

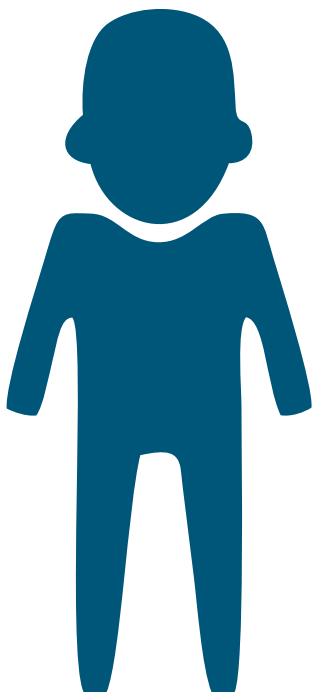


Trend Analysis of Health and Nutrition Budget in Nigeria

(2014 - 2018)



MALNUTRITION



Nigeria is home to the third largest population of malnourished children in the world, with an under-five mortality rate of 120 deaths per 1,000 live births, and an infant mortality rate of 70 per 1,000 live birth in 2017.

Interestingly, an essential component of health, which is Nutrition, over the years has been neglected. Adequate nutrition is critical during early childhood as they are important for organs, immune system and neurological development.

Quick Numbers

Nigeria's Health Sector



N2.6tn

A total of N784.8 billion² was spent directly on health and social services in 2017 up from 2016 level of N745.58 billion while N2.636 trillion was spent by Nigerians on other health sensitive items



78%

Historically, private health expenditure accounted for approximately 78 percent of Nigeria's health expenditure.



90%

The out of pocket segment account for approximately 70 percent of total health expenditure or 90 percent of total private health expenditure.

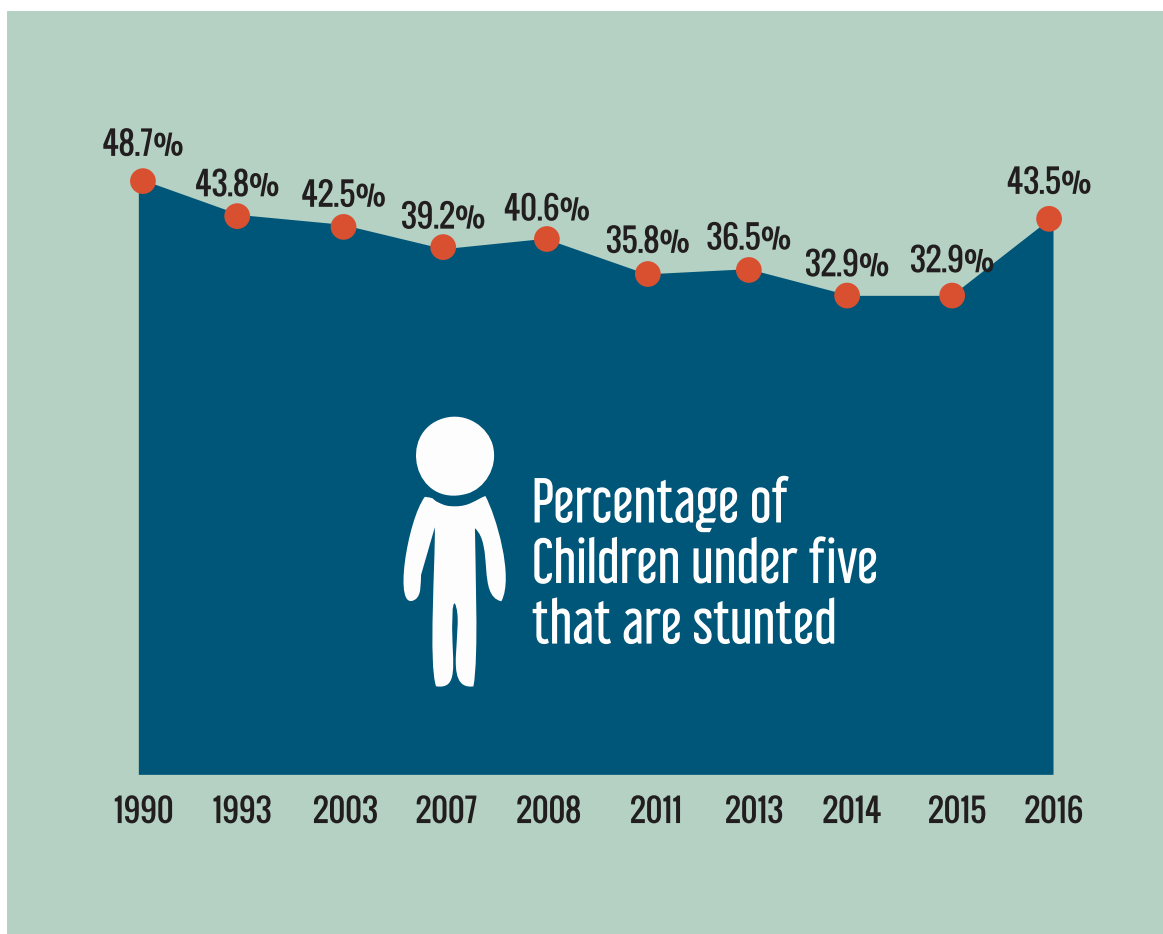


10%

The Federal government account for approximately 10%³ of health related spending in Nigeria while the state and local government health expenditure was approximately 8% and 4% respectively.

