

# DIRECTORY

## Providers of psychosocial services for children in Ethiopia



The Children's Legal Protection Centre



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In 2005, the Forum established the Children's Legal Protection Centre (CLPC), the only one of its kind in Ethiopia, with the objective of providing access to justice for children. The CLPC carries out advocacy, free legal counselling, judicial representation, capacity building, and psychosocial support.

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## Preface

Research has shown that many children experience violence in private i.e. within their family as well as public places at school and in the community. Equally concerning is the lack of child-centred legal and social systems and structures in place to protect children from violence and to support child victims of violence. Many of abused children require legal support as well as crisis intervention and psychosocial support.

To achieve its mission and contribute to addressing the issues around violence against children, The African Child Policy Forum established the Children's Legal Protection Centre (CLPC) in Addis Ababa in 2005. CLPC provides services through four interdependent units to ensure that children receive the required attention and the necessary support.

Under its Legal Service Unit, CLPC provides legal advice to children and their families. This includes preparing letters and pleadings, as well as judicially representing children in a court of law. The work is further strengthened through the provision of psychosocial services to children in difficult situations through a referral system with complementary service providers.

CLPC believes that it is crucial to gather and disseminate accurate information about issues affecting children to ensure that policy- and decision-makers take appropriate measures to improve the lives of children. The Information and Education Unit accomplishes these tasks by providing training to law enforcement organs, the judiciary, the media and others to ensure that issues affecting children are given priority in the public agenda. Cases that come to the centre are analysed with the aim of understanding their root causes and appropriate solutions. CLPC's Advocacy Unit works to compile issues arising from casework that require policy and law reform.

The complexity and diversity of the cases that come to the CLPC makes it important to establish effective networks with organisations and institutions that provide psychosocial support for children in need. The CLPC has signed a Memorandum of Understanding with some organisations in Addis Ababa identified as capable of providing effective services to children. This positive experience led to the development of a strategy to identify reputable organisations that provide psychosocial and related services around the country. CLPC aims to develop a working relationship with many more such organisations, to ensure that abused and victimised children all over the country have increased access to legal and psychosocial services.

This directory is an initial step towards creating and maintaining a comprehensive database of all organisations providing psychosocial services for children, in order to strengthen and formalise referral arrangements for children in need of more than legal services. In its current form, this directory covers child-focused organisations in eight of the largest towns in Ethiopia: 10 in Adama, 70 in Addis Ababa, 2 in Arba Minch, 3 in Assosa, 19 in Awassa, 10 in Dessie, 11 in Dire Dawa and 8 in Gonder. The selected towns and their adjacent surroundings have been identified as the prominent sources of many trafficked, abandoned and destitute children. Most of the organizations included in the service directory were selected because they have offices and projects in the aforementioned towns intended to provide psychosocial services to children in need. Others were chosen because they are the only few organizations that are serving children in the selected areas of the country. Furthermore, all organizations included in the service directory are those that have

shown interest in being part of referral process to be established among organizations locally or nationally. Linked to this directory is a comprehensive report presenting the methodology of the study and organisational capacities and characteristics of the 133 organisations providing support and services for children. Organisations listed in this document include non-governmental organisations (NGOs), faith-based organisations and some community-based organisations and one government office in Adama. The profiles contain basic information on the organisations, project locations, services offered, targeting criteria and contact details, and are listed in descending alphabetical order for each town.

This volume, which is the first in a series, is not as comprehensive as we would have liked it to be. However, it is a major step in the right direction. During the fieldwork for this study, it was evident that there is immense dynamism among these organisations; newcomers are established and existing organisations frequently change their office locations or target areas. Therefore, in order to make this directory a living document, CLPC aims to update it regularly and expand its horizons to embrace more and more new entrants into the sector. Organisations providing psychosocial services to children can submit their organisational profile anytime to the African Child Policy Forum. Updated versions will be available on The African Child Policy Forum's websites: [www.africanchildforum.org](http://www.africanchildforum.org) or [www.africanchild.info](http://www.africanchild.info)

I would like to thank all who have contributed to the successful completion of this directory: Plan International, for financial and technical support; Power Megen Consultancy, for compiling the profiles; and all the child-focused organisations included, for their valuable contributions. The CLPC hopes to work with as many such psychosocial service providers as possible, to reach the maximum number of children and families in need.

Let us work together for change.

W/zo Helen Seifu  
Director  
Children's Legal Protection Centre of The African Child Policy Forum

# Adama

**ADAMA TOWN ADMINISTRATION MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS OFFICE**

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**I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	Addressing vulnerability
Established:	1998
Network membership:	Ethio-Child Focused Associations
Staff:	1 semi-professional and 4 supporting staff
Status:	Governmental organisation

**II. Project information**

Project location:	Adama
Projects in other areas:	All zones of Oromya Region
Major services:	Education, training, healthcare, psychosocial and house maintenance support to poor parents
Description of services:	Educational support for 1,100 children under 18 years old; healthcare support for 450 children 12 to 18 year olds, on health education, physical support, reproductive health, HIV/ AIDS, counselling and psychosocial support; reunification and rehabilitation services; and house maintenance support for 500 households with children
Targeting criteria:	Poor, disabled, and orphans and vulnerable children
Funding:	Government, UNICEF and the community

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## ELLILITA WOMEN AT RISK (E -WAR)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Rehabilitating women engaged in prostitution to become productive and healthy members of society and creating awareness in the community to reduce the spread of prostitution among young vulnerable women
Established:	1994
Network membership:	Ethio-Child Focused Association
Staff:	1 semi- professional and 4 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Adama
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa, Head Office
Major services:	Education, vocational training, healthcare and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Educational support (educational materials and school fees), healthcare support (covering expenses of health services) and psychosocial support (counselling) to 36 females
Targeting criteria:	Female children who engage in prostitution
Funding:	International and local NGOs

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## ETHIO-CHILD FOCUSED ASSOCIATION (ECFA)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Facilitating the observance of child rights through advocacy, networking and capacity building with member organisations and child-focused actors
Established:	2006
Network membership:	Child Help Line
Staff:	1 professional, 5 semi-professional and 4 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Adama
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Collaborating with government and NGOs working on child rights protection
Description of services:	Facilitate referral systems for abused children to service providing organisations working in Adama
Targeting criteria:	-
Funding:	International NGOs, OAK Foundation, Save the Children Norway, and Every Child-London

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**ETHIOPIAN KALE-HIWOT CHURCH MEDAN ACTS PROJECT (EKHCMP) – ADAMA BRANCH**

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**I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	Minimising HIV/ AIDS prevalence; capacity building of stakeholders; and improving living standards of people living with HIV/ AIDS
Established:	2004
Network membership:	Adama Child Focus Network
Staff:	1 semi- professional
Status:	Local NGO

**II. Project information**

Project location:	Adama, Kebele 04
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Financial support
Description of services:	Providing financial support for education
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children as result of HIV/ AIDS with nowhere to live, below the age of 15
Funding:	Kale Hiwot Church and international NGOs

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## FORUM ON STREET CHILDREN ETHIOPIA (FSCE) – ADAMA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To see the rights of children being appreciated and respected by society
Established:	1989
Network membership:	-
Staff:	6 professional, 10 semi-professional and 26 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Adama
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa, Dessie, Dire Dawa, and Bahir Dar
Major services:	Foster care, day care service, drop-in centre, and financial, educational and healthcare support
Description of services:	Providing foster care for 59 children (17 female); day care services for 207 children; drop in centre for 19 abused female children; financial support for food and house rent for 130 orphans and vulnerable children (63 female); educational materials for 1,110 children (682 female); and healthcare support for 15 victimised female children
Targeting criteria:	Children younger than 18 years old, family size, family income and severity of problems experienced
Funding:	Save the Children Norway and Every Child-London

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**HOLY SAVIOUR CHILDREN AND YOUTH DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION (HSCYDA)**

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**I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	Providing care and support for orphans, vulnerable and poor children and institutionalised support in orphanage centre
Established:	2005
Network membership:	Ethio Child Focus Association (ECFA)
Staff:	1 professional 12 semi-professionals and 5 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

**II. Project information**

Project location:	Adama, Kebele 05
Projects in other towns:	-
Major services:	Educational support
Description of services:	Providing educational support (educational materials, uniform and school fees) for 250 children (134 female) aged 4 to 7
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children from poor families and victims of abuse
Funding:	Members' contribution, and local and international NGOs

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## INREDADA YE IDDIROCH MAHIBER (IIM)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To strengthen the capacity of <i>idirs</i> to tackle the multifaceted socio-economic problems of society
Established:	2007
Network membership:	Ethio Child Focus Association
Staff:	1 semi-professional and 1 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Adama, Kebele 01
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Financial, educational and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Providing financial support for 130 children (63 female) aged 4 to 18; educational materials for 130 children aged 7 to 18; and psychosocial support for 150 children aged 7 to 18
Targeting criteria:	Age (4 or 7 to 18, depending on the type of support), address in project area, poverty and poor health situation, victims of abuse and orphans and vulnerable children
Funding:	Members' contributions and local and international NGOs

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## MEKDIM ETHIOPIA NATIONAL ASSOCIATION – ADAMA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Participate in the prevention and control of HIV/ AIDS and provide care and support to AIDS orphans
Established:	2005
Network membership:	Adama town GO-NGO Forum
Staff:	2 professional, 6 semi-professional and 10 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Adama
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa, Dessie and other different parts of the country
Major services:	Sustenance, educational, healthcare and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Cover sustenance expenses for 887 orphans and vulnerable children due to HIV/ AIDS (485 female); educational support for 1,172 children (606 female) up to 17 years old; healthcare support for 507 children (239 female) in Community Therapeutic Care programme; psychosocial support, including counselling and life skills, for 4,991 children (2,792 female); and legal protection services for 721 children (399 female)
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children, as result of HIV/ AIDS, experiencing severe problems
Funding:	International NGOs, USAID and UNAIDS and community contribution/ cost sharing

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## ORGANISATION FOR SOCIAL SERVICES FOR AIDS (OSSA) – ADAMA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information:

Aim and purpose:	Dedicated to initiating, coordinating, facilitating and promoting community-based responses to reduce the spread of HIV/AIDS and alleviate its impact
Established:	1989
Network membership:	Adama town GO-NGO Forum and Ethio Child Focus Association (ECFA)
Staff:	3 professional, 4 semi-professional and 2 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Adama
Projects in other areas:	Throughout the country
Major services:	Financial, educational, healthcare and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Financial support on a permanent basis for feeding, house rent and other expenses for 500 children (265 female) children aged under 17; education (educational materials, uniforms and school fees), healthcare and psychosocial support
Targeting criteria:	Referrals from health institutions, <i>kebeles</i> , community- and faith-based organisations and NGOs; selection gives priority to orphans and vulnerable children with severe problems, including health problems
Funding:	International NGOs and federal and Oromya Region HIV/ AIDS prevention and control offices

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## RAPID ADAMA COMMUNITY BASED REHABILITATION PROJECT (RAPID-CBR)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Rehabilitation of the disabled towards self-support and independent life and prevention of occurrence of disability among young children
Established:	2006
Network membership:	Adama town GO-NGO Forum and Community Based Rehabilitation Network Ethiopia
Staff:	1 professional, 6 semi-professional and 10 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Adama
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Food, clothing, shelter, education and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Support for 288 physically disabled children (127 female) with home-to-home rehabilitation approach; counselling service and interest-free saving and credit services for parents of disabled children
Targeting criteria:	Children with physical disabilities under 15 years old through referrals
Funding:	International and local NGOs

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# Addis Ababa

**ABA SELAMA KESATE BERHAN WELAJ ALBA HETSANET MASADEGIA MAHEBER (ASKBWAHMM)**

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**I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	Provide orphans and vulnerable children with basic needs and raise them in an environment that will facilitate their growth and development
Established:	2004
Network membership:	-
Staff:	2 professional, 1 semi-professional and 5 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

**II. Project information**

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Yeka Sub-city, all <i>kebeles</i>
Projects in other areas:	Accepts children referred from other regions
Major services:	Orphanage
Description of services:	Feeding, clothing, shelter and psychosocial services to 14 orphans under 12 years old (7 female) at the centre, including covering education and health costs
Targeting criteria:	Referrals from stakeholders living in the same area as the child in need; eligible children are identified, screened and selected using family status (lost both parents); economic condition (poor); age (less than 12); and health (HIV-positive children are excluded due to space problems)
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## **ABEBECH GOBENA YEHETSANAT ENKBEKABENA LIMAT DIRIJIT (AGOHELD) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH**

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### **I. Organisational information**

Aims and purpose:	Upbringing needy children by providing them with basic needs, child family reunification, make children of the orphanage and other destitute women and young people to be self supportive by providing them with various skill training, undertake urban and rural integrated development programmes to alleviate basic problems of society
Established:	1980
Network membership:	CRDA and Addis Ababa Orphanages Network
Staff:	1 professional, 2 semi- professional and 18 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### **II. Project information**

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Arada Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 03/09, 04/05, 06, 07/08, 10; Gulele Sub-city, Kebele 07-17, 18; and Addis Ketema Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 12/21, 13/15
Projects in other areas:	Ambo; Guder; Ginchi, West Shoa Zone; and Girar Jarso, Degem, Wuchale Jida and Debre Libanos, North Shoa Zone
Major services:	Orphanage, boarding school, foster families, specialised hospital, and vocational training
Description of services:	Orphanage for 150 children (65 female); foster families for 20 children; vocational training for 10; health services for mothers and children; and counselling services
Targeting criteria:	Needs assessment results, police referrals of abandoned children and low income of the family are the major criteria for eligibility
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## **ABERASH MEMORIAL DEVELOPMENT ORGANISATION (AMDO) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH**

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### **I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	Provide orphans and vulnerable children with basic needs and raise them in an environment that will facilitate their growth and development
Established:	1998
Network membership:	Children and Youth Forum, Christian Relief and Development Association (CRDA); Basic Education Association Ethiopia; and Building Partnership for Development (BPD)
Staff:	4 professionals, 1 technical staff directly working with children and 4 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### **II. Project information**

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Kirkos Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 05, 06 and 07; and Akaki Sub-city, all <i>kebeles</i>
Projects in other areas:	Projects in Amhara Region working on integrated development programmes
Major services:	Foster families
Description of services:	Provide food, clothes, including school uniform and shoes, educational materials, healthcare support and counselling services for 66 children, including the families where the child is living
Targeting criteria:	In collaboration with <i>kebele</i> authorities, eligible children are identified, screened and selected using family status (large female headed-households) economic condition (poor); age (under 18); health (HIV/ AIDS infected and affected); geography (no limitation, as long as a child has someone to look after them)
Funding:	Individual Ethiopian donors and international NGOs

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## **ACTION FOR SELF RELIANCE ORGANISATION (AFSR) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH**

