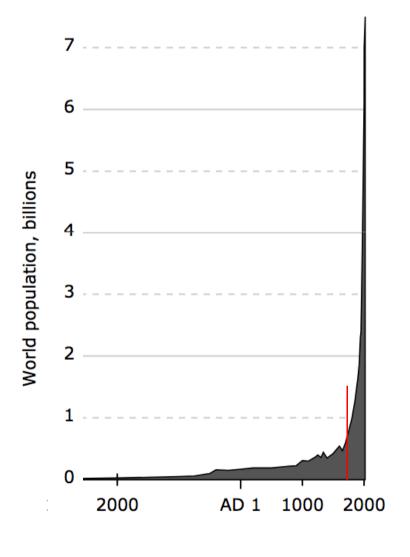


Note: The lines (with 95 per cent confidence intervals) reflect the percentages of children and the bars reflect the numbers of children.

Source: UNICEF, WHO, World Bank, Joint Child Malnutrition Estimates, 2012.



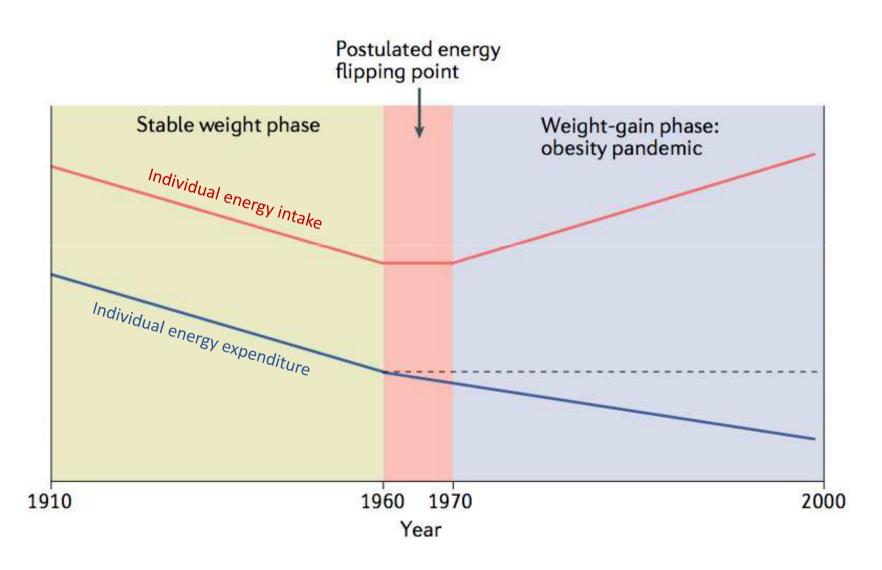
#### World population: In 2050 we will be 9 Billion



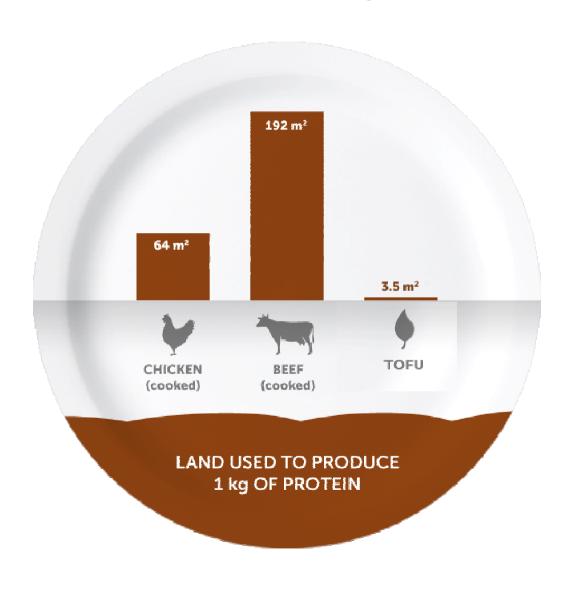
#### Today we have

- 925 Million under-nourished people
- 2 billion (~1/3 of the world population) have a deficiency of iron, iodine, vit A, zinc, or a combination
- 1.9 billion adults were overweight
- 600 million were obese
- 80% of them live in developing countries

