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Access for Protection through
Participation: Working with Children,
Adolescents and their Communities

Save the Children, The Alliance for Child Protection in Humanitarian Action, the Global Gender Based Violence Area of Responsibility and the Global Child Protection Area of Responsibility

Wednesday, 26 October, 10:00 - 11:30 CEST













INTERPRETATION

This room will have translation enabled for Spanish, French and Arabic speakers

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Esta sala tendrá habilitada la traducción para los hablantes de Español, Francés y Árabe

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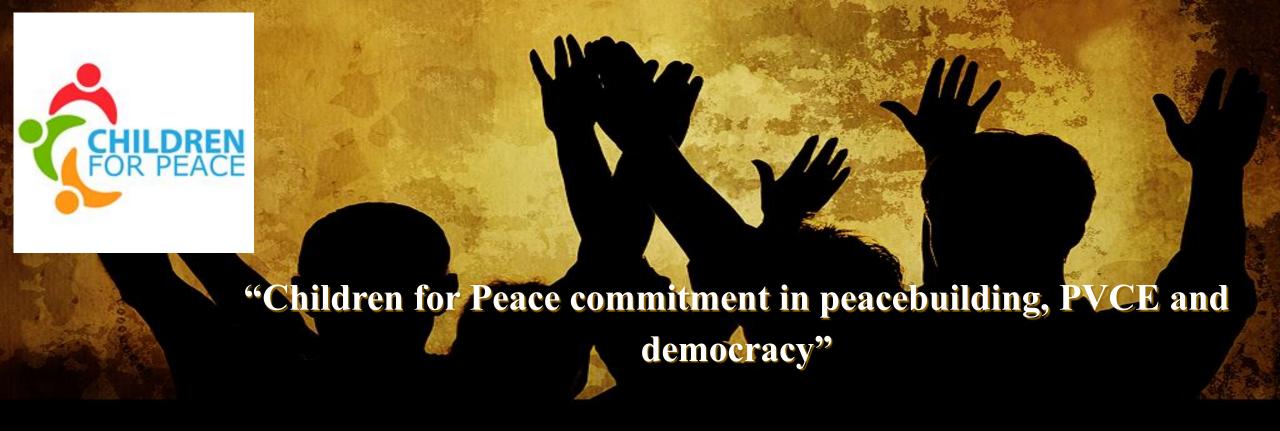
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I- Presentation of Children for Peace:



- ☐ The socio political context in Africa is characterized by an escalation of violence and insecurity perpetrated by terrorist groups like Boko Haram
- ☐ Cameroon my country is in the grip of multiple conflicts:
 - o in the East by the Select and Anti Balaka groups from the Central African rebellion;
 - o in the north by the terrorist group Boko Haram;
 - o the Anglophone crisis specifically in North-West and South West of Cameroon through a battle launched by separatist rebels for their own state, asking for the separation of the country.
- ☐ These conflicts have involved thousands of children as combatants, mine testers, messengers and cooks some of them have even been used as human shields or as sex slaves for military leaders







II- Children for Peace: Focus on the project Silence the Guns, DDR Tech and African parliament of Girls for Peace





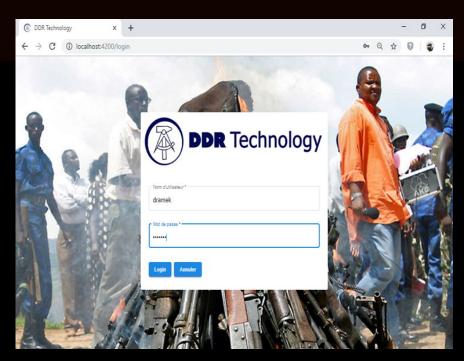




Silence the Guns is an integrated citizen engagement project led by girls, aiming to realize a conflict free Africa by engaging children and girls to mobilize all stakeholders to prioritize efforts on peace, children and girls' rights, effective socioeconomic development.



Disarmament Demobilization and Reintegration Technology for ex child soldiers (DDR-Tech)



African Network of Young Leaders for Peace and Sustainable Development to develop an application called Disarmament Demobilization and Reintegration Technology for ex child soldiers (DDR-Tech).



African parliament of girls for Peace

African Parliament of Girls for Peace is an official forum for girls to look at local and global problems, and come up with their own solutions. The aim of the project is to inform youth about political processes and get them involved in their schools and communities.







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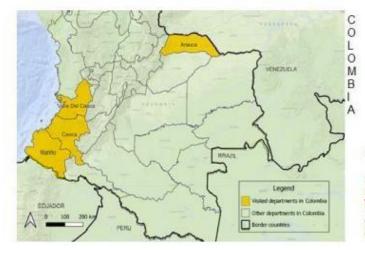


COMMUNITY-LED NEGOTIATIONS FOR ACCESS AND PROTECTION IN COLOMBIA AND SOUTH SUDAN

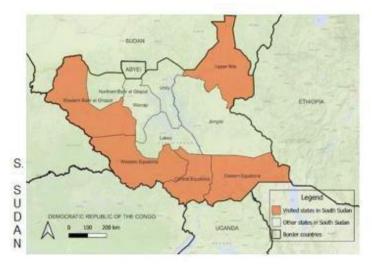


RESEARCH DESIGN

VISITED COMMUNITIES AND PARTICIPANTS



Department	Surveys	Focus Groups	Interviews	Total
Arauca	0	1	26	27
Valle del Cauca	13	3	8	24
Cauca	0	1	3	4
Narino	0	3	6	9
	13	8	43	64