The Problem

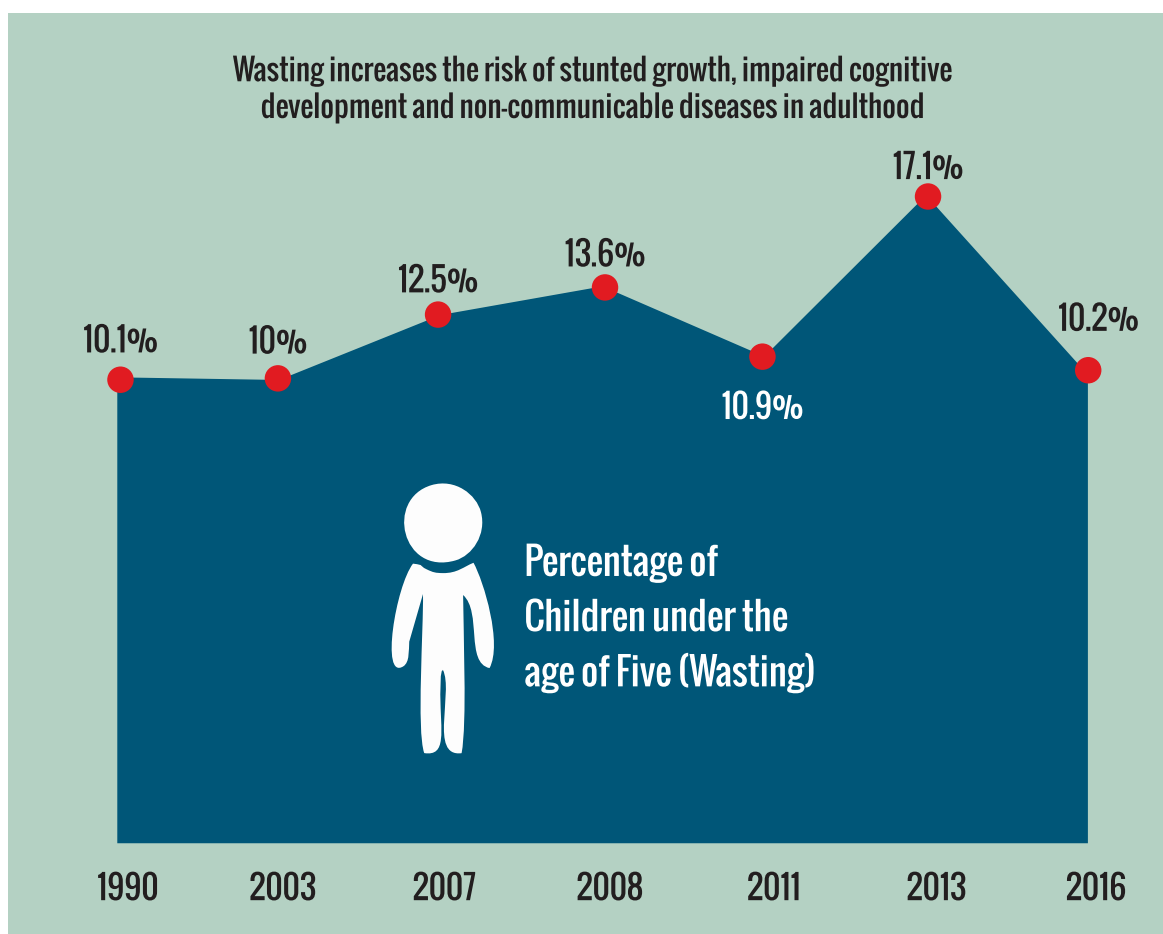
Stunted Children has increased



¹<http://www.nigerianstat.gov.ng/download/784>

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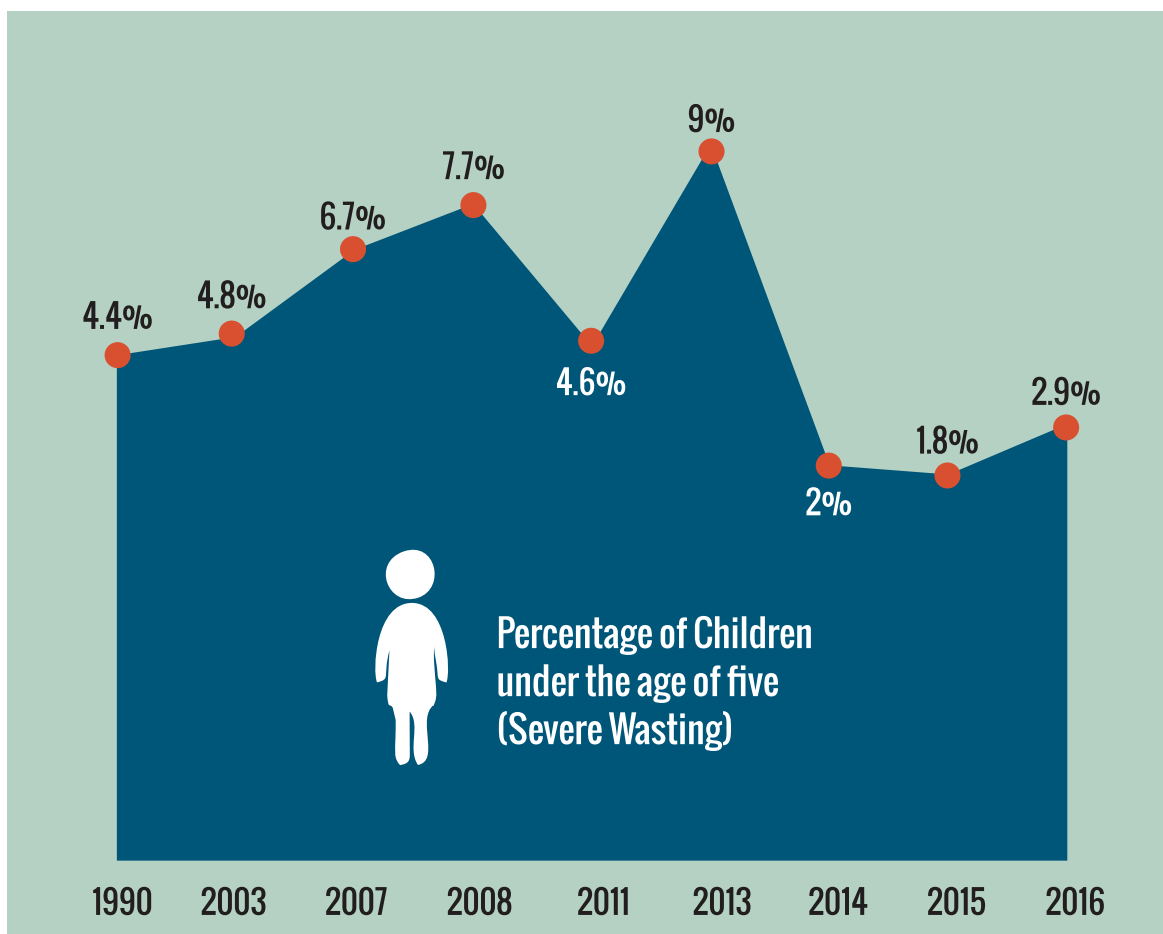
Wasting



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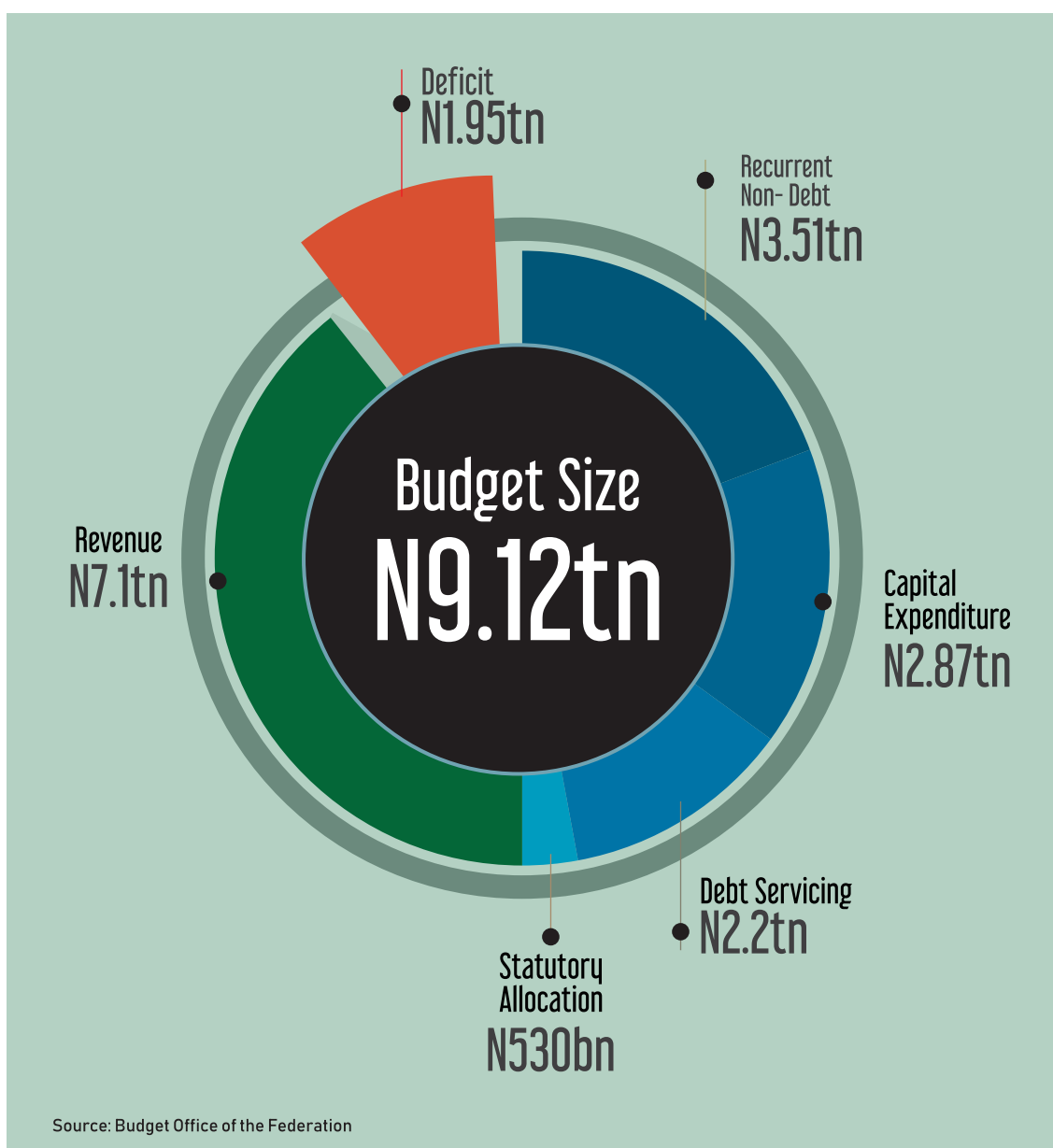
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Severe Wasting