#### Secular trends and the energy flipping point

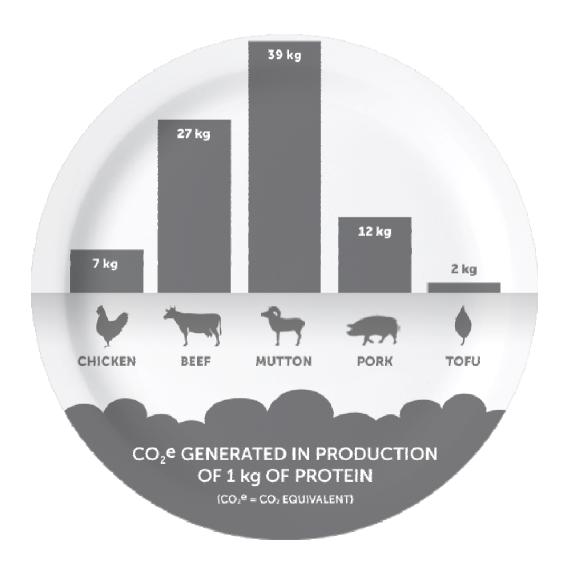


#### **Environmental Impact of Food Production**



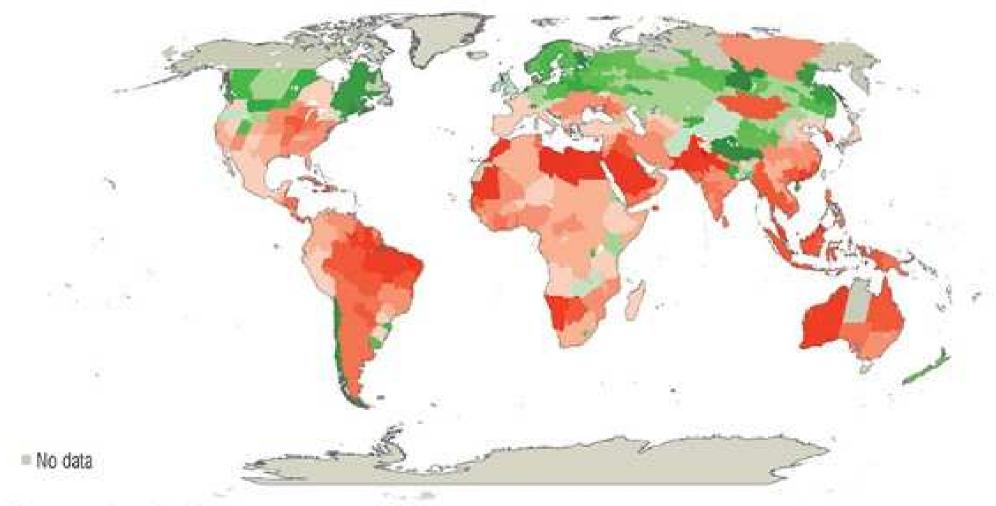
Land use to produce 1 Kg of Protein

#### **Environmental Impact of Food Production**



CO2 generated to produce 1 Kg of Protein

#### Estimated change in crop yield – increase in 3 degrees global temperature



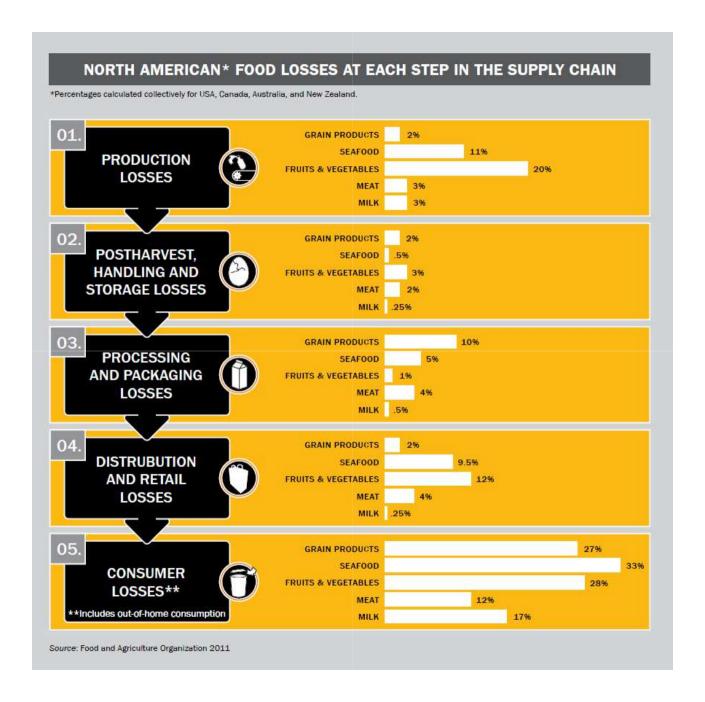
Percentage change in yields between present and 2050

