

Grow ENRICH

Global programme to improve maternal and child health and nutrition in East Africa through strengthening health and nutrition systems

PROJECT FACTSHEET



OVERVIEW

- **Countries (Target Area):** Kenya (Elgeyo Marakwet), Somalia (Nugaal), Tanzania (Shinyanga DC und Kishapu)
- **Duration:** 01/09/2023 - 31/08/2027 (4 years)
- **Primary Sectors:** Health, Nutrition
- **Budget:** 6,060,000 EUR
- **Funded by:**
German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ): 5,454,000 EUR
World Vision Germany: 606,000 EUR

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

- Globally, Africa is the only region where the number of children under 5 years with stunting has increased. East Africa has the highest rates, with 34.5%¹
- In Elgeyo Marakwet (Kenya), Nugaal (Somalia) und Shinyanga DC und Kishapu (Tanzania) respectively:
 - 3,2%², 14%³ and 3,6%⁴ are wasted
 - 32,9%², 9,8%³ and 30,3%⁴ are stunted
 - 14,9%², 10%³ and 22,9%⁴ receive the Minimum Dietary Diversity
 - 24,7%², 10,2%³ and 13,1%⁴ of children aged 6-23 months receive minimum acceptable diet

APPROACH & OBJECTIVES

- **Overall Outcome:** An enabling policy and structural environment is leading to the improved health and nutrition status of boys, girls, women, and men in Kenya, Tanzania and Somalia
- **Outcome Module 1 (Macro-level):** Target country governments implement updated national action plans consistent with AU nutrition policy
- **Outcome Module 2 (Meso-level):** improved gender-sensitive nutrition and health services
- **Outcome Module 3 (Micro-level):** improved gender-sensitive production and use of nutritious foods
- **Outcome Module 4 (Networks and partnerships):** improved gender-sensitive health and nutrition services, through sustained advocacy of local civil society organizations
- **Project Models:** Citizen Voice & Action, Positive Deviance Hearth, Infant & Young Child Feeding, VSLA, Men-Care, etc.

1 – FAO, IFAD, UNICEF, WFP and WHO, The State of Food Security and Nutrition in the World 2020. Transforming food systems for affordable healthy diets, 2020 | 2 – World Vision Kenya Grow ENRICH Baseline Study May 2024 | 3 – World Vision Somalia Grow ENRICH Baseline Study July 2024 | 4 – World Vision Tanzania Grow ENRICH Baseline Study June 2024 |

WHO DOES THE PROJECT TARGET?

- **Macro-level:** national governments, UN, African Union, Scaling Up Nutrition, civil society organisations
- **Meso-level:** sub-national authorities, health personnel, voluntary community health workers
- **Micro-level:** 506.898 direct beneficiaries (173,911 women and 189,785 children) and 666,488 indirect beneficiaries
 - Pregnant and lactating women
 - People living with disabilities
 - Male and female farmers
 - Members of community groups
 - Influential people e.g. religious leaders