...people, mostly migrants from the...s of mud huts with rusting...bare feet. Young...ya's largest slum, overflows with...of firewood on their backs. Young...in such countries. Yet many of...the industrialized West and China,...remained extraordinarily low in...unreceptive or politically unstable....72% in the United States.

BARRELING TOWARD 11 BILLION PEOPLE

IN A REMOTE part of Kenya, a mobile clinic provides contraception and basic health services to Samburu women. Many women in Africa who want to use birth control face opposition from their husbands, in-laws or traditional leaders. Some choose to visit the clinic in secret.

A mobile road in Kilifi, Kenya's largest slum, serves as a family planning clinic operated by Marie Stopes International, a British...students, women and children who...hut in northern Kenya. She visited a...visited a clinic and received a...a福建省, said, “to one...provided...family...without family...in India and subcontinent...and the...sterilization, on the other hand, is...increased...three centuries and continues to...across the East African...of contraceptives were in...1999. The result: Although use of contraceptives so often they have a...contraceptive Depo-Provera.

SAMBURU women sit in the scorching...of a tree during a talk on family planning given...to quit school before the sixth...age of her mother-in-law, who is...migrated from the counties and packed into a...are regularly...family planning clinic operated by...practice medicine in Lago, Nigeria, bringing back its primary aims.

KENYA's family planning program was once held up as a model...a girl. She had given up hope of ever...and her firstborn son in case something happened to...and perform last rites at funerals...of the advantages of a smaller...family, the pressure to have many...her dream of producing a male heir. He...birth to a girl. Ramjee's mother has now...researcher and family-planning...least developed parts of Africa...rates in these countries. Yet, in many...women in Africa who want to use...from her thatch-roof hut in northern Kenya to visit a clinic and receive a...of contraceptives when he...virtual reality. It would be best, he...and her husband wanted more. He had no other children by another wife, common in a country...years old, had two children and her...a family-planning clinic operated by...of contraceptives were in...to the clinic...many women face opposition...in the industrialized West and China,...family obligation. In Hindu culture, family...they...family, the pressure to have many...the advantages of a smaller...the causes and consequences. The series at a glance:

MAMTA KUMAR, still a child herself, holds her daughter. Though Indian law restricts women...of sterilization, on the other hand, is...and the...hotels, Airlines and...American Express.}

Photos by Rick Loomis. Los Angeles Times contributed to this report.

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Young and restless

Population pyramids, which illustrate the structure of a population, are often used to analyze societal characteristics. The U.S. baby boom is an example of a “youth bulge.”

1950: A youthful America

2050: Balanced ages

The baby boom from 1946 to 1964 caused a youth bulge that later declined with overall fertility.

Today, age groups are more evenly distributed. Baby boomers are getting older and there is less unrest.

A youth bulge contributed to the rise of the State in 18th-century Germany and to Japan’s military ambitions in the 20th century.

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Younger populations are often more deficit-oriented, as they are more likely to spend their money on leisure and entertainment. This can lead to a higher demand for goods and services, which can in turn lead to higher prices.

However, the youth bulge can also have negative consequences. Younger populations are more likely to be less educated and less experienced, which can lead to a higher chance of errors and accidents. This can lead to a higher chance of injuries and fatalities.

Moreover, younger populations are more likely to be less stable, which can lead to a higher chance of crime and violence. This can lead to a higher chance of social unrest and political instability.

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However, the youth bulge can also have positive consequences. Younger populations are often more innovative and creative, which can lead to a higher chance of new ideas and technologies.

Moreover, younger populations are often more mobile, which can lead to a higher chance of economic growth and development. This can lead to a higher chance of prosperity and growth.

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shortly after sunrise, a woman with soulful eyes and short-cropped black hair hurried down a narrow alley in Fil-Fla, picking her way around clusters of sanitation workers, piles of trash and clumps of concrete. Yolanda Naz’s daily scramble had begun. Peddling small shampoo packets in the shantytown of San Andres, she raced to earn enough money to feed her eight children.

“My husband and I skip lunch if there is no money,” Naz said as she dished rice and sleeping shrimp sauce into eight plastic bowls in the 10-by-12-foot room where the family eats.

Yolanda’s house is a converted classroom in a former convent. Naz and her husband, who sells coconut drinks on the streets throughout his day and sleeps, part with a few pesos. After several hours, she had scrounged enough to buy a kilo of rice, a few eggs and a cup of tiny shrimp.

The vast majority of Filipinos — many in dire poverty — want access to contraception. Catholic clerics stand firmly opposed. The United Nations estimates that more than 210 million women in the world do not want more children but do not have access to contraception.

By Kenneth R. Weiss :: reporting from manila

Paying for more of your doctor’s time

‘Concierge medicine’ gives patients extra attention in exchange for an annual fee.

Concierge medicine, practiced by more than 7,000 physicians and other healthcare professionals, gives patients extra attention and allows them to limit their patient rolls.

Michael T. Doyle, a physician in Beverly Hills, recently made the decision to become a concierge physician. He hopes to reduce his patient load from 2,000 to about 400.

Doyle said he felt I needed to make a change. ‘I was just spending more money,’ he said. ‘I’m going to focus on patients who are willing to pay for my service.’

Online effort combats suicide

The National Rifle Association launched a Facebook page called ‘Roku,’ which will be used to encourage students to seek help.

By Matea Gold, Andria DeCesare and Leigh Magann

WASHINGTON — Rep. Diana DeGette of Colorado introduced two bills in Congress this week to extend the ban on high-capacity ammunition magazines — a measure she sees as a modest restriction on guns and as a way to pressure the National Rifle Association to support the measure.

But she conceded that it isn’t easy.

“There’s been a group of political leaders on the other side who are afraid to come forward and support this,” she said of the NRA.

DeGette’s bills were introduced as a measure “to prevent gun violence, to save lives and to honor the memory of the families and friends lost to gun violence.”

She noted that nearly 20 years after the U.S. military had to leave Somalia, nearly 20 years after Operation Restore Hope, there are still American soldiers in the country.

“Nearly 20 years after U.S. forces left Somalia, we’re still fighting and dying,” she said. “African troops are doing the heavy lifting, but we’re still helping with the catastrophic country. Only this time, our troops are fighting in the streets of Mogadishu.”

She said that the U.S. is now engaged in a proxy war in Somalia.

By Martin P. Gold

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