-50% Change +100% Change



#### Climate change & Food and Nutrition

- 2° C rise in temperature –
   220 million at risk of under-nutrition from reduced agricultural output
- 3° C degree rise –
   440 million more at risk
- Changing patterns of disease
- Threat to agriculture & water availability

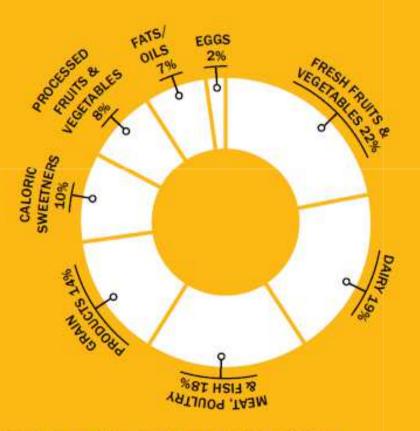


#### **Food Insecurity**

- Worldwide food production: 4,600 Kcal/person/day
- Available for consumption: 2,000 2,800
- FAO: Food production needs to increase by 70% by 2050 to feed 9.1 Billion on increasingly meat dependent diets
- Cutting food losses by ½ could equal 25% food production

#### TOTAL FOOD LOSS FROM RETAIL, FOOD SERVICE AND HOUSEHOLDS

(BREAKDOWN AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL FOOD LOSS)



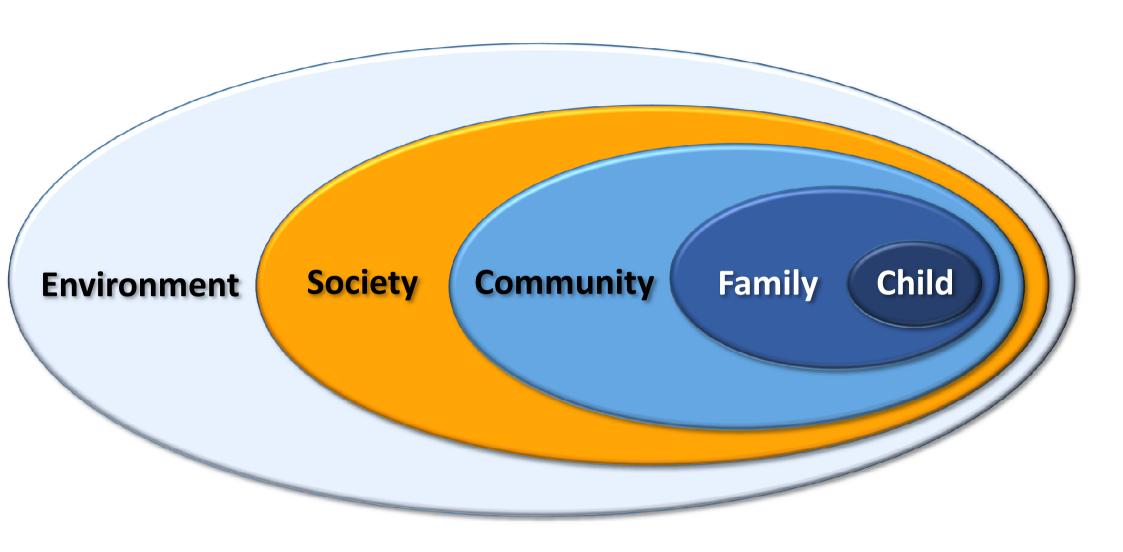
Source: Journal of Consumer Affairs, Fall 2011: 492-515

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Food / Income distribution / Dietary preferences

