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ADRA exists to serve humanity so that all may live as God intended.

Justice
Compassion
Love

OUR VALUES

Connected: We work together to create lasting change.
Courageous: We act boldly to overcome challenges.
Compassionate: We serve with empathy, dignity, and care.



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Who We Are

ADRA Kenya is a development and humanitarian organization dedicated to improving the lives of vulnerable communities through sustainable development, resilience building, and humanitarian action. As the official humanitarian and development agency of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Kenya, we are guided by Christian values of compassion, justice, stewardship, and service, working with all people regardless of religion, ethnicity, gender, age, or background.

Since 1993, ADRA Kenya has partnered with communities, government institutions, civil society organizations, development partners, faith-based organizations, and the private sector to address poverty, food insecurity, poor health outcomes, inequality, and the impacts of climate change. Our work focuses on climate resilience, health systems strengthening, food security, environmental restoration, women's and girls' empowerment, education, sustainable livelihoods, and emergency response.

ADRA Kenya is part of the global Adventist Development and Relief Agency (ADRA) Network, one of the world's largest faith-based humanitarian and development networks, serving communities in more than 120 countries.

By combining local knowledge, trusted partnerships, faith-inspired service, and global experience, we help communities build resilience, create opportunities, and improve their well-being for generations to come.

ADRA is present in over *120* countries globally

In Kenya we have been changing lives for over *30 years*

We are headquartered in *Nairobi*

& with *7* field offices across five Counties

Our work is grounded in:

Justice – We advocate for fairness, equity, and the protection of human dignity.
Compassion – We respond to human suffering with empathy, care, and action.
Love – We demonstrate God's love through service, partnership, and respect for all people.






Nurse Next Door





Country Director's Message



Building Resilience. Strengthening Communities. Creating Lasting Change.

The year 2025 was defined by resilience, partnership, and hope. Across Kenya, many communities continued to face difficult circumstances brought about by climate change, economic pressures, food insecurity, and health challenges. Yet wherever we worked, we witnessed something remarkable: people refusing to give up, communities coming together, and local leaders stepping forward to create solutions for a better future.

Throughout the year, ADRA Kenya worked alongside communities to improve health and wellbeing, strengthen livelihoods, support women and girls, expand educational opportunities, and help families build resilience in the face of growing uncertainty. From Turkana and Kitui to Siaya, Mandera, Makueni, and beyond, we saw individuals and communities taking ownership of their development journey and creating positive change that will continue for years to come.

One of the most encouraging aspects of our work was seeing communities embrace practical solutions that improved food security, restored the environment, strengthened household incomes, and increased resilience to climate-related challenges. At the same time, our health and empowerment initiatives helped expand access to essential services, strengthen local systems, and create new opportunities for women, young people, and vulnerable households.

These achievements were made possible through the trust and collaboration of our donors, partners, government institutions, churches, community leaders, volunteers, and the communities themselves. We are deeply grateful for your support and shared commitment to improving lives. Together, we have demonstrated that lasting change is possible when people are empowered, partnerships are strong, and communities are placed at the center of development.

As we look ahead, we remain inspired by the resilience and determination of the communities we serve. ADRA Kenya will continue working with partners and communities to create opportunities, strengthen resilience, and build a future where every person can live with dignity, hope, and the chance to reach their full potential.

Nitin Pappachen
Country Director, ADRA Kenya

2025 At a Glance

Transforming Lives Through Health, Climate Resilience, Education and Community Development

295,546	11	11+	6
PEOPLE REACHED	ACTIVE PROJECTS	DONORS & PARTNERS	PROGRAMME THEMES

FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

ACTIVE PORTFOLIO VALUE
KES 2.66 Billion
USD 20.62 Million

2025 EXPENDITURE
KES 341.7 Million
USD 2.65 Million

STRATEGIC INVESTMENT AREAS

HEALTH SYSTEMS & SRHR
TOGETHER | STRONGER | CGPP |SAFE-T

CLIMATE RESILIENCE
Nature+ | GENZERO

FOOD SECURITY & LIVELIHOODS
SCALE | Nature+

WWOMEN, GIRLS & YOUTH EMPOWERMENT
WISER | NWEP| Mainstreamed Across All Projects

EDUCATION
CESaD II

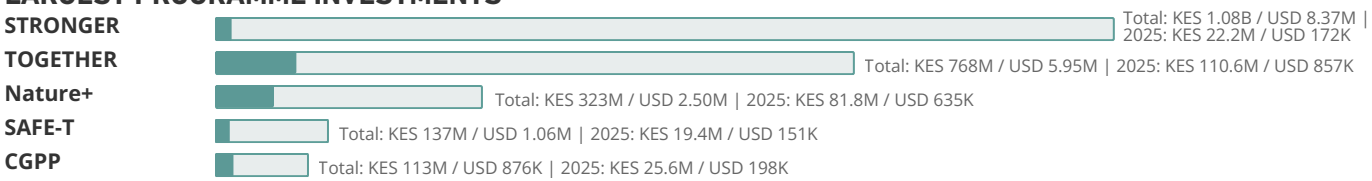
HUMANITARIAN RESPONSE
Emergency Response Projects

HOW RESOURCES WERE INVESTED

KES 341.7 Million Invested in 2025



LARGEST PROGRAMME INVESTMENTS



STRATEGIC FUNDING PARTNERS

Global Affairs Canada
ADRA Australia
World Vision
Canadian Foodgrains Bank
ADRA Poland
Core Group/ADRA International
USAID
IDRC
Seventh-day Adventist Church
ADRA Canada
Global EverGreening Alliance

Working together to strengthen resilience, improve health outcomes, empower communities and create lasting change.