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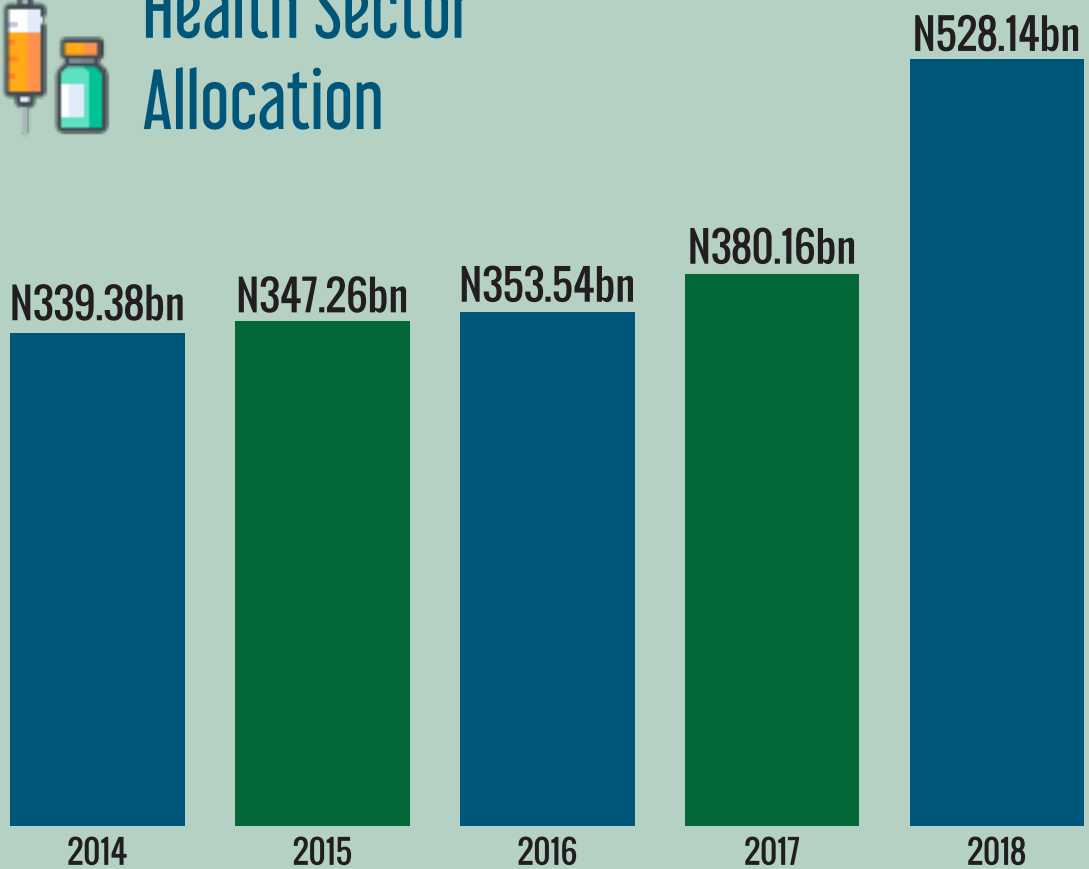
2018 Federal Government Approved Budget



Federal Government Budgetary Allocation



Health Sector Allocation

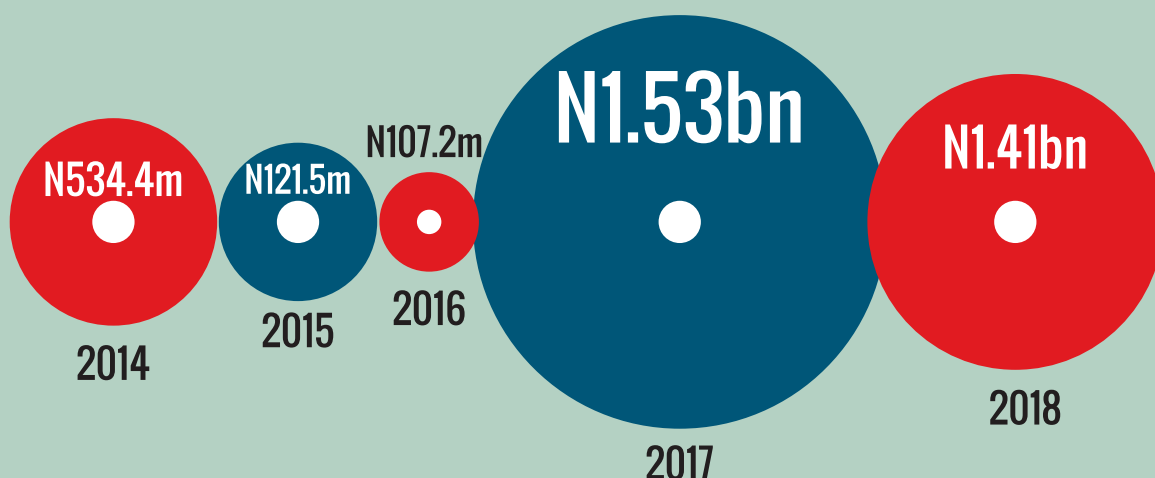


Relative to the size of the federal government's spending plan, health sector allocation stands at 5.79 percent which is relatively low when compared to the 15 percent commitment made by the Nigerian government at the Abuja conference.

Federal Government
Budgetary Allocation



Nutrition Specific
Intervention



\$10m

The National Strategic Plan of Action for Nutrition (NSPAN) assumes that the FG will provide \$10 million annually for 2014-2018. Federal Allocations explicitly directed at addressing malnutrition have always been lower than what is needed.