#### Ecosystem of nutritional determinants

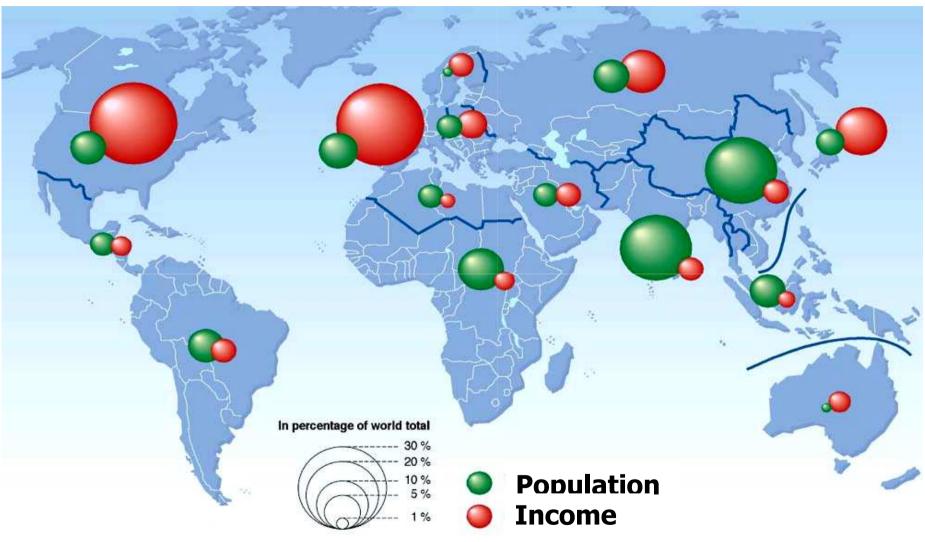




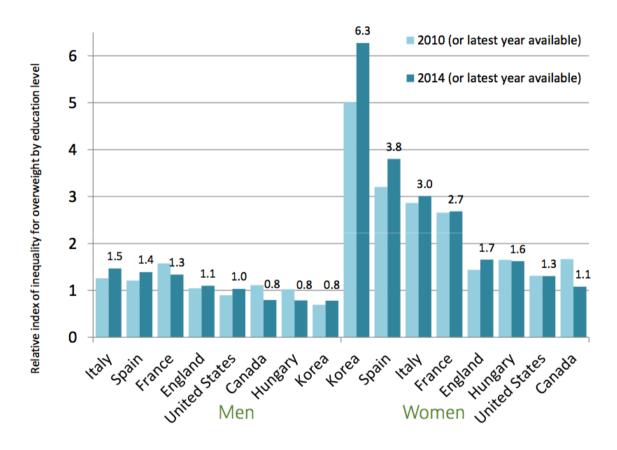




#### world with Inequality

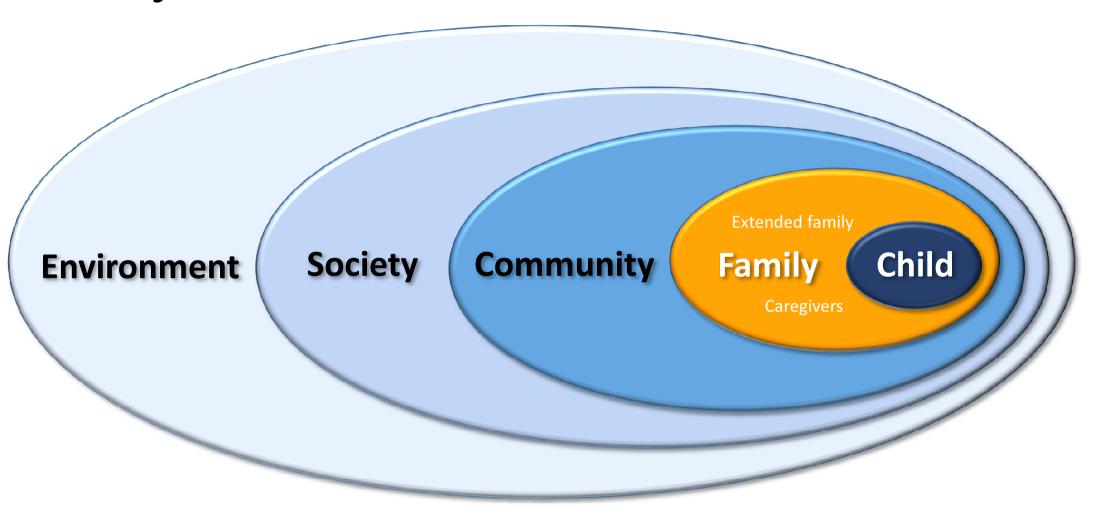


#### isparidades en la epidemia de obesidad



Education-related inequality in overweight

#### Ecosystem of nutritional determinants



# Global Key Findings - Similar problems across countries, but differences in magnitude

- 1. Low breastfeeding rates
- 2. Early Introduction of Complementary Foods and Cow MIlk
- 3. Low Fruit and Vegetable Consumption
- 4. High Sugar and Sweetened Beverage consumption

