**CONTEXT**

South Sudan is affected by conflict and food insecurity denying children the right to survival, development, protection and participation.

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<td>76% of households across the country face moderate to severe food insecurity</td>
<td>Over 1.1 million children under 5 years are estimated to be acutely malnourished and in need of lifesaving assistance</td>
<td>60% of the South Sudan population has no basic access to health care services</td>
<td>52% of girls are married between the age of 15 and 18 years</td>
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<td>1.7 M children have lost access to education due to conflict and displacement</td>
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Under five mortality rate is 91 deaths per 1000 live births. Only 31% of children are immunised.
**Our focus population**

- Vulnerable children (0-18 years)
- Refugee and IDP children
- Unaccompanied and separated children (UASC)
- Children associated with Armed Forces and Armed Groups (CAAFAG)
- Malnourished children
- Pregnant and lactating mothers
- Population without access to healthcare, education and protection

**Strategic Goals**

- Increase access to child protection services
- Reduce violence against children
- Improve access to quality and inclusive education for children and youth
- Reduce maternal and child mortality rate
- Reduce burden of undernutrition among children under five years by 2030
- Improve food and income security.
- Reduce vulnerability to malnutrition and disaster risk
- Promoting children rights and ensuring children issues are prioritised

**Ways of working**

- Strategic partnerships
- Quality service delivery
- Efficient emergency response
- Building local capacities
- Advocacy for child rights
- Gender Sensitive and Inclusive approach
- Decentralized and innovative programming