OUR IMPACT

In 2025, ADRA Kenya reached 295,546 people through integrated health, climate resilience, food security, education, gender equality and humanitarian programmes.

Our Community-Led Programming Approach | Communities identify priorities, shape solutions, monitor progress, and drive sustainable development.

At ADRA Kenya, we believe that sustainable and lasting change is best achieved when communities are empowered to lead their own development. Our Community-Led Programming Approach places communities at the center of decision-making, ensuring that interventions are responsive to local priorities, contextually appropriate, and sustainable. We recognize that every community is unique. As such, we work closely with community members, local leaders, government institutions, faith-based organizations, research institutions, and development partners to understand local realities, identify opportunities, and co-create solutions that address the challenges communities face. Through inclusive and participatory processes, communities actively contribute to programme design, implementation, monitoring, learning, and adaptation.



Working with communities to create resilient, inclusive and sustainable futures. | ADRA Kenya | Serving Humanity So All May Live As God Intended.

Gender Transformative and Inclusive Programming

Promoting equitable participation, shared decision-making, positive social norms, women's leadership, youth engagement, and inclusion of marginalized groups.

Where We Work

STRONGER | Turkana
Duration: 2024-2030
Value: USD 7.92M
Donor: GAC / ADRA Canada
Total Target : **57,143** women, men, girls, boys

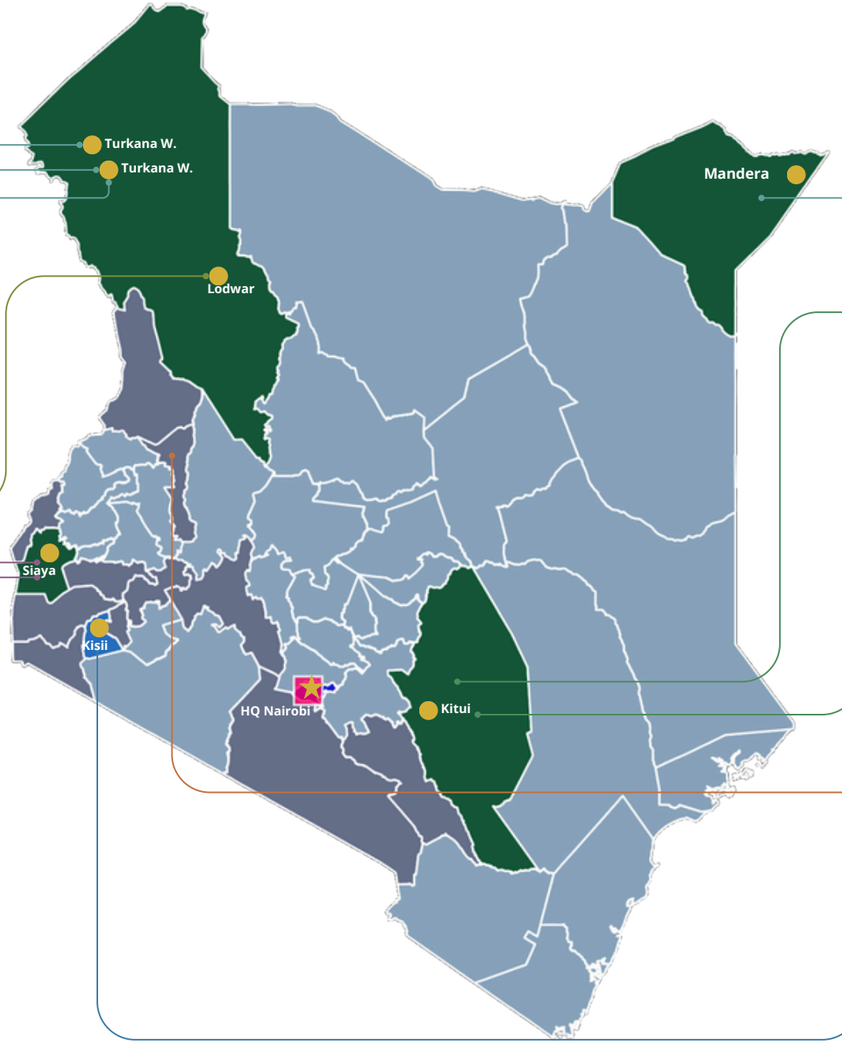
TOGETHER | Turkana
Duration: 2020-2026
Value: USD 5.77M
Donor: GAC / ADRA Canada
Total Target : **24,000** women, men, girls, boys

