



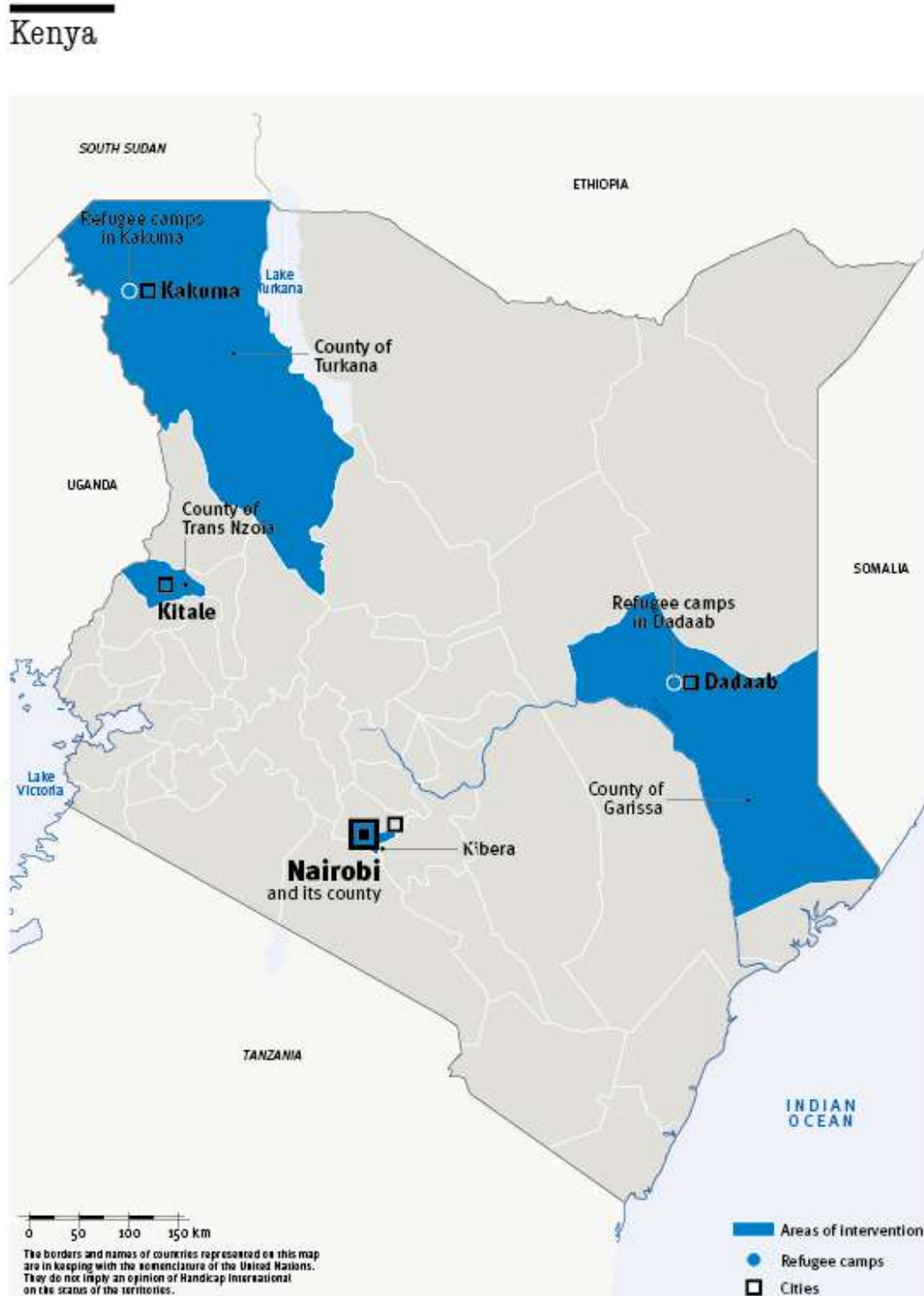
Country Card

Kenya 2021



HI Team and intervention areas

The HI Kenya program has 67 staff members



General data of the country

a. General data

DATA	Kenya	Uganda	Belgium
Population	53.7	45.7	11.5
IHDI	0.60	0.54	0.93
Gender-related Development Index	0.937	0.863	0.974
Maternal mortality	342	375	5
GINI Index	40.8	42.8	27.4
Population within UNHCR mandate	421.248	1.165.653	42.168
Inform Index	5.9	6.5	1.9
Fragile State index	90.32	92.77	27.10
Public social protection	2.3	2.2	29.2
Net official development assistance received	3244.8	2445.2	0

