

ANNEX V – Main Respondent Questionnaire

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2025 STREET FAMILIES CENSUS QUESTIONNAIRE

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SECTION A-1: AREA IDENTIFICATION

A01. COUNTY			A08. LONGITUDE	
A03. CONSTITUENCY			A09. ALTITUDE	
A04. TOWN				
A05. ESTATE/STREET				
A06. BASE				
A07. LATITUDE				

INTERVIEWER VISITS

VISIT	1	2	3	FINAL VISIT
A10. DATE	/ /	/ /	/ /	/ /
A11. SECTIONS				
A12. RESULT				
A13. NEXT VISIT : DATE	/ /	/ /	/ /	TOTAL NUMBER OF VISITS
A14. TIME	:	:	:	

RESULTS CODES:

- 01 - COMPLETED
- 02 - PARTIALLY COMPLETE (INCOMPLETE)
- 03 - POSTPONED
- 04 - REFUSED
- 10 - OTHER _____ (SPECIFY)

SECTION A-2: CENSUS DETAILS

A15. NAME OF INTERVIEWER:		CODE:	
A16. NAME OF SUPERVISOR:		CODE:	

SPECIAL REMARKS/COMMENTS

INTRODUCTION TO THE RESPONDENT

INTRODUCTION: My Name is I am working for Kenya National Bureau of Statistics and Street Families Rehabilitation Trust Fund. We are conducting a census of street families to enable the Government plan for them. Can I ask you questions? (If yes, then go ahead. If no, then terminate the interview)

DEMOGRAPHICS

SF01	SF02	SF03	SF04	SF 05	SF06
LINE NUMBER	Name(Optional)	Age in Completed Years	Sex	What is your marital status? (TO BE ASKED OF ONLY PERSONS AGED 12 YEARS AND ABOVE)	Nationality
.....	95 YEARS AND OVER CODE 95. AGE IS NOT KNOWN, CODE 98. NOT STATED, CODE 99.	MALE1 FEMALE. . . . 2 INTERSEX.....3	MARRIED MONOGAMOUS..... MARRIED POLYGAMOUS..... LIVING TOGETHER SEPARATED..... DIVORCED WIDOW OR WIDOWER NEVER MARRIED.....	SOUTH SUDAN RWANDA BURUNDI ERITREA ETHIOPIA DRC SOMALI LAND FOR NON KENYANS , SKIP TO SF10	

SF07	SF08	SF09	SF10	SF11	SF12	SF12A	SF13	SF14
Ethnicity	In which County were you born?(Kenyan Nationals only)	In which County did you reside before coming to the streets?(Kenyan Nationals only)	What was your previous living arrangement before you came to the streets Family home 1 Rental House 2 Foster care 3 Children's Home/CCI 4 Born in the streets 5 Other(specify) 6 If SF10=5, skip QS SF28,29 and 30	Why did you move to this New location? Police harassment Conflicts within the former base..... Raids by county askaris..... In search of employment..... Sexual harassment at the former base..... Peer influence..... Personal choice..... Greener pastures..... Never moved..... Any other.....	Do you have any form of disability? YES NO -- SKIP TO SF15	If Yes specify Visual..... A Hearing..... B Physical..... C Mental, Intellectual and developmental D Speech, Communication and language difficulties..... E Albinism..... ...F	Do you receive disability-related support from any organization/individual? YES....1 NO.....2	Do you require special assistance or assistive devices? YES....1 NO.....2 If Yes specify what kind? Wheelchair..... ..A White cane..... ..B Hearing aid.....C Other (Specify).. D

(TO BE ASKED OF KENYAN S ONLY)
(USE THE LIST PROVIDED TO SELECT)

SF15(BELOW AGE 18 YRS)	SF 16	SF17	SF18	SF19
Are your parent(s) alive?	Do you live/stay with your parent(s) on the streets?	Do you know where your parent(s) live/stay?	Why are you not staying with your parent(s)	Do you have any living relatives
Yes mother alive1	YES 1	YES 1	They are poor A	YES...1
Yes father alive2	NO 2	NO 2	They beat me (corporal punishment) B	NO.....2
Yes both alive3	If YES skip to SF19	If No skip to SF 19	They are drunkard C	DK
No4			They did not give me food D	
DK5				
If No skip to SF 19				
If DK skip to SF 19				

EDUCATION AND SKILL

Persons Aged 3 Years and Above		Persons Aged 10 Years and Above		Persons Aged 15 Years and Above				
SF0	SF20	SF21	SF22	SF23	SF24	SF25	SF26	SF27
1	Have you ever attended school?	If YES what is the highest level reached?	Can you read and write	Do you have any special talent(s)?	Which is your main talent?	Do you have any vocational or technical skills?	If YES list the skills	How did you acquire the skill
LINE NUMBER	LEVEL PRE-PRIMARY..... PRIMARY..... POST-PRIMARY, VOCATIONAL..... JUNIOR SCHOOL..... SECONDARY..... COLLEGE (MIDDLE-LEVEL)..... UNIVERSITY UNDERGRADUATE.... UNIVERSITY POSTGRADUATE.....	Yes 1 No 2 To be asked for those with primary and below level of education	Yes 1 No 2 If NO Skip to SF 25	1 2 25	BALL GAMES..... A SINGING..... ... B DANCING..... C POETRY..... ... D ART AND CRAFT..... ... E BOXING..... ... F ACROBATIC.... G COMEDY..... H ATHLETICS I OTHER (SPECIFY) J	Yes 1 No 2 If NO Skip to SF 28	CARPENTRY AND JOINERY A MASONRY B WELDING C TAILORING/ DRESS MAKING... D PLUMBING... E ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION... F CATERING H HAIR I DRESSING/BEAUTY THERAPY J MOTOR VEHICLE REPAIR K ARTS&CRAFTS L DRIVING M AGRICULTURE OTHER (SPECIFY) N	FORMAL EDUCATION ON JOB TRAINING A PEER LEARNING B ONLINE VOLUNTEERING C WORKSHOP/SEMINARS D

REASONS FOR LIVING ON THE STREET

SF01	SF28	SF29	SF30
LINE NUMBER	For how long have you stayed in the streets? Days Week Months Years Born on the streets If response is Born on the streets SKIP TO SF31	What led you to live on the streets Death of mother A Death of father B Death of both parents C Separation of parents D Death of a spouse E Abandoned F My parents live on the streets G Personal choice H Mistreatment by parents I Mistreatment by relatives J Mistreatment by step parent(s) K Tribal displacement L Inadequate food at home M Influence by friends N Insecurity P Got lost during travel/lost direction Q Lack of school fees R In search of employment/income S Fear of being reprimanded T Corporal punishment U Domestic Violence V Economic hardship W Depression X Drugs Y Displacement(Natural disasters eg Fire, drought, floods) Z Previously in prison aa	When do you go to the streets? (probe the appropriate category) Every day morning to evening A In the evening after school B During the holidays C On weekends D I live permanently on the streets E At night F Any other (specify) G If Code E, skip to SF 32

SF 31	SF32	SF33
Where do you mostly spend your nights? (probe the appropriate category) 1 At home all the time 2 On the streets all the time (base) 3 Sometimes at home with parents 4 In a makeshift with other people 5 Sometimes at home with friend's parents 6 Sometimes at home with relatives 7 Sometimes at home with friends 8 In a rental house with other people 9 Any other (specify)	What are your main sources of income (probe the appropriate category) A Begging B Casual labor C Street vending D Petty crime E Commercial Sex Work F Waste picking G Other(specify) H Drug peddling I Car washing J Car parking	From where do you get