SAFE-T | Turkana
Duration: 2025-2027
Value: USD 503K
Donor: IDRC / ADRA Canada
Total Target : **24,000** women, men, girls, boys

SCALE | Turkana
Duration: 2024-2027
Value: USD 820K
Donor: CFGB / ADRA Canada
Total Target : **12,000** women, men, girls, boys

WISER | Siaya
Duration: Ongoing
Value: USD 468K
Donor: ADRA Australia
Total Target : **1,533 women, children**

NWEP | Siaya
Duration: Ongoing
Value: USD 298K
Donor: ADRA Australia
Total Target : **475** women, children



CGPP | Mandera
Duration: Ongoing
Value: USD 1.76M
Donor: USAID / Core Group
Total Target : **262,799** children

Nature+ | Kitui
Duration: 2023-2028
Value: USD 2.01M
Donor: CFGB / ADRA Canada
Total Target : **15,000** women, men, girls, boy

GENZERO | Kitui
Duration: 2021-2026
Value: USD 558K
Donor: GEA / CIFOR-ICRAF
Total Target : **12,000** women, men, girls, boy

NEMP | Elgeyo-Marakwet
Duration: 2025
Value: USD 25K
Donor: ADRA Network / SDA Church
Total Target : **756** affected families

CESaD II | Kisii (Countrywide)
Duration: Ongoing
Value: USD 503K
Donor: ADRA Poland / SDA Church
Total Target : **300** learners

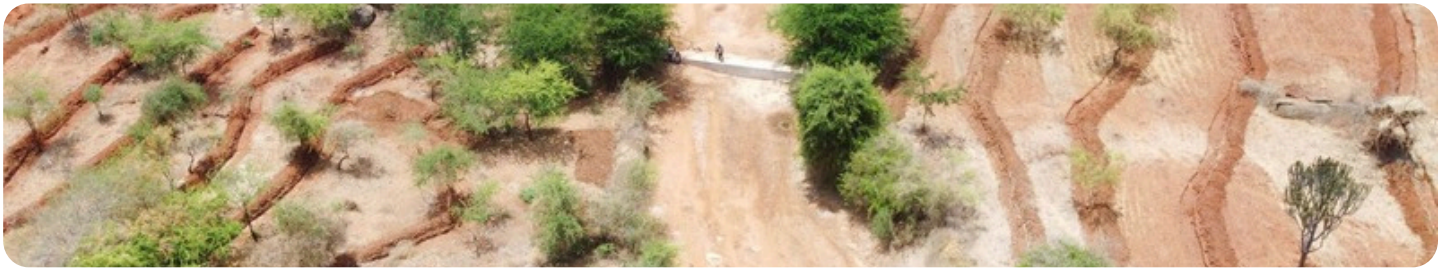
ADRA KENYA OFFICES

★ National Office: Nairobi ● Field Offices: Kitui | Mandera Town | Turkana West (x2) | Lodwar | Siaya | Kisii

Health Systems & SRHR | Climate Resilience | Food Security & Livelihoods | Women's Empowerment | Education | Humanitarian Response

Climate Resilience

Building resilient communities through sustainable livelihoods, environmental stewardship, and climate adaptation.



Communities across Kenya continue to face the growing impacts of climate change, including prolonged droughts, erratic rainfall, environmental degradation, and declining agricultural productivity. These challenges threaten food security, livelihoods, and household resilience, particularly in arid and semi-arid areas.

In 2025, with support from **Canadian Foodgrains Bank, ADRA Canada, the Global EverGreening Alliance**, and other partners, ADRA Kenya supported communities in Turkana and Kitui Counties through the **Nature+, SCALE, and GENZERO** projects. Together, these initiatives represented an active portfolio of approximately USD 3.39 million (KES 395 million) and reached 24,124 women, men, girls, and boys.

Our climate resilience programming promoted climate-smart agriculture, Nature-based Solutions (NbS), ecosystem restoration, sustainable livelihoods, carbon sequestration, and resilience to climate-related shocks. Communities **restored over 3,000 hectares of land, planted more than 54,000 trees, constructed 148 kilometres of soil and water conservation structures**, and strengthened local institutions to participate in community-led carbon initiatives that support environmental restoration, carbon benefit sharing, and sustainable livelihoods.

Across all interventions, ADRA Kenya integrated gender-transformative approaches that strengthened the leadership and agency of women and girls, engaged men and boys as allies, and promoted more inclusive decision-making in households, communities, and natural resource management systems.

Working with communities to build resilience and create sustainable futures.

Climate Resilience at a Glance

Portfolio Value

USD 3.39 Million
KES 395 Million

Counties

Kitui | Turkana

Projects

Nature+ | SCALE| GENZERO

Featured Impact

3,040 Hectares Restored
54,000+ Trees Planted
148 km Soil & Water Structures
24,124 People Reached
Community Carbon Initiatives

Key Focus Areas

✓ Nature-based solutions (NbS)
✓ Climate-Smart Agriculture
✓ Farmer Managed Natural Regeneration (FMNR)
✓ Ecosystem Restoration
✓ Food Security
✓ Sustainable Livelihoods
✓ Community-Led Resilience
✓ Gender-Transformative Programming

Restoring Land, Restoring Livelihoods

When Kyeni Kya Munandani Group was formed in Kitui County in 2020, members came together primarily to support one another through table banking and savings. Although they once attempted to establish a tree nursery, the effort failed, leaving many uncertain about trying again.