b. Humanitarian law instruments ratified by the country

Humanitarian law instruments	Status
Mine Ban Treaty	Signed on 05/12/1997 Ratified on 23/01/2011
Convention on Cluster Munitions	Signed on 03/12/2008
UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities	Signed on 30/03/2007 Ratified on 19/05/2008

c. Geopolitical analysis

Social/cultural/demographic elements

In 2017 and 2019, the conditions in arid regions of Kenya deteriorated significantly due to drought. There has also been a negative impact of floods and landslides on household food and income sources in various parts of the country. The region was also ravaged by the invasion of



desert locusts, which affected crops and vegetation. This led to heightened food insecurity, decreased health and nutrition status at a time when political instability has also increased. Within this context, the welfare of people with disabilities and vulnerable people is at a greater risk of neglect and reduced provision of services such as education and health.

In July 2021 the National Drought Management Authority (NDMA) issued a bulletin stating that twelve counties and a long rains assessment report released in August indicates worsening food security and nutritional situation in 12 counties with 23 counties recording drought. On September 8, 2021, the President of the Republic of Kenya declared the drought a national disaster.

Political context

From the 2020 Human Development report by UNDP, Kenya is ranked 143 out of the 189 countries on the Human Development Index¹. Increased circumstances of gender inequality have had a negative impact on inclusive human development and economic growth of population especially in areas such as the labour markets, access to education and appropriate healthcare. Correspondingly, as a recognized vulnerable group the rights of people with disabilities are often times neglected, contributing to increased poverty and sub-standard living conditions.

Summary of HI presence in the country

In 1992 HI launched its activities in Kenya through an emergency food aid program in Garissa, following the famine and civil war in Somalia.

For the next four years, Humanity and Inclusion focused on improving surgical treatment at Garissa Provincial Hospital for refugees and support to the primary health care system in neighboring communities.

Since 2001, the organization in Kenya has been building the capacities of local partners at the national, provincial and community levels.

Since 2006, Humanity and Inclusion has taken a leading role in the development of HIV&AIDS awareness, prevention and treatment for persons with disabilities in the country. It began bolstering its support for the physical rehabilitation and education of children with disabilities in Kibera and Dandora informal settlement areas and persons with disabilities in the Dadaab refugee camps in 2007.

In 2009, HI also implemented an inclusive education project in the Nairobi area aimed at ensuring that marginalized children have equal access to education opportunities.

In August 2013, the organization also launched a regional project in Kenya and Tanzania, which contributes to implementing the International Convention of People with Disabilities. An on-going Mother and Child Health Care Project was launched in informal settlements in 2014, which seeks to improve the health status of mothers, new-borns, and children in marginalized populations

¹ <https://www.unhcr.org/ke>



within Nairobi. In the same year, an Armed Violence Project was started in North-Western Kenya in a bid to reduce the incidences of violence within the region.

In 2016, a Road Safety Health and prevention project was also introduced in a bid to advocate for legislation ensuring the safety of children on Kenyan roads.



Overview of ongoing projects

Sectors where HI conducts projects and focus on beneficiaries and operational partnerships

Main sectors of intervention	Objective of project in the sector	Main activities	Beneficiaries	Final beneficiaries	Partners	Location	Dates of beginning and end of the project and Donors
<p>Prevention and Health / Mental Health and Psychosocial Support</p> <p>Protection and risk reduction/ Protection against violence and abuse</p> <p>Rehabilitation Services</p>	Protecting refugee and host communities through Protection, Rehabilitation, and Psychosocial Support Services.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Protection, care, and development of children with disabilities are improved through access to quality rehabilitation, psychosocial support (PSS) and inclusive services.in Kakuma and Dadaab. Strengthening community-based Child protection mechanisms, structures, and resilience through community-led messaging on key protection risks and related mitigation 	<p>Kakuma Direct beneficiaries: 15,136</p> <p>Including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8,600 children with disabilities (refugee = 6,020; host = 2,580) 1,700 caregivers of children with disabilities (refugee = 1200; host = 500) 400 caregivers / parents with disabilities (refugee = 280; host = 120). 4,436 other direct beneficiaries will be targeted: 2,100 families/caregivers, 30 national and 166 refugee workers, 120 CP actors, 160 DIC/CBR committees, 540 	26,739	UNHCR, HIAS, humanitarian operators such as IRC, NRC, LWF, DRC	<p>IFO, IFO 2 and Dagahaley camps of Dadaab</p> <p>Kakuma 1, Kakuma 2, Kakuma 3, Kakuma 4, Kalobeyei of Kakuma refugee camp.</p> <p>Nairobi: Mimosa, Eastleigh, Kayole and Kawangware)</p>	<p>1st Sep, 2020 – 31th Aug 2022</p> <p>Funded by: BPRM</p>