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### **I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	Dedicated to improving the quality of life of orphans, vulnerable children and other vulnerable groups in target communities through integrated development programmes
Established:	2000
Network membership:	OVC Network, Alliance of NGOs on Self Help Groups (SHGs), Care and Support Forum, CRDA, and International Society for the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect (ISPCAN)
Staff:	7 professional, 9 semi-professional and 16 support staff
Status:	Local NGO

### **II. Project information**

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Nifas Silk-Lafto Sub-city
Projects in other areas:	Awassa
Major services:	Drop-in centre, food, education and healthcare support
Description of services:	Provides food; education; psychosocial services; vocational skill and entrepreneurship development trainings, healthcare support; and legal protection for 1,728 children (838 female); each child is entitled to a minimum of the three services; capacity building for Community Based Organizations (CBOs); financial support
Targeting criteria:	Selection takes place through school girls clubs, to determine abuse, and through <i>idirs</i> (funeral associations) for other services, depending on agreed criteria and is further refined by the social workers through home visits
Funding:	Foundations; international NGOs; Embassies; UN Agencies; government

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## ALEM CHILDREN SUPPORT ORGANISATION (ACSO) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To enable children who are in difficult circumstances to grow into independent and productive citizens by creating access to education, ensuring their wellbeing and alleviating their plight
Established:	1994
Network membership:	CRDA, OVC Network coordinated by Jerusalem Child Development Organisation, and Children and Youth Forum
Staff:	6 professional, 18 semi-professional and 17 support staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Kolfe Keranyo Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 01 and 05; Kirkos Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 08 and 09; Nifas Silk-Lafto Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 03, 04, 05, 06, 11 and 12
Projects in other areas:	Bahir Dar
Major services:	Day care centre, child sponsorship and family support activities
Description of services:	Currently there are 1,083 children accessing services, including education, tutorial, formal and non-formal; day care centre; medical and psychosocial services; sanitation; clothing; and play and recreational facilities
Targeting criteria:	Orphan children under 14 are selected, with a support letter from the <i>kebele</i> should be obtained and Civil and Social Affairs should approve. For sponsorship families request the GI for assistance and support letter should be obtained from Kebele verifying that the household should be supported.
Funding:	International NGOs, individual donors in the country and the Diaspora and the business community

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**ALMAZ ASHENE CHILDREN AND FAMILY SUPPORT ORGANISATION (ACFSO) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH**

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**I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	Focus on institutional care and support; educational and early childhood development; women's empowerment; and sponsorship programme
Established:	1991
Network membership:	CRDA and Addis Ababa Adoption Agency Forum
Staff:	5 professional, 16 semi- professional and 13 support staff
Status:	Local NGO

**II. Project information**

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Gulele Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 13 and 14 (for sponsorship) and whole city (for orphanage)
Projects in other areas:	Ambo (day care centre)
Major services:	Orphanage; drop-in centre; day care centre; foster families; food, clothing, education, healthcare and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Support to 35 children in the orphanage; 80 in the drop-in centre; 200 in the day care centre; 8 in foster families; 35 provided with regular meals; 80 in kindergarten; around 350 with educational material support, including school fees; 660 with health services provision; 646 with psychosocial support (counselling, guidance, reunification, reintegration, and leisure and entertainment); 21 in vocational trainings
Targeting criteria:	Need assessment for sponsorship programme and referrals from regional civil and social affairs bureaux
Funding:	International donors; local NGOs, including CRDA; and individual contributions

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## AMSAYA CHILDREN WORLD ORPHANAGE

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Assess and support HIV/ AIDS affected and infected children
Established:	2006
Network membership:	Addis Ababa OVC Forum
Staff:	1 professional, 2 semi-professional and 2 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Gulele Sub-city, kebele 08/16/22
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Day care centres and foster families
Description of services:	Provide clothing, educational, medical and psychosocial services to 28 children (12 female)
Targeting criteria:	Depends on referral from <i>kebele</i> administration; supports only orphans who have lost one or both parents to HIV/ AIDS and HIV-infected children
Funding:	International donors

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## ASSOCIATION FOR NATION-WIDE ACTION FOR PREVENTION AND PROTECTION AGAINST CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT (ANPPCAN)-ETHIOPIA, ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Prevention of child maltreatment and protection of children against abuse, neglect and exploitation through awareness raising and advocacy program, encouraging child participation and providing psycho-social and related services for child victims of maltreatment and other support for children in especially difficult circumstances
Established:	1990
Network membership:	CRDA Children and Governance Forum, and Joint Program for the Prevention of Child Sexual Abuse in Addis Ketema
Staff:	22 professional and 43 supporting Staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa- Yeka, Arada, Addis Ketema and Kirkos Sub-cities
Projects in other areas:	Amhara Region- North Gondar & North Wollo Weredas; Oromya Region- Girar Jarsso Woreda, North Shoa, Moyale, Borena Zone; and SNNPR- Shebedino Woreda, and Sidama Zone
Major services:	Promotion of children's rights; protection of children against abuse, neglect and exploitation; provision of counselling, medical and family reunification services and legal aid for victims of abuse; advocacy on legal, social and administrative issues affecting children; provision of support for orphans and vulnerable children; empowering children and women in protecting their rights; and right based development programs benefiting children and women
Description of services:	Established over 500 school child rights clubs with membership of over 35,000 children, and members are serving as activists in the school system; child protection structures including 10 child protection Units (CPUs) with police, and the child help lines in Addis Ababa and Gondar are providing counselling, medical and family reunification services and legal aid; prevention of harmful traditional practices and HIV/AIDS are carried out in schools and communities; school going orphans and vulnerable girls are provided school support and tutorial services, and out of school children are vocational training and start up capital; children participation in promoting their rights and protecting themselves against rights violations are carried out in schools through child rights clubs and at community level by organizing children's parliaments
Targeting criteria:	Situation analysis through the involvement of community, funding and government partners

Funding: International funding partners and local government collaborators

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## ARAT KILO CHILD CARE & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT (AKCCCD) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Promote and protect human rights, specifically, the rights of children and youth; improve the living standards of impoverished children by providing them with access to health and educational facilities; increase the participation of women in economic activities and to promote a safe and healthy living environment
Established:	1978
Network membership:	Children and Youth Forum and HIV/ AIDS Forum, CRDA
Staff:	4 professional, 9 semi- professional and 3 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Arada Sub-city, <i>Kebele</i> 17
Projects in other areas:	Chanco Wereda, North Shoa Zone
Major services:	Education, health service, micro enterprises development, and sport and recreation facilities
Description of services:	More than 1,300 children are provided with school materials, fees, vocational training and recreational activities, and about 5,000 needy families got access to clinical services. Women are supported with working materials; training on business skills and access to credit services is facilitated
Targeting criteria:	On the basis of baseline survey and referrals of <i>kebele</i> administration the poorest of the poor families' children, who have been earn a living through daily labour and are capable of learning, are eligible
Funding:	International NGOs

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## BEGO FEKADEGNOCH LE BETESEB EDIGET

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To provide care and support to HIV/ AIDS orphans and people living with HIV/ AIDS
Established:	2001
Network membership:	CRDA
Staff:	2 professional, 2 semi-professional and 4 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Kirkos Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 25 and 04, Nifas Silk-Lafto Sub-city, Kebele 60 and Akaki-Kality Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 01 and 03
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Foster care, food, clothing, education, healthcare, and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Provides foster care to 10 children (4 female), including financial support to cover food expenses, clothing and school uniform, health education, counselling, and life skills training
Targeting criteria:	Based on referral from local authorities, children are selected if they are HIV-positive as the only criteria
Funding:	AC International Child support, Denmark and Adopfjonforum, Norway

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## BISRAT DEVELOPMENT AND AID ORGANISATION

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Provision of food, clothing, education, training and health services to the needy; assisting the destitute elderly and vulnerable children; and increasing public awareness on harmful traditional practices
Established:	1995
Network membership:	Urban Development Forum, CRDA; National NGO Forum and Addis Ababa OVC Forum
Staff:	6 professional, 3 semi- professional and 8 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Yeka Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 17 – 21
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Family support
Description of services:	Provide food rations (30% in cash and 70% in kind), clothing, and educational materials for formal and non-formal students, healthcare services and psychosocial services to 250 children
Targeting criteria:	Large families with no sustainable income who are unable to send their children to school and households with disabled members identified through an assessment conducted together with community representatives and <i>kebeles</i>
Funding:	International donors, local NGOs, such as CRDA, and member contributions

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## BRIGHT FUTURE ETHIOPIA (BFE)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Provide social, economic and psychological support to orphans and vulnerable children in Addis Ababa
Established:	2004
Network membership:	NGOs Network Forum
Staff:	2 professional, 6 (volunteers) semi-professional and 3 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Gulele Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 08, 09 and 16
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Foster families
Description of services:	Non-formal education support for 10, medical treatment, health education, rehabilitation, counselling, guidance, leisure and entertainment for 53 children (26 female)
Targeting criteria:	Orphans who have lost one or both parents to HIV/ AIDS and children aged 6 to 10 who do not have access to school are identified by <i>kebele</i> authorities are eligible for support
Funding:	International donors

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## BRIGHT HOPE ORGANISATION –ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Playing a significant role working with the community and government to assist orphans and other vulnerable children, to reduce the level of unemployment for youth and other vulnerable people within the areas of operation, and to contribute towards a better standard of living and health for the community
Established:	2000
Network membership:	CRDA
Staff:	6 professional, 12 semi-professional and 9 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Kirkos Sub-city
Projects in other areas:	Debre Zeit and Adama
Major services:	Foster care programme, temporary shelter, skills training and provision of seed money, rehabilitation, and health
Description of services:	Assist guardians of orphaned children to generate income; cover the cost of school materials; temporary shelter for children living on the street, where they receive education; vocational training for children with grade seven and above; and provide home-based services to HIV/ AIDS bedridden families
Targeting criteria:	Using baseline surveys, referrals from NGOs and government, including <i>kebeles</i> children from poor families, who have lost one or both parents, who are out of school or living on the street, are identified and supported
Funding:	International donors

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## CENTRO ITALIANO AIUTIALLI INFANZIA (CIAI)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Promote the recognition of the child as a person and protect its fundamental rights to life, to health, to a family, to education, to play and to innocence, wherever it may be
Established:	1968
Network membership:	OVC Network, Network for Child Care and Inter-country Adoption Agency
Staff:	7 professional, 9 semi-professional and 5 supporting staff
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, four sub-cities and around 20 <i>kebeles</i>
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Shelter, educational support and income generating activities
Description of services:	Drop in centre, educational support and saving and credit scheme for 45 female children and sponsorship for more than 1,200 children
Targeting criteria:	Children living on the street are selected in collaboration with partners, with special emphasis on girls
Funding:	CIAI Head Office in Italy

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## CHESHIRE SERVICES ETHIOPIA – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Bring about attitudinal change in society and People With Disabilities (PWDs) by taking affirmative actions for inclusive opportunity in Ethiopia through provision of rehabilitation services and economic empowerment
Established:	1962
Network membership:	CRDA, CRDA Central Region Platform, Community Based Rehabilitation Network-Ethiopia (CBRN-E), Ethiopian National Disability Network (ENDAN), and Child and Youth Policy Forum
Staff:	20 professional, 6 semi-professional and 34 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa- Kolfe-kernayo, Addis Ketema, Gulele and Arada Sub-cities
Projects in other areas:	Menagesha, Dire Dawa, Awassa, and Harar
Major services:	Promotion of early identification of impairment, admission of Children With Disabilities (CWDs) for physical rehabilitation, production and distribution of walking-aids, provision of outreach services in regions, home based rehabilitation services, facilitate trainings for PWDs in rehabilitation, organize saving and credit schemes, provision of practical skill and vocational trainings for PWDs, advocacy, capacity building and community development, and educational material support
Description of services:	Physical rehabilitation (including surgery) for 89 CWDs at the Menagesha Rehabilitation Centre, home based rehabilitation for 488 CWDs, socio-economic empowerment (school fee, stationary, uniforms, transport etc.) for 295 children, provision of walking aids for 5,081 CWDs, and inclusive KG education for 25 CWDs.
Targeting criteria:	Children with disability under the age of 15, identified through house-to-house surveys, or referred by health institutions and <i>kebele</i> leaders. In addition, the organisation makes the services available to any child who visits the centre.
Funding:	Local Fund raising, and International Donors

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## CHILDREN AID ETHIOPIA (CHAD-ET) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To promote the rights of the child and to create access to basic services for vulnerable children.
Established:	1995
Network membership:	Children and Youth Forum and CRDA
Staff:	8 professional, 20 semi-professional and 30 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Addis Ketema Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 09, 11 and 12
Projects in other areas:	Oromya and Amhara regions
Major services:	Drop in centre, education, healthcare and psychosocial services
Description of services:	Services in the drop in centre include library, washing and recreational facilities, educational support, assistance in setting up child rights committees, vocational training, healthcare services, and counselling reunification and reintegration services
Targeting criteria:	Different criteria for different services depending upon the needs of the child
Funding:	International and local NGOs

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## CHILDREN HOME SOCIETY AND FAMILY SERVICE (CHSFS)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To facilitate orphans, abandoned children and children from destitute families for adoption
Established:	2003
Network membership:	Adoption Advocates International and Christian World Adoption
Staff:	-
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Nifas Silk-Lafto Sub-city, <i>Kebele</i> 03
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Institutional care for orphan children
Description of services:	Provide complete services in the orphanage, including food, clothing, education, recreation and other necessary services
Targeting criteria:	Selection criteria are age of the child (under 4 years); being an orphan; good health; and vulnerability of the child
Funding:	International NGO

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## CHILDREN'S HOUSE INTERNATIONAL (CHI) –ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Placing orphan, HIV-positive, abandoned and destitute children into homes and sponsoring children
Established:	2006
Network membership:	Adoption Agencies Network
Staff	3 professional, 2 semi-professional and 33 supporting staff.
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Yeka Sub-city, Kebele 16
Projects in other areas:	Tigray Region-Atsbi Wumberta (Endasselassie town), and Debre Alama Asira Metira St. Mary Monastery
Major services:	The organisation provides foster homes for short periods until the children are attached to permanent foster parents
Description of services:	The children stay for around three month with foster parents and are provided with basic necessities, including shelter, healthcare, education, psychosocial development, and play materials
Targeting criteria:	For orphanage services, abandoned children are referred from police stations, <i>kebeles</i> and hospitals with evidence about their situation, which should be certified by courts
Funding:	International NGO, with head office in USA

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## CHRISTIAN CHILDREN'S FUND (CCF) SEMEMBER AREA PROJECT COORDINATION OFFICE

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Promote and enhance the well-being of disadvantaged children by improving access to health, education, economic development and HIV/ AIDS prevention services through one-to-one sponsorship and other programmes
Established:	1971 for CCF and 1987 for the project
Network membership:	CRDA
Staff:	12 professional, 8 semi- professional and 10 supporting staff
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Gulele Sub-city
Projects in other areas:	Oromya, Amhara and SNNPR
Major services:	Foster families
Description of services:	Distribute food, clothing and provide educational support to 2,400 children and provide psychosocial services
Targeting criteria:	In collaboration with community committee and needs assessment by the organisation, children under 12 years old from low income families, people living with HIV/ AIDS, orphans and malnourished are eligible for support
Funding:	International NGO, sponsorship from abroad