Everything changed when members participated in training through the Nature+ Project implemented by ADRA Kenya. Equipped with new knowledge in environmental conservation, tree growing, and sustainable livelihoods, the group decided to give the nursery another chance. With support from local leaders, they secured a small piece of land and invested their own savings, labour, and determination into the initiative.

What began as a modest effort quickly grew into a thriving community enterprise. By mid-2024, the group had established a nursery with more than 7,000 seedlings. During the planting season, they sold thousands of seedlings, generating income that strengthened their Village Savings and Loan Association (VSLA), supported household needs, and created new economic opportunities for members.

Beyond income generation, the initiative contributed to environmental restoration and community stewardship. The group donated seedlings to schools, churches, and public spaces, helping to restore degraded landscapes while promoting a culture of conservation.

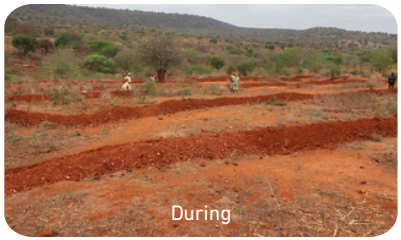
Today, Kyeni Kya Munandani is recognized as a model of community-led climate action. What started as a savings group has evolved into a successful environmental enterprise, demonstrating how local leadership, knowledge, and collective action can transform both livelihoods and landscapes.

"We never imagined that growing trees could change our lives. Today, we are restoring our environment, earning income, and inspiring other communities to do the same."
Member, Kyeni Kya Munandani Group, Kitui County

Story Credit: ADRA Kenya Nature+ Project Team
Photo Credit: ADRA Kenya









From Seedlings to Sustainability — Community-Led Climate Action in Action



Health Systems Strengthening

Strengthening community health systems and improving access to quality healthcare for vulnerable populations.

At a Glance

Portfolio Value

USD 14.8 Million

KES 2.03 Billion

Counties

Turkana | Mandera

Projects

STRONGER | TOGETHER | CGPP | SAFE-T

Featured Impact

262,799 People Reached
8,634 Children Vaccinated
42,000+ Children Screened
137 Outreach Sessions Conducted
23 Healthcare Workers Trained
37 Community Health Promoters Trained

Key Focus Areas

+ Community Health Systems
+ Maternal & Child Health
+ Sexual & Reproductive Health
+ Immunization
+ Disease Prevention
+ Community Health Promotion
+ Gender Equality & Inclusion

Access to quality healthcare remains a challenge for many communities in Kenya, particularly in underserved and hard-to-reach areas where limited health infrastructure, workforce shortages, and social barriers continue to affect health outcomes. Women, children, adolescents, and vulnerable populations often face the greatest challenges in accessing essential health services.

In 2025, with support from **Global Affairs Canada, ADRA Canada, IDRC, Moi University, USAID, World Vision, ADRA International, Core Group**, and other partners, ADRA Kenya continued strengthening health systems and improving access to healthcare through the **STRONGER, TOGETHER, SAFE-T, and Core Group Polio Project (CGPP)**. Together, these initiatives represented an active portfolio of approximately **USD 14.8 million (KES 2.03 billion)** and reached more than **300,000** women, men, girls, and boys across Turkana and Mandera Counties.

Our health programming focused on strengthening community health systems, improving maternal, newborn, child, and adolescent health outcomes, supporting immunization services, advancing sexual and reproductive health and rights, preventing child marriage, and enhancing community participation in health promotion and disease prevention. In Mandera alone, CGPP supported **137 outreach immunization sessions**, reached **8,634 children with life-saving vaccine**s, and screened over **42,000 children through community-based disease surveillance** systems. In Turkana, STRONGER trained **23 healthcare workers** and **37 Community Health Promoters**, while TOGETHER and SAFE-T advanced health rights, protection, and access to essential services for women, girls, and adolescents. Through community-led approaches, Community Health Promoters, health facility teams, local leaders, women, men, and youth played an active role in identifying health priorities, promoting healthy behaviours, and strengthening links between communities and health systems.

Across all interventions, ADRA Kenya integrated gender-transformative approaches that promoted equitable access to health services, strengthened the voice and agency of women and girls, engaged men and boys as partners in improving family health, and supported more inclusive and responsive community health systems.

Health Systems Strengthening in Action

Behind every statistic is a story of resilience, hope, and transformation.



A Shared Journey to Healthier Futures

For years, Palal Ekadeli, a mother of four from Turkana West, faced the daily challenge of providing nutritious meals for her family. Frequent droughts, limited access to water, and the high cost of vegetables meant that a healthy and balanced diet was often difficult to achieve. Like many parents in the region, she worried about the well-being and future of her children.