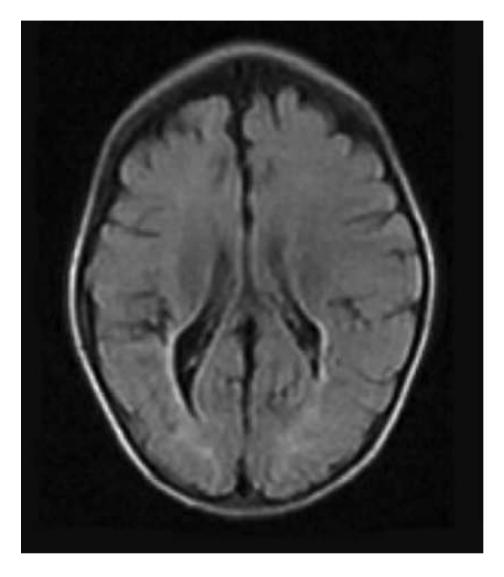
Excess calories and protein,

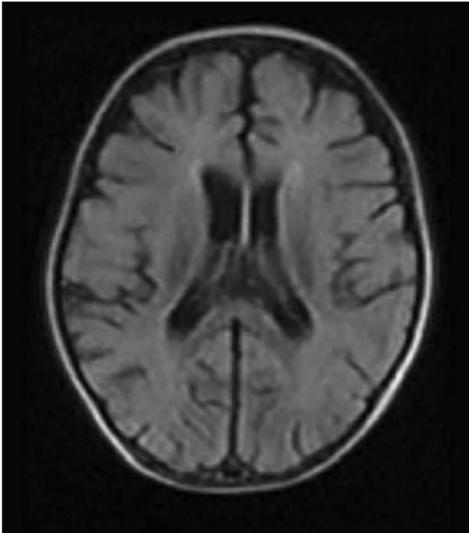
Deficient Iron

Low total fat

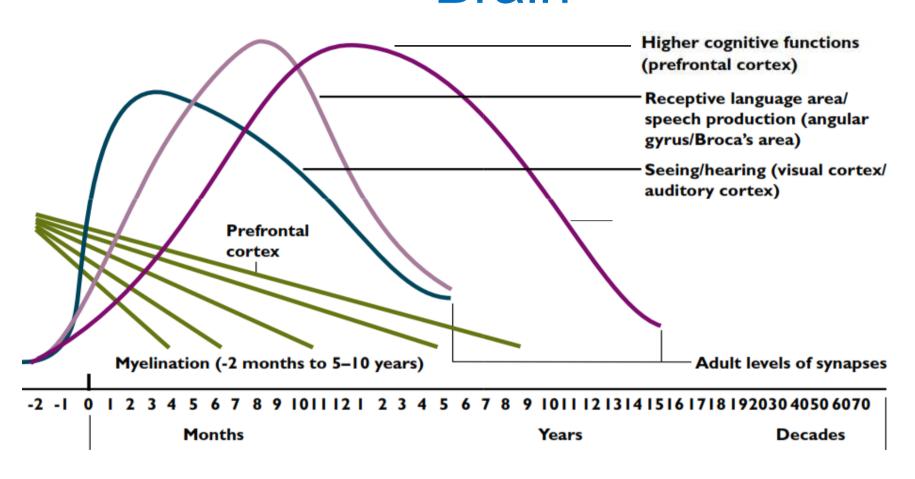
Excess sodium

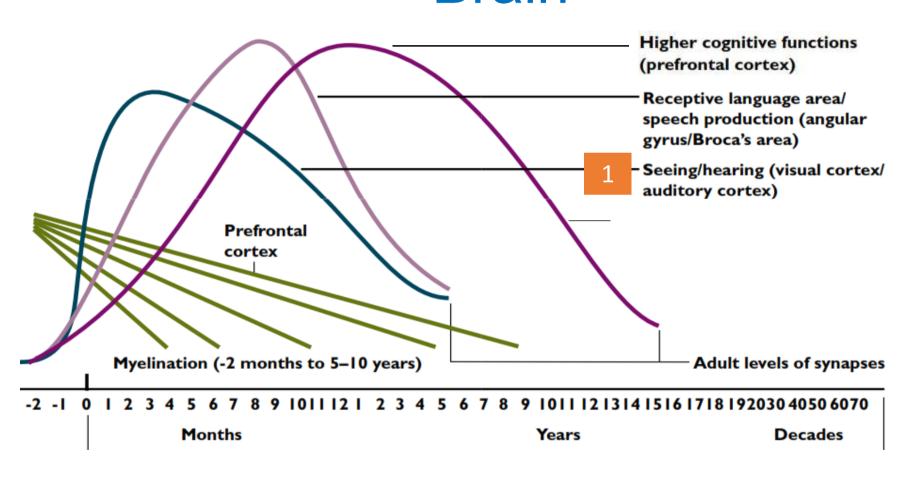
