



Lily rose children society is a volunteer Based grassed root organization that works globally to support the most vulnerable families, impoverished, orphaned children, widows, and elderly. Our mission statement is to raise funds to help vulnerable children, elderly, and other impoverished people overcome poverty and improve access to health and education in respect to sustainable goals 1, 3 and 10 i.e. No poverty, Good health and wellbeing and reduced inequality respectively.

The lily rose children society was created in 2020, certified as a non- profit organization in 2021. We work with two orphanages i.e. Heart of the Father and Genesis of Hope Ministries in Uganda and globally to help children, raising funds to realize food security, quality education, and Health among others.

We know talking about child protection policy isn't fun .but it's 100% necessary and something we take seriously at genesis of hope. Helping children to break into the cycle of poverty is more than providing education and health care, it's about working towards the complete well being of each and every child and that means keeping them safe.

#### **Guid line of children protection policy at lily rose children society.**

Having zero tolerance for child abuse

Protecting children rights and their interest.

Placing a child as the main priority when dealing with suspected cases of child abuse and steps they can take Incase of any problem

Integrating child protection into all aspects of our organization strategy

Empowering and educating children on their rights, and safety.

Lily rose children society has its child policy that protect their children from any abuse in the society according to human rights act of 1998 where a child has a right to freedom, religion and thoughts, right to security and liberty, right to access of education, right to proper health of every child. The GOHM also is in line with the united nation convention on the right of child 1992, it underpins many pieces of legislation that relate to the roles of those who works with children such as children act (2004) and equality act (2010) it highlights the importance of keeping each child as a unique person that helps to ensure that all their needs is met in the way that is specific to them..

#### **CHILDREN AND FAMILY ACT**

This act aims at ensuring that a greater protection is available for children who have been classed as valuable. It includes children who are in foster care and those who are looked after or have additional needs. The act also ensures that education, health and care plans are produced for any child who has been identified as having additional needs. Therefore GOHM makes every child entitled to have access to all her needs either from foster or family.

### **THE CHILDREN ACT 1989**

According to this act all children are entitled to,

To allow children to be healthy

Allow our children to be safe in the environment

Helping children to enjoy life to forget the past

Assisting children in their quest to succeed

Helping making a positive contribution to the lives of children

#### **Who is a child?**

A child is a **human being between the stages of birth and puberty, or between infancy and puberty**. The legal definition of a child generally refers to a minor, someone younger than the age of majority. According to international law, a child is defined as any person below 18 years of age. Children generally have fewer rights and responsibilities than adults.

#### **What is abuse?**

Sadly abuse have many forms and we work hard to recognize and deal with any situation that can adversely affect a child's mental or physical health, development or dignity. The four main parts the genesis of hope monitors are physical abuse, neglect, emotional abuse and sexual abuse.

#### **Physical indicator of child abuse**

Unexplained burns particularly if they are current.

Human bite marks bald spots.

Untreated injuries.

Unexplained fractures

#### **Behavior indicator**

Chronic run away

Fear of new situations

Neurotic behavior e.g. rocking, hair twisting

Inappropriate emotional response to painful situations

Reluctance of parents in liaisons.

#### **Neglect**

Poor state of clothing

Constant hunger

Untreated medical problem

Distended stomach

Constant tiredness

**Behavior indicator**

Lack of social relationship

Tiredness, listlessness

Compulsive stealing, begging or scavenging

Low self esteem.

**VISION OF LILY ROSE CHILDREN SOCIETY**

To empower valuable people in the community

To empower children especially the orphans.



Children's Society