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## COOPERAZIONE INTERNAZIONALE (COOPI) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To act as effective agency in promoting child rights and identify, plan, implement, monitor and evaluate initiatives on behalf of children and adolescents, particularly those living in especially difficult circumstances
Established:	2005
Network membership:	Addis Ababa OVC Forum, and Children & Youth Forum and Gender Forum, CRDA
Staff:	4 professional, 4 semi-professional and 2 supporting staff
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Addis Ketema Sub-City (children project) and Arada Sub-City (youth project)
Projects in other areas:	Amhara Region- Dana, Waghembra, Ziquala, Sekota; Afar Region- Tellak Wereda, Abala Wereda, Berhale Wereda, Dalol, Kumeba Wereda, Erebtu Wereda; Somali Region- Liben Zone, Selitu, Dollo Oddo, Hudet Wereda; Oromya Region- Liben and Guji Zones; and Benshangul- Remise Zone, and Belojiganfoye
Major services:	Family based support, outreach services for children living on the street and drop in centre; Capacity building and support for rural communities in Agriculture, Animal Husbandry and water
Description of services:	Regular meal and drop in services for 80 children, educational materials and school uniforms for 208, cover school fees for 65, healthcare services and visits as part of psychosocial support
Targeting criteria:	Based on needs assessments, children from low income families aged 7-18 who do not attend school and children living on the street are targeted; sometimes accept children on referral basis
Funding:	External donors

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## **DORCAS AID INTERNATIONAL – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH**

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### **I. Organizational information**

Aims and purpose:	Dorcas Aid International is a Christian relief and development organization, committed to fulfill the command Jesus Christ gave to His followers to take care of the poor and oppressed (Matt. 25:31-46), irrespective of their race, religion, gender or political conviction.
Established:	1980
Network membership:	CRDA and VIVA Network
Staff:	4 staffs at Ethiopia
Status:	International NGO

### **II. Project information**

Project location:	Addis Ababa- Bole Sub-city, <i>Gerji area</i>
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa, Nazareth, Awassa, and Western Shoa
Major services:	Child Care and Development; Elderly Care WATSAN; Housing; Health care and HIV/AIDS; Capacity Building; Relief and Rehabilitation; Feeding; and Employment and Income
Description of services:	Currently working with 6 partners in the above described areas of services
Targeting criteria:	Needs assessment results, OVC, poorest of the poor; and low income of the family are the major criteria for eligibility
Funding:	International donors

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## ETHIOPIAN AID (EA) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To enhance the capacity of individuals ((marginalized women, children & men) families and communities to develop their potential for sustainable livelihoods and to access basic human development services.
Established:	1994
Network membership	Urban Development Forum and Rural Development Forum, CRDA
Staff:	5 professional, 5 semi-professional and 10 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Arada and Yeka sub-cities
Projects in other areas:	Eastern and western Gojam (25 Weredas); and North Shoa- Sheno Wereda
Major services provided:	Health services, vocational training, physical infrastructure upgrading and saving and credit.
Description of services:	Provide education support (education materials, school uniforms and school fees), health care and psychosocial services and distribute food rations such as sugar and flour. Currently about 324 children are being supported.
Targeting criteria:	Selection committee drawn from community-based organisations and <i>kebele</i> representatives and from the organisation's project staff is formed. The criteria include poorest of the poor, being street child with good manners certified by community members and one child to be selected from a family.
Funding:	International NGOs, foundations and CRDA

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## ETHIOPIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH SECRETARIAT (ECS) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Initiate, promote and coordinate the social and pastoral activities of the church in Ethiopia by: promoting self-reliance through capacity building, and promoting justice, peace, reconciliation and solidarity among people
Established:	1974, the social rehabilitation Unit at the ECS level is established in 1999
Network membership:	Child and Youth Forum, CRDA, and HIV/ AIDS Forum
Staff:	Two professionals at national level for the social rehabilitation unit
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, all sub-cities
Projects in other areas:	<i>Dessie, Benshangul Gumuze, Gambela, Semers, Jimma, Bonga, Meki, Nekemte, Harar, Adigrate, Emdibir, Awassa, Hosanna and Soddo</i>
Major services:	Orphanage, educational, health and livelihood support
Description of services:	The services support around 620 children in three institutional centres; arrange adoption for orphan children, provide educational materials, cover costs of school uniforms, cover expenses for health services and facilitate reunification of children.
Targeting criteria:	For orphanage services, abandoned and at-risk children are referred from police stations and hospitals, and produce evidence on the situation of the children from the police and from responsible government body.
Funding:	International NGOs and local individuals. At National level, the program is funded by Carita's Spain.

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## ETHIOPIAN EVANGELICAL CHURCH MEKANE YESUS – CENTRAL ETHIOPIAN SYNOD (EECMY-CES)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To support children from destitute families with healthcare, education, food and clothing and enable them to be self-supporting and productive citizens
Established:	1974
Network membership:	Ethiopian Interfaith Forum for Development Dialogue and Action
Staff:	5 professional, 10 semi- professional and 42 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, nine sub-cities
Projects in other areas:	Oromya Region- Fitcha, Sheno, Woliso, Welkite, Debrezeit, Adama, Ambo, Sebeta, Kombolcha (around Harrar); Somali Region- Jijjga; Amhara Region- Debre Birhan; SNNPR- Cheha zone; and Dire Dawa town
Major services:	Provide shelter through drop-in centres and day care; facilitate foster families; and provide support to meet basic needs
Description of services:	Twenty projects provide education support (educational materials, school uniforms, and school fees), healthcare and psychosocial services
Targeting criteria:	Based on needs assessment surveys and requests from families, children are selected from poor families with children under the age of five
Funding:	International donors

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## ETHIOPIAN KALE HIWOT CHURCH (EKHC) - HEAD OFFICE

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### I. Organisational Information

Aim and purpose:	To provide holistic services to children in difficult situations to address their physical, emotional and spiritual needs, without discrimination, to enable them to develop good personalities
Established:	1927
Network membership:	VIVA, International Christian Network
Staff:	-
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa
Projects in other areas:	Amhara Regional State- Dessie (Medan Act), Kombolcha, and Bahir Dar (child projects); Tigray Region- Wukro and Mekelle Zuria (water projects); Oromya Region- Jimma (Medan Act), Agaro, Bonga, Mirab Arsi - Shashemene (Medan Act) and child development program, Siraro, East Shoa- Adama (Medan Act), child development and health programs, Adama Zuria, Metehara (child development program), Mojo, Debrezeit (Child sponsorship and development program); SNNPR- Gurji, Durami (child development program), Awassa (Medan Act), Hosanna, Dilla (Medan Act) Burji, Amaro, Arba Minch (Medan Act), Sodo (Medan Act), Alaba, Kembata Alaba Tembaro Zone- Angacha, Badwacho (Shone Wereda); Somali Region- Jijiga; Gambela; Afar Region- Asaita
Major services:	Orphanages, sponsorship and support to orphans and vulnerable children
Description of services:	Orphanages for abandoned children and sponsorship activities support destitute families with a monthly stipend for food and other necessities, including education, food clothing and healthcare
Targeting criteria:	Children aged between 5 and 8 from destitute families (one child from each family) are selected by a <i>kebele</i> committee and church staff
Funding:	International NGOs

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## ETHIOPIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH CHILD & FAMILY AFFAIRS ORGANISATION (EOC-CFAO) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To create economic, social and physical environment conducive to balanced mental, motional development of children through empowering families, increased intervention with active participation of stakeholders including children and the community
Established:	1973
Network membership:	OVC Network, coordinated by Jerusalem Children and Community Development Organisation (JeCCDO), and Child and Youth Forum, CRDA
Staff:	3 professional, 4 semi-professional and 4 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Yeka Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 01 and 02
Projects in other areas:	Amhara Region- Semen Shoa (Mehal Meda), Debub Wollo (Dessie and Kombolcha), Semen Wollo (Woldya), Misrak Gijjam (Debre Markos), Mirab Gojjam (Bahir dar), Semen Gonder; Debub Gonder, Debre Tabor, Woreta; Tigray Region- Mekelle, Korem, Wukro, Adwa, Axum; Oromya Region- Assela, Goba, Metu, Sebeta; SNNPR- Gurage Zone (Mihur Wereda); Harari Zone (Harrar town); and Dire Dawa Administrative Council
Major services:	Educational materials, medical treatment monthly stipend, psychosocial support and family empowerment
Description of services:	Sponsorship programme for 1,200 children and empowering households to support their children and meet their basic needs that include educational materials support, cover school fees, uniform, medical treatment, guidance counselling and other child focused activities.
Targeting criteria:	In collaboration with parents' committees and <i>kebele</i> offices of each project area, screening is undertaken considering the following criteria: children under 13, households with children and income less than 250 Birr a month (1 child selected or 2 children in a family with more than 3 children) and children in difficult circumstances. The family should be willing to participate in programme activities and comply with sponsorship procedures
Funding:	International NGOs, staff contribution and individual donors

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## FAMILY FOR YOU (FFY)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To support orphaned children through sponsorship and institutional care up to the stage that children become self-supporting and independent
Established:	2006
Network membership:	-
Staff:	1 professional, 3 semi-professional and 10 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Yeka Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 01 and 02
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Orphanage and sponsorship programmes
Description of services:	Provide orphanage services for 11 children and address the basic needs of 45 children living with parents or guardians through a sponsorship programme that covers costs of educational materials, healthcare services and food
Targeting criteria:	For the orphanage, children with no families are selected and for sponsorship, children over the age of five from poor households with one guardian are selected
Funding:	International NGO Home Office in Austria

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## FOCUS ON CHILDREN AT RISK

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### I. Organizational information

Aims and purpose:	To protect high risk and vulnerable children from the danger of street life through education and skills training, as well as providing support to improve the quality of life of poor households through community based development interventions.
Established:	1994
Network membership:	CRDA
Staff:	5 professional, 20 semi- professional and 4 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Arada Sub-city, Kebeles 01/02 and 15/16; Gulele Sub-city, Kebele 10, 11/12 and 35
Projects in other areas:	Amhara Region- Gondar District, Azezo, Arada and Deresgie Mariam Kebeles
Major services:	Alternative Basic Education (ABE), Formal Education Support, Child Rights Advocacy, School Facility Support and Skills Training
Description of services:	ABE for 1,180 children, formal school support for 850 children, child right advocacy 14 partner schools, skills training for 15 unemployed youth, school facility support for partner schools
Targeting criteria:	Based on the survey results of high number of OVC and non-schooling children, level of poverty (low income), dilapidated partner schools in our operation areas
Funding:	International donors

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## FORUM FOR STREET CHILDREN ETHIOPIA (FSCE) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To work for the respect of the rights of children living on the street, sexually abused and exploited children, physically abused children, children in conflict with the law, trafficked children and orphans and vulnerable children
Established:	1989
Network membership:	Child & Youth and Urban Development Forums, CRDA; Basic Education Network; Coalition of NGOs working for Children in Africa (CONAFE); Regional Movement of Justice for Solidarity; and End Child Prostitution, Pornography and Trafficking for Sexual Purposes (ECPAT)
Staff:	49 professional, 91 semi-professional and 81 supporting staff (in all programme areas)
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa
Projects in other areas:	Dessie, Dire Dawa, Bahir Dar and Adama
Major services:	Provide shelter (drop-in centre, safe home) and promote community-based correction.
Description of services:	Provide education support, such as educational materials, school uniform, and school fees; provide drop-in and safe home services; provide vocational training for youth; and recreational and reading facilities
Targeting criteria:	Sexually abused children, trafficked children and juvenile delinquent children are selected through baseline and needs assessment surveys and with the cooperation of <i>kebele</i> , and community-based organisation leaders who identify children in difficult circumstances
Funding:	International NGOs and donors, and sale of children's books

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## GOAL Ethiopia

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### I. Organizational information

Aims and purpose:	GOAL Ethiopia's Children at Risk Project (CaRP) is dedicated to both increasing opportunities available to street and working children and their communities in Addis Ababa and challenging contexts that limit such opportunities through 'good practice' promotion of children's rights and sustainable livelihoods.
Established:	in 1990
Network membership:	CRDA (Urban Development Forum - UDF and Street Children and Youth Forum - SCYF); Multi-Sectoral Joint Project for the Prevention and Rehabilitation from Sexual Abuse and Exploitation of Children and Child Right Committee (CRC) in 12 selected Kebeles (local administrations) of Addis Ababa.
Staff:	Total 60 (24 professional, 6 semi-professional and 30 support staff)
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa
Projects in other areas:	--
Major services:	Provision of basic needs, psychosocial supports, formal and non-formal education, health education and medical treatments, vocational trainings, livelihoods support, reunification/reintegration,
Description of services:	In its Drop-in and Rehabilitation Centre (CaRP) provides psychosocial supports, sanitation and laundry services, health education and medical treatments, non-formal education, vocational training and life skills learning, facilitation of direct employments, livelihood supports, reunification/reintegration, in-door games and educational films for up to 998 'of' street children per year. In the transitional institutional care it also provides shelters, food, clothes, formal and non-formal education, health education and medical services, psychosocial support, sport and recreational services, vocational training and live skills learning, reunification/reintegration, livelihood supports, etc. for up to 74 young 'of' street children per year.
Targeting criteria:	'Of' Street children i.e. full time living on the streets.
Funding:	Government of Ireland (Irish Aid), Comic Relief and MAPS

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## GODANAW

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Rehabilitation of street boys, girls and Young Street mothers, and provide temporary shelter for rape victims
Established:	1996
Network membership:	-
Staff:	3 professional, 4 semi-professional and 6 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Kirkos Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 11 and 12
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Rehabilitation of children living on the street, rape victims and young mothers through providing temporary shelter with full lodging
Description of services:	Annually the programme takes in 140 young mothers who are victims of rape to rehabilitate them through basic skills training, including tailoring, embroidery and other skills. Mothers and their children are provided with temporary shelter and full lodging for one year, where they get education on social issues (protecting themselves from rape, family planning) and literacy. Youth are also provided with training in different skills, such as computer training and entertainment activities
Targeting criteria:	Recipients of the services should be under 20 years of age and mothers living on the street who are willing to change their lifestyle and abide by the rules and regulations of the organisation
Funding:	International NGOs

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## GOOD SAMARITAN TRAINING CENTRE (GSTC)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To reduce poverty, provide education, training, care and support to children
Established:	2003
Network membership:	-
Staff:	3 semi-professional and 2 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Nifas Silk-Lafto Sub-city
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Day care centre/ kindergarten
Description of services:	Provide food, clothing, healthcare, education and counselling services to children aged between 4 and 7 years
Targeting criteria:	In consultation with community members and <i>kebele</i> authorities, beneficiary children are selected using family status (orphans) and economic condition (poverty and vulnerability)
Funding:	International donors and diplomatic missions in Addis Ababa

