



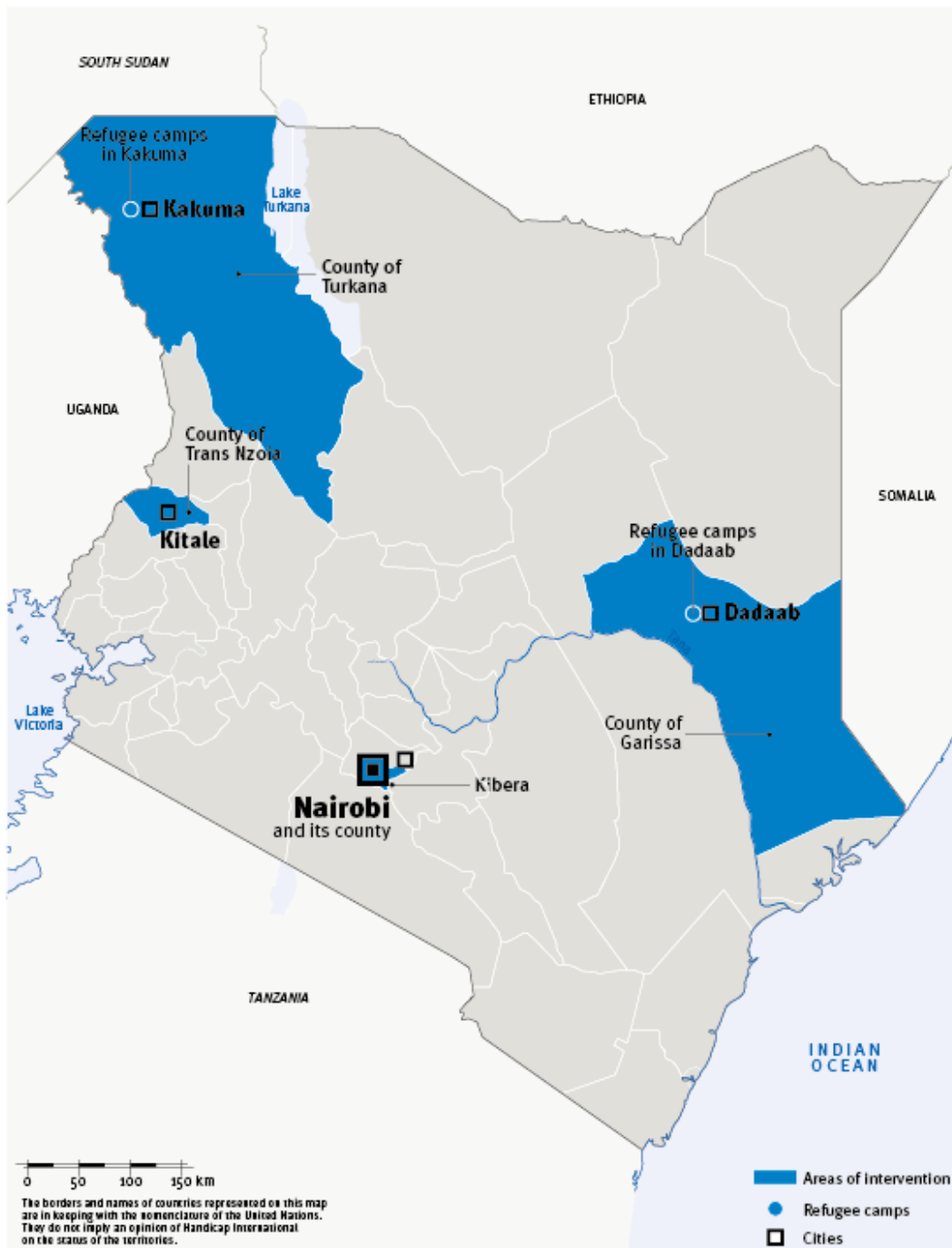
Country Card
Kenya



HI Team and intervention areas

The HI Kenya program has 69 staff members.

