FIGURE 3.2: Children suffer high levels of emotional and physical violence at the hands of their caregivers, 2-14 years.

Notes: Data sources: Multiple Indicator Cluster Surveys (MICS), Demographic and Health Surveys (DHS). Model shows caregivers reports of physical aggression by household members. To read bar graph: age of the child is on the y-axis; prevalence of each form of violence is on the x-axis. Prevalence corresponds to the distance of the bar along the x-axis for boys (to the left), and girls (to the right). Forms of violence are overlaid; and the black bars are a 95% confidence interval. For example, for girls aged 2 years, the prevalence of physical violence is 56% (95%CI 49-63%), and the prevalence of emotional violence is 60% (95%CI 52-68%).

Source: Devries and others 2017 for Know Violence in Childhood 2017.