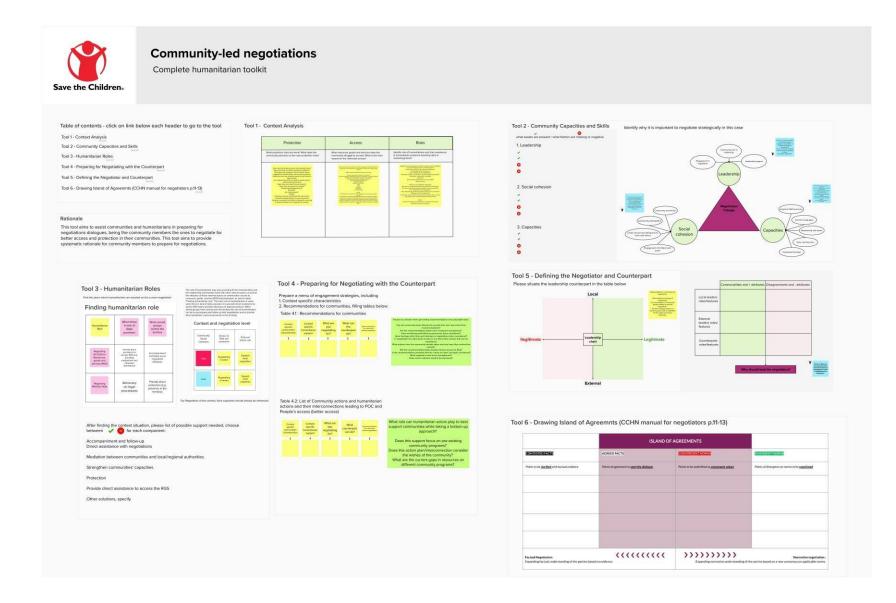
State	Surveys	Focus Groups	Interviews	Total
Upper Nile	14	15	6	35
Western, Central and Eastern Equatoria	23	5	8	36
Western Bahr el Ghazal	0	5	0	5
	37	25	14	76



RECOMMENDATIONS

POSSIBLE COMMUNITY-LED

TOOL

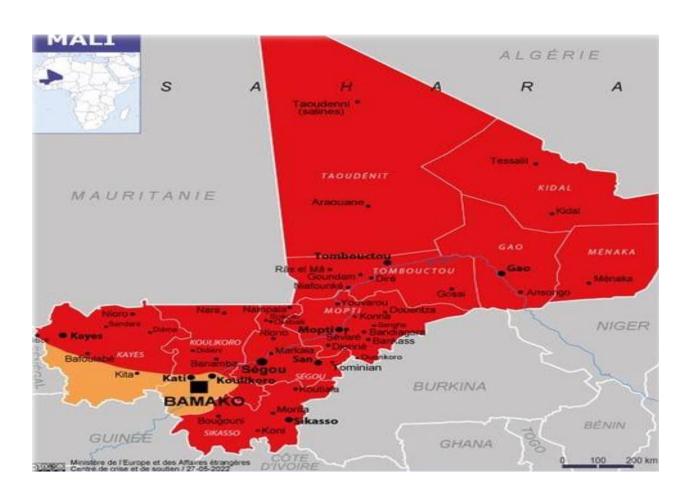




COMMUNITY & ARMED NON STATE ACTORS ENGAGEMENT AND NEGOTIATIONS IN MALI



The experience of SC in central Mali



Community & religious leaders engageme nt

Children & youth participation

Awareness on grave violations & Safe School Declaration

Armed Non State Actors commitment

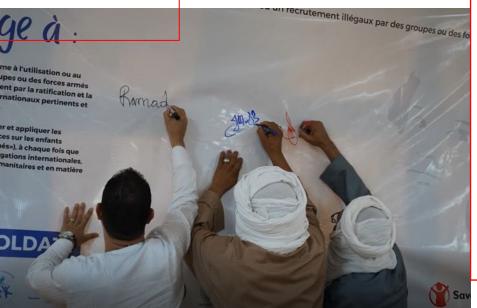


THE WAY FORWARD

Challenges...

- Extension of the armed conflict & restriction of the humanitarian access
- Complexity of the conflict
- Conflict sensitivity & risks of retaliation for communities

Limited capacity to monitor ANSAs respect of commitments



...& Opportunities

- Conflict-sensitive approach to understand and adapt to conflict dynamic
- Promote central role of community leaders in social cohesion
- Support community-led negotiations
- Support Child & youth participation in peace process



WELCOME TO BREAKOUT ROOM 1

INSTRUCTIONS

Please click the link below (also in the chat) and take 2 minutes to read the scenario before we start the discussion...

SCENARIO LINK:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1E3f VQoldO57UGOUbe_etCbfUdiyyVERL/edit ?usp=sharing&ouid=11742206623263708 4670&rtpof=true&sd=true







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Key Findings

Challenges and Barriers

- 1 Access to information
- **2** Family support and social issues
- 3 Referral mechanism and structural processes
- 4 Child-sensitive case management

Reflections of Stakeholders

Stakeholders

- 1 Local government officials
- 2 Service providers
- **3** Teachers

Next Steps

- 1 Identification and prioritization of change activities
- 2 Formulation of strategic plan, work and financial plan
- 3 Implementation of change activities

Implementation of Change Activities

- Use of social media to increase information dissemination and access to services
- The conduct of advocacy activities to improve family support and address prevalent social issues

stakeholders and services providers and the formation of a multi-stakeholder case conference to address issues on referral mechanisms and structural support, along with child-sensitive case management

The conduct of refresher course and trainings for

Participation

- 1 Understanding issues of adolescents
- 2 Helping survivors
- **3** Taking care of mental health

Challenges

- Covid-19
- Lockdowns
- 3 Limited face to face interactions

After the Project/Moving Forward

- 1 iReport Kabataan Facebook page continues
- 2 Opportunities for core group to share results
- 3 Advocacy for information and services





