FAST FACTS ON NUTRITION AND ITS DETERMINANTS IN KARNATAKA

**Children under 5 years**
- 34.2% Stunted
- 17% Wasted

**Immediate Determinants**
- 55.1% Infants 0-5 months old who are exclusively breastfed
- 17.2% Children under 3 years who have low birth weight (<2.5 kgs)
- 62.5% Women 15-49 years old with anemia
- 63.4% Infants 6-8 months old who receive solid, semi-solid or soft foods
- 21.8% Infants & young children 6-23 months old who achieve minimal diet diversity in complementary feeding
- 75.9% Children 6-59 months old with anemia
- 9.3% Children 6-59 months old who had diarrhea in 15 days prior to survey
- 40.3% Children 6-35 months old who received supplementary food under ICDS for 21 days in the month prior to survey
- 79.4% Children 12-23 months old who are fully immunized
- 87.9% Mothers of children under 36 months old who received three or more antenatal checkups
- 34% Currently married women with 10 or more years of schooling
- 33.2% Households practicing open defecation
- 20.9% Population below state-specific poverty line
- 58% Adolescent girls 15-18 years old with low BMI (<18.5)

**Underlying Determinants**
- Does state have a high-level nutrition mission?
  - YES

**Source:**
1. RSoC, 2014
2. DLHS4, 2012-13
3. Press Note on Poverty Estimates, 2011-12, Planning Commission, Govt. of India