



Children in Crisis Teen Pregnancy Siaya Case



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About Smart Start Siaya



**Government-Led
Programs with
aligned priorities**



**Capacity
Strengthening
and
Partnership**



**Community
Led
Approaches**





The Multisectoral Approach



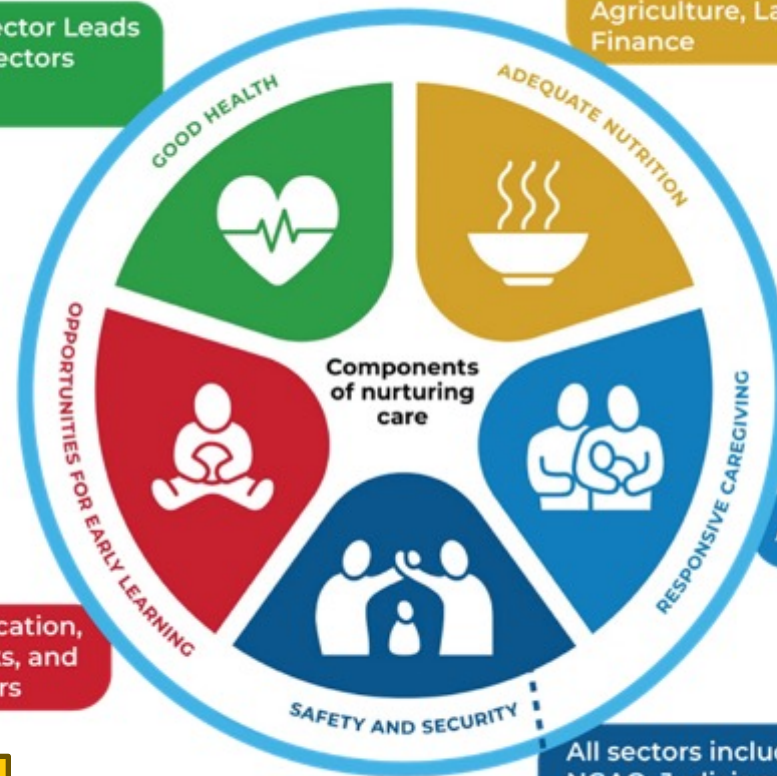
The SSS 'See Higher' model

Government led, evidence-based interventions emphasizing integration of ECD interventions into existing service delivery platforms across all the relevant sectors in the government

County and National Government departments

Health Sector Leads & other sectors support

Governance, Health, Agriculture, Lands, Finance



Health, Education, Public Works, and Lands sectors

ALL sectors

All sectors including: NGAO, Judiciary, Civil Registration, Children's Department