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## GOSPEL MISSION ETHIOPIA

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To support children from destitute families with healthcare, education, food and clothing, and enable them to be self-supporting and productive citizens
Established:	2003
Network membership:	Yeka Sub-city NGO Network and Nifas Silk-Lafto Sub-city NGO Network
Staff:	6 semi-professional staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Kolfe Keranyo Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 01, 02, 05, 15 and 18; Kirkos Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 09, 13, 15, 19 and 24; Nifas Silk-Lafto Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 02, 03, 05, 06, 14 and 17; Yeka Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 03, 06, 09, 11, 18, 19, 20 and 27
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Arrange foster families for children in their localities, fulfil basic needs of children through sponsorship and pay monthly stipends
Description of services:	Provide support to children to fulfil their basic needs, including arranging foster families, educational support (education materials, school uniforms, school fees); provide healthcare services, and food support through paying a monthly stipend
Targeting criteria:	To be eligible, children should be enrolled in school; <i>kebeles</i> send a signed list of children aged between 4 and 8 and staff conduct house-to-house visits to screen the most needy households with children in the given age range
Funding:	Sponsors from Germany

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## HARVEST CHURCH OF GOD RELIEF & DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To improve the life of the needy children and make them active & creative members of the community through the provision of education, counselling and skills training in physical and socio-economic activities.
Established:	1991
Network membership:	Yeka Sub-city NGO Forum and HIV/ AIDS Forum
Staff:	2 professional, 4 semi-professional and 2 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Yeka Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 07 – 14
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Provide support to fulfil the basic needs of children
Description of services:	Currently around 450 children are getting services from different projects, including arranging foster families, providing rations of flour and oil, providing basic needs, such as clothing, educational materials (uniforms and books), providing healthcare services, psychosocial support, skills training and recreational activities
Targeting criteria:	<i>Kebeles</i> send list of destitute households that need assistance and church staff check their situation using set criteria; number of children in the household and economic status
Funding:	International donors and member's contributions

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## HIBIR INTEGRATED COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ORGANISATION (HICDO)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Provide follow up and support to vulnerable children
Established:	1998
Network membership:	Timret Le Hiwot
Staff:	6 professional, 2 semi-professional and 3 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Arada Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 12 – 17 and Kirkos Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 20 and 21
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Educational support
Description of services:	Provide financial support of 400 Birr per child every three months to cover school uniform and expenses of 200 children
Targeting criteria:	Based on referral or request from our partners, eligible children are identified, screened and selected using family status (lost both parents); economic condition (poor); age (under 18); location (project areas only); and special considerations (victims of abuse)
Funding:	International donors

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## HIWOT ETHIOPIA

### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Promote the rights of young people, women and children to be free from HIV/AIDS, Sexual Reproductive Health (SRH) hazards and violence through providing information and service.
Established:	2001
Network membership:	Youth to Youth YAANET network, African Youth Parliament Membership, Addis Ababa HIV/AIDS network, Population/ Reproductive health network in the leadership program.
Staff:	28 professional and semi-professional staff, and 346 Volunteers
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Arada, Gulele, Yeka, Bole Nefasilk- Lfto and Kirkos Sub-cities in Addis Ababa;
Projects in other areas:	Amhara Regional State- Merehabete Wereda ( <i>Alem Ketema</i> and <i>Fitera kebeles</i> ).
Major services:	The organization uses a "Rights Based Approach," to address SRH and Right, Gender, HIV/AIDS issues among children and young people through different advocacy and networking, Information and Educational Communication (IEC) and Behavioural Change Communication (BCC), capacity building, counselling on SRH and HIV (hotline counselling, Call free 936) and referral services.
Description of services:	Capacity building Leadership- Trainings, Project small grants, technical and material support to Youth clubs at grass root level, Mobilize active youth participation in SRH and HIV AIDS Projects; IEC/ BCC interventions - Promotion of SRH, HIV, Gender (Masculinity) and rights, Intensive peer education through peer discussion, dialogue and conversation, parent to child discussion, IEC material production, Edutainment –Music and drama, Engaging young boys in gender (Masculinity) based SRH, HIV & AIDS interventions (Young Boys and girls Discussion and dialogue on masculinity and femininity issues); SRH services- Peer counselling, Hotline counselling (936), Contraceptives provisions, Referral Counselling and services, Recreational and self-development facilities
Targeting criteria:	Children from the poor family and children affected directly or indirectly aged between 10 to 24 years
Funding:	German foundation for World Population (DSW), Interact World Wide (IWW), Save the Children Sweden, Engender Health ad Packard Foundation

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## HIWOT HIV/ AIDS PREVENTION, CARE AND SUPPORT ORGANISATION (HAPCSO)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To support orphans and vulnerable children to become capable citizens
Established:	1996
Network membership:	OVC Network and CRDA
Staff:	6 professional and 5 semi-professional staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, selected <i>kebeles</i> in all ten sub-cities
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Medical, educational and nutritional support, counselling service, economic empowerment, sponsorship, recreation, and community capacity building
Description of services:	Provide medical, educational, nutrition and counselling services
Targeting criteria:	In collaboration with <i>idirs</i> and various community groups, beneficiary children are selected using family status (orphans) and economic condition (vulnerable) as key criteria
Funding:	International donors, national NGOs, and private institutions and individuals

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## IN CAMMINO PER LA FAMIGLIA (ICPLF)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Support children in economically low families through sponsorship programme and provide educational support to children
Established:	2005
Network membership	Adoption Agency Network
Staff:	3 professional, 5 semi-professional and 5 supporting staff
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Bole Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 03 and 05
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Institutionalised care
Description of services:	Feeding, clothing, shelter, counselling, education and health services for 100 children (46 female)
Targeting criteria:	Home visits, in collaboration with partners in Addis Ababa, are used to identify eligible children for support. Children affected or infected with HIV/AIDS and children with disabilities are accepted, irrespective of geographical location or gender
Funding:	International NGOs

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## INTEGRATED FAMILY SUPPORT ORGANISATION (IFSO)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Care and support to orphans and vulnerable children through their guardians
Established:	1999
Network membership	OVC Network and CRDA
Staff:	14 professional, 18 semi-professional and 12 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Foster care, family support and vocational training
Description of services:	Financial support to guardians that provide care for 1,500 children; educational materials and school uniform support; vocational training; medical services; HIV/ AIDS and reproductive health education; counselling and life skills training
Targeting criteria:	On the basis of the referrals made from <i>idirs</i> , police, and hospitals, the organisation makes initial assessments through home visits. Children who have lost one or both parents, who are living with HIV-positive parents or guardians or who are vulnerable are entitled to support
Funding:	International NGOs

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## INTEGRATED SERVICE FOR AIDS PREVENTION AND SUPPORT ORGANISATION (ISAPSO) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To initiate, promote and sustain HIV/ AIDS and sexually transmitted infection prevention, care and support services; reproductive health education and family planning services to communities and work places at federal and regional levels
Established:	1997
Network membership	-
Staff:	5 professional, 5 semi-professional and 10 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Gulele Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 01, 02, 18, 19, 20 and 21
Projects in other areas:	Oromya; Southern Nations, Nationalities and Peoples; Gambella; Benishangul-Gumuz; Afar; and Dire Dawa regions
Major services:	Raise awareness on the prevention of HIV/ AIDS to the public, using information, education and communication materials, a multi-media approach and promotion of condoms
Description of services:	ISAPSO provides financial assistance to poor households to support their livelihoods and enable them to raise their children, used to cover education, healthcare and food needs, as well as guidance, counselling and recreational services for children
Targeting criteria:	Orphaned and vulnerable children in poor households younger than 18 years old. Selection is undertaken in cooperation with <i>kebeles</i> and community-based organisations
Funding:	International NGOs and members' contribution

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## ISLAMIC RELIEF ETHIOPIA – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### II. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To contribute to the national efforts to improve the wellbeing of orphan children by ensuring a caring environment in which they are protected, growing up healthy, educated and sustained their livelihood requirements.
Established:	2004
Network membership:	OVC Network
Staff:	4 professionals
Status:	International NGO

### III. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Addis Ketema Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 01 – 20
Projects in other towns:	Somali Region- Afder Zone; and Afar Region- Ewa Wereda
Major services:	Supporting single and double orphans in a family environment by arranging foster families and providing support for families for food and other basic necessities; also development and emergency relief activities such as- health and nutrition, school construction, capacity building for teachers, hygiene promotion, sample latrine demonstration, and water purification
Description of services:	Currently 768 children are being supported by the programme through a monthly stipend of 265 Birr per family, used for food, clothing, education costs and healthcare. Children are supported to continue their education and mothers get guidance, counselling and awareness on child rights
Targeting criteria:	The targeting criteria include being single or double orphan, younger than 12 years old, with one child from a family or two children from a family with more than five children
Funding:	Individual donors and sponsors from different countries

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## KIDS CARE CHILDREN'S WELFARE ASSOCIATION (KCCWA) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To contribute towards poverty alleviation by striving to bring about lasting improvements in the lives of the disadvantaged children, particularly orphaned, abandoned and destitute children, with the active involvement of the community
Established:	2001
Network membership:	-
Number and Mix of Staff:	3 professional, 9 semi-professional and 69 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Arada Sub-city, Kebele 12
Projects in other areas:	Debre Birhan
Major services:	Children's home for orphaned children, day care centre and family reunification
Description of services:	The orphanages cater for abandoned and orphaned children where children stay until adopted. The sponsorship programme also fulfills basic needs of children where children get assistance for their education, food and healthcare needs. A day care centre is established for children in poor and destitute families, where entertainment activities help children to pass their free time gainfully
Targeting criteria:	The selection criterion is based on the level of destitution of households and community representatives carry out selection.
Funding:	International NGOs, World Food Programme and volunteers

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## KULICH YEWETATOCH SINE TEWALDO TENA ENA LIMAT DIRIJIT

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Support the youth to protect his/her self from harmful traditional practices in initiating and working on behavioural change
Established:	2003
Network membership:	Kebele social committees
Staff:	3 professional, 1 semi-professional and 3 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Lideta Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 15, 16 and 17
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Educational support
Description of services:	Support with educational materials; arranging tutorial classes; sensitisation on HIV/ AIDS and reproductive health; and counselling for 150 children (68 female)
Targeting criteria:	Committees are established for identifying and selecting eligible children on the basis of family status (children living with a single parent, grandparents, child-headed family, parents living with HIV/AIDS) and age (under 18)
Funding:	Local and international NGOs

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## LIVE-ETHIOPIA ASSOCIATION

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Advocate for and work towards improved and sustainable livelihood security for the poorest members of the Ethiopian society
Established:	2005
Network membership	CRDA and NGO Code Observance Committee
Staff:	2 professional, 2 semi-professionals and 1 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Lideta Sub-city, Kebele 12
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services provided:	Foster families
Description of services:	Financial support to cover food costs for 85 children (28 female), and cover costs of educational materials, school uniforms, training on health education, HIV/ AIDS and reproductive health, counselling services and life skills education
Targeting criteria:	In consultation with <i>kebele</i> officials, eligible children and youth are selected through criteria including age, livelihood, health condition, loss of parents, vulnerability to sexual abuse and residence in the project area
Funding:	Local and international NGOs and individual friends living abroad

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## LOVE FOR CHILDREN ORGANISATION (LCO)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Fight for children's rights and works to bring about lasting improvements in their lives through strengthening institutions to support them
Established:	2001
Network membership	Coalition of Women's Associations
Staff:	5 professional, 5 semi-professional and 21 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Lideta Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 11, 16, 17 and 18
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Establishing a child friendly centre; HIV/ AIDS prevention for children living on the street and street mothers; community-based care and support for orphans and vulnerable children; and protection of children living in the street from sexual abuse and exploitation
Description of services:	2,248 children (1,182 female) are supported with school uniforms, educational materials and skills training; and 1,488 children are getting guidance and psychosocial and recreational services
Targeting criteria:	Needs assessment surveys to select beneficiary children younger than 18 years old and low-income status of the households
Funding:	International NGOs, World Food Programme and individual volunteers

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## MARY JOY AID THROUGH DEVELOPMENT – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Work towards empowering children, women, families and other under-served community groups through integrated development programmes, which focus on capacity building and encourage genuine participation of beneficiaries, so that target communities become HIV/ AIDS competent and have improved livelihoods
Established:	1995
Network membership	Children and Youth Forum, CRDA, Action Professionals Association for the People (APAP) Advocacy Forum, Consortium of Reproductive Health Associations (CORHA), and Home-based Care Service Forum
Staff:	11 professionals, 20 semi-professionals and 25 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project Location:	Addis Ababa, Kolfe Keranyo Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 10 - 16; Gulele Sub-city <i>kebeles</i> 10, 11 and 12; and Yeka Sub-city, seven <i>kebeles</i>
Projects in other areas:	Awassa
Major services:	Livelihood, HIV/ AIDS prevention and capacity building
Description of services:	Creating access to education for vulnerable children; primary health care, care and support to people living with HIV/ AIDS and vulnerable children, through psychosocial, medical and financial support for food, shelter, education and medical expenses; and play and recreational facilities
Targeting criteria:	Selection of beneficiaries is done in cooperation with community-based organisations; children eligible for the programme should be orphans between 1 and 14 years old from families with no source of income, disabled people or bedridden HIV-affected households
Funding:	International NGOs, business community and contributions from employees of different organisations

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## MEKAR ORPHANAGE AND ELDERLY DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION (MOVED)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Provide care and support for orphans and vulnerable children and the elderly
Established:	2006
Network membership:	Kebele 14/15 Consultation Forum
Staff:	1 professional, 1 semi-professional and 1 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Bole and Yeka sub-cities, all <i>kebeles</i>
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Education, psychosocial and financial support
Description of services:	Cover the cost of food, educational materials and counselling services for 52 children (30 female)
Targeting criteria:	In collaboration with <i>kebeles</i> , orphans, children vulnerable to abuse and living in poverty are identified for support
Funding:	Founder's financial resources

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## ORGANISATION FOR PREVENTION, REHABILITATION AND INTEGRATION OF FEMALE STREET CHILDREN (OPRIFS)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Improve the livelihoods of female children living on the street through integrated interventions, including prevention, rehabilitation and empowerment of children and family and community surrounding children at risk
Established:	2000
Network membership	CRDA and Basic Education Association
Staff:	8 professional, 9 semi-professional and 20 support staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Arada Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 01, 02, 09 – 17; Yeka Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 02, 05, 08 – 15 and 17; Kirkos Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 09, 10, 15, 16, 17 and 18; Lideta Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 02, 09 and 10; and Gulele Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 03, 04 and 09
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Safe home; educational and psychosocial support; reunification; and food and sanitary services to sexually abused girls
Description of services:	In the shelter, sexually abused children get educational, food, sanitary, counselling and shelter services for a period of one to two months. Currently about 57 female children are benefiting from the services
Targeting criteria:	Depending on the request of the <i>kebeles</i> , sub-city administration and organisational reports, eligible children are identified on the basis of age (7 to 17) and incidence of exploitation, sexual or physically abuse
Funding:	International and local NGOs