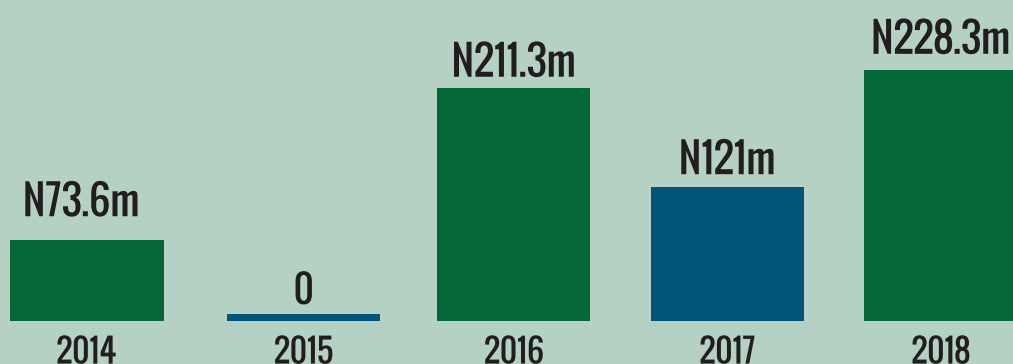
Source: Budget office of the Federation

Federal Government Budgetary Allocation

Breakdown - Nutrition Specific Intervention



Infant and young child feeding

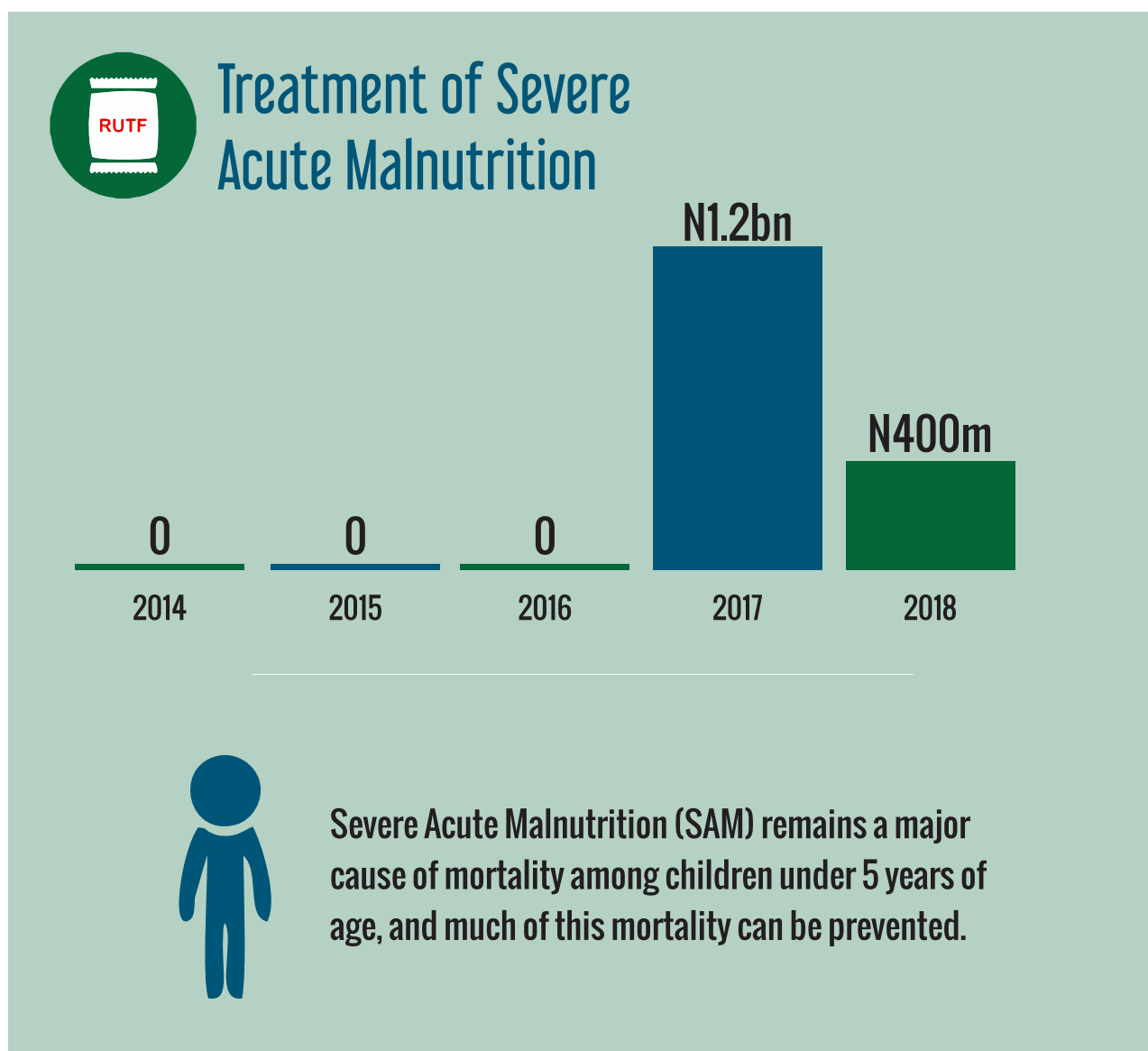


N228.29m

Budgetary Allocations under the IYCF interventions were N228.29 million in 2018 up from the N121 million allocated for the intervention in 2017. Allocation in 2014 and 2016 was N73.64 million and N21.13million respectively.

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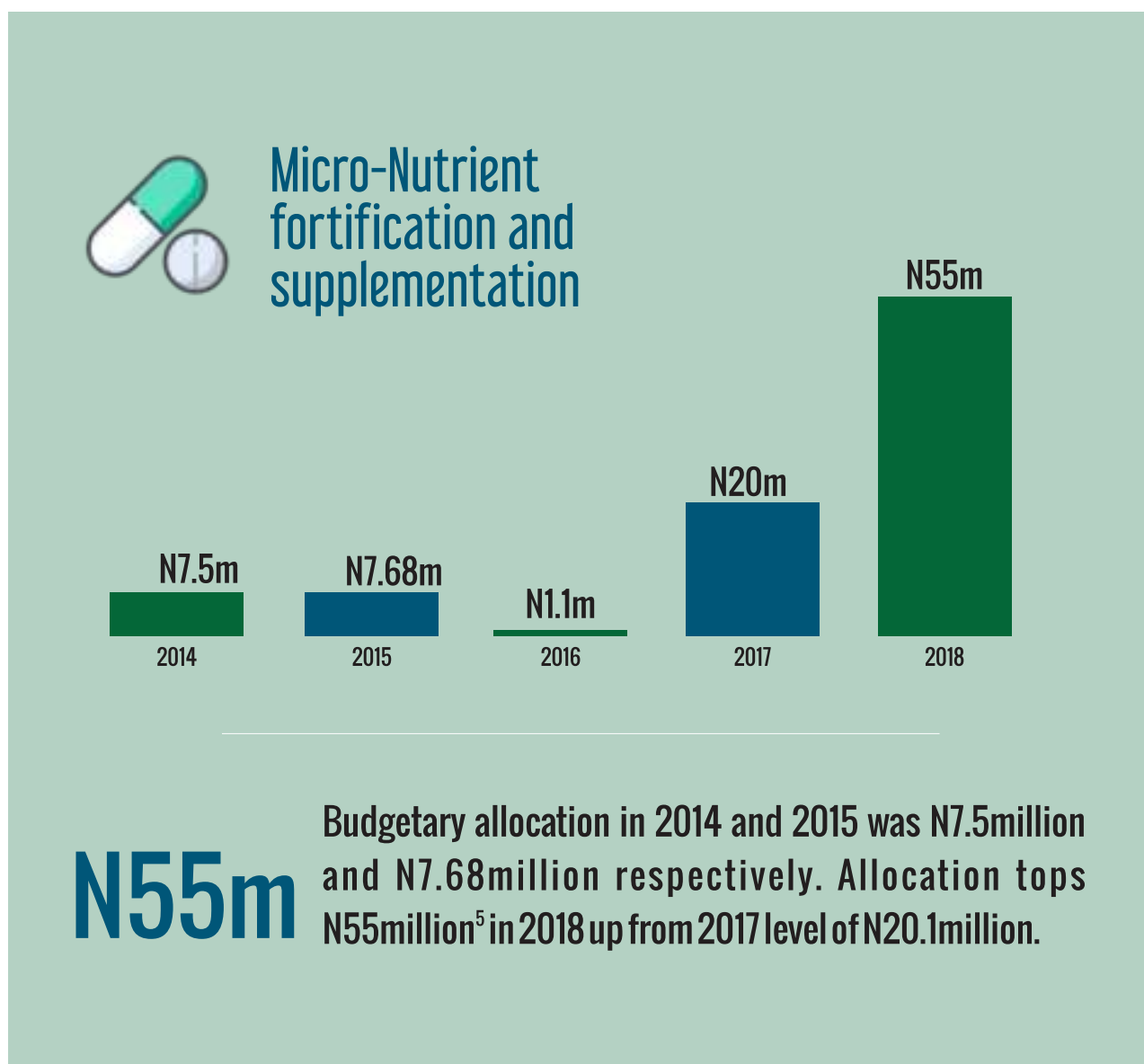


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*** some unknown component of allocation will be spent on other interventions other than micronutrient fortification and supplementation.

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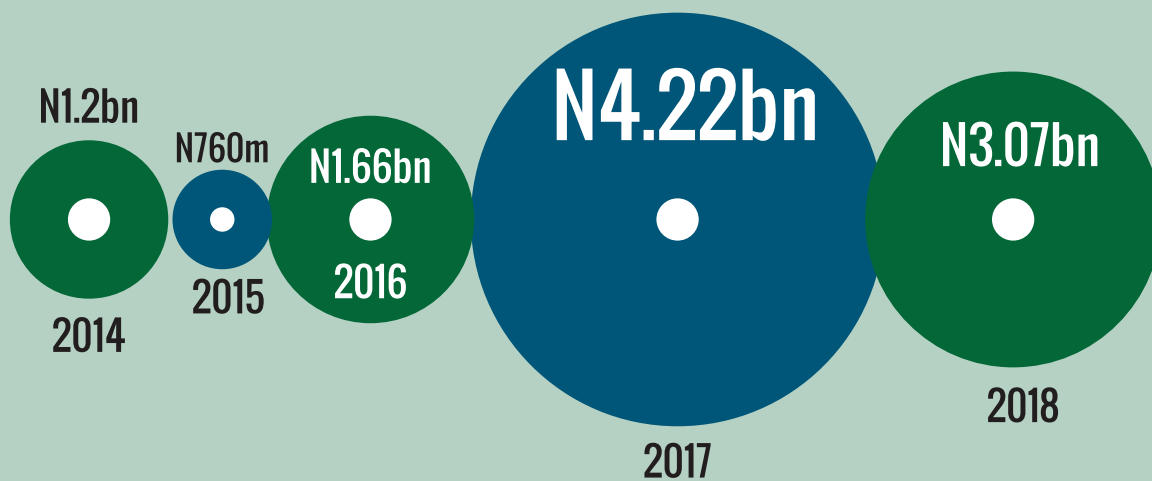