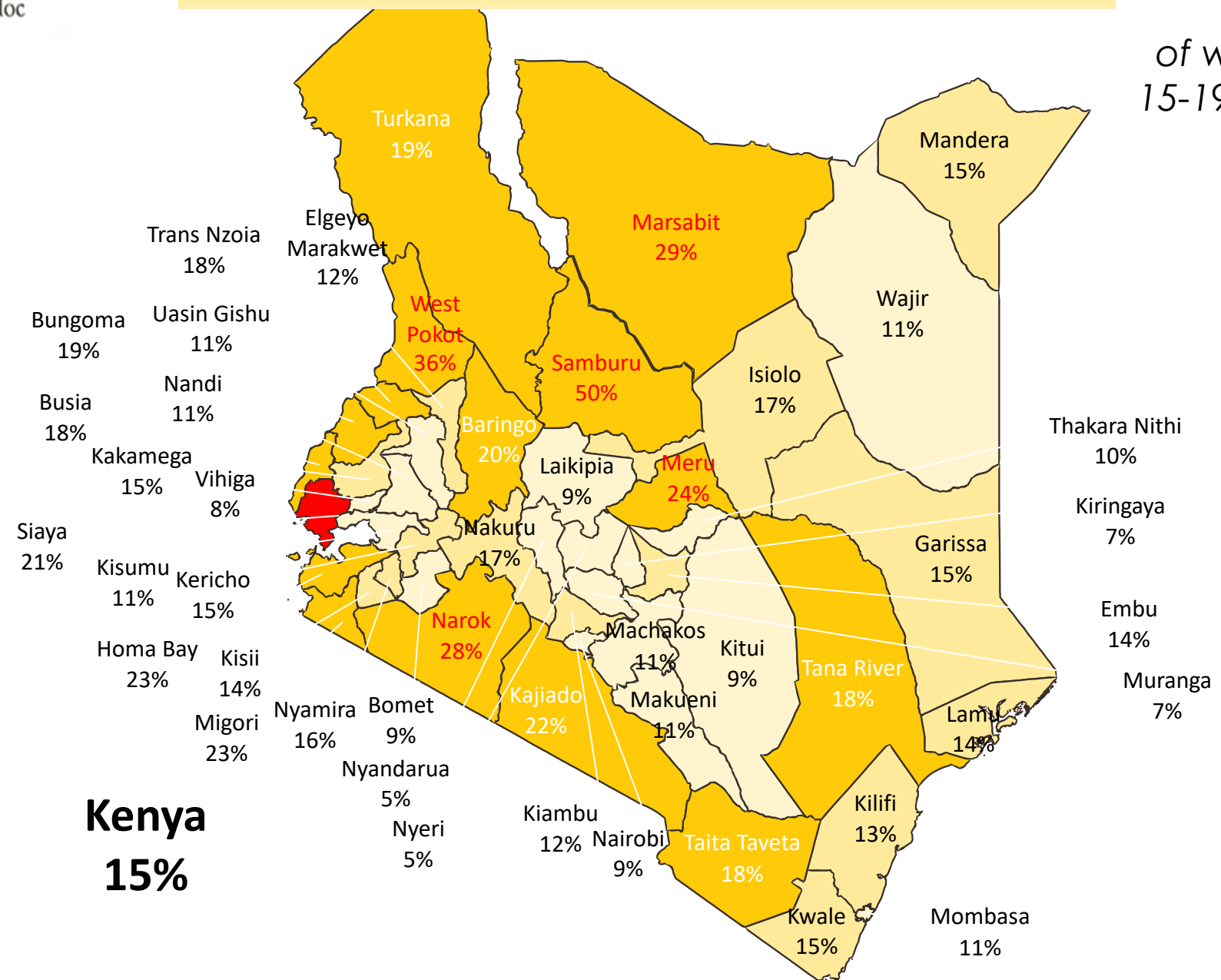


Lake Region
Economic
Bloc

Teenage Pregnancy by County

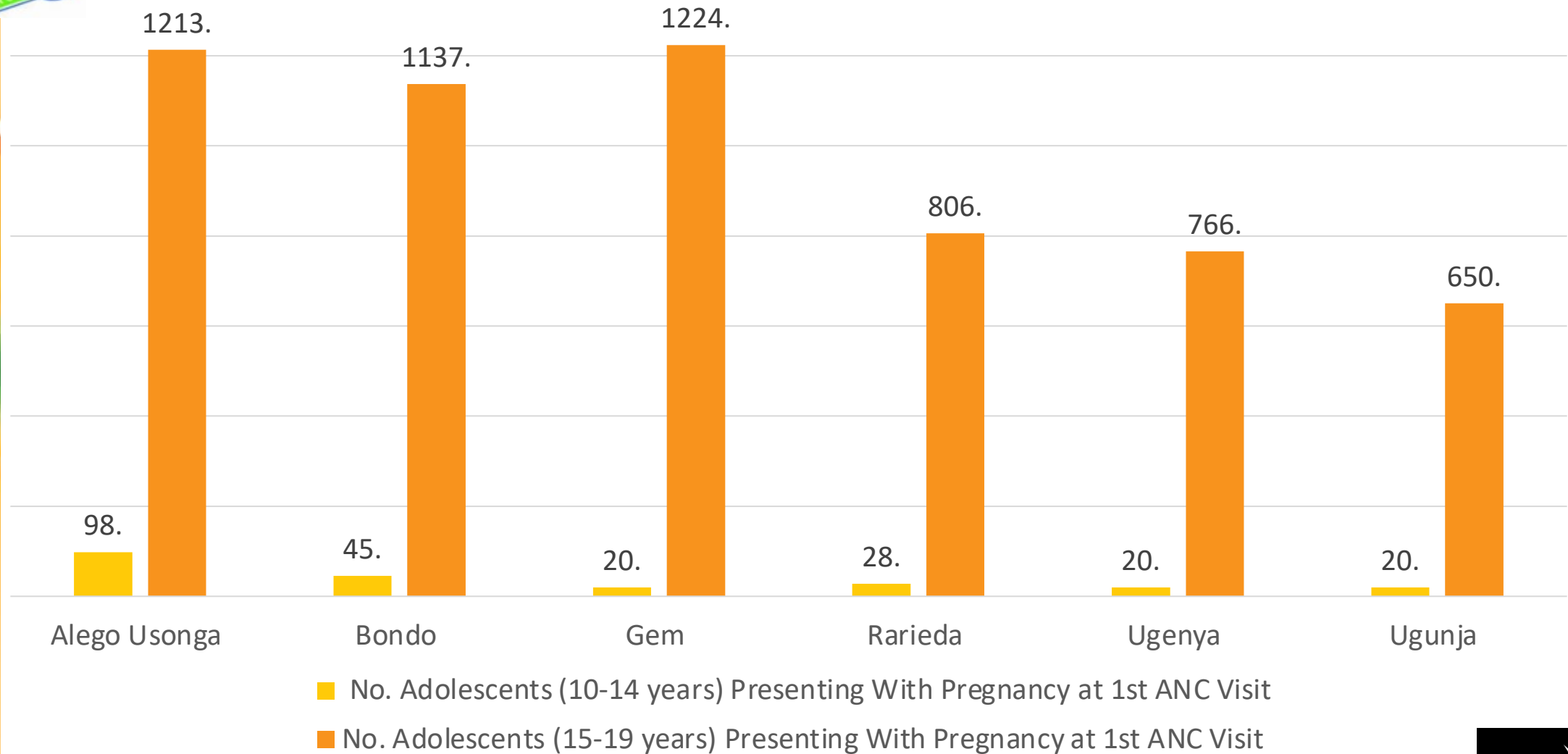


Percent
of women age
15-19 who have
ever been
pregnant



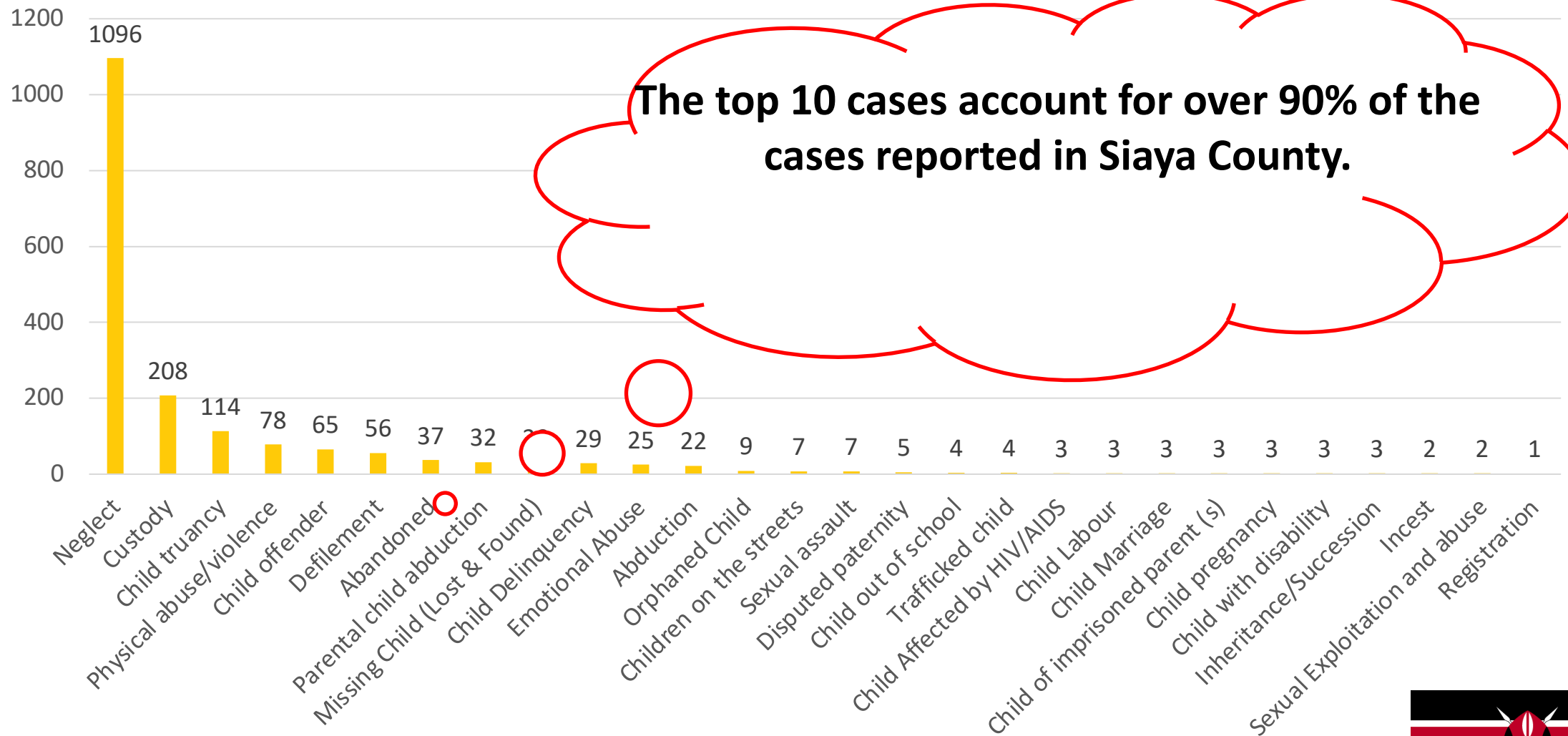


Teenage pregnancies in Siaya County 2023





Siaya County Caseload by case category-Jul'23 to Feb'24



The top 10 cases account for over 90% of the cases reported in Siaya County.