Her family's journey began to change when she joined the TOGETHER Project and participated in Learning Through Play sessions designed to support parents and caregivers in promoting child health and development. The training encouraged shared caregiving, positive parenting, and stronger family relationships. Together with her husband, Palal also established a kitchen garden where they now grow vegetables that improve household nutrition and provide additional income through the sale of surplus produce.

Today, Palal's family enjoys healthier meals, stronger relationships, and renewed hope for the future.

"My husband and I attended the sessions together. Now he understands that caregiving is a shared role. He helps feed, carry, and play with the children."

-- Palal Ekadeli, TOGETHER Project Participant

Story Credit: ADRA Kenya TOGETHER Project Team
Photo Credit: ADRA Kenya

+ Shared Parenting
+ Improved Nutrition
+ Kitchen Gardening
+ Child Development

TOGETHER Project | Turkana West Sub-County



No Child Left Behind

In the drought-affected settlements of Mandera County, many families struggle to access essential healthcare services. Long distances to health facilities and frequent migration in search of water and pasture often result in children missing routine vaccinations, leaving them vulnerable to preventable diseases. For mothers like Fatuma Mohamed, ensuring her children received timely immunization was a constant challenge.

Through the Core Group Partners Project (CGPP), ADRA Kenya trained community mobilizers to trace children who had missed vaccinations and connect families with immunization services. Through door-to-door visits and community outreach, these volunteers helped ensure that children in remote communities were not left behind.

Today, more children are receiving life-saving vaccines, strengthening community health and protecting vulnerable families.

"When the community mobilizer came to my home, I felt cared for. My child has now received all vaccines because of the frequent visits and reminders."

-- Fatuma Mohamed, Elram Village, Mandera County

Story Credit: ADRA Kenya Core Group Partners Project (CGPP) Team
Photo Credit: ADRA Kenya

+ Immunization Access
+ Mobile Outreach
+ Child Protection
+ Community Mobilization

Core Group Partners Project (CGPP) | Mandera County

Building Healthier and More Resilient Communities

Through community-led health systems strengthening, ADRA Kenya is improving access to essential healthcare, supporting healthier families, and ensuring that women, men, girls, and boys can live healthier and more productive lives.

Women, Girls & Youth Empowerment

Promoting gender equality, strengthening women's leadership, and creating opportunities for women and girls to thrive.



Women and girls continue to face barriers that limit access to education, economic opportunities, leadership, and decision-making. In 2025, with support from **ADRA Australia**, ADRA Kenya continued promoting women's empowerment through the **Women Initiative Supporting Education and Economic Resilience (WISER)** and **Nyalgunga Women's Empowerment Project (NWEP)** in Siaya County, while advancing gender equality **across all 11 active projects**.

Key achievements included reaching **875 women, girls, and youth** through dedicated empowerment initiatives and more than **300,000 people** through gender-responsive programming. Additional achievements included the **completion of Pam Clifford Junior Academy**, a women-led community school supporting vulnerable children, strengthening women-led Village Savings and Loan Associations (VSLAs), **training 30 women in business planning**, supporting **30 women-led households with farm inputs**, and strengthening leadership and financial management skills among women leaders.

Through community-led approaches, women strengthened their confidence and economic resilience while playing a greater role in household and community decision-making, contributing to stronger families and more inclusive communities.





Women, Girls & Youth Empowermen at a Glance

Projects
WISER
Nyalgunga Women's Empowerment Project (NWEP)
Integrated and Mainstreamed Across All Projects

Counties Reached
Siaya | Turkana | Kitu | Mandera

Featured Impact

- Gender Equality & Social Inclusion Integrated Across All 11 Projects
- **300,000+** Women, Men, Girls & Boys Reached Through Gender-Responsive Programming
- **875** Women, Girls & Youth Directly Reached Through WISER and NWEP
- **30** Women Trained in Business Planning & Entrepreneurship
- **30** Women-Led Households Supported with Agricultural Inputs
- Women-Led Savings Groups & Livelihood Initiatives Strengthened
- Girls Supported Through Education, Health, Protection & Leadership Programmes
- Women Leaders Trained in Governance & Financial Management

Key Focus Areas
+ Women's Leadership
+ Gender Equality
+ Economic Empowerment
+ Education & Life Skills
+ Community Participation
+ Gender-Transformative Programming

"When women and girls are empowered to lead, entire communities become stronger, more resilient, and better prepared for the future."

Women, Girls & Youth Empowerment in Action

A story of resilience, compassion, and the power of community support.



Mary Atieno Oduor at her home in Nyalgunga Village, Siaya County.

> "The group has changed my life. I can now save, borrow for school fees, and provide for the children who depend on me."
>
> — Mary Atieno Oduor

Mary's Journey

+ 66-Year-Old Widow
+ Raised 19 Orphaned Children
+ Improved Farm Production
+ Access to VSLA Savings & Loans
+ Supporting Children's Education
+ Community Role Model







Nineteen Children, One Extraordinary Mother

A Mother's Heart, A Community's Strength

Mary Atieno Oduor never had children of her own, yet she has spent much of her life caring for children who had nowhere else to turn. A 66-year-old widow living with a disability in Nyalgunga Village, Siaya County, Mary was denied the opportunity to complete her education because her family did not consider educating girls a priority. Despite these challenges, she chose a life of service and compassion, opening her home to orphaned children left behind after the loss of their parents. Over the years, she has raised a total of 19 children and continues to care for eight children today, ensuring they have food, education, and hope for the future.

