VISION
Build loving communities that protect and heal children to prepare them for a brighter future.

GOAL
To contribute to increased children who have positive and peaceful relationships in their families and communities. More than 5 million children to be reached by 2025.

What will SUCCESS look like?
- Children have positive, peaceful relationships with adults and each other.
- Parents and caregivers make child-centered decisions and empowered to respect, nurture and protect children.
- Communities, including schools, promote safe environments for children.
- Effective laws, policies and systems are in place and enforced to protect children against all forms of violence.
- Increased budget allocations by local governments to support child protection activities/issues.

What will we ACHIEVE?
- Improving laws and accountability.
- Increasing social services and support.
- Attitude and behaviour change.
- Increasing budget for child protection.
- Empowering communities including faith leaders, parents/caregivers, and civil society to make child-centered decisions.
- Strengthen alternative care system for most vulnerable children including unaccompanied, separated and children with special needs to receive adequate support.
- Empowering boys and girls with life-skills, resiliency, and voice to protect themselves and their peers.
**How do we ACHIEVE this?**

1. Support girls and boys with life-skills to effectively participate in matters that affect them and to have positive, peaceful and non-violent relationships with adults and each other.
2. Empower parents and caregivers to respect, nurture and protect children against all forms of violence.
3. Support communities, including schools, to demonstrate non-violent behaviour and oppose violence against children.
4. Partner with faith and cultural institutions to actively participate in promoting positive attitudes, norms and practices that prevent violence against children.
5. Advocate for effective laws, policies and systems to be put in place to protect children from all forms of violence against children.
6. Advocate for increased budget by local governments for child protection issues or activities.

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**OUR MODELS AND APPROACHES**

### Citizen Voice and Action (CVA)

Communities monitor and advocate for safe environments for children.

**Key Activities:**
- Establish and train CVA groups to advocate for improved service delivery to meet formal standards and laws.
- Support CVA teams on gathering evidence and community feedback to inform their advocacy agenda.
- Support CVA groups to identify root causes of violence against children and to actively participate in the process of finding solutions.

### Channels of Hope

Equip faith leaders to use their role and combat cultural beliefs that negatively impact communities.

**Key Activities:**
- Train faith leaders to identify and support the most vulnerable in their communities.
- Equip faith leaders to effectively mobilise congregations and strengthen existing community structures to protect children.

### Celebrating Families

Equip faith leaders to use their role and combat cultural beliefs that negatively impact communities.

**Key Activities**
- Train faith leaders to identify and support the most vulnerable children in their communities.
- Support faith leaders to effectively mobilise congregations and strengthen existing community structures to protect children.

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**IMPLEMENTATION AREAS**

![Map of Uganda with areas highlighted]

1. Yumbe  18. Busia
3. Arua    20. Mayuge
5. Obongi  22. Butambala
6. Madi-Okollo  23. Rakai
8. Lamwo    25. Kiboga
10. Omoro   27. Buliisa
12. Kole    29. Kakuamiro
15. Karenga 32. Bundibugyo
16. Soroti  33. Kamwenge
17. Tororo