

Rights Activation Program for SRHR and SGBV (RAP4SRHR)

Enhancing the rights and entitlements of Girls and Women's Sexual Reproductive Health Rights (SRHR) in Western Kenya

The Rights Activation Program for SRHR(RAP4SRHR) is a transformative initiative aimed at strengthening the capacity of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) in Western Kenya to combat Gender Based Violence (GBV) and promote the rights of Women, Girls, and Minority groups. The project is anchored on the premise of Sexual and Reproductive Health Rights (SRHR) as a human right, seeking to create lasting impact in Vihiga, Kakamega, Kisumu and Homabay counties.

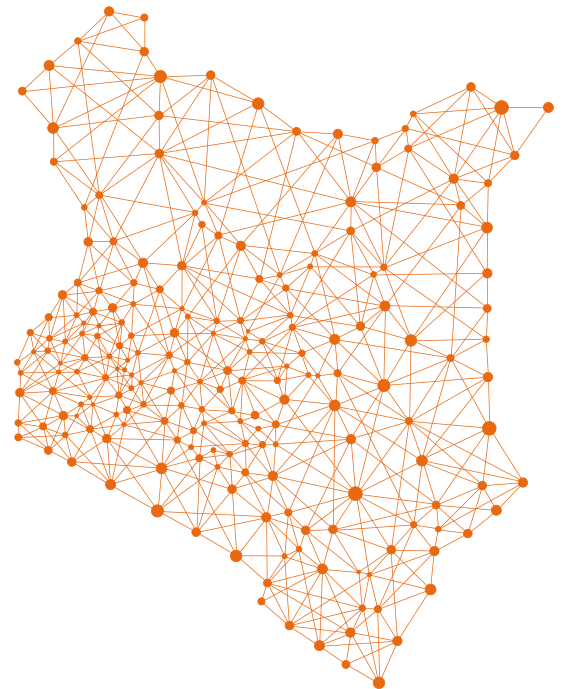
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Implementing Partners: **Access to Medicines Platform** and **CSO Network**

Counties of focus: **Kakamega, Vihiga, Kisumu and Homabay** Counties

Over 2 years, the RAPs project will:

- 1 Enhance knowledge and practice of SRHR as a human right among grassroots organizations and beneficiaries to enhance citizen participation and accountability
 - ✓ Reach 5000 girls, young people and women including teenage mothers
 - ✓ 100,000 community members, including persons living with disability, community gate keepers
- 2 Scale up policy implementation and sharing of good practices between duty bearers, rights holders, CSOs and community members including local leaders at national and county levels
- 3 Support the duty bearers in the coordination of SRHR programming and hold the duty bearers accountable for delivery of these services.



The Rights Activation Program will embrace a multi-sectoral approach at all levels and engage local leaders, government officials, and community stakeholders to enhance SRHR and reduce SGBV incidences. By fostering collaboration at the county level, the program aims to create localized solutions based on each county's context and unique complexities through policy influencing and effective policy implementation while promoting community-led solutions for sustained long-term impact.

Result areas:



Increased knowledge on human rights perspectives of SRHR/GBV among Community-Based Organizations (CBOs) and community members



Increased demand for quality SRHR services among community members.



Strengthened coordination, learning, and integrated responses to SRHR and GBV at both national and county levels



Adoption, development, improvement and implementation of policies that protect the SRHR, gender equality and empowerment of all girls and women.

Key activities with county

- ▶ Participation in and support county engagement processes including TWGs, stakeholder forums and review and planning meetings
- ▶ Review and dissemination of the status of SRH policies as relates to the SRH care package to improve service delivery based on evidence
- ▶ Development of tools and templates for strengthening of SRH TWGs to enhance inclusivity, effectiveness and evidence based decision-making
- ▶ One on one policy engagement through Advocacy meetings to prioritize SRHR delivery, policy implementation and budget allocation
- ▶ Support development of policy implementation plans for effective SGBV policy delivery
- ▶ Joint public campaigns with Counties for key World Health Day celebrations