Kenya



General data of the country

a. General data

Country	Kenya	Uganda	Belgium
Population	52.5	44.2	11.5
HDI	0.58	0.52	0.91
IHDI	0.426	0.387	0.85
Maternal mortality	362	432	
Gender-Development Index	0.93	0.86	0.97
Inform Index	6.1	6.5	1.9
Population under UNHCR mandate	421.248	1.165.653	42.168
Fragile State index	90.3	92.8	27.1
GINI Index	40.8	42.8	27.4
Net ODA	2488.39	1940.8	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

1. Social/cultural/demographic elements

In early 2017 the conditions in arid regions of Kenya deteriorated significantly due to drought. 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.



The country also has a large population of refugees, which is concentrated in the North-Eastern and North-Western regions. Dadaab camp has a population of around 240,000 refugees, mainly Somalis fleeing from civil war. Kakuma camp and Kalobeyei settlements host more than 180,000 South Sudanese refugees. These vulnerable populations are in need of healthcare and food. People with disabilities living in these situations face additional challenges.

2. Political context

The contested 2017 general elections led to demonstrations and violent skirmishes between civilians and law enforcement agents, which exacerbated instability within the country and contributed to increased number of people in need of assistance and protection.

3. Economic elements

Kenya is ranked 146 out of the 189 countries on the Human Development Index. Increased circumstances of gender inequality have had a negative impact on inclusive human development and economic growth of the population especially in areas such as labour markets, access to education and appropriate healthcare. Correspondingly, as a recognized vulnerable group, the rights of people with disabilities are oftentimes neglected, which also contributes 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, HI focused on improving surgical treatment at Garissa Provincial Hospital for refugees and support to the primary health care system in neighbouring communities.

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

Since 2006, HI 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 Nairobi aimed at ensuring 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 the implementation of 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 new-born children in marginalized populations 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 on ongoing projects

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

Main sectors of intervention	Objective of the project in the sector	Main activities	Beneficiaries	Final beneficiaries	Partners	Location	Dates of beginning and end of the project and donors funding it
Prevention and Health / Protection against violence and abuse / Functional Rehab Services	Enhancing the protection of vulnerable refugee and host communities in Kakuma, Dadaab, and Nairobi.	Objective 1: 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. Objective 2: Child protection community-based mechanisms, structures, and resilience are strengthened through community-led messaging on key protection risks and related mitigation measures in Kakuma and Dadaab. Objective 3: Capacities of humanitarian and state	Kakuma Direct beneficiaries: 15,136 including: •8,600 children with disabilities (refugee = 6,020; host = 2,580), 1,700 caregivers of children with disabilities (refugee = 1200; host = 500) and 400 caregivers/parents with disabilities (refugee = 280; host = 120). •4,436 other direct beneficiaries will be targeted 2,100 families/caregiver, 30 national and 166 refugee workers, 120 CP actors,	26,739	The partners in the 3 sites include: UNHCR, HIAS and humanitarian operators such as IRC, NRC, LWF, DRC	IFO, IFO 2 and Dagahaley camps of Dadaab Kakuma 1, Kakuma 2, Kakuma 3, Kakuma 4, Kalobeyei of Kakuma refugee camp. Nairobi: Mimosa, Eastleigh, Kayole and Kawangware)	1 st September 2020 – 30 th August 2022 Donor: PRM



		<p>actors to identify and address protection risks to enhance inclusion of children with disabilities and their families in their programming, coordination, and linkages are strengthened in Kakuma and Dadaab.</p> <p>Objective 4: Functional capacities for persons with disabilities are improved through enhanced access to rehabilitation and specialized services in urban refugee settings of Nairobi.</p>	<p>160 DIC/CBR committees, 540 caregivers (180 MHPSS, 360 rehabilitation), and 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) and 2,962 caregivers/parents with disabilities (refugee = 2,418; host = 544)• 2,110 other direct beneficiaries will be targeted 720				
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			<p>families/caregiver, 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, and at 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				
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			workers, Volunteer children officers, and caregivers of persons with disabilities.				
Protection against abuse and violence / Prevention and Health Services	Stopping Sexual Violence against Children with Disabilities	Empowering children, families, communities, services and authorities to protect children against sexual violence Help survivors and their parents/guardians access immediate assistance and promote their sustainable reintegration and inclusion. 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.	_400 sexual violence survivor children and/or isolated disabled children _ 237 children included in activities linked with children’s participation _ 2 local associations locales will benefit from trainings _ 200 family members will benefit from positive parenting training _ 120 services providers _ 30 local administrators and community leaders _ 60 positive masculinity champions _ about 172 active community members _ at least 30 national authorities, OSC, international organizations and donors representatives	196 (894-Indirect beneficiaries)	Chanuka Youth Development Programme (CYDP) and Tuwani Community Gender Representative -Community Based Organisation (TUWANI CGR)	Kitale, Trans Nzoia county	February 2019 – 28 th February 2022 Donor: AFD



