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She Leads is a five-year strategic partnership between the Dutch Ministry of Foreign Affairs and four consortium organisations - Terre des Hommes Netherlands, Plan Netherlands, DCI-ECPAT Netherlands and the African Women's Development and Communication Network (FEMNET).

Terre des Hommes Netherlands is a Dutch organisation based in The Hague, founded in 1965 as a non-profit organisation. Terre des Hommes Netherlands is a member of Terre des Hommes International Federation (TDHIF), a network of eight national organisations working for the rights of children and to promote equitable development without racial, religious, political, cultural or gender-based discrimination.

PARTNERSHIPS

Terre des Hommes Netherlands is part of the *Joining Forces for Children*, an alliance of the six largest child-focused international NGOs. In our work, we closely collaborate with the Government of Kenya's key ministries and departments; and with other partners:

- African Gender and Media Initiative Trust (GEM Trust)
- African Network for the Prevention and Protection Against Child Abuse and Neglect (ANPPCAN) - Regional
- Childline Kenya
- Coalition on Violence Against Women (COVAW)
- Kesho Kenya
- Kenya National Outreach, Counselling and Training Program (KNOTE)
- Movement Against Child Trafficking (MACT)
- Network for Adolescent and Youth of Africa (NAYA)
- Strategies for Northern Development (SND)
- TdH Foundation
- Turkana People - Sustainable Approaches for Community Empowerment (SAPCONE)

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Country Profile Kenya

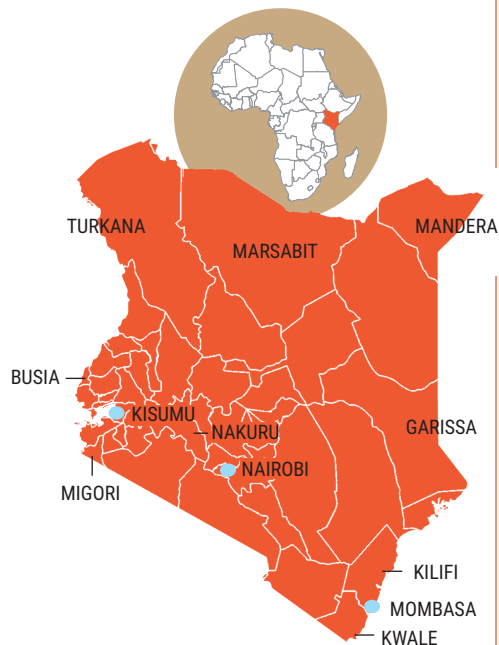
In Kenya, the primary focus of Terre des Hommes Netherlands is on curbing child sexual exploitation, and child trafficking and unsafe migration. Kenya is a source, transit and destination country for human trafficking. One third of all trafficking victims is a child, mostly trafficked for commercial sexual exploitation.

Child sexual exploitation in Kenya thrives because of the complicity of a broad section of the local community that promotes transactional sex, partly due to high poverty rates, pushing children and particularly girls into this form of exploitation. This happens not only offline but also on the internet, which is progressively used by both local and foreign predators to recruit children for online child sexual exploitation.

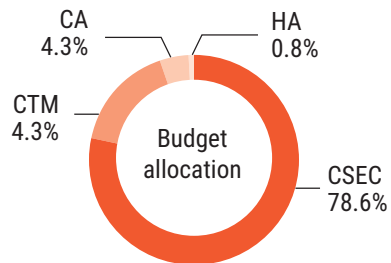
We deliver our projects through direct partner implementation, through co-implementation with the local civil society and through self implementation. These implementing approaches have led to substantial local expertise at national and county level.

"All children, no matter where they are, have the right to grow up in a safe and violence free environment at all times! As we strive to address their concerns, we must ensure that we deliberately involve and engage them to incorporate their voices in all our interventions. We all have a role in creating a lasting positive change for children."

