Protection against Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (PSEA)

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Actions to be taken by different Grouping in Preventing SEA

Policy makers/Duty Bearers
- Create and implement a comprehensive national plan of action.
- Raise public awareness and run educational campaigns on SEA.
- Set up official monitoring mechanism.
- Ensure a culture of gender equality is fostered in everyday among females and males.
- Collect and analyze data on the incidence and impact of SEA in communities.
- Train personnel on all the aspects of responding to incidents of SEA.
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**Community members**

- Provide opportunities for economic empowerment of women and girls to reduce their vulnerability.
- Take actions to curb SEA in the communities but developing practical measurers – by laws.
- Support organizations and individuals implementing interventions to address SEA.
- Challenge harmful masculine norms that encourage violence against women and girls.
- Advocate for enactment and enforcement of laws to protect community members.
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**Women leaders**
- Women to be at the forefront of capacity building initiatives and awareness raising campaigns.
- Uphold and promote a culture of gender equality
- Mobilize community and engage a cross section of community members on SEA.
- Promote a culture of justice and support for victims of violence.
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PWD’s

- Engagement with the disability community and disability organisations when planning and designing programmes aimed at reducing the risk to SEA
- Alternatives to in-person communication on SEA are used where necessary, i.e. posters, flyers, radio, braille, texts, and social media.
- Safe and accessible pathways to report on sexual exploitation and abuse are available, through channels preferred by PWD’s
- Use of disability role models to act as peer to peer demonstrators within the disability community through which safe behaviours are cascaded
Recommendations for actioning

- Ensuring that survivors have access to assistance
- Raise awareness to all the member on how to go about reporting the incidences of SEA
- More sensitization on the consequences of sexual exploitation and abuse
Plenary

- Is enough being done to curb SEA
- What else can be done to address SEA