



### **Childhood Cancer Profile**



#### **Paraguay**

#### **Burden of Childhood Cancer**



1% of all childhood cancer cases in the LAC region



of all childhood cancer deaths in the LAC region



7.8% of all deaths among

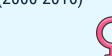
children and adolescents (1-19 years) are due to Cancer

**303** new cases/year



cancer deaths among people <20 years, each year

Annual trends in childhood cancer mortality (2000-2016)



-0.06%

#### **Proportion of Prioritized Cancers**

ALL Burkitt Hodgkin (26.3%)(1.8%)(3.6%)

Wilms (3.9%)(3.9%)

LGG (6.9%)









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# **Cancer Registration and Survival**



-0.62%

active PBCR

specialized pediatric PBCR

**37**%

of the population covered by populationbased cancer registries (PBCR)

Mortality/ **Incidence Ratio** 

For every 100 children diagnosed with cancer

**33** die of the disease each year

**Net Survival** 

**Acute Lymphoblastic** Leukemia

60-69%

# **Health System Response**



**61%** 

of the WHO essential medicines to treat children with cancer are included in the country's EML



1 center/680.000 children and adolescents

centers to deliver specialized care for pediatric cancer



Universal Health Care Index for Service Coverage



Early Detection Programme or Guideline/ **Defined Referral System** 

### **Palliative Care**

Pediatric Palliative Care Team

O Teams/million of children < 15 years