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## PHARES ORPHANAGE CENTRE

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Rehabilitate vulnerable and orphan children affected by HIV/ AIDS or other factors; provide health and educational support; and provide HIV/ AIDS care and support
Established:	2003
Network membership:	-
Staff:	2 professional, 2 semi-professional and 4 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Orphanage and educational support
Description of services:	Support 14 children (8 female) in the orphanage and provide educational materials for 6 children (3 female) living with guardians
Targeting criteria:	With the support of <i>kebele</i> administration, information about children in low income families and orphans is identified and sent to the organisation for further selection, based on age (3 to 7), income (low), family status (orphans) and health condition (HIV-positive)
Funding:	International NGOs and members' contributions

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**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION (PCDA) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH**

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**I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	Relieve children from social and economic suppression and build up active citizens
Established:	2003
Network membership	Forum of a cluster of projects in Kolfe Keranyo Sub-city
Staff:	1 professional, 2 semi-professionals and 1 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

**II. Project information**

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Kolfe-Keranyo Sub-city, <i>Kebele</i> 04
Projects in other areas:	Wolete Buka, Oromya Region
Major services:	Day care centre, education (covering school fee and material costs), clothing, nutrition and healthcare
Description of services:	Day care centre; cover costs of food, educational materials, school uniform, school fees; vocational training; and health education to parents living with HIV/ AIDS, for a total of 248 children (117 female)
Targeting criteria:	With the support of <i>kebele</i> administration, children in low-income families and orphans are identified for support. It also accepts children referred from an organisation named Compassion International
Funding:	International NGOs

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## PROTECTION, RESPECT AND OPPORTUNITY FOR CHILDREN ON THE STREET (PROCS)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Campaigning for the rights of the child to education and a normal biological, physical and psychological upbringing and secured childhood
Established:	2001
Network membership:	Forum for Children Living on the Street
Staff:	3 professional, 2 semi-professional and 3 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Arada Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 01, 02, 15, 16 and 17, and Gulele Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 19, 20 and 21
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Drop in centre
Description of services:	Provides education, library, tutorial support, school materials, guidance and counselling, play and recreation, and health and sanitation facilities to 182 children
Targeting criteria:	Children living on the street in the operational area of the organisation are eligible for support, with issues such as loss of parents, abuse and low income families are also considered in the final selection.
Funding:	International donors and contributions from individuals

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## REHABILITATION AND PREVENTION INITIATIVE AGAINST DISABILITY (RAPID)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Rehabilitation of children and youth with disability, prevention of occurrence of disability among poor and vulnerable children, and promoting the rights of the disabled and the needy.
Established:	2004
Network membership:	Community-based Rehabilitation Network and Disability Forum
Staff:	3 professional, 8 semi-professional and 2 support staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Yeka Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 01, 02, 03, 04, 06 and 07
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Community-based rehabilitation of the disabled
Description of services:	Provide educational materials, school uniform and school fee to 59 children (25 female), and health education and healthcare services to 129 children (64 female)
Targeting criteria:	Children with disabilities, poor, vulnerable and at risk children are selected on the basis of information collected through baseline surveys
Funding:	International and local NGO

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## RETRAK ETHIOPIA

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Rebuild the dignity of children living on the street
Established:	2006
Network membership:	VIVA Network and CRDA
Staff:	2 professional, 2 semi-professionals and 1 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Addis Ketema Sub-city, Kebele 13/15
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Drop in centre
Description of services:	Clothing, shelter and psychosocial, education and health service to 30 male children living on the street
Targeting criteria:	Street boys aged 7 to 17
Funding:	Private donors and public trusts

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## SARA CANNIZZARO CHILD MINDERS ASSOCIATION (SCCMA)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Enhance children's emotional, personal and social development and wellbeing
Established:	2004
Network membership:	-
Staff:	4 professional, 5 semi-professional and 5 support staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Nifas Silk-Lafto Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 03, 04, 05 and 06
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Day care centre, feeding and education support
Description of services:	Day care centre for 170 children (80 female), three meals per day for 48 children, one meal per day and educational materials support for 75 children
Targeting criteria:	Based on referral or recommendations of local authorities that are responsible for screening needy children for support
Funding:	International donors, members' contributions and local NGOs

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## SELAM CHILDREN'S VILLAGE (SCV)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To alleviate the rampant poverty in the society so that children's situation is improved in terms of fulfilling their basic needs, and in particular to support orphans so that they grow to be productive citizens
Established:	1986
Network membership:	Adoption Agencies Network
Staff:	4 professional, 2 semi-professional and 24 supporting staff
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Yeka Sub-city, Kebele 19
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Orphanage
Description of services:	Currently there are 453 children in the orphanage getting full lodging, including education, healthcare and recreational facilities. The children are assisted to complete schooling and to a stage they are able to support themselves through employment; vocational training and start up capital is provided for those who want to start their own enterprises
Targeting criteria:	To be eligible for selection, a child should be an orphan or vulnerable. Evidence and supporting documents should be obtained from <i>kebeles</i> , civil and social affairs office and the police explaining the family background of the child and, where necessary, SCV sends a team to verify the condition of the child
Funding:	Individual donors from overseas and own income

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## **SELAM ORPHAN CHILDREN, DESTITUTE MOTHERS AND THE AGED ASSOCIATION (SOCDMAA)**

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### **I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	To support orphan children, vulnerable mothers and the elderly to enable them to actively participate in development efforts of the country
Established:	2004
Network membership	Kolfe Keranyo NGO Forum
Staff:	1 semi-professional and 4 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### **II. Project information**

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Kolfe Keranyo Sub-city, Kebele 15/16
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Institutional care for children and supporting families through a sponsorship programme
Description of services:	Currently there are 30 children in the orphanage and 120 children assisted in the community through arranging foster care, where families receive money to cover the basic needs of the children and the family
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children, aged between 3 and 8, abused children and free from any contagious diseases
Funding:	Members' contributions, individual sponsors and income generating events

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## SOS CHILDREN'S VILLAGE ETHIOPIA – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Offer orphaned, abandoned and destitute children a new and permanent home and prepare them for an independent life, regardless of race nationality or creed
Established:	1974
Network membership:	Children and Youth Forum
Staff:	-
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Nifas Silk-Lafto and Kolfe Keranyo sub-cities
Projects in other areas:	Mekelle, Harar, Awassa, Bahir Dar and Gore
Major services:	Children are provided with food, shelter, healthcare, educational materials, social services facilities, such as day care centres and medical centres, and activities for children with special needs
Description of services:	Currently there are 1,258 children in all the villages where they get all the necessities of children's lives, including full lodging and psychosocial needs
Targeting criteria:	The criteria include being orphan, with no siblings able to support the children, and being under 6 years old
Funding:	Sponsorship from individuals

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## SOS ENFANTS ETHIOPIA - ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To give institutional care for orphan children so that they grow up with care and dignity to be competent citizens
Established:	1989
Network membership:	OVC Network
Staff:	17 professional, 51 semi-professionals and 212 supporting staff
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, all sub-cities
Projects in other areas:	Awassa, Adama, Gonder, Bahir Dar, Dessie and Dire Dawa
Major services:	Institutional care and family assistance to support children in fulfilling their basic needs
Description of services:	Currently there are 295 children in the orphanage, who get full lodging and other needs, such as education. The organisation also provides services to other children to get access to education, healthcare, guidance, counselling, skills training and reunification services
Targeting criteria:	Children younger than 6 years old, being an orphan, poverty level of the household and vulnerability to abuse. This should be certified by sub-city offices and the Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs, plus house-to-house assessment, when deemed necessary
Funding:	Individual sponsors, international NGOs and own income from agriculture

### III. Contact information

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## SPORT THE BRIDGE (STB)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Provision of pedagogical lessons through sport on the topics of body, fairness, rules, acceptance and team work, to help children to shape their own future through life skills training and integration into family and the community
Established:	2004
Network membership:	-
Staff:	5 professional, 7 semi-professional and 18 supporting staff
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Daily food, educational support, psychosocial and health services
Description of services:	Provide daily food, educational materials, including uniforms, psychosocial services, counselling, life skills training and reunification for 130 children (80 female)
Targeting criteria:	Children living on the streets aged 7 to 12, selected by the organisation
Funding:	International donors

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## SUPPORT STREET CHILDREN AND MOTHERS (SSCM)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Assist Street children and mothers with education, child family reunification, make poor children and destitute women and young people to be self-supportive by providing them with various skills
Established:	2003
Network membership:	NGOs working with children and Addis Ababa City Administration Civil and NGOs Affairs Bureau
Staff:	3 professional, 8 semi-professional, and 7 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Arada Sub-City, Kebele 13/14
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Skill training, school support, library service and reunification
Description of services:	Skill training for 54, school support for 290 children, library service for 55 children a day, peer group shelter provision for 8 street children
Targeting criteria:	Need assessment, <i>Edir</i> and community recommendations
Funding:	International local and government donors

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**TESFA SOCIAL AND DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION (TSDA) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH**

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**I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	To contribute to poverty alleviation in partner communities and neighbouring regions of Addis Ababa; and reduce the incidence of HIV/ AIDS affected and infected individuals, families, and vulnerable social groups in partnership with national and international partners
Established:	2000
Network membership:	Children and Youth Forum
Staff:	2 professional, 4 semi-professional and 29 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

**II. Project information**

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Kolfe Keranyo Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 07 – 14
Projects in other areas:	Burayu, Oromya Region
Major services:	Poverty alleviation, including capacity building of community-based organisations, and promoting income generation schemes; HIV/ AIDS prevention and control, including care and support to affected or infected people in the target area
Description of services:	So far about 2,700 children have been supported through providing food, clothing, healthcare services, covering educational costs (uniform, school fees, and educational materials) and psychosocial services
Targeting criteria:	At the initial stage, individuals, idirs and <i>kebeles</i> who send lists of people or households needing support can make requests. The major criteria are being orphans or vulnerable, from poor households and living in the target Sub-city
Funding:	International NGOs and government

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## TIMER ETHIOPIA CHILD CARE AND EMPOWERMENT ASSOCIATION

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Enhance community-based foster parenting for orphans and vulnerable children, protection of child rights, child empowerment and grassroots community empowerment
Established:	2005
Network membership:	OVC Network
Staff:	1 professional, 1 semi-professional and 1 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Nifas Silk-Lafto Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 42, 43, 45, 46, 51, 52 and 53
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Foster families
Description of services:	Provide school uniform and educational materials for 120 children (67 female), and counselling services for 40 children. The support also includes 30 families (28 female-headed) and running life skills development programme for orphans and vulnerable children
Targeting criteria:	In collaboration with school teachers, eligible children are identified using the following criteria: family status (orphans), vulnerability (livelihood condition of parents), age (under 18), health (HIV/ AIDS infected or affected, and disability) and geography (within the sub city)
Funding:	UNICEF, Save the Children (Denmark)

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## TSEDALE DABA URBANIZATION FOR URBAN SUPPORT (TSDOOS)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Poverty alleviation by ensuring and children get proper care and support with educational materials
Established:	2003
Network membership:	-
Staff:	2 professional, 1 semi-professional and 2 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project Location:	Addis Ababa, Akaki Kaliti Sub-city, <i>kebeles</i> 07, 08 and 09
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Institutional care in orphanage
Description of services:	Feeding, clothing, shelter, education and health services for 39 children (17 female)
Targeting criteria:	Orphans selected through <i>kebeles</i>
Funding:	Individual contributions, board members, founder's resources, and Ambassadors wives

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## TSOTAWI TEKAT TEKELAKAY MAHIBER (TTTM)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Advocate for women's rights; provide support to survivors of violence; and work towards ensuring justice, equality and dignity for all humans
Established:	2003
Network membership	Campaign against Gender Based Violence in Ethiopia and Network on Abuse
Staff:	7 professional, 5 semi-professional and 3 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Community outreach education, research and safe house drop in centre
Description of services:	Provide food, clothing, education, counselling and other services in the drop in centre for 15 children on a temporary basis until the beneficiary of the services develop confidence and self esteem
Targeting criteria:	On referral basis from organisations
Funding:	International and local donors and contribution from members

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## WELFARE FOR STREET MOTHERS AND CHILDREN ORGANISATION (WESMCO) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To support destitute families and children living on the street through promoting family planning
Established:	1997
Network membership:	CRDA
Staff:	6 professional, 10 semi-professional and 9 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Arada Sub-city
Projects in other areas:	North Wollo, Kobbo in Amhara Region, Assosa and Dibate, Benishangul-Gumuz Region
Major services:	Sustenance, clothing, education, family planning, healthcare and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Provide food, clothing, educational materials, uniforms and school fees; medical treatment and education on health (including HIV/AIDS) and reproductive issues; guidance and counselling on family planning methods, distribution of condoms and contraceptive methods; and leisure and entertainment services to street mothers and children
Targeting criteria:	Based on needs assessment and referral from concerned government and non-government organisations, beneficiaries are selected using the following criteria: residence (children and mothers living on the street), family status (HIV/ AIDS orphans) and health condition (HIV/ AIDS affected or infected families)
Funding:	International donors, local NGOs (CRDA) and government (HIV/ AIDS Prevention and Control Office)

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## WORLD CHILD WELFARE ASSOCIATION

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To raise orphans and vulnerable children so that they get love and protection, through adoption and working with other child focused organisations
Established:	1976
Network membership:	Network of Adoption Organisations
Staff:	3 professional and 18 supporting staff
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Day centre and basic needs provision
Description of services:	The organisation provides holistic support to ensure the development of the child through fulfilling basic needs, including food, education, health services, guidance and counselling through a day care centre
Targeting criteria:	Female children up to the age of 16, with priority given to orphans and children with disability; <i>kebeles</i> are involved in the selection
Funding:	Core budget from the head office of the organisation

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## WORLD MISSION AGENCY

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To support children to get education and develop their skills in order to be self-reliant
Established:	2004
Network membership:	-
Staff:	-
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Lideta Sub-city
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Provision of education
Description of services:	Provide formal and non-formal education for children between 6 and 16 years old, up to 10 <sup>th</sup> grade
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and Vulnerable Children (OVC) who are deprived of access to school
Funding:	International NGOs

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## YENEGE TESFA HITSANAT ETHIOPIA MAHIBER (YTH)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Upbringing of orphan and vulnerable children in providing educational support
Established:	2006
Network membership:	Integrated Development and network
Staff:	3 professional, 3 semi-professional and 3 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Gulele Sub-city, <i>Kebele</i> 06
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Day care centre, feeding, clothing, educational support, health and psychosocial services
Description of services:	Provide day care centre services for 50 children (28 female), including educational, clothing, health and psychosocial services
Targeting criteria:	In collaboration with <i>kebele</i> administration, eligible children are identified considering age, vulnerability, income status and geographical location
Funding:	International donors