		<p>measures in Kakuma and Dadaab.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Enable humanitarian and state actors to better identify and address protection risks to enhance inclusion of children with disabilities and their families in their programming, coordination, and linkages.in Kakuma and Dadaab.• Improve functional capacities for persons with disabilities through access to rehabilitation and specialized services in urban refugee settings of Nairobi.	<p>caregivers, 320 community health workers who will be reached through trainings and other services, and at least 500 persons with disabilities and 500 children without disabilities.</p> <p>Dadaab: Direct beneficiaries: 10,422 including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 4,350 children with disabilities (refugees = 3,480; host = 870)• 1,000 caregivers of children with disabilities (refugee = 830; host = 170)• 2,962 caregivers / parents with disabilities (refugee = 2,418; host = 544)• 2,110 other direct beneficiaries will be targeted: 720 families/caregivers, 70 national and refugee workers, 30 CP actors, 96 CBR committees, 24 CORPs, 80 teachers, 30 CPVs and 60 community health workers who will be reached through training and other services, at				
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			<p>least 500 persons with disabilities and 500 children without disabilities.</p> <p>Nairobi: Direct beneficiaries: 1,181</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●881 persons with disabilities (781 PoCs and 100 persons with disabilities from the host community who will receive functional rehabilitation services and assistive devices). ●300 other direct beneficiaries will be targeted, including HIAS staff, CBR committees, Community health workers, Volunteer children officers, and caregivers of persons with disabilities. 				
<p>Protection and risk reduction/ Protection against violence and abuse</p> <p>Prevention and Health/</p>	<p>Reducing sexual violence against children with disabilities</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Empowering children, families, communities, services and authorities to protect children against sexual violence • Help survivors and their parents/guardians to access immediate assistance and promote 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 400 child survivors of sexual violence and/or isolated disabled children • 237 children included in children’s activities • 2 local associations will benefit from trainings • 200 relatives benefit from positive parenting training • 120 services providers 	<p>196 direct beneficiaries</p> <p>894 Indirect beneficiaries</p>	<p>Chanuka Youth Development Programme (CYDP),</p> <p>Tuwani Community Gender</p>	<p>Kitale, Trans Nzoia county</p>	<p>Feb 2019 – Jan 31, 2022</p> <p>Funded by: AFD</p>



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Sexual and Reproductive Health		<p>sustainable reintegration and inclusion.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enforce the rights of children, as guaranteed under the Convention on the Rights of the Child and the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 30 administrators and community leaders • 60 positive masculinity champions • Around 172 active community members • At least 30 national authorities, OSC, international organizations and donor representatives 		Representative, Community Based Organisation (TUWANI CGR)		
Social & Inclusion/ Services linked to justice, citizenship and political participation	Empowering Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), state and non-state actors to address inequalities and discrimination of women and girls with and without disabilities, in economic, political and social participation and decision making	<p>Increased capacities of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • vulnerable groups to claim their rights. • state and non-state actors to advocate and implement gender inclusive legal and policy frameworks • women to participate in decision making through stronger CSO led partnerships and alliances • CSOs in addressing gender based violence and harmful practices. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 400 members from 50 CSOs, including DPOs • 380 State Actors • 295 Non-state actors • 50 Women aspirants • 400 Men 	<p>250,000 women</p> <p>100,000 youth</p> <p>3,000 children</p> <p>Including: 9,000 persons with disabilities</p>	National Gender and Electoral Commission (NGEC)	Wajir, Turkana, Nyandarua, Laikipia, West Pokot, Samburu, Kilifi, Tharaka Nithi, Vihiga, and Isiolo	<p>Jan 1, 2020 – Dec 31, 2022</p> <p>Funded by: DEVCO</p>