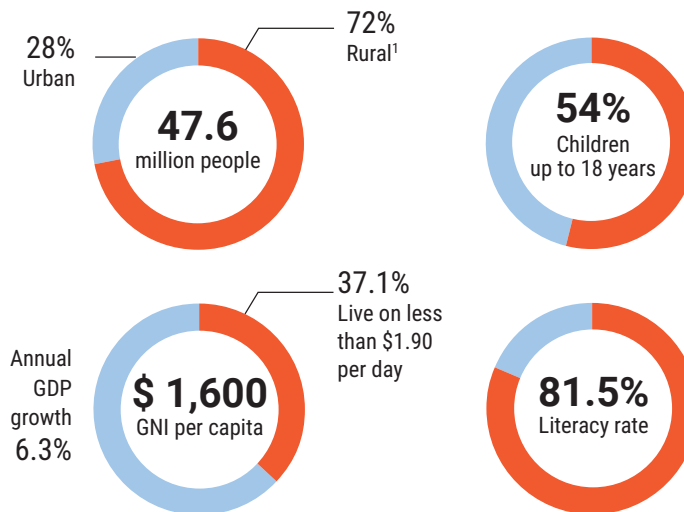
Magdalene Wanja, Country Manager, Kenya



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PROJECTS



KENYA KEY DATA

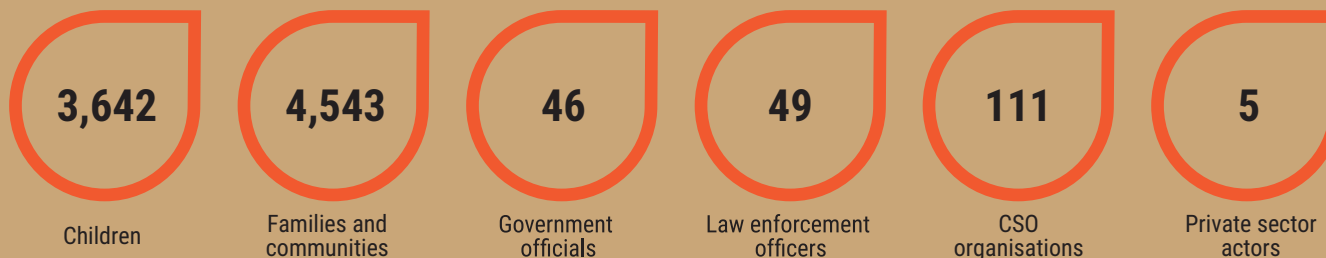


Source: ¹Kenya National Bureau of Statistics 2019, Worldbank 2018
² UNICEF 2014

A total of 13 projects were implemented between 2015 and 2020, these include:

- 8 projects - Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (CSEC)
- 3 projects - Child Trafficking and unsafe Migration (CTM)
- 1 project - Child Abuse, including harmful traditional practices (CA)
- 1 project - Humanitarian Assistance (HA)

2019 OUTCOMES



IMPACT

2015 - 2020

49,715 survivors and children at risk of exploitation supported with direct services (psychosocial support, education, legal aid) by our implementing partners.

314 girl advocates in Kwale County empowered through capacity building, who have been able to engage duty bearers on issues around gender equality and economic exclusion.

5 shelters in Busia, Nairobi, Kwale, Kilifi and Turkana supported to provide rescue, safety and rehabilitation services to survivors of child trafficking and child sexual exploitation.

1,000 government officials across 10 counties trained; being at the forefront in supporting the government to ensure timely quality child protection services, Terre des Hommes Netherlands actively participated in key technical working groups.

8 local civil society partners strengthened in technical and organisational capacity to ensure quality delivery of child protection services to children.

1 online safety for children training module developed, to address the emerging global trend of online sexual exploitation and abuse of children; the module has been approved by the Kenya Institute of Curriculum Development (KICD) for use in Kenyan schools.

Over **3,000** children and families supported during the COVID-19 crisis in 2020 with sanitation and hygiene supplies; over 200,000 community members reached in COVID-19 awareness activities.

“Were it not for the support, I would most probably still be out in the streets. I want to be a role model to children in my community.”

Peter (17 years) dropped out after completing primary education when he had to step in to provide for his younger siblings. He engaged in sexual relationships with older women in exchange for money and basic needs. Through our counselling and economic empowerment of his family, he has resumed his education and is now enrolled in vocational training.