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## YETEEM CHILDREN AND DESTITUTE MOTHERS FUND (YCDMF) – ADDIS ABABA BRANCH

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### III. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To create a conducive environment for disadvantaged people, particularly destitute mothers and children, to have control over their own livelihood through provision of skills training and provision of basic needs, health and education services
Established:	1991
Network membership:	CRDA, Bread and Water for Africa (BWA) and Convention on the Rights of the Child Forum of Ethiopia
Staff:	21 professional, 11 semi-professional and 7 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### IV. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa, Arada, Gulele, Addis Ketema and Kolfe Keranyo sub -cities
Projects in other areas:	Afar Region- Awash Sebat-Kilo town and Buremudayitu Wereda
Major services:	Agro-pastoral development, village school construction, non-formal technical and vocational education and training, small-scale irrigation schemes, empowering women, and child sponsorship activities
Description of services:	Since 1991, about 120 children have been supported through child sponsorship; the support is through paying a monthly stipend to households to fulfil basic needs of the children, including food, clothing and school materials. TSDA also provides guidance, counselling and vocational training to enable children to develop better personalities
Targeting criteria:	A committee consisting of youth, women and kebele representatives draws up a list of poor households with children to be supported, which are then assessed by the organisation
Funding:	International NGOs

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## THE YOUNG OF TOMORROW DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To provide support to disadvantaged children
Established:	2004
Network membership:	-
Staff:	3 professional, 9 semi-professional and 4 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Addis Ababa
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Clothing, education, psychosocial and health related services
Description of services:	Provide clothing for 100, educational material support for 120 (10 female), HIV/ AIDS and reproductive education for 150 (25 female), and psychosocial services to 2,500 children
Targeting criteria:	Depends on referral from <i>kebele</i> administrations and law enforcement bodies (courts, prisons or police), as well as conducting its own assessment; supports orphans and children from poor families with good educational performance
Funding:	International donors and members' contributions

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# Arba Minch

## ARBA MINCH REHABILITATION CENTRE (AMRC)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To see an Ethiopia where people with disabilities lead an independent way of life and disabilities are minimised
Established:	1993, licensed in 1999
Network membership:	-
Staff:	4 professional, 16 semi-professional and 37 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Arba Minch, <i>Nech Sar</i> Sub-city, Kebele 05
Projects in other areas:	<i>Wolaita Zone, South Omo Zone, Dawuro Zone, Konso Special Wereda and Derashe Special Wereda</i>
Major services:	Education, training, healthcare and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Education support to 363 children (223 female); Basic Braille, mobility orientation, sign language, activity of daily living (ADL) stimulation skills training through house-to-house visits for disabled children and parents; physiotherapy services; facilitate referrals for orthopaedic, cleft lip surgery and occupational therapy; income generating activities for parents of children with different types of disabilities; and counselling and rehabilitation services for children with disabilities and their parents on a house-to-house basis
Targeting criteria:	By conducting house-to-house surveys, in collaboration with <i>Kebele</i> administrations, physically impaired and vulnerable children and orphans from low-income families are selected
Funding:	Emergency Demobilisation and Reintegration Project (EDRP), Southern Nations Nationalities and People's Region (SNNPR) Bureau of Labour and Social Affairs (BoLSA) and international NGOs: Cord aid, Christoffel Blinden Mission (CBM), International Committee of the Red Cross and Stinching Liliene Fonds (SLF)

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## TSEHAY ORPHANAGE CENTRE (TOC)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Provide care and education, particularly to abandoned children, to make them productive citizens
Established:	1983
Network membership:	Local community-based organisations
Staff:	4 supporting staff
Status:	Private institution

### II. Project information

Project location:	Arba Minch
Projects in other areas:	Sawula town
Major services:	Shelter, food, clothes, healthcare, and educational support
Description of services:	Currently there are 59 children (24 female) in the centre getting the above services
Targeting criteria:	Abandoned children are referred by police, and orphans and vulnerable children up to 4 years old are referred by <i>Kebele</i> social courts
Funding:	No external funding

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# Assosa

## ASSOSA FULL GOSPEL CHURCH DEVELOPMENT ORGANISATION

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Care and support for orphans and vulnerable children
Established:	2006
Network membership:	Local community-based organisations and HIV/ AIDS clubs
Staff:	3 Professionals, 2 Semi-professionals and 2 Supporting Staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Assosa, kebeles 02, 03 and 04
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Food, education and health
Description of services:	Financial support to cover living costs and food; educational materials and uniforms; reproductive health and HIV/ AIDS education; counselling and life skills training; rehabilitation and reunification for 2,100 children (1,117 female)
Targeting criteria:	Vulnerable orphans under the age of 16, victims of violence and living in the project area
Funding:	Local faith-based organisations, international donors and members' contributions

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**ETHIOPIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH - DEVELOPMENT AND INTER-CHURCH AID COMMISSION (EOC-DICAC) –  
ASSOSA BRANCH**

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**I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	Financial support to HIV/ AIDS-affected orphans and vulnerable children to engage themselves in income generating activities
Established:	2004
Network membership:	Various coordination and sensitisation committees
Staff:	-
Status:	Local NGO

**II. Project information**

Project location:	Assosa, Kebele 04
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Vocational training and micro enterprise development
Description of services:	Vocational training for 130 orphans or their guardians (72 female) to establish their own income generating activities
Targeting criteria:	Based on recommendations and requests of local authorities and community-based organisations, potential beneficiaries are selected within the age bracket 5 to 18 years using lack of one or both parents and vulnerability as criteria; verification is done to exclude children already receiving support from other organisations providing child focused services
Funding:	Development Inter Church Aid Commission (DICAC)

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## HOPE ENTERPRISE - ASSOSA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Support orphans and vulnerable children to attend school
Established:	1980
Network membership:	CRDA
Staff:	-
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Assosa
Projects in other areas:	Dessie and Addis Ababa
Major services:	Food, education and health
Description of services:	Financial support to cover living costs and food; educational materials and uniforms; and reproductive health and HIV/ AIDS education for 200 children (106 female) since 2004
Targeting criteria:	Together with <i>Kebele</i> authorities and Labour and Social Affairs Office, house-to-house visits are used to select beneficiary children over 4 years old, using lack of one or both parents and vulnerability as the main criteria; annually 50 children (half female) are accepted for support and care
Funding:	International and national donors

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# Awassa

## ADDIS DEVELOPMENT VISION (ADV)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Providing support on education, health and other issues for orphans and vulnerable children at risk
Established:	2006
Network membership:	Awassa town level Orphan and Vulnerable Children Network
Staff:	2 professional, 4 semi-professional and 5 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Awassa, Misrak Sub-city
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa (Head office projects), Silte, and Lalibela
Major services:	Food, education, healthcare and psychosocial support for children
Description of services:	Daily food support for 146 children (78 female); educational support, including materials and school uniforms for 313 children (180 female) aged 4 to 18; healthcare support for 146 children aged 4 to 6 (78 female); and psychosocial support for 167 children (112 female) aged 7 to 18 years old.
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children in poverty and with severe problems
Funding:	CRDA and community contributions

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## AWASSA CHILDREN REARING CENTRE (ACRC)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Rearing orphans and vulnerable children due to HIV/ AIDS and providing vocational training to youth and children living on the street to make them productive citizens
Established:	2002
Network membership:	Awassa town level Orphan and Vulnerable Children Network
Staff:	5 professional, 6 semi-professional and 15 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Awassa, Tabor Sub-city
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Full assistance and care for orphans and vulnerable children, financial support and technical training for street children above the age of 15
Description of services:	Financial support for 59 children (26 female) children attending higher education in college or university, and technical training for others
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children due to HIV/ AIDS aged from 4 to 7/for admission purposes only/, street children
Funding:	International NGOs and Embassies in Ethiopia

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## AWASSA GENET CHURCH CHILDREN DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (AGCCDP)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Freeing the poorest of poor children from physical, economical and psychological damages in order to be productive citizens
Established:	2004
Network membership:	Awassa town level Orphan and Vulnerable Children Network
Staff:	2 semi-professional and 2 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Awassa, Tabor Sub-city
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Food, clothing, health, education, house rent and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Food allowance, house rent costs, clothing, education, health services and psychosocial support for 251 children (109 female) aged 5 to 8
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children in poverty (family income less than 300 Birr a month); children living with their grandmothers or fathers, with witness from <i>kebele</i> administration
Funding:	Church sponsorship

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## BAT STREET CHILDREN DEVELOPMENT AID ORGANISATION (BSCDAO)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Performing activities that can bring about change in the lives of children living on the street and orphans and vulnerable children by showing direction that leads to a positive life situation
Established:	2003
Network membership:	Awassa town level Orphan and Vulnerable Children Network and Southern Nations Nationalities People's Region GO-NGO HIV Forum
Staff:	1 professional, 3 semi-professional and 3 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Awassa
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Psychosocial, foster care and sponsorship support
Description of services:	Psychosocial support (counselling, life skills, better communication with parents and rehabilitation services), in collaboration with the Regional HIV/AIDS Prevention and Control Office, for children aged 12 to 18; sponsorship and foster care to children under 10 years old through coordinated work approach with other organisations
Targeting criteria:	Referral letter by kebele administration based on the severity of the problem
Funding:	Inkerkerelijke Stichting Ethiopie/Eritrea (ISEE), Netherlands and other international NGOs

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## BRIGHT IMAGE FOR GENERATION ASSOCIATION (BIGA)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Working for children's and women's rights and to expand education on HIV/AIDS and gender
Established:	2005
Network membership:	Awassa town level Orphan and Vulnerable Children Network, Poverty Action Network, Legal Aid Providers Network Ethiopia, Civil Society Resource Centre Association
Staff:	2 professional, 5 semi-professional and 2 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Awassa, Tabor Sub-city
Projects in other areas:	Worabe (Silte Zone)
Major services:	Legal protection and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Free legal aid and court representation for victim children and children in conflict with the law
Targeting criteria:	Victimised children and women
Funding:	Humanitarian organisations and members' contributions

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## CHESHIRE SERVICES ETHIOPIA - AWASSA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Providing rehabilitation and capacity building to disabled people in order to develop positive attitude towards themselves, and awareness raising in the community about disabilities
Established:	2004
Network membership:	Awassa town level Orphan and Vulnerable Children Network
Staff:	2 professional, 12 semi-professional and 6 support staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Awassa, Addis Ketema Sub-city, Kebele 01
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa (head office projects), Menagesha, Harar and Dire Dawa
Major services:	Physical support, Mobile Outreach and Community Based Services to zones
Description of services:	Physiotherapy services for 53 physically disabled children
Targeting criteria:	Disabled children aged 5 to 15, identified through house-to-house surveys with <i>kebele</i> leaders; in addition, the organisation provides the services available to any child who visits the centre
Funding:	Voluntary contributions and funds secured by head office

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## ETHIOPIAN FULL GOSPEL CHURCH DEVELOPMENT ORGANISATION (EFGCDO)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Supporting HIV/ AIDS affected orphans and vulnerable children exposed to serious problems in order to be productive citizens
Established:	2000
Network membership:	Awassa town level Orphan and Vulnerable Children Network and GO-NGO Forum
Staff:	2 professional and 1 semi-professional staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Awassa, Bahil Adarash Sub-city
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Food, education and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Food allowance for 420 children (225 female) on a quarterly basis; educational support, including uniforms and educational materials for 348 children (180 female); and psychosocial support for 1,350 (750 female)
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children experiencing severe health problems, victims of abuse, who are younger than 18 years old living in the project area and referred by stakeholders, including Anti-AIDS clubs
Funding:	International NGOs and community contributions

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## **ETHIOPIAN KALE HIWOT CHURCH MEDAN ACTS PROJECT (EKHCMAP) – AWASSA BRANCH**

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### **I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	To serve God through serving poor and underprivileged people, especially women and children, and transforming communities through a combination of disease prevention and holistic community development
Established:	2001
Network membership:	Awassa town level OVC Network
Staff:	5 professional, 6 semi-professional and 5 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### **II. Project information**

Project location:	Awassa, Mennahariya Sub-city
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Food, clothing, health, education, house rent and psychosocial support
Description of services:	All types of support given for 2,871 children (1,477 female) under 18 years
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children affected by poverty, with community witness
Funding:	International NGOs: Family Health International, Pathfinder International, ECI Africa; and Regional HIV/ AIDS Prevention and Control Office

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**ETHIOPIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH – DEVELOPMENT AND INTER-CHURCH AID COMMISSION (EOC-DICAC) –  
AWASSA BRANCH**

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**I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	Working towards an HIV/ AIDS-free society; gender equality; food security; and fully literacy
Established:	1972
Network membership:	Awassa town level Orphan and Vulnerable Children Network
Staff:	1 professional, 1 semi-professional and 16 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

**II. Project information**

Project location:	Awassa, Mennahariya Sub-city, Kebele 04
Projects in other areas:	Throughout the country
Major services:	Foster care, providing spiritual and ethical education, home-to-home visits, food provision and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Foster care, spiritual and ethical education and home-to-home visits for 200 children aged 5 to 18 (95 female); food provision for 60 children aged 5 to 18 (25 female); and psychosocial support
Targeting criteria:	Priority for HIV/ AIDS affected orphans and vulnerable children aged 5 to 18, with witness from responsible bodies
Funding:	Development Inter Church Aid Commission (DICAC), European Commission (EC) and Christian Aid (CA)

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## FAITH HOPE LOVE FAMILY SERVICE AWASSA (FHLFSA)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Providing support for orphans and children at risk with education, health, food, shelter and other issues; providing opportunities for female children through capacity building training to engage in income generating activities
Established:	2005
Network membership:	Awassa town level OVC Network, GO-NGO Forum
Staff:	2 professional, 2 semi-professional and 2 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Awassa, Addis Ketema Sub-city, Kebele 01
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Food, education, health care and psychosocial support for children
Description of services:	Food; education, including educational materials and school uniforms; healthcare; and psychosocial support for 150 children (76 female)
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children from poor families, female-headed households, with priority for female children
Funding:	International NGOs: Compassion in Action Foundation, Canada, and Canada Family Help Organisation

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## FIKIR BEHIWOT WOLAJOCHACHEWUN YATU HITSANATNA WOTATOCH MAHIBER

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Teaching the community about the severity being OVC and helping the OVC to search about strategies that how they can solve problems by being effective and productive.
Year of Establishment:	2005
Network Membership	Awassa town level Orphan and Vulnerable Children Network, Orphan and Vulnerable Children Task force under the Bureau of Labour and Social Affairs of SNNPR
Number and Mix of Staff:	1 semi-professional and 6 support staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Awassa, Bahil-Adarash Sub city, <i>kebele</i> 1-04
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Educational, healthcare and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Educational, health care and psychosocial supports for 176 children under 18 (90 female)
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children affected by poverty younger than 18 years
Funding:	Federal Human Rights Commission, SNNPR Agriculture and Rural Development Bureau and local NGOs: Organisation for Social Services for AIDS and Ethiopian Mulu Wongel Church

