

## What's the goal here? mortality rates have been

To ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages.

## Why?

Ensuring healthy lives and promoting wellbeing for all at all ages is important to building prosperous societies.

Major progress has been made in improving the health of millions of people. Maternal and child mortality rates have been reduced, life expectancy continues to increase globally, and the fight against some infectious diseases has made steady progress.

However, in the case of other diseases such as malaria and tuberculosis, progress has slowed or stalled.

At least half the world's population are still without access to essential health services.

## Spending \$1 billion in immunization coverage