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<p>Services linked to justice, citizenship and political participation</p>	<p>Empowerment of Civil Society Organisations to promote gender sensitive governance and development in Kenya</p>	<p>1) Increased capacities of vulnerable groups to claim their rights. 2) Increased capacities of state and non-state actors to advocate and implement gender inclusive legal and policy frameworks 3) Increased capacities of women to participate in decision making through stronger CSO led partnerships and alliances 4) Increased capacities of CSOs in addressing gender based violence and harmful practices.</p>	<p>· 400 members from 50 CSOs. CSOs including DPOs · 380 State Actors · 295 Non-state actors · 50 Women aspirants · 400 Men</p>	<p>final beneficiaries women (250,000), youth (100,000), and children (3,000) including persons with disabilities (9,000) from, Vihiga, Isiolo and Nairobi counties.</p>	<p>National Gender and Electoral Commission (NGEC)</p>	<p>10 target counties; West Pokot, Migori, Nyandarua, Laikipia, Samburu, Kilifi, Wajir</p>	<p>1st January 2020 – 31st December 2023 Donor: DEVCO</p>
<p>Economical services</p>	<p>Increasing of economic capacities of persons with disabilities</p>	<p>Help prepare the next generation of leaders of inclusive disability employment advocacy for their critical roles in empowering people with disabilities to succeed economically & Support small micro-enterprises owned by persons with disabilities in</p>	<p>40 mid-level professionals from Kenya, Tanzania, and Uganda (Professional Fellows) 16 U.S. professionals selected from among hosts to participate in a two-week trip to visit their respective Fellow,</p>	<p>16 (300-Indirect beneficiaries)</p>	<p>AUCD, ICI</p>	<p>Kenya, Uganda & Tanzania</p>	<p>15th September 2017 – 30th June 2020 Donor: AUCD</p>



		securing business opportunities	25 persons with disabilities who own SMEs				
Educational services	Inclusive Education Projects in Kakuma & Dadaab Refugee Camps & Urban refugees (Nairobi)	To build stronger foundations for inclusive education to enhance learning and social outcomes for all children with and without disabilities in Kakuma and Dadaab and in	Awareness campaigns for parents and teachers, Training of teachers, Exchanges between schools.	Dadaab-247(10111-Indirect beneficiaries) Kakuma-13300 (15780-indirect beneficiaries)	Save the Children, Sight Savers, Leonard Cheshire, Sense International,	Kakuma & Dadaab Refugee camps and	1 st Jan 2019 – 30 th August 2020 Donor: DFID
		Providing safe, quality and equitable access to inclusive education for primary school children in Kakuma and Dadaab refugee camps urban refugees	Adaptation of EARCs Transport support Provision of school uniform Individualized support Support inclusion & Advocacy Support care givers	Dadaab Kakuma	Lutheran World Fedaration	Dadaab & Kakuma	1 st July 2020 – 31 st December 2021 Donor: ECHO



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		Educating and protecting the most marginalised urban refugee and host community children and youth in Kenya during COVID-19	provide increased access to education and improved safety and protection in learning environments for crisis-affected girls and boys with and without disabilities for urban refugees and the host community	2714	SAVE, XAVIER	Nairobi (Kwangware, Kitengela, and Umoja), Nakuru, Mombasa	1 st September 2020 – 30 th August 2021 Donor: ECW
Economical services	DID Inclusive Business Kakuma - Linking micro and small	Outcome 1: Improved capacity of micro-entrepreneurs to grow their business Outcome 2: Increased capacity at company and	25 Microenterprises and their Households			Kakuma	1 st April 2019 – 31 st December 2021 Donor: DFID



	business owned by PWD to established commercial enterprises families.	government level to engage with micro-entrepreneurs (with disabilities) on procurement contracts Outcome 3: Trialled local procurement business Outcome 4: Evidence collected, documented and shared for advocacy purposes					
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Donors

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