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## GREEN MESSAGE FOR ETHIOPIA (GME)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Working on poverty-reducing activities focused on children and women in urban and rural areas
Established:	2004
Network membership:	Awassa OVC Network, Awassa HIV/AIDS NGO Forum, and Poverty Action Civil Society Network in Ethiopia
Staff:	2 professional, 1 semi-professional and 1 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project/Programme Information:

Project location:	-
Projects in other areas:	Sidama Zone, <i>Bensa</i> and <i>wendo-genet</i> weredas
Major services:	Food allowance, house rent, financial, clothing, educational, healthcare and psychosocial support
Description of services:	All services provided for 45 children (6 female)
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children under 10 years old, living in the project area and in good health
Funding:	International and local NGOs

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## JERUSALEM CHILDREN AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ORGANISATION (JECCDO) – AWASSA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Supporting HIV/ AIDS-affected orphans and vulnerable children exposed to serious problems in order to ensure they can be productive citizens
Established:	1985
Network membership:	Awassa Orphan and Vulnerable Children Network, Women's Focused Organizations Network, Urban Agriculture Focused Organizations Network, Child Right and Legal Protection Network
Number and Mix of Staff:	4 professional, 5 semi-professional and 5 support staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Awassa, Mennahariya Sub-city
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa, Adama, Debre Birhan, Debrezeit and Dire Dawa
Major services:	Financial, clothing, education, healthcare and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Financial support on a monthly basis; clothing support; biannual support with school fees and educational materials, including uniforms; healthcare support in times of sickness; and psychosocial support referral and counselling services for children under 18
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children experiencing severe problems, with low income and poor health situation referred by stakeholders
Funding:	International NGOs

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## MARY JOY AID THROUGH DEVELOPMENT (MJATD)-AWASSA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Reducing socioeconomic problems of children and mothers in poverty with active community participation and integrated work approach
Established:	1995 for the head office and 2000 for the Awassa Branch
Network membership:	Awassa town level Orphan and Vulnerable Children Network, GO-NGO Forum, HIV/AIDS NGOs Forum and Orphan and Vulnerable Children Task force under the Bureau of Labour and Social Affairs of SNNPR
Staff:	5 professional, 22 semi-professional and 10 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	All Sub-cities in Hawassa
Projects in other Towns:	Addis Ababa (Head Office Projects)
Major services:	Food allowance, house rent, financial, clothing, educational, healthcare and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Providing the above support services for 910 children (457 female)
Targeting criteria:	Orphans, vulnerable and victimised children living in Awassa in severe poverty
Funding:	International NGOs

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## SHINY DAY SOCIAL SERVICES ASSOCIATION PROJECT (SDSSA)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Care and support for orphans and vulnerable children to curb the impact of HIV/ AIDS
Established:	2006
Network membership:	Awassa town level Orphan and Vulnerable Children Network, and Awassa Urban Agriculture Network
Staff:	3 professional, 9 semi-professional and 6 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Awassa, Addis Ketema Sub-city, Yeto Kebele
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Boarding facilities including food and shelter; psychosocial support; practical skill training in metal work, woodwork, food preparation, and tailoring; and educational support through the provision of stationary materials and uniform
Description of services:	160 children receive direct food, shelter, medication and educational support
Targeting criteria:	House-to-house visits and recommendation of <i>kebele</i> administration
Funding:	International NGOs, People in need/Czech Republic, Embassy of Czech Republic, European Union (EU)

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## SOS CHILDREN'S VILLAGE – AWASSA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Providing care and support to orphans and vulnerable children to make them self-supporting and productive citizens
Established:	1985
Network membership:	Awassa town level OVC Network
Staff:	42 professional, 55 semi-professional and 26 supporting staff
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Awassa, Addis Ketema Sub-city, Kebele 01
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa, Bahir Dar, Hara, Mekelle and Gore
Major services:	Food, shelter, clothing, education, healthcare and psychosocial support for children; foster care; and day care centre
Description of services:	Food, shelter and clothing support for 165 children (74 female); education support, including educational materials and uniforms for 279 (106 female); foster care for 154 (79 female); food allowance and capacity building training for 500 parents; and healthcare and psychosocial support for 50 to 60 children daily
Targeting criteria:	Under 5 years old orphans and vulnerable children experiencing severe problems, living in the project area with low monthly income of families, especially single parents and the chronically ill
Funding:	International NGOs: SOS Kinderdorf International

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## SOS ENFANTS ETHIOPIA – AWASSA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Providing care for orphans and vulnerable children under the age of 5 and sponsorship programmes for 6 to 15 year olds
Established:	1989
Network membership:	Awassa town level Orphan and Vulnerable Children Network
Staff:	2 semi-professional and 5 supporting staff
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Awassa, Hayk-Dar Sub-city, Kebele 05
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa, Adama, Bahir Dar, Dessie, Gonder and Dire Dawa
Major services:	Food, clothing, shelter, educational, healthcare and psychosocial support
Description of services:	All types of support for 265 children
Targeting criteria:	Orphans, vulnerable and victimised children in poverty, referred by the police, courts and <i>kebele</i>
Funding:	International NGOs

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## TILA ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN LIVING WITH HIV (TAWLWH)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Preventing, controlling and protecting against HIV/ AIDS and reducing its impact in community, particularly on women
Established:	2002
Network membership:	Awassa town level Orphan and Vulnerable Children Network, SNNPR NGOs and GOs Network, NGOs Network
Staff:	5 professional, 5 semi-professional and 5 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Awassa, Tabor Sub-city, Kebele 07
Projects in other areas:	SNNPR, Alaba; Sidama Zone, Borecha
Major services:	Educational, healthcare and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Educational material support, including uniforms for 309 children aged 7 to 14; healthcare support for 50 children under 18; and psychosocial support for 50 children aged 7 to 14 years
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children of the ages mentioned above, living in poverty and being exposed to social problems
Funding:	International NGOs, members' contributions, income generating activities and RHAPCO

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## WOLAJI YATU LIJOCE LIMAT MAHIBER (WYLLM)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To make orphans and vulnerable children productive citizens by providing them with the opportunity of home education
Established:	2006
Network membership:	Awassa town level Orphan and Vulnerable Children Network
Staff:	1 semi-professional and 3 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Awassa, <i>Abela-Tula</i> Sub-city, <i>Dato-Odehe</i> Kebele
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Educational support for children
Description of services:	Educational support, including educational materials and uniforms for 24 children (17 female)
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children living in poverty and poor health situation with in the age range between 4 to 10 years selected through house-to-house visits
Funding:	Members' contributions

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# Dessie

## ABUNA PETROS CHILDREN CARE CENTRE (APCCC)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose: Care and support to children without parents or guardians

Established: 1980

Network membership: -

Staff: 2 semi-professional and 12 supporting staff

Status: Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location: Dessie

Projects in other towns: -

Major services: Shelter (institutionalised care), sustenance and psychosocial support

Description of services: Institutionalised care including food and shelter to 150 female children; counselling, life skills training and financial support (169 birr) to cover food expenses, to 147 male children

Targeting criteria: In collaboration with the Labour and Social Affairs Office and *kebele* authorities, orphans and vulnerable children are identified, screened and selected

Funding: International NGOs

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## ADDIS HIWOT REHABILITATION AND REINTEGRATION ASSOCIATION (AHRRA)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Care and support to orphans and HIV-positive children
Established:	2005
Network membership:	South Wollo PLWHAs network and Amhara National PLWHAs network
Staff:	2 professional, 1 semi-professional and 8 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dessie
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Foster care, clothing, education and vocational training, healthcare and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Arrange foster mothers; provide clothing from donations; financial support to cover expenses related to education and healthcare; counselling and life skills training to 105 orphans and people living with HIV/ AIDS (60 female)
Targeting criteria:	Orphans, vulnerable and victimised children or people living with HIV/ AIDS are identified, screened and selected in coordination with other organisations working for the same cause
Funding:	International NGOs

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## CHESHIRE FOUNDATION ETHIOPIA – DESSIE BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Prevention of physical disability, and rehabilitation and protection of rights of physically disabled persons
Established:	1985
Network membership:	-
Staff:	1 professional and 1 semi-professional staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dessie
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa, Awassa, Dire Dawa and Harar
Major services:	Food, clothing, education and training support
Description of services:	Financial support to cover sustenance, clothing, education and vocational training costs for 8 children (6 female)
Targeting criteria:	Physically disabled children younger than 18 years, who have lost both parents, are selected based on referral by partners
Funding:	International donors

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## CHILD OF THE PRESENT – A MAN OF TOMORROW (CPMT) – DESSIE BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Care and support to orphans, vulnerable children and children in difficult circumstances
Established:	2000
Network membership:	Prevention of Desertification, People Living with HIV/ AIDS Care and Support Providers, and Harmful Traditional Practices networks
Staff:	1 professional, 3 semi-professional and 2 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dessie
Projects in other areas:	Dessie Zuria, and Oromya Region in Woliso
Major services:	Shelter, foster care, drop-in centre, food, education and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Foster care; financial support for food; educational materials; HIV/ AIDS prevention and reproductive health education; and psychosocial support to 100 children and shelter through a drop-in centre, regular meals and healthcare to 5 male children
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children living in the project area and victims of violence are selected in collaboration with community-based organisations and kebele authorities
Funding:	International NGOs and members' contributions

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## FORUM ON STREET CHILDREN ETHIOPIA (FSCE) – DESSIE BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Advocacy on child rights protection through providing essential social, psychological and legal support to children in difficult circumstances
Established:	1998
Network Membership	South Wollo Child Care and Support Coalition and local community-based organisations
Staff:	1 professional, 4 semi-professional and 2 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dessie
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa, Adama, Bahir Dar and Dire Dawa
Major services:	Shelter, foster care, day care centre and drop-in centre (safe home), providing food and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Foster care for 40 orphans (23 female); day care centre for female sex workers; drop in centre (safe home) for 7 girls; and psychosocial services and financial support to cover food expenses for 200 children (111 female) under 18
Targeting criteria:	In collaboration with community-based organisations and <i>kebele</i> authorities, eligible children are selected based on family status (lost both parents); economic condition (poor); younger than 18 years; and poor health conditions (excludes HIV-positive)
Funding:	International NGOs

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## HOPE ENTERPRISE – DESSIE BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Fulfil basic needs of orphans and vulnerable children so as to enable them attend their education
Established:	1986
Network membership:	-
Staff:	20 professional, 10 semi-professional and 25 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dessie
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa and Assosa
Major services:	Education and training and healthcare
Description of services:	Provided educational materials, uniforms, vocational training, healthcare and health education to 872 children (417 female)
Targeting criteria:	Vulnerable orphans under 18 are selected in collaboration with community-based organisations and kebele authorities
Funding:	International donors

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## MEKDIM ETHIOPIA NATIONAL ASSOCIATION – DESSIE BRANCH

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### I. Organisational Information:

Aim and purpose:	Care and support to HIV/ AIDS orphans and children living with HIV/AIDS
Established:	2001
Network membership	Dessie town OVC network
Staff:	1 professional, 5 semi- professional and 10 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dessie
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa, Adama and several other towns
Major services:	Foster care, clothing, financial and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Foster care to 25 HIV-positive and orphaned children (15 female); financial support for educational materials, healthcare and counselling expenses for 377 PLWHAs (189 female); and food for 503 orphans and vulnerable children under the age of 18
Targeting criteria:	Vulnerable children under 18 who have lost both parents and are HIV-positive are selected in collaboration with community-based organisations and kebele authorities
Funding:	International NGOs and HIV/ AIDS Prevention and Control Office

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## NATSABRAQ REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT ORGANISATION

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To reduce social problems affecting children and youth
Established:	2004
Network membership:	Local NGOs forum and Youth-to-youth Forum
Staff:	2 professional, 3 semi-professional and 90 supporting staff (this includes community counsellors, volunteers, home care providers, community mobilizers etc.)
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dessie
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Education and health
Description of services:	Provided educational materials and reproductive health education to 300 children (182 female) between the ages of 4 and 18
Targeting criteria:	Vulnerable orphans, who have lost both parents, but have other relatives and children living on the street are selected in collaboration with community-based organisations and kebele authorities
Funding:	International donors, NGOs

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## ORGANISATION FOR SOCIAL SERVICE FOR AIDS (OSSA) – DESSIE BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	HIV/ AIDS prevention, voluntary counselling and testing, and care and support to people living with HIV/ AIDS and orphans
Established:	1989
Network membership:	OVC Network
Staff:	3 professional, 7 semi-professional and 16 support staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dessie
Projects in other areas:	Several towns throughout Ethiopia
Major services:	Food, education and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Food distribution to 659 male and 696 female orphans; financial support to 46 male and 75 female orphans; and educational materials, uniforms and vocational training support to 40 male and 60 female orphans
Targeting criteria:	Children aged younger than 18 years, who have lost both parents and are living in poverty in the project <i>kebeles</i> ; selected in collaboration with community-based organisations and <i>kebele</i> authorities
Funding:	International NGOs and HIV/ AIDS Prevention and Control Office

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## SOS ENFANTS ETHIOPIA – DESSIE BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Care and support to orphans and vulnerable children.
Established:	2004
Network membership:	South Wollo Child Care and Support Coalition
Staff:	6 supporting staff
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dessie and environs
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa, Awassa, Adama, Bahir Dar, Gonder and Dire Dawa
Major services:	Temporary shelter
Description of services:	Reception post providing temporary institutionalised care to 29 children (13 female) until they are transferred to the main orphanage in Addis Ababa
Targeting criteria:	Referral through Labour and Social Affairs Office and selected using family status (lost both parents), economic condition (poor) and age (under 5)
Funding:	Private international donors

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# Dire Dawa

## CHESHIRE SERVICES ETHIOPIA – DIRE DAWA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Rehabilitation of physically and mentally disabled children and youth
Established:	2002
Network membership:	Leonard Cheshire Disability UK (affiliation), CRDA and Community Based Rehabilitation (CBR) network
Staff:	2 professional, 8 semi-professional and 7 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dire Dawa
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa (head office projects), Menagesha, Awassa and Harar
Major services:	Home-based rehabilitation services; provision of walking appliances and rehabilitation aids; educational support; economic empowerment through vocational skills training and micro-scale income generating projects; community education and awareness raising activities; and psychosocial support
Description of services:	-
Targeting criteria:	Based on clinical investigation and recommendations from other partners, children are screened for support using type of disability and socio-economic conditions of parents as key criteria
Funding:	Members' contributions, local fundraising and international NGOS