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SSS interventions on teen pregnancy and teen mums



1. Collaborative and Multi Sectoral interventions

- ✓ legal and rights awareness
- ✓ Community dialogues + male involvement
- ✓ Protection (Shelters etc)
- ✓ Medical services
- ✓ Education reintegration
- ✓ Training of service providers
- ✓ Psychosocial support
- ✓ Resource mobilization

2. Policy and Legal framework

- ✓ National and County legislation and policies



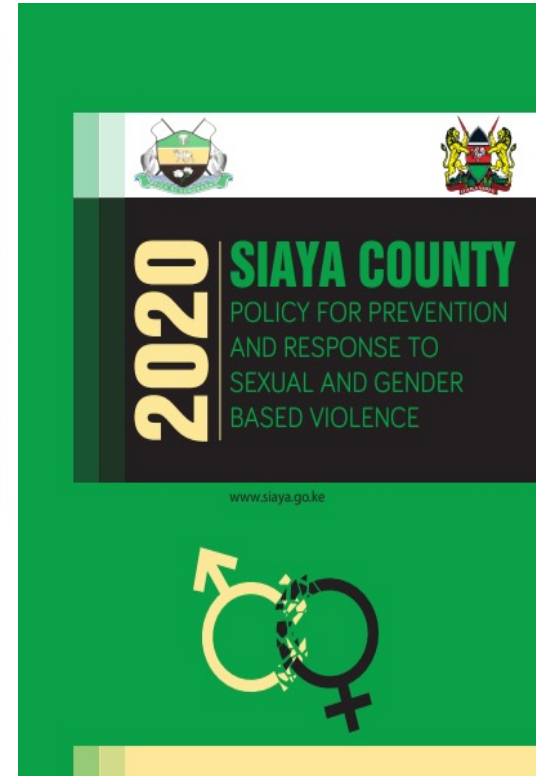
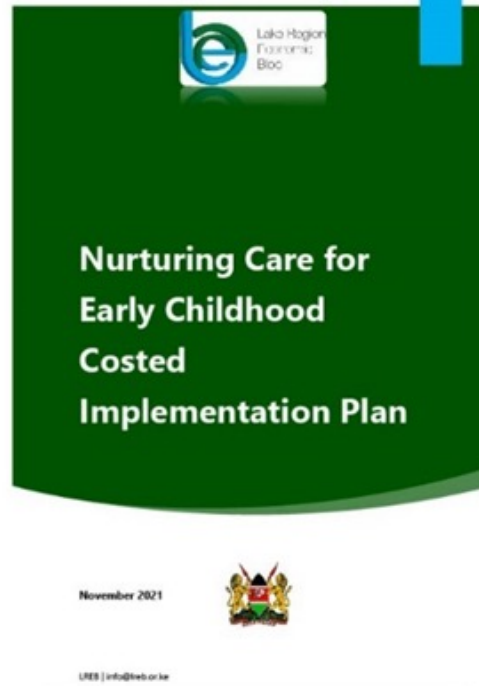
Child Protection Unit at Police Stations



Key Milestones



2. Policy and Legal Framework



1. Health Act
2. RMNCAH Bill
3. CHS Bill
4. Child Protection Policy-Ongoing
5. UHC Policy
6. CIDP
7. ECD Policy
8. School Feeding Policy





***“If we change the beginning of the story ,
We change the whole story”***