Through the Nyalgunga Women Community Development Project (NYALWOCODEP), Mary joined a Village Savings and Loan Association (VSLA), accessed training on child protection and parenting, and received certified seeds and fertilizers to improve her farming activities. These opportunities helped increase her harvests, strengthen household food security, and provide a reliable source of support for the children under her care. She can now access loans to pay school fees and meet essential household needs when challenges arise.

Today, Mary's story is a powerful testament to resilience, compassion, and the transformative impact of investing in women. By empowering one woman, countless children have gained the opportunity to learn, grow, and build a brighter future.

"The group has changed my life. I can now save, borrow for school fees, and provide for the children who depend on me."

Mary Atieno Oduor, NYALWOCODEP Participant, Siaya County

Story Credit: ADRA Kenya NYALWOCODEP Project Team
Photo Credit: ADRA Kenya

Education & Child Development



Expanding opportunities for children and young people to learn, thrive, and achieve their full potential.

Education & Child Development

Education is one of the most powerful tools for breaking cycles of poverty and creating opportunities for children and young people to reach their full potential. Yet many children in vulnerable communities continue to face barriers to learning due to poverty, limited resources, and challenging social and economic circumstances.

In 2025, with support from **ADRA Australia, ADRA Poland, the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Kenya**, and other partners, ADRA Kenya continued supporting children, youth, families, and communities through the **Child Education Support and Development (CESaD) Project** and the **Nyalgunga Women's Empowerment Project (NWEP)**. Together, these initiatives reached **over 1,000 children, youth**, and community members while strengthening education, child protection, and community support systems.

Through **CESaD**, **over 300 vulnerable children** received educational support and improved opportunities to learn and thrive. Through **NWEP**, ADRA Kenya completed **Pam Clifford Junior Academy (PCJA),** a community-owned school established by the Nyalgunga Widows Group, while strengthening child protection, safeguarding awareness, and parental engagement in children's education.

By investing in children, families, schools, and communities, ADRA Kenya continued contributing to brighter futures and stronger communities.

"Every child deserves the opportunity to learn, grow, and realize their full potential."

Education & Child Development at a Glance

Projects
CESaD | NWEP

Geographic Reach
CESaD - Nationwide | NWEP - Siaya County

CeSaD & NWEP Portfolio
CESaD: Value USD 150,000
CESaD Donor: ADRA Poland
NWEP Value: USD 298,000
NWEP Donor: ADRA Australia
Status: Ongoing

Featured Impact
CESaD Participants: 300+
NWEP Participants: 475
National Reach (CESaD)
Community-Owned Learning-PCJA
Infrastructure Strengthened

Key Focus Areas
✓ Access to Education
✓ Child Protection
✓ Learning Support
✓ Positive Parenting
✓ Adolescent Development
✓ Community Participation
✓ Gender Equality & Inclusion

Humanitarian Response

Responding to crises, restoring dignity, and supporting communities on their journey to recovery.



Humanitarian crises continue to affect vulnerable communities across Kenya, driven by climate-related disasters, displacement, disease outbreaks, and other shocks that threaten lives, livelihoods, and well-being. Women, children, older persons, and persons with disabilities are often the hardest hit, underscoring the need for timely, inclusive, and accountable humanitarian action.

In 2025, with support from **ADRA International, ADRA Africa, and the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Kenya** through the National Emergency Management Plan **(NEMP)** mechanism, ADRA Kenya responded to the **Elgeyo-Marakwet Landslide and Floods**. Working closely with county authorities, local leaders, and affected communities, ADRA Kenya provided multi-purpose mobile cash assistance and early recovery support to **756 women, men, girls, and boy**s from **166 disaster-affected households.**

Our response focused on helping affected families meet urgent needs, restore dignity, and begin recovery. Through community-led approaches, households participated in needs identification, targeting, and feedback processes, ensuring that assistance remained relevant, inclusive, and responsive to local priorities.

By combining emergency cash assistance with recovery efforts, ADRA Kenya helped communities regain stability, restore hope, and strengthen their resilience to future shocks.

> *"Humanitarian action is not only about responding to crises; it is about helping communities recover, rebuild, and move forward with dignity and hope."*

Humanitarian Response at a Glance

Project
Elgeyo-Marakwet Landslide
& Flood Response

People Reached
756 Women, Men, Girls & Boys

Households Supported
166 Households

Emergency Assistance
KES 2.04 Million Distributed

Key Interventions
Multi-Purpose Cash Transfers
Emergency Relief Support
Early Recovery Assistance

Strategic Focus
Saving Lives
Restoring Dignity
Supporting Recovery
Building Resilience







Lessons Learned & Adaptation

Continuous learning helps us strengthen community-led solutions, improve programme quality, and increase long-term impact.

What We Learned in 2025

👥 Communities Drive Sustainable Change

Programs achieved stronger results when communities actively participated in planning, implementation, and decision-making.