#### **Growth Failure and Neuro-Developmental Outcome**

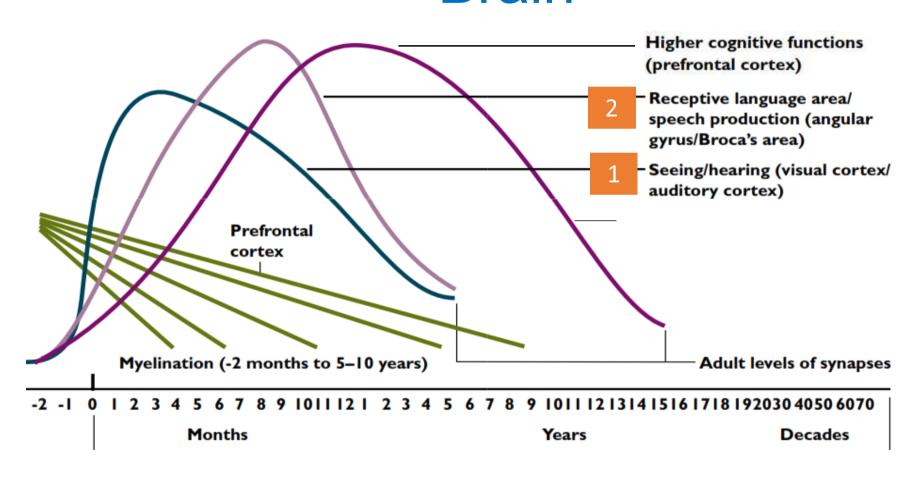


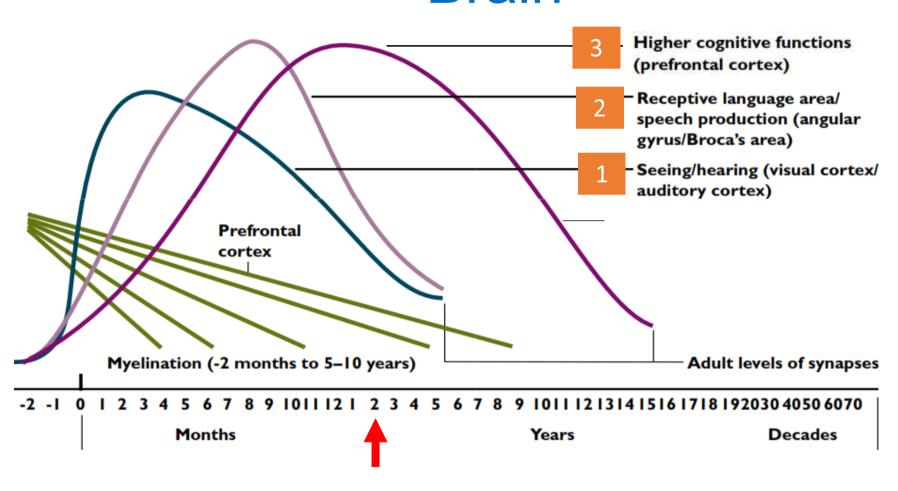


e: El-Sherif et al (2012) Cranial Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MIR) Changes in Severely Malnourished Children before and after Treatment.26