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## FORUM ON STREET CHILDREN ETHIOPIA (FSCE) - DIRE DAWA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To work for the respect of the rights of street children, sexually abused and exploited children, physically abused children, children in conflict with the law, orphan and trafficked children.
Established:	1991
Network membership:	Government-NGO Forum, local community-based organisations and clubs, Child-focused Network and Regional HIV Taskforce
Staff:	7 professional, 22 semi-professional and 11 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dire Dawa, <i>kebeles</i> 02, 04 and 06
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa, Adama, Bahir Dar and Dessie
Major services:	Awareness raising, prevention and support for sexually abused and exploited children; drop-in centre; food; clothing; education, including non-formal, and vocational training; healthcare and health education; psychosocial support; and income generation
Description of services:	Day care centre, drop in centre (safe home), clothing, lodging and food for 45 girls; food expenses for 50; educational materials and uniforms to 545; healthcare and health education for 61; counselling, guidance, reunification and rehabilitation to 1,214 children, aged 11 to 18
Targeting criteria:	Based on baseline surveys and referral from other partners, income poverty, age and gender are the key criteria
Funding:	International donors

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## GOSPEL MISSION CHILDREN'S INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (GMCIDP)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Promoting the right to education through supporting y poor families to enable them send their children to school
Established:	1999
Network membership:	-
Staff:	5 semi- professional and 4 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dire Dawa, <i>kebeles</i> 02, 04 and 09
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa, Asebe Teferi
Major services:	Foster care, food and education
Description of services:	Foster care to 1 male child; financial support primarily to cover educational materials and also food for 160 children (69 female); tutoring and follow-up education support to 7 orphans (6 females); and health education on reproductive health and HIV prevention to 160 children (69 female)
Targeting criteria:	Children are referred by other partners or <i>kebeles</i> using age (5 to 14), lack of access to shelter and relative poverty of parents or guardians as key selection criteria
Funding:	International NGOs

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## HARARGHE CATHOLIC SECRETARIAT - SOCIAL AND DEVELOPMENT COORDINATION OFFICE (HCS-SDCO) – DIRE DAWA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Working to alleviate social and economic problems of communities, irrespective of religion, gender or age
Established:	1987
Network membership:	Dire Dawa town OVC Network
Staff:	2 professional, 4 semi-professional and 5 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dire Dawa, Kebele 06
Projects in other areas:	Harar and Jijiga
Major services:	Education and vocational training, healthcare, health education and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Provide educational materials, uniforms, reproductive health and HIV prevention education, counselling and guidance to 326 children aged between 7 and 18 and attending formal education; vocational training to a limited number. Each beneficiary child is entitled to a maximum period of three years of services from the organisation
Targeting criteria:	Based on recommendations of voluntary community leaders, children are selected using age, vulnerability, location (HCS project areas), and not receiving assistance from other NGOs
Funding:	International NGOs

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**JERUSALEM CHILDREN AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ORGANISATION (JECDO) - DIRE DAWA BRANCH**

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**I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	Supporting HIV/ AIDS orphans and vulnerable children to become productive citizens
Established:	2001
Network membership:	-
Staff:	5 professional, 3 semi-professional and 10 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

**II. Project information**

Project location:	Dire Dawa, Kebele 02
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa and Awassa
Major services:	Food, education and training, healthcare, and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Food and healthcare for 75 children (40 female), educational support to 1,722, and psychosocial support for 5 children (2 female)
Targeting criteria:	Children are selected with the assistance of community-based organisations using vulnerability, gender mix and age (younger than 18 years) as key criteria. Besides, people living with HIV/ AIDS, the disabled and female-headed households will be selected based on the seriousness of their poverty situation for support.
Funding:	Local and international NGOs

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**MAHAL DIRE DAWA MESERETE-KIRISTOS CHURCH CHILDREN DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (MDDMCCDP)**

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**I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	Reducing economic, social and psychological problems of children
Established:	2006
Network membership:	-
Staff:	1 professional, 3 semi-professional and 34 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

**II. Project information**

Project location:	Dire Dawa, <i>kebeles</i> 02 – 06
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Food distribution, clothing, education healthcare and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Food distribution, clothing, healthcare and health education to 252 children (115 female); educational materials and uniforms to 222 (94 female); vocational training to 30 (21 female); counselling and social guidance to 46 female children aged 3 to 9 years until they turn 22 years of age
Targeting criteria:	Through baseline surveys and referral from other partners, children are screened using extreme income poverty, loss of parents or guardians, age, <i>kebele</i> certification and church certification as key criteria
Funding:	Faith-based organisations and Compassion International

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## MASRESHA ENDENAT MA'EKEL (MEM)

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Meeting basic needs of HIV/ AIDS and other orphans so that they can become capable citizens
Established:	2000
Network membership:	-
Staff:	1 professional, 5 semi-professional and 3 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dire Dawa, all 9 <i>kebeles</i>
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Institutionalised care and day care centre
Description of services:	Institutionalised care in an orphanage for 22 children aged under 7 years and day care centre for 100 children aged 2 to 6
Targeting criteria:	Government partners and community-based organisations identify and recommend children who have lost their parents, who are vulnerable or economically poor
Funding:	Local government; local and international NGOs; contributions from founding members; and private individuals

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## ORGANISATION FOR SOCIAL SERVICES FOR AIDS (OSSA) - DIRE DAWA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Reducing the prevalence of HIV/ AIDS and providing social services to people living with HIV/ AIDS
Established:	1996
Network membership:	Dire Dawa town GO-NGO Forum
Staff	2 professional, 5 semi-professional and 6 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dire Dawa, all nine <i>kebeles</i>
Projects in other areas:	Several locations throughout Ethiopia
Major services:	Food, education and vocational training, healthcare and health education, and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Provided financial assistance to cover subsistence needs; provide educational materials and uniforms; healthcare, reproductive health and HIV prevention education; and counselling, guidance and rehabilitation to 150 children and youth (64 female), aged between 1 and 20
Targeting criteria:	Through baseline studies and reports of death of people living with HIV/ AIDS, eligible beneficiaries are screened using loss of parents and level of economic deprivation as key criteria
Funding:	International NGOs

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## PRO-PRIDE DIRE DAWA

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Improve the well-being and protection of orphans and vulnerable children and their families
Established:	1998
Network membership:	Government-NGO Forum and local community-based organisations
Staff:	9 professional, 6 semi-professional and 4 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dire Dawa City, all nine <i>kebeles</i>
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa and six towns in Eastern and Western Hararghe zones
Major services:	Education, livelihoods training, nutrition, healthcare, psychosocial, life skills training and legal protection support through a network of <i>idirs</i> , organised and overseen by Pro-Pride
Description of services:	Education materials for 4,021 children (1,895 female); tutorial classes for 711 (323 female); nutrition for 1,069 (559 female); medical care for 936 (437 female); psychosocial support for 7,986 (4,095 female) and psychosocial support for caregivers for 2,647 (1,116 female); life skills training for 790 (384 female); legal services for 16 (12 female); and vocational and skills training for 103 (46 female)
Targeting criteria:	<i>Idirs</i> identify children using loss of parents, vulnerability, gender-based violence, and OVC younger than 18 years old who lost either two or one of their parents or their parents are bedridden. If certain services are missing in one location, children can be referred to other locations where services are available
Funding:	International NGOs

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## SOS ENFANTS ETHIOPIA - DIRE DAWA BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Care and support to abandoned and orphaned children
Established:	1989
Network membership:	-
Staff:	9 supporting staff
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dire Dawa
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa, Awassa, Adama, Bahir Dar, Gonder and Dessie
Major services:	Institutionalised care, foster care and food support
Description of services:	Reception and temporary shelter in an orphanage for 11 abandoned children (5 female) aged under 4, for about one month until they are transferred to the main orphanage in Addis; foster care to 1 male child; and financial support to cover subsistence expenses to 35 children, aged between 10 and 15, until they reach the age of 18
Targeting criteria:	In consultation with local government authorities and with certification from the local police that a child is abandoned or orphaned, they apply age as the main criteria for the different services
Funding:	International donors

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## TEWABECH BEGO ADRAGOT

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Supporting orphans and vulnerable children to secure access to education
Established:	2002
Network membership:	-
Staff:	2 semi-professional and 2 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Dire Dawa, Kebele 03
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Food, clothing and education support
Description of services:	An orphanage providing institutionalised care (food, clothing, dormitories and educational support) to 15 children (9 female) aged between 9 and 18, until they complete 12th grade
Targeting criteria:	Orphans and vulnerable children identified or recommended by kebeles, schools or children themselves
Funding:	Family and friends of the founder

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# Gonder

**ASSOCIATION FOR NATIONWIDE ACTION FOR PREVENTION AND PROTECTION AGAINST CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT (ANPPCAN) – ETHIOPIA, GONDER BRANCH**

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**I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	Promote the implementation of the Convention on the Rights of the Child and protect children from abuse and neglect
Established:	1989
Network membership:	Gonder Network for the Promotion of the Convention on the Rights of the Child
Staff:	2 professional and 3 semi-professional staff
Status:	Local NGO

**II. Project information**

Project location:	Gonder
Projects in other areas:	Amhara Region- Bahir Dar, Debre Tabor, Dabat, Debark; and Addis Ababa
Major services:	Awareness and advocacy on child rights and educational support for orphans and vulnerable children
Description of services:	Promotion of child rights in schools throughout Gonder and provided educational materials to 120 children
Targeting criteria:	Based on referral from others
Funding:	International NGOs

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## AZEZO ALTERNATIVE BASIC EDUCATION AND SKILL TRAINING PROJECT – GONDER BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To see disadvantaged children in Ethiopia are cared for and protected
Established:	1994
Network membership:	CRDA and Zonal NGO Forum
Staff:	1 professional, 39 semi-professional and 12 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Four locations in Gonder
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa (head office), Arada and Gullele Sub-Cities
Major services:	Alternative basic education and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Alternative basic education for 3,594 children (1,871 female) and recreation and leisure for 161 children, life skill trainings (including embroidery, cosmetology, and local weaving) for 28 children (22 female)
Targeting criteria:	In collaboration with <i>kebeles</i> and community elders, children are screened according to the following criteria: family status (orphan, large family with income less than 100 Birr per month, or pensioners); location (in project <i>kebeles</i> ) and special considerations (child-headed households)
Funding:	International donors

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## BRIDGE TO ISRAEL

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To develop sustainable integrated programme targeting OVC as well as critical community issue particularly HIV/AIDS
Established:	2001
Network membership:	Zonal NGO-Government Forum
Staff:	3 professional, 10 semi-professional and 20 supporting staff
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Gonder
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Institutionalised support
Description of services:	Provide institutionalised care to 120 children (60 female), including food, clothing, healthcare, education and other necessary support
Targeting criteria:	Orphans below the age of 10 and children without relatives are selected through the Office of Labour and Social Affairs
Funding:	International donors

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## COMMUNITA VOLTARI PERILMONDO (CVM) – GONDER BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Contribute towards establishing a society free of poverty and HIV/ AIDS
Established:	1978
Network membership:	Zonal HIV/ AIDS Forum
Staff:	5 professional, 3 semi-professionals and 1 supporting staff
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Gonder
Projects in other areas:	Several places in Ethiopia
Major services:	Financial support, education and vocational training, clothing, healthcare and health education, and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Provide financial support to cover house rent, clothing and food for 60 children (25 female) and educational materials support to 250 female children and counselling service to 110 children (25 female)
Targeting criteria:	Reports of <i>Weredas</i> and partners that verify the vulnerability of the children in terms of poverty and HIV/ AIDS; priority is given to girls
Funding:	International donors

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**ETHIOPIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH - CHILDREN AND FAMILY AFFAIRS ORGANISATION (EOC-CFAO),  
HAWARIAW PAULOS HITSANAT MERJA MA'EKEL**

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**I. Organisational information**

Aim and purpose:	To support orphans and vulnerable children and children without guardians to become self-reliant
Established:	1980
Network membership:	Gonder town NGO Forum
Staff:	1 professional, 4 semi-professional and 4 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

**II. Project information**

Project location:	Gonder
Projects in other areas:	Bahir Dar, Debre Tabor and others under EOC
Major services:	Financial support, education and vocational training, clothing, healthcare and health education, and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Provide financial support for food and shelter, clothing, counselling and family reunification for 204 children (87 female); educational materials and uniforms for 34 children (11 female); institutionalised care facility closed two years ago
Targeting criteria:	Age (under 18), poverty (vulnerable), family status (double orphan) and health (physically able-bodied)
Funding:	Development Inter Church Aid Commission (DICAC)

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## KIDUS RUFANEL BOARDING SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Provide institutionalised care for blind children
Established:	2000
Network membership:	-
Staff:	1 professional, 11 semi-professional and 13 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Gonder
Projects in other areas:	-
Major services:	Institutionalised care and education
Description of services:	Provide institutionalised care, including shelter, food, clothing, healthcare and counselling, and educational support to 79 children (36 female)
Targeting criteria:	Children between the ages of 8 and 10 and completely blind
Funding:	International private donors

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## ORGANISATION FOR SOCIAL SERVICE FOR HIV/AIDS ASSOCIATION (OSSA) – GONDER BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	Care and support to people living with HIV/ AIDS and orphans and vulnerable children
Established:	-
Network membership:	-
Staff:	7 professional, 16 semi-professional and 10 supporting staff
Status:	Local NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Gonder
Projects in other areas:	Throughout Ethiopia
Major services:	Financial support, education and vocational training, clothing, healthcare and health education, and psychosocial support
Description of services:	Sustenance expenses for 1,481 children (756 female); educational and vocational training expenses for 4,106 (2,066 female); legal counselling and support for income generating activities for 2,005 (902 female); healthcare, including medicine, counselling, health education, life skills training, rehabilitation, guidance, reunification, and leisure and entertainment activities for 4,249 (2,146 female)
Targeting criteria:	In collaboration with community-based organisations and through house-to-house visits, children are screened and selected for support using the following criteria: age (under 18), poverty (vulnerable) and family status (lost one or both parents)
Funding:	International and national donors and NGOs

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## SOS ENFANTS ETHIOPIA – GONDER BRANCH

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### I. Organisational information

Aim and purpose:	To foster abandoned children
Established:	1989
Network membership:	Zonal NGO Forum
Staff:	2 semi-professional and 4 supporting staff
Status:	International NGO

### II. Project information

Project location:	Gonder, Kebele 18
Projects in other areas:	Addis Ababa, Awassa, Adama, Bahir Dar, Dessie and Dire Dawa
Major services:	Temporary safe home for accepting abandoned children
Description of services:	Temporary safe home and clothing for 88 children (57 female) and food expenses for 10 children (4 female)
Targeting criteria:	Referral from the police, hospitals or local authorities based on the following criteria: orphans, abandoned children, children from bed-ridden families, and aged under 5 years
Funding:	International donors and NGOs

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