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<p>Social & Inclusion/ Services linked to justice, citizenship and political participation</p>	<p>To enable emerging leaders in Africa to exchange and implement best practices for inclusive civic engagement</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outreach activities to reach a diverse pool of applicants, especially persons with disabilities. • Applicant Screening & Candidate Selection for a 5 week U.S.-based Fellowship placement and training • Pre-Departure Orientation for the Fellows until their departure to the United States • Support to Fellows with Outbound visits and after Returning to Home Country 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 27 mid-level disability professionals. • Around 19 emerging leaders from Ethiopia, Kenya, Tanzania, Uganda • 8 US citizens 		<p>University of Boston, Massachusetts (UMASS), Institute for Community Inclusion (ICI)</p>	<p>Kenya, Uganda, Ethiopia, Tanzania</p>	<p>Sep 9, 2021 – Sep 30, 2023</p> <p>Funded by: ECA</p>
<p>Social & Inclusion/ Education services</p>	<p>To promote continuous access to equitable quality learning opportunities for refugee children with disabilities</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Providing safe, quality and equitable access to inclusive education for primary school children in Kakuma and Dadaab refugee camps including: Adaptation of EARCs, Transport support, Provision of school uniforms, Individualized 	<p>Direct beneficiaries: 1235</p> <p>Kakuma: 148 Dadaab: 1087</p>	<p>30,606 final beneficiaries</p>	<p>Lutheran World Federation</p>	<p>Dadaab & Kakuma rufugee camps</p>	<p>Jul 1, 2020 – Dec 31, 2021</p> <p>Funded by: ECHO</p>



		support, Support inclusion & Advocacy, Support care givers					
Social & Inclusion/ Economic services	To enhance the capacities of micro-enterprises to improve their business practice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improved capacity of micro-entrepreneurs to grow their business • Increased capacity at company and government level to engage with micro-entrepreneurs with disabilities on procurement contracts • Evidence collected, documented and shared for advocacy purposes 	25 Microenterprises and their Households			Kakuma refugee camp.	April 1, 2019 – Dec 31, 2021 Funded by: FCDO
Social & Inclusion/ Economic services/ Education services Prevention & Health	Covid-19 recovery and Resilience.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To promote continuous and improved equitable access to learning opportunities for learners with disabilities through online and technology-mediated learning. • Ensure safe, dignified living conditions for people with and without disabilities who own micro, small and medium 	965 direct beneficiaries: children, caregivers, education actors and MSMEs.	5790 indirect beneficiaries	eKitab, DRC, NRC, LWF, AEC, Equity Bank.	Dadaab and Kakuma	Mar 1, 2021 to Dec 31, 2022. Funded by: Mastercard Foundation



		enterprises (MSMEs) via continuous remote learning of professional skills and access to finance.					
Social & Inclusion/ Education services	To ensure that displaced children in Kenya are resilient and able to achieve their full potential in education and as equal members of society.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enhance teachers’ capacities on Inclusive Education pedagogies, ICT resource centers and school environment • Respond to children with individual disability needs. • DPOs(OPDs)*promote understanding of inclusive education • Support educational partners and stakeholders in being inclusive • Support UNHCR and Ministry of Education in data disaggregation in education management Information system. • Support parent/Carers of Children with Disabilities in Parent Teacher Associations 	Direct beneficiaries: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 540 children with disabilities • 85 teachers in ECD centres • 26 classroom assistants • 8 community mobilizers • 90 Parents 	749		Kakuma refugee camp, Kakuma 1,2,3,& 4.	Nov 1, 2020 - Oct. 31, 2023. Funded by: PORTICUS



		<p>(PTAs)advocating for their inclusion in the camp education system</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Develop workshops to share best practices and learning form Inclusive Education project implementation at county and national levels targeting the Ministry of Education, UNHCR, UNICEF and other education partners. HI will collaborate with UNICEF in developing policy frameworks.• Develop a technical note based on evidence generated from the project, case studies, lessons learnt and best practices.• Hold technical workshops on Inclusive Education policy in collaboration with UNICEF. <p>*OPDs-Organization of Persons with Disabilities</p>					
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Donors

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<p>FCDO</p> 	<p>Mastercard Foundation</p> 
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