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Federal Government
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Nutrition Sensitive
Intervention



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Breakdown - Nutrition Sensitive Intervention



WASH
Programme



N1.3bn

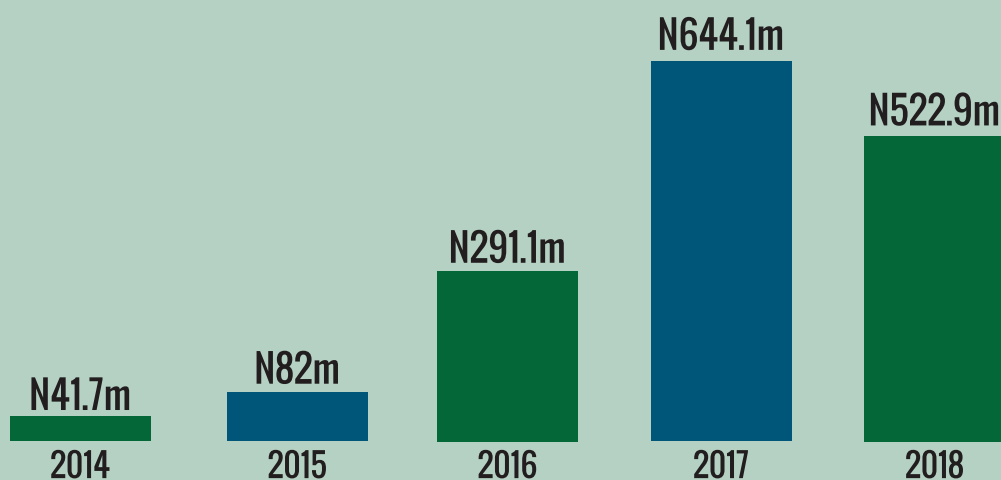
Budgetary allocation under WASH programme was N1.3billion in 2018 down from 2017 level of N2.69billion. Allocation for water, sanitation and hygiene (WASH) in 2014, 2015 and 2016 was N451.34million, N113.74million and N545.33million respectively.

Federal Government Budgetary Allocation

Breakdown - Nutrition Sensitive Intervention



Early Childhood Development



N522m

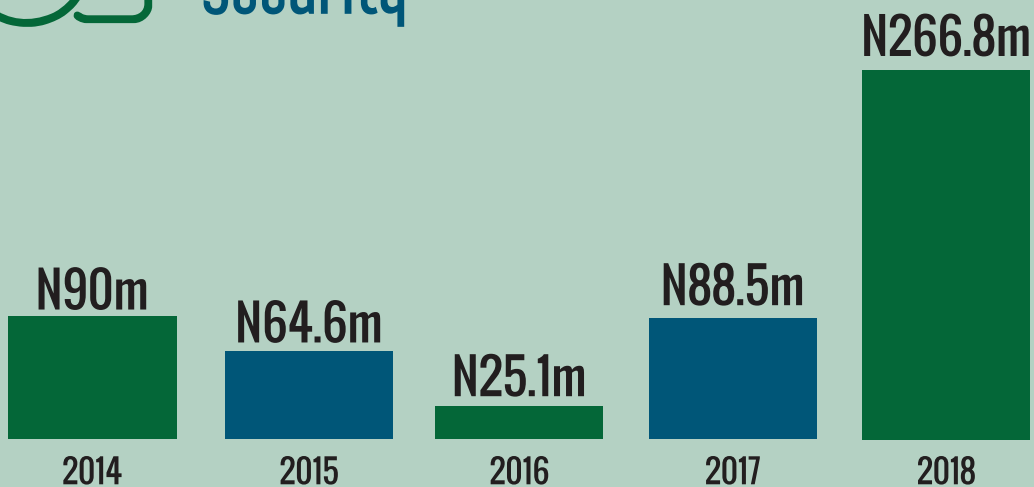
In 2018, N522million was allocated directly by the federal government for early childhood development down from 2017 level of N641.07million. Budgetary allocation to ensure children get adequate nutrients early in life was N41.67million in 2014.

Federal Government Budgetary Allocation

Breakdown - Nutrition Sensitive Intervention



Improved Food Security



N226.8m

Direct budgetary allocation to improve food security in 2018 stands at N266.75m up from 2017 level of N88.5m. Allocations dedicated mainly to mothers and young children health - through changes in income, and increased availability and accessibility of diverse nutrient-dense foods in 2014 and 2015 was N90m and N64.6m respectively.



