causes of under-five and neonatal deaths, 2008

Deaths among children under five

- Diarrhoeal diseases (postneonatal) 16%
- Acute respiratory infections (postneonatal) 17%
- Malaria 7%
- Measles 4%
- Source: Other infectious and parasitic diseases (postneonatal) 4%
- Injuries (postneonatal) 4%
- HIV/AIDS 2%

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Noncommunicable diseases (postneonatal) 4%

Neonatal deaths

- Other 1.3%
- Congenital anomalies 6.8%
- Neonatal tetanus 3.4%
- Diarrhoeal diseases 2.6%
- Other non-infectious perinatal causes 5.7%
- Neonatal infections 26%
- Birth asphyxia and birth trauma 23%
- Prematurity and low birth weight 31%

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(2)
(Prevention)
LLIN, Malaria vaccine
(Diagnosis)
RTD Malaria
(Treatment)
ACT (FOSD), Artesunate (rectal+injection)

(Prevention)
Rotavirus vaccine
(Treatment)
ORS (flavour)
Zinc (FOSD)

(Prevention)
Pneumococcal vaccine
(Diagnosis)
New ARI Timer
RDT Pneumonia
(Treatment)
Amoxicillin (FOSD in blister pack)
Injectable antibiotics (G, A, PB, C), Oxygen

(Prevention)
TT vaccine
New Chord Clamp + Safe Del Kit
Chorhexidine Digluconate (umbilical cord care)
Vitamin K
Caffeine citrate (resp. stimulant)
Low-cost infant resuscitator
Low cost Incubator, laboratory tests,

Underlying SAM
RUTF, F100,F75
Micronutrient
Sachet/powder
Anthropometric equipment

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