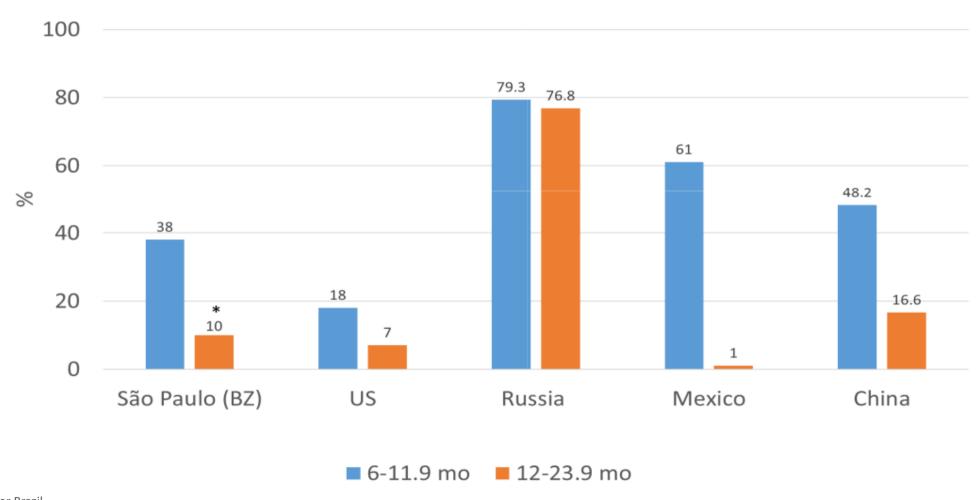






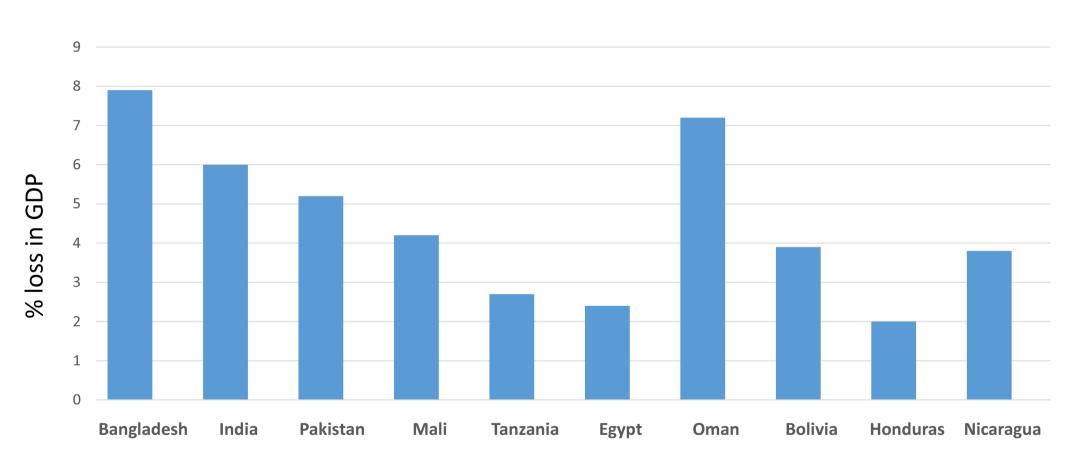
#### Inadequateron intake among infants

#### Percent of infants below the recommendations for iron intake



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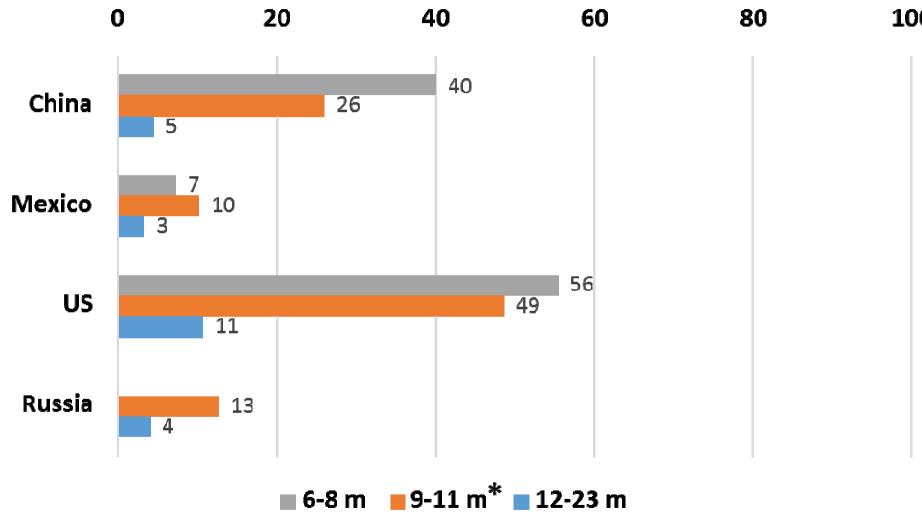
### Economic losses from iron deficiency anemia Cognitive and productive – as % of GDP



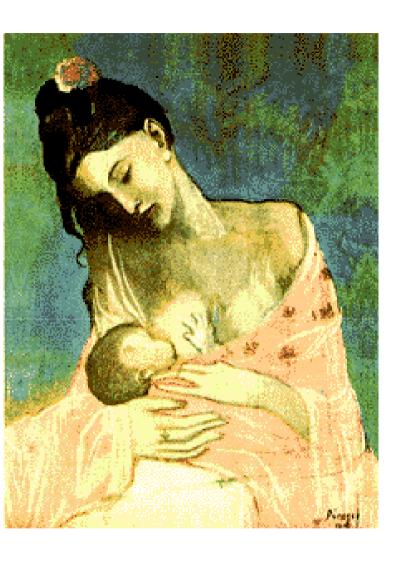
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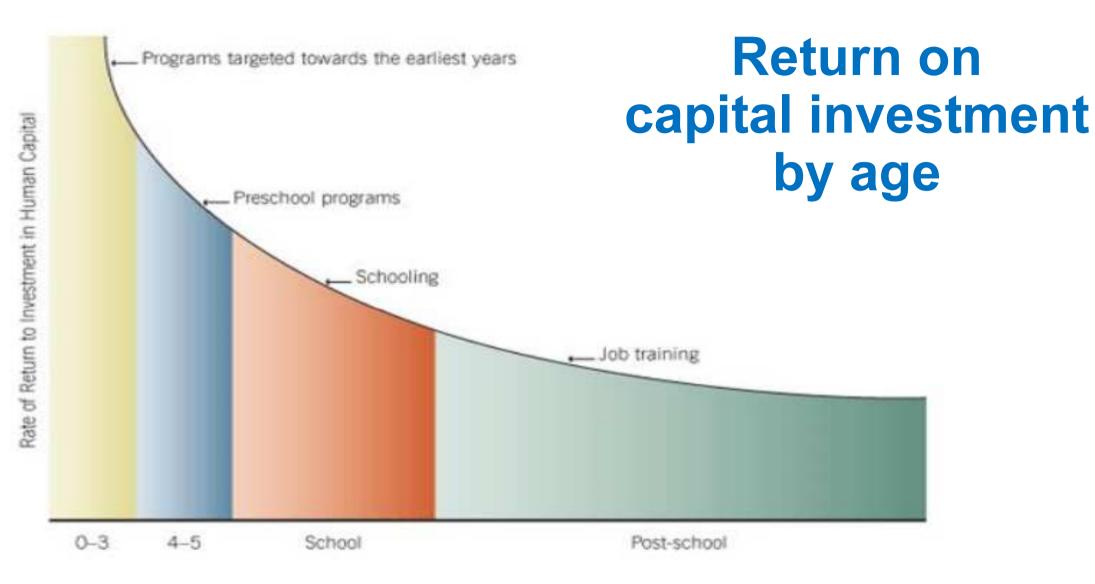
#### % children consuming infant cereal







- Nutrition in early life sets the course for long term health
- Adequate nutrition requires a safe and affordable food supply
- Healthy diet patterns, are set very early in life...
- and they require education on food choices and feeding behaviors



Return per capital investment at different ages



# Nutrition in the first 1,000 days is society's greatest opportunity...

### and it's everyone's responsibility