🔗 Integrated Approaches Deliver Greater Impact

Combining health, climate resilience, education, livelihoods, and gender equality addressed multiple drivers of vulnerability.

⚖️ Gender Equality Strengthens Outcomes

Gender-transformative approaches promoted inclusion, strengthened leadership, and improved decision-making.

🌱 Adaptation Builds Resilience

Continuous learning and community feedback enabled programmes to remain responsive to changing needs.

🤝 Partnerships Improve Sustainability

Collaboration with communities, government, donors, and local partners increased programme effectiveness.

Strengthening Impact Through Learning and Innovation

Every programme, partnership, and community engagement presents an opportunity to learn, improve, and create greater impact. Throughout 2025, ADRA Kenya continued to strengthen programme delivery through continuous engagement with communities, partners, and stakeholders, using experience and evidence to refine approaches and enhance outcomes.

We learned that community-led and integrated approaches deliver stronger and more sustainable results. When women, men, girls, and boys actively participate in shaping solutions and driving implementation, programmes are better positioned to address complex challenges, strengthen resilience, and create opportunities for lasting positive change.

The year also reinforced the importance of flexibility, innovation, and continuous improvement in responding to evolving community needs, climate-related shocks, and humanitarian crises. Through active listening, community feedback, evidence-based decision-making, and strong partnerships, ADRA Kenya continued enhancing programme quality, relevance, and impact.

These lessons will continue to guide our work as we strengthen community leadership, deepen partnerships, embrace innovation, and invest in sustainable solutions that improve lives, build resilience, and create lasting opportunities for individuals, families, and communities across Kenya.

Summary of Our Projects

HEALTH SYSTEMS STRENGTHENING

PROJECT NAME & PERIOD	DONORS & PARTNERS	PROJECT BUDGET (KES)	TOTAL BENEFICIARIES
STRONGER Resilient Health System for SRHR **(STRONGER)** (2025–2032)	Global Affairs Canada, ADRA Canada, Ministry of Health, County Governments	1.08 Billion	Direct: 57,143 Indirect: 114,286*
Uniting TOwards Gender Equality for Enjoyment of Women's and Girls' Total Health and Rights **(TOGETHER)** (2021–2027)	Global Affairs Canada, ADRA Canada, County Governments	768 Million	Direct: 24,000 Indirect: 48,000*
Core Group Partners Project **(CGPP)** (2017–2026)	USAID, World Vision, Core Group, ADRAInternational and Ministry of Health	113 Million	Direct: 24,000 Indirect: 48,000*
SAFE-TURKANA (**SAFE-T**) (2025–2028)	IDRC, ADRA Canada and Local Partners	137 Million	Direct: 24,000 Indirect: 48,000*

CLIMATE RESILIENCE & SUSTAINABLE LIVELIHOODS

PROJECT NAME & PERIOD	DONORS & PARTNERS	PROJECT BUDGET (KES)	TOTAL BENEFICIARIES
Sustaining Community Actions for Livelihood Enhancement (**SCALE**) (2024–2027)	Canadian Foodgrains Bank, ADRA Canada and Community Partners	77 Million	Direct: 9,000 Indirect: 18,000*
Nature Positive Food Systems for Climate Change Adaptation Project (**Nature+**) (2023–2026)	Canadian Foodgrains Bank, ADRA Canada and Nature+ Consortium Partners	323 Million	Direct: 15,000 Indirect:30,000*
GENZERO (Temasek) – GEA Restoring Trees and Livelihoods in Kenya (**GENZERO**) (2021–2026)	Global EverGreening Alliance, CIFOR-ICRAF and Local Partners	39 Million	Direct: 15,000 Indirect: 30,000*

WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT & GENDER EQUALITY

PROJECT NAME & PERIOD	DONORS & PARTNERS	PROJECT BUDGET (KES)	TOTAL BENEFICIARIES
Women Initiative Supporting Education and Economic Resilience Project (**WISER**) (2025–2028)	ADRA Australia and Community Partners	19 Million	Direct: 400 Indirect: 1,600*
Nyalgunga Women's Empowerment Project (**NWEP**) (2022–2025)	ADRA Australia and Community Partners	38 Million	Direct: 400 Indirect: 1,600*

EDUCATION & CHILD DEVELOPMENT

PROJECT NAME & PERIOD	DONORS & PARTNERS	PROJECT BUDGET (KES)	TOTAL BENEFICIARIES
Child Education and Support Development Project **(CESaD)** (2017–2026)	ADRA Poland, Seventh-day Adventist Church and Sponsors	65 Million	Direct: 300 Indirect: 1,200*

