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OUR PRIORITIES

Education  Child Protection  Health  WASH  Livelihoods & Resilience  Disaster Management

OUR VISION

Our vision for every child, life in all its fullness; Our prayer for every heart, the will to make it so.

OUR MISSION

World Vision is an international partnership of Christians whose mission is to follow our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, in working with the poor and oppressed to promote human transformation, seek justice and bear witness to the good news of the kingdom of God.

OUR CORE VALUES

We are Christian
We are committed to the poor
We value people
We are stewards
We are partners
We are responsive

KENYA

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2017 IN SUMMARY

Children Reached: 1,849,317
Counties we work in: 35
Area Programs: 46
Children Registered for Sponsorship: 138,499
Staff: 862
Expenditure: 70,251,288 USD

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LIVELIHOODS AND RESILIENCE

Goal - Improved livelihood and resilience for youth, households and communities, so that parents or caregivers are able to provide well for their children and children are well nourished.

Our Concerns

Food security, access to diversified food resources, nutrition status of children under five years, access to capital and market opportunities

Key Achievements in 2017

- 6,086 community members trained on household financial management, a key factor in enabling parents and caregivers to provide well for their children
- 11,340 households adopted post-harvest technology, minimizing loss of harvests while ensuring quality
- World Vision influenced the development of Kenya Youth Agribusiness Strategy that aims to provide new opportunities for young families in agriculture and its value chains. Implementation of the strategy will enable an estimated one million young families enter the job market, annually

EDUCATION & CHILD PROTECTION

Goal - Improved protection and access to quality education for children, so that they can enjoy integrated early childhood services for wholistic development and acquire literacy and numeracy skills.

Our Concerns

Access and quality early childhood development education, numeracy and literacy skills among children, capacity of households and institutions to nurture and protect children, harmful cultural practices

Key Achievements in 2017

- 24,086 children participated in a digital learning program
- 663 teachers trained in pedagogical skills, to boost children’s level of literacy
- Through the Accelerating Core Competencies for Effective Wheelchair Service and Support (ACCESS) project, funded by USAID, in partnership with other organisations, World Vision provided 1,446 wheelchairs, impacting the lives of 4,065 people directly including 875 children with mobility limitations
- 46,569 adolescents age 10-18 years were involved in children protection initiatives with 26,446 adolescents and youth meaningfully participating in actions that support ending violence against children
IT TAKES US ALL TO END VIOLENCE AGAINST CHILDREN

End child marriage | End sexual violence
End child pregnancy | End female genital mutilation
End child neglect

As part of our contribution to making a significant impact on the well-being of children, we are implementing a five year campaign to end all forms of violence against children.

It takes every parent and every guardian, every child and every school, every community member and every community group, every policy maker and every government official, every elected leader and every politician, every business and every business leader, every civil society organization and every development agency, every celebrity and every journalist, every faith leader and every congregation. **It takes us all, standing up to say the time to end violence against children is now.**

Children are at risk of various forms of violence because of;

- Minimal knowledge and skills on child protection among parents, guardians & communities
- Weak functionality of the community based child protection mechanisms
- Harmful cultural practices
- Weak household economic base that exposes children to various forms of violence
- Weak implementation of policies and laws that protect children from violence and inequality

To end all forms of violence against children we are;

- Strengthening community based child protection mechanisms for effective prevention, response and restorative measures to address violence against children
- Building a movement of individuals and groups of people taking effective action to protect children from all forms of violence
- Advocating for greater accountability for the implementation of policies and laws that protect children

To join the campaign visit [https://www.wvi.org/signup/it-takes-us-all-end-violence-against-children](https://www.wvi.org/signup/it-takes-us-all-end-violence-against-children)
DISASTER MANAGEMENT

Goal - Saving lives through emergency response and relief during and after disasters as well as working with children, families and their communities in disaster preparedness, to help reduce the impact of future disasters.

Our Concerns

Effects of drought, effects of floods, effects of conflict and violence and other emergencies e.g fire, disease outbreak.

Key Achievements in 2017

World Vision responded in 15 out of 23 counties significantly affected by the Kenya Hunger Crisis reaching 391,345 beneficiaries including 106,331 children through Water, Sanitation and Hygiene, Livelihood and Health related response interventions supported by donors, institutions, corporations, and Kenyan citizens.

In FY17, World Vision provided food assistance to 462,099 people inclusive of 244,973 children in Kakuma and Dadaab Refugee Camps (General Food Distribution), Turkana and Moyale (Food for Assets), Kilifi, Baringo, Taita Taveta, Makueni (Protracted Relief Recovery Operations) in collaboration with the Ministry of Health and other partners, World Vision facilitated integrated health and nutrition outreaches reaching 24,918 children and 4,986 adults. Among the screened population, were 7,432 children and 1,705 Pregnant and Lactating Women who were referred for treatment of malnutrition and rehabilitation.

World Vision Kenya appreciates the support of Kenyan citizens, communities, Government, donors, sponsors and corporates, without which the achievements realized in FY17 would not have been possible. Thank you for believing in World Vision’s ministry and its ability to transform the lives of the most vulnerable children and communities.

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