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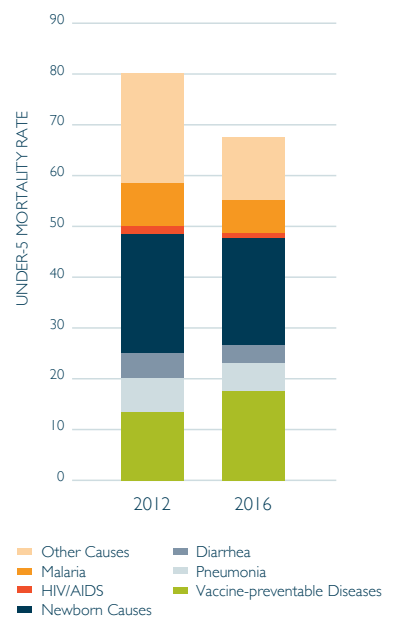
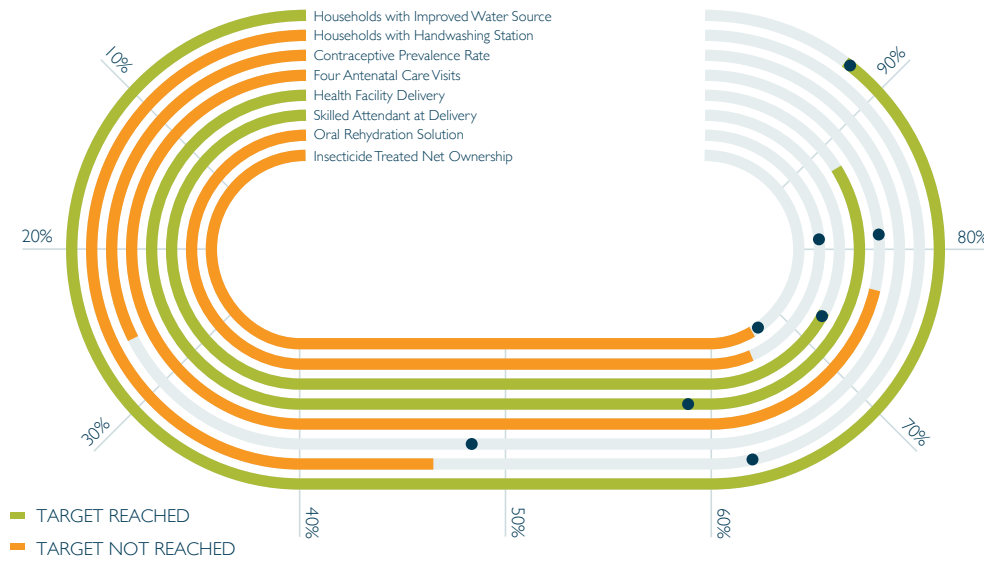
* Estimate from 2015 ** Estimate from 2016

2017	4.7M ↑ Total Population	783.9K ↓ Population Under 5 Years	**10K ↓ Under-5 Deaths /Year	**67 ↓ Under-5 Mortality Rate Per 1,000 Live Births	179K ↑ Births	*725 ↓ Maternal Mortality Ratio Per 100,000 Live Births
1990	2.1M	386M	22.5K	247	102K	1,200