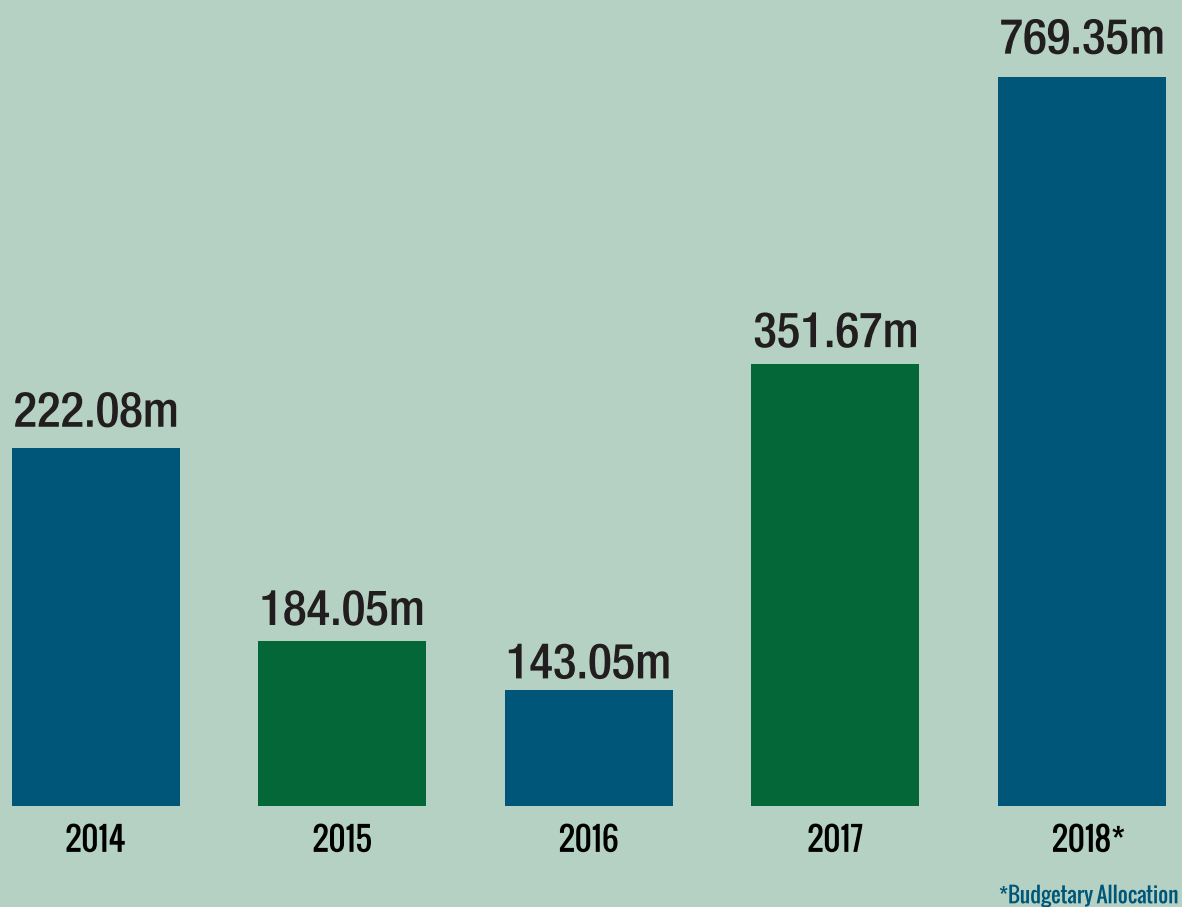
Focus State



Nasarawa State Government Budgetary Allocation

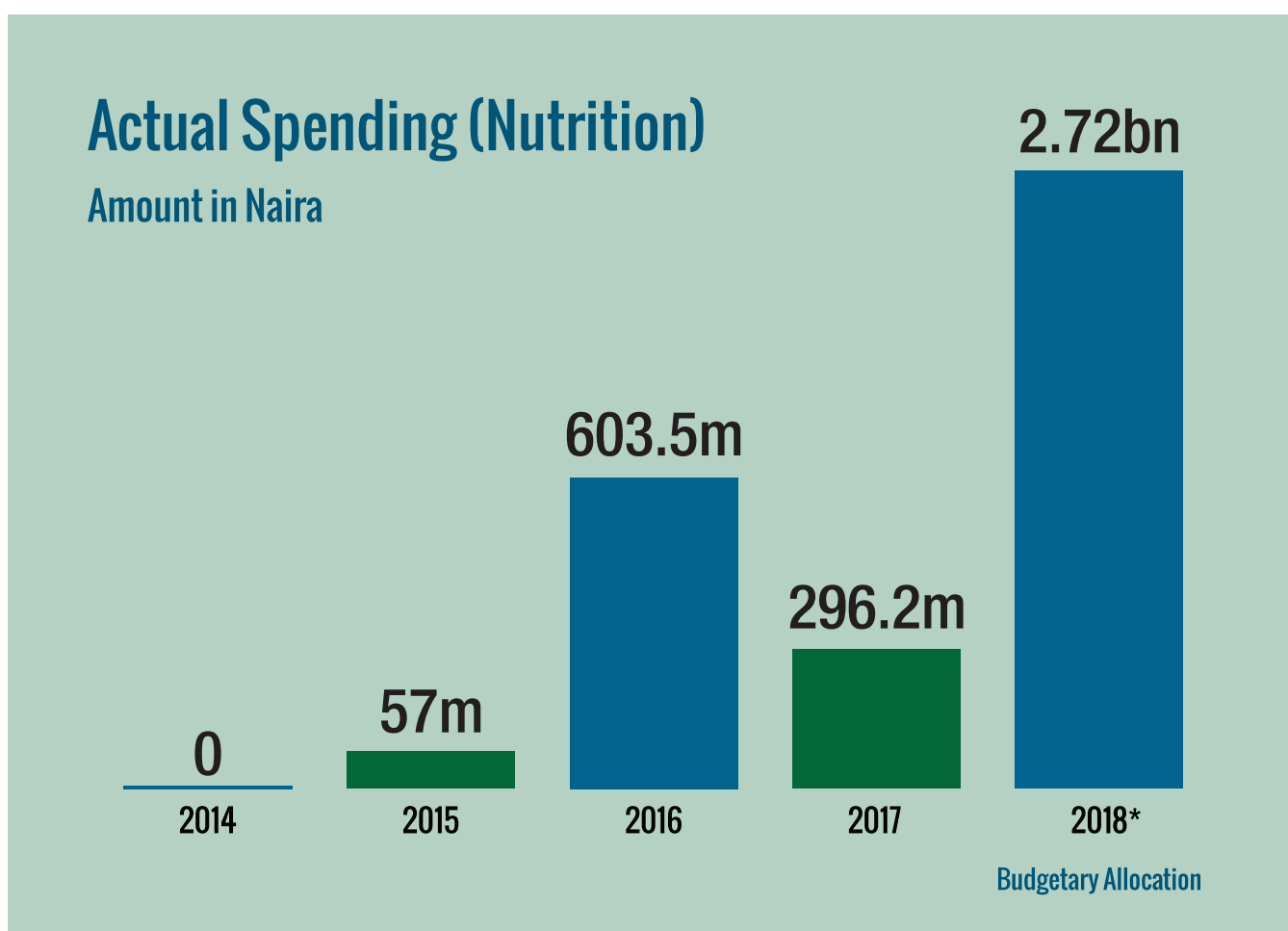
Actual Spending (Nutrition)

Amount in Naira



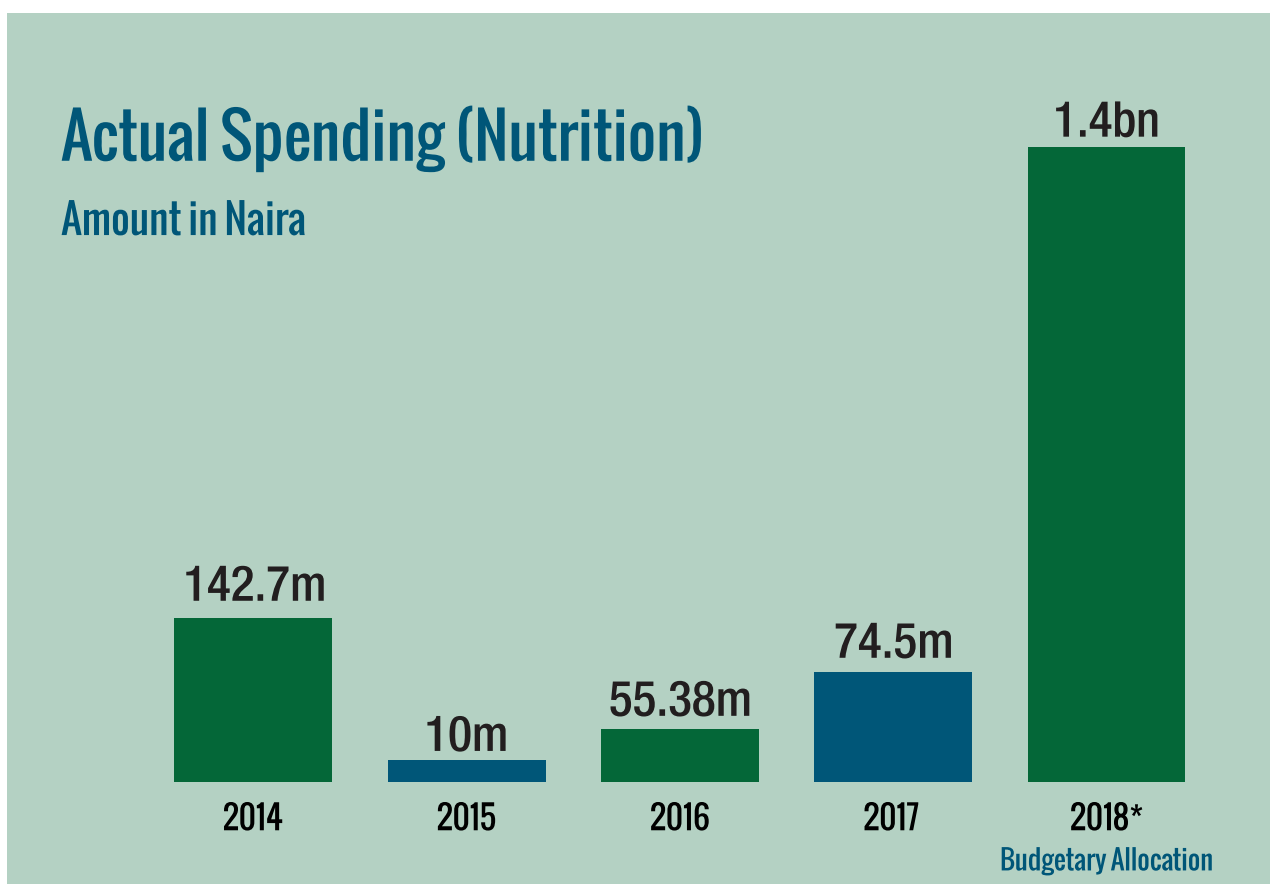
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Kaduna State Government Budgetary Allocation



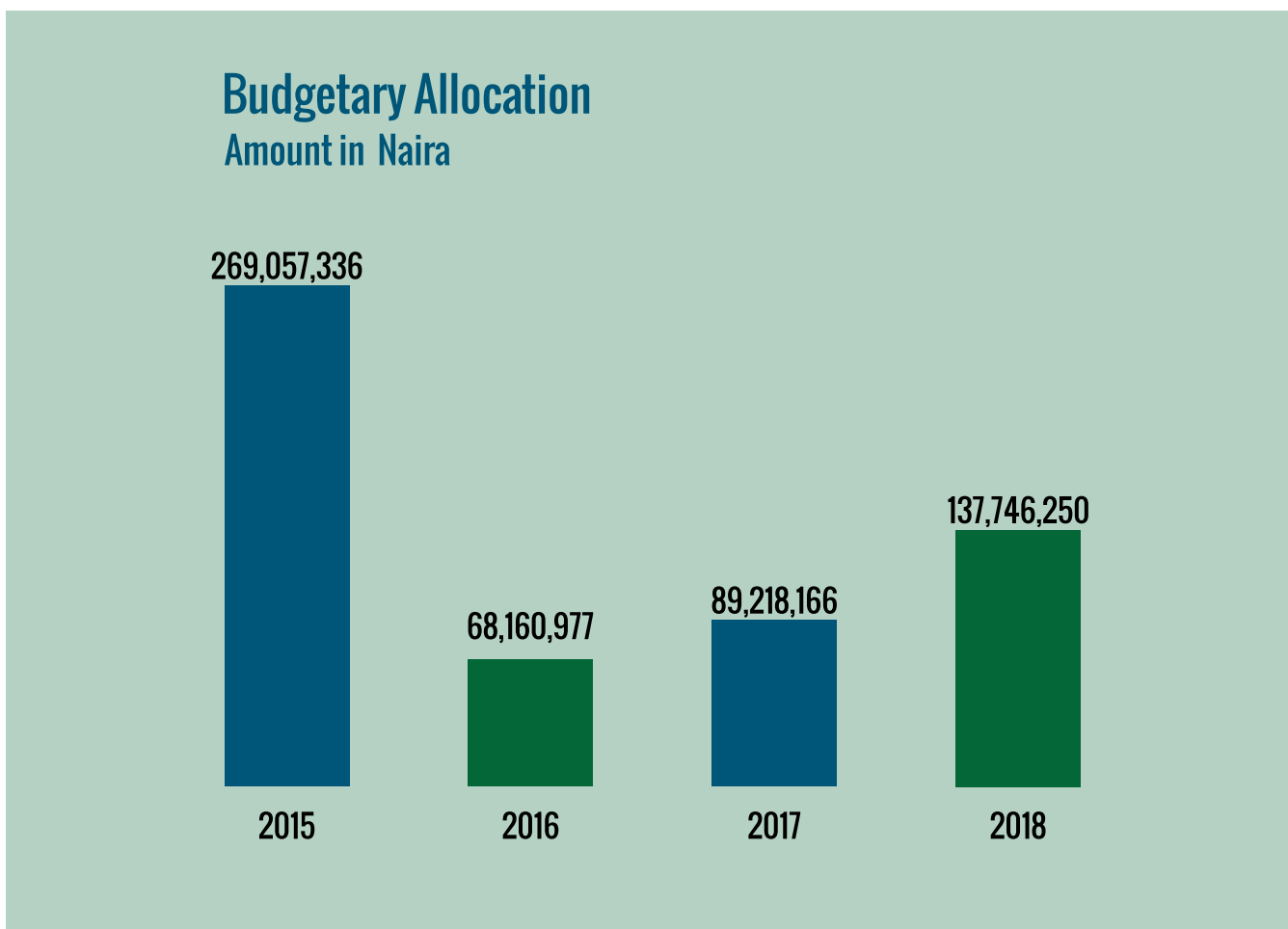
Source: kaduna state government

Kano State Government Budgetary Allocation



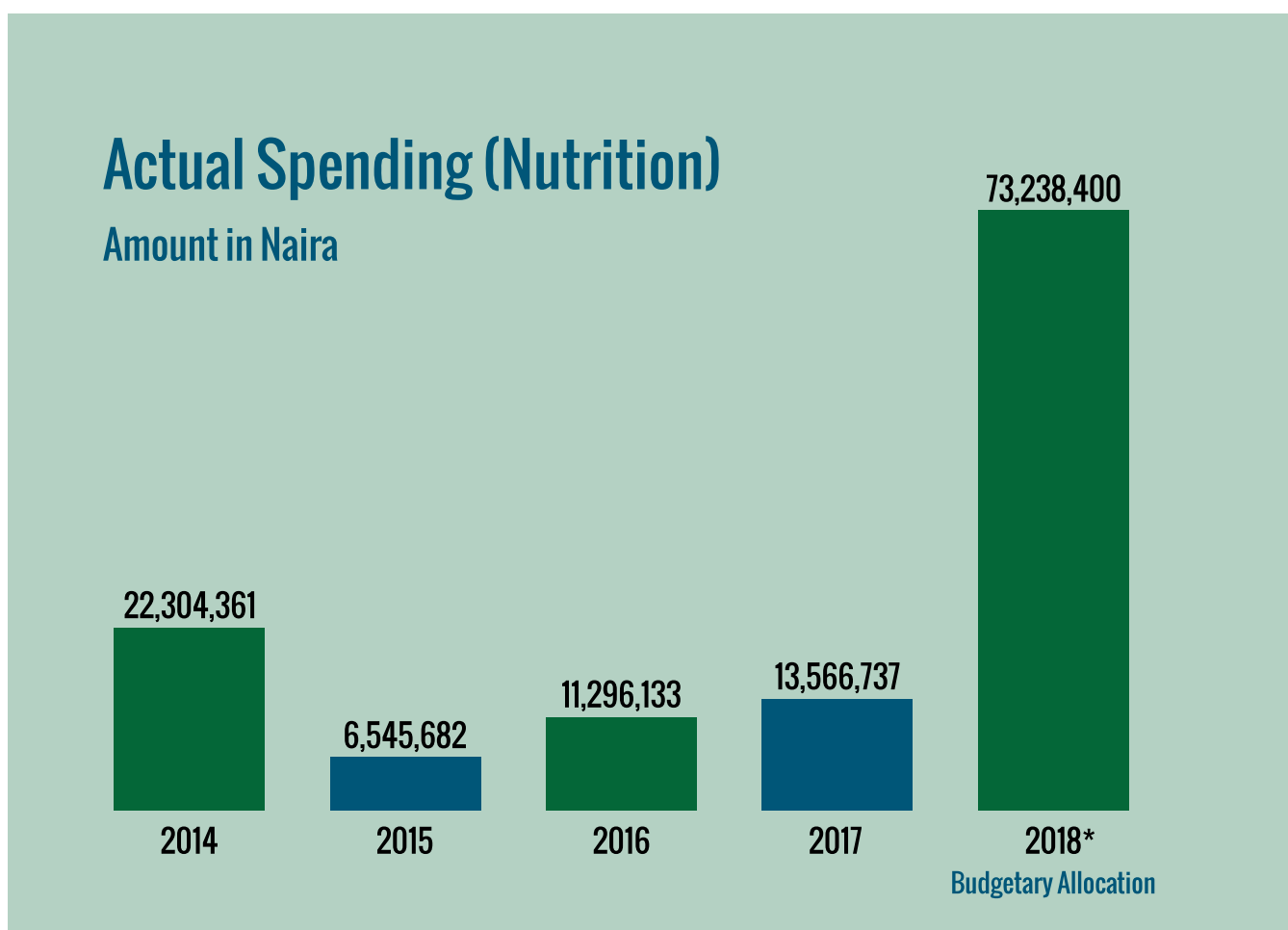
Source: Kano State government, Unicef

Niger State Government Budgetary Allocation



Source: Niger State Government

Lagos State Government Budgetary Allocation

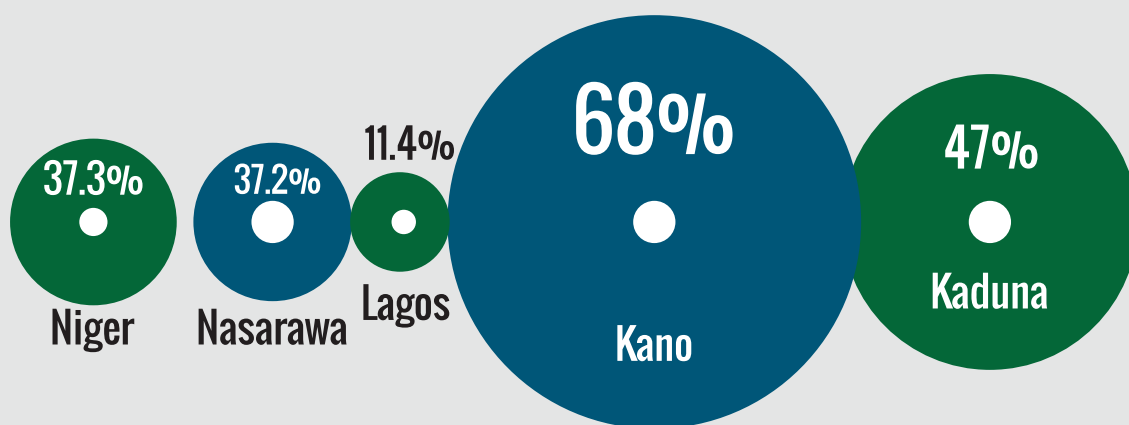


Source: Lagos State Government

Focus State
Comparative Analysis

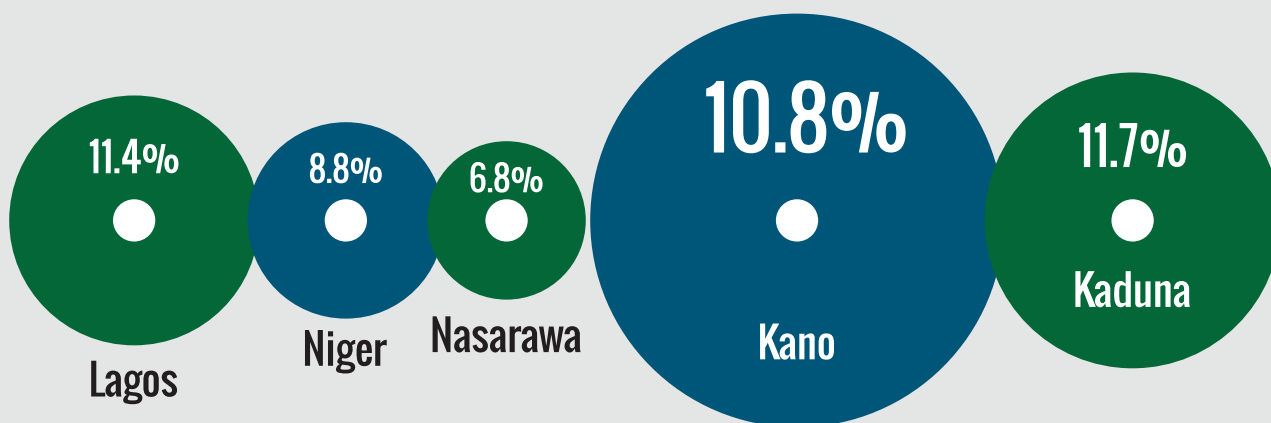


Stunting Rate (2017)



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Wasting Rate (2017) 

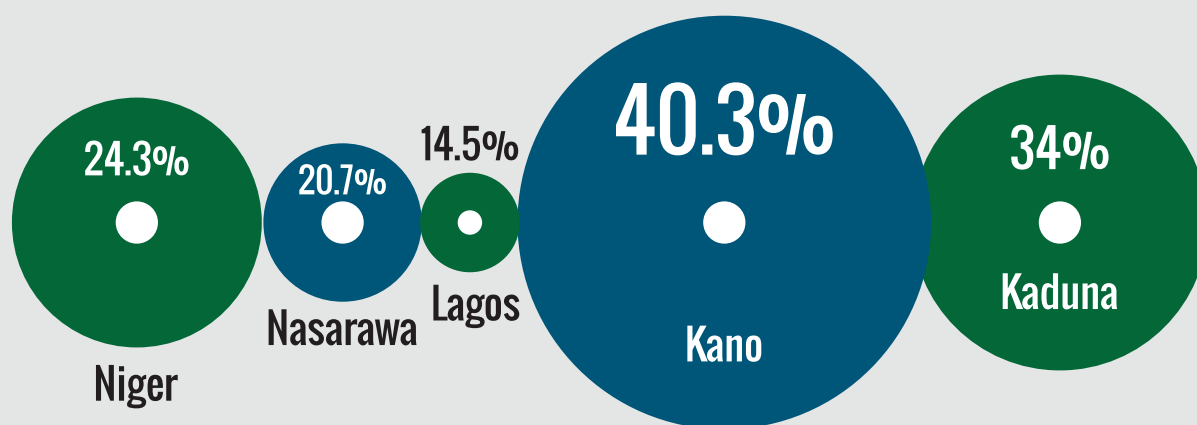


Source: MICS 2017

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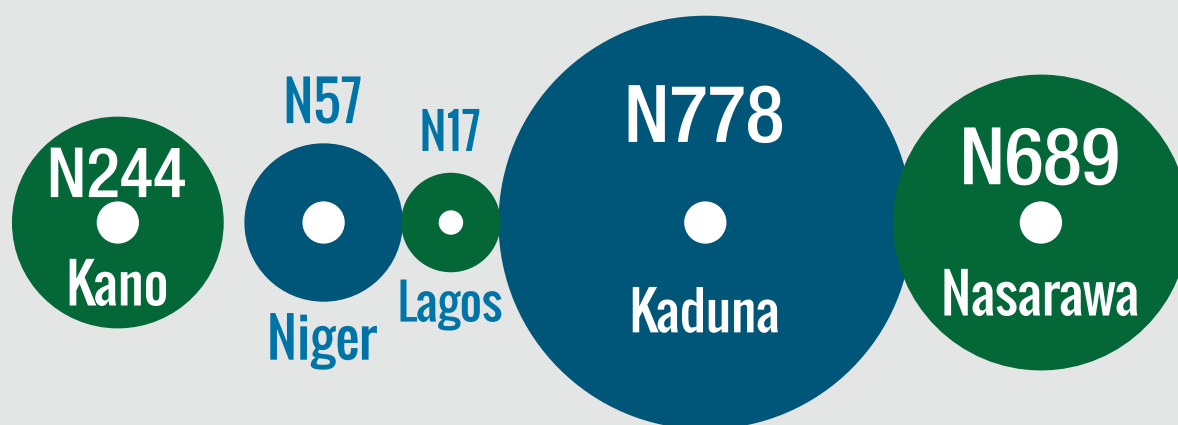
Underweight (2017)



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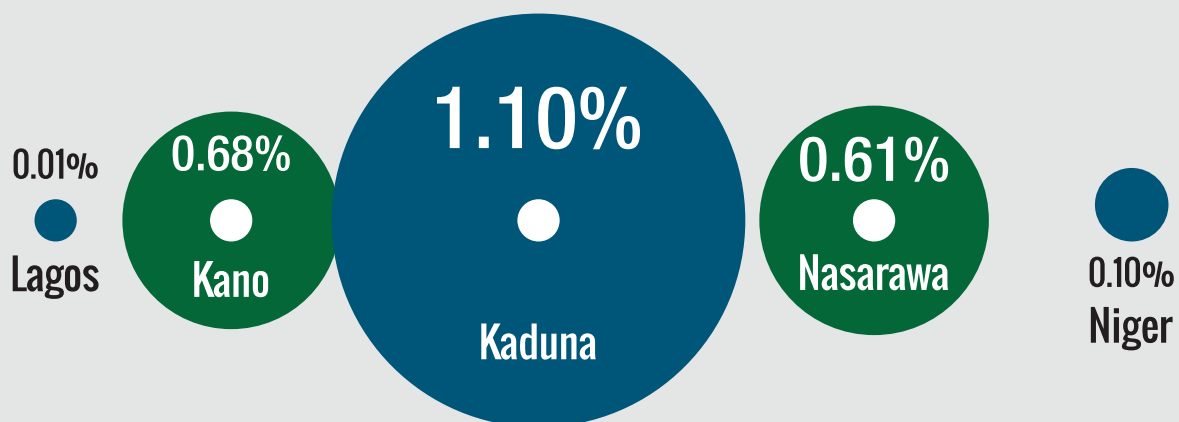
2018 Nutrition Budget Per Capita



Source: NPC, State Government

Focus State Comparative Analysis

Nutrition Budget as a Percentage of Total Budget (2018)



Source: State Government

