

G7 GERMANY 2015 SUMMIT

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‘G7 leaders are putting band-aids on symptoms’ says World Vision

This year’s summit had an ambitious agenda, but G7 leaders missed an opportunity to address the underlying issues affecting the world’s most vulnerable children, particularly children living in war and conflict, and dying of preventable causes.

Subject	Target	How the G7 leaders did	Score
Child health	Support the post-2015 goal to end preventable deaths of children by 2030.	They have shown effort by funding the immunisation of 300 million children. This is a positive step towards ending preventable deaths of children, but is only one part of a much bigger plan needed to save lives.	B-
Hunger and nutrition	Support post-2015 goal to end child hunger by 2030.	Aiming to relieve 500 million people from hunger and malnutrition is important, but the real test of this pledge will be whether it has an impact on the most vulnerable children, those who often live and die uncounted, unheard and unseen.	B-
Strengthening health systems	Help poor countries strengthen their weak health systems.	They have delivered a good plan to deal with disease outbreaks, but Ebola was only the tip of the iceberg. The G7 leaders must try harder to help the 17,000 children under the age of five who die every day, often because of weak health systems.	C+
Children affected by conflict	Show leadership for children living in and fleeing conflict.	The G7 missed the opportunity to address the needs of children living with the effects of war and conflict. These children have missed out on the progress of the MDGs and previous G7 promises, and continue to suffer.	D
Accountability	Deliver on promises made to children in previous summits.	The failure to produce an annual accountability report calls into question progress on G7 commitments, undermining credibility.	C

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