INTERVENTION COVERAGE

● = PREDICTED COVERAGE RATE
BASED ON 2014 AOTC ANALYSIS

SHIFTING CAUSES OF CHILD MORTALITY

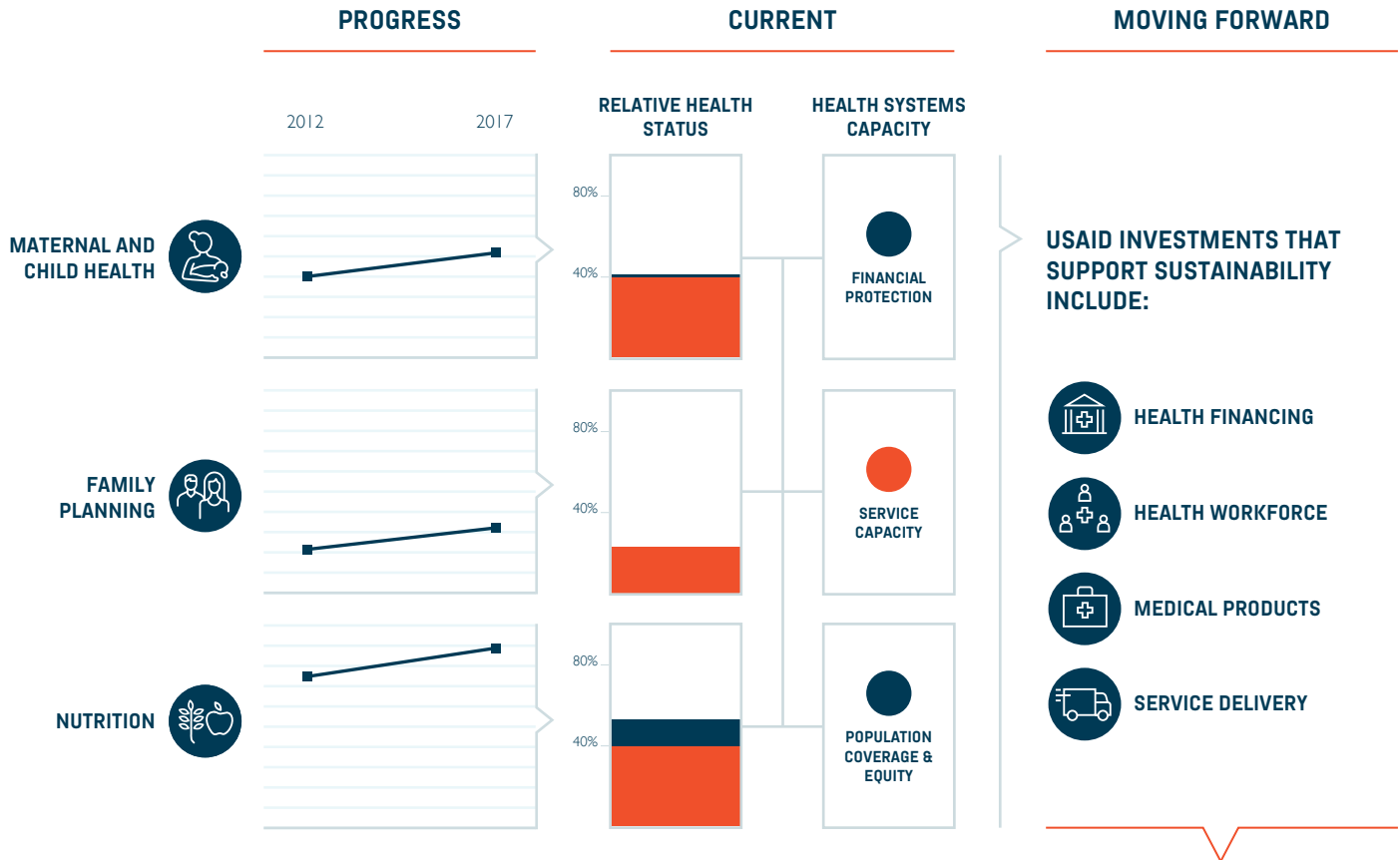


Estimates are based on trends from most recently available surveys and therefore may not reflect acceleration due to *Acting on the Call* efforts

IN THE LAST YEAR, IN COLLABORATION WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA (GOL) AND OTHER PARTNERS, WE HAVE ACCOMPLISHED THE FOLLOWING:

- Increased the percentage of households with at least one insecticide-treated bed net from 50% to 62% and the proportion of children sleeping under a net from 37% to 44% under the President's Malaria Initiative (PMI)
- Assisted 58,000 people in rural areas to gain access to basic sanitation services and nearly 20,000 people to gain access to improved drinking water
- Trained 1,101 community health workers to provide voluntary family planning information, referrals, and services, which resulted in 245,981 women counseled in one year
- Finalized a new Community Health Strategy, which introduced community health agents who increase access to health care in remote and hard to reach communities
- Treated 102,267 children for pneumonia and 49,545 for diarrhea
- Rolled out the quarterly monitoring standards for nursing and midwifery schools, which will help improve the quality of training and therefore health care

JOURNEY TO SELF-RELIANCE FOR PREVENTING CHILD AND MATERNAL DEATHS



USAID'S HEALTH INVESTMENTS MAY YIELD A 9 TO 1 RETURN IN ECONOMIC AND SOCIETAL BENEFITS BY 2035

GOING FORWARD, USAID WILL WORK WITH THE GOL TO FULFILL ITS COMMITMENT TO WOMEN AND CHILDREN'S HEALTH, INCLUDING THROUGH THE FOLLOWING:

- Helping to institutionalize performance standards and codes of conduct for the health workforce, and to train human resource managers to lead the roll out
- Funding scholarships for over 200 midwifery and laboratory technicians to address gaps in the health workforce
- Supporting the roll out of the electronic Logistics Management Information System (e-LMIS), which will provide more real time data to improve supply-chains, and will be transitioned to the Ministry of Health by January 2019
- Providing technical assistance to support management capacity at central and county levels, particularly around annual planning and performance management
- Strengthening quality-assurance systems at the national level, and scaling up quality-improvement approaches at the facility level for institutionalization
- Supporting national and local government teams to improve the quality, availability, and use of data, including increased integration and interoperability across different health information systems