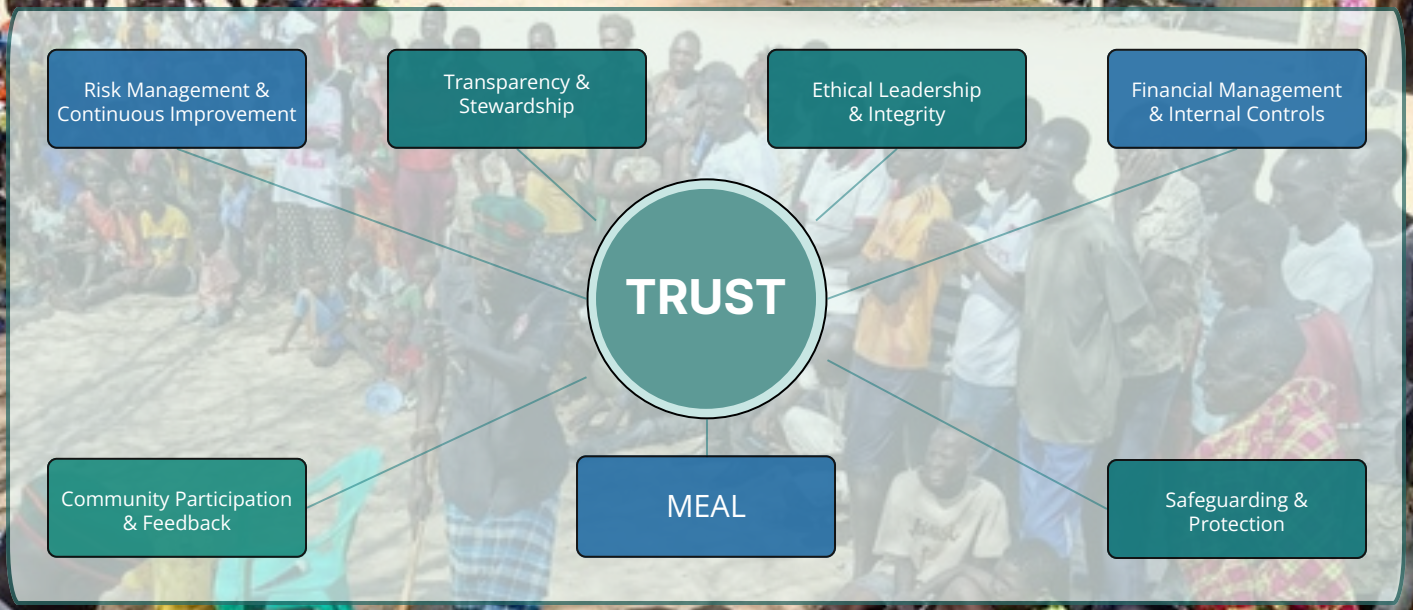
HUMANITARIAN RESPONSE

PROJECT NAME & PERIOD	DONORS & PARTNERS	PROJECT BUDGET (KES)	TOTAL BENEFICIARIES
Elgeyo-Marakwet Landslide and Flood Response (2025)	ADRA International, ADRA Africa and West Kenya Union Conference	2.6 Million	Direct: 756 Indirect: —

Governance & Accountability

Building Trust Through Accountability

Strong governance, ethical leadership, and accountability enable us to deliver meaningful impact while maintaining the trust of communities, donors, partners, and stakeholders.



Our Commitment to Accountability

At ADRA Kenya, accountability is more than a commitment — it is a responsibility to the communities we serve, the donors and partners who support our work, and the stakeholders who place their trust in us. Throughout 2025, we continued strengthening systems, policies, and practices that promote transparency, integrity, responsible stewardship, safeguarding, and continuous improvement.

Community participation remained central to our work through feedback mechanisms, stakeholder engagement, monitoring, and learning processes that help ensure programmes remain relevant, responsive, and impactful.

"Accountability is the foundation of trust, and trust is the foundation of lasting impact."

Looking Ahead

Building on 2025 to Strengthen Resilience, Wellbeing, and Opportunity for Communities Across Kenya

Our Commitment for 2026 & Beyond

As we look toward 2026 and beyond, ADRA Kenya remains committed to serving humanity so that all may live as God intended. Building on the achievements, partnerships, and lessons of 2025, we will continue advancing community-led, integrated, and locally driven solutions that strengthen resilience, improve wellbeing, and create sustainable opportunities for vulnerable communities across Kenya.

Guided by our Strategic Plan 2024–2030, we will strengthen partnerships, promote innovation and inclusion, and invest in local leadership and systems that enable communities to anticipate, adapt to, and thrive amidst evolving challenges and opportunities.

Strategic Priorities

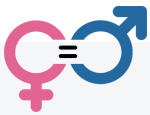
Advance Nexus Programming
Strengthen Localization
Scale Climate Action
Expand Youth Leadership
Diversify Funding

Through courage, compassion, and connection, ADRA Kenya will continue working alongside communities to strengthen resilient systems, promote justice and inclusion, and create lasting positive change.





Climate Action


Gender Equality


Women, Girls & Youth Empowermen


Faith Partnerships


Digital Innovation


Localization & Community

"Together with communities, partners, and stakeholders, we look forward to building healthier, more resilient, and more prosperous communities."

Courage • Compassion • Connection • Impact



Celebrating the partnerships and support that made our work possible

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We recognize and appreciate the dedication of the ADRA Kenya Board, management, and staff whose collective efforts contributed to the achievements highlighted in this report.

Together, we are creating lasting impact and building more resilient, inclusive, and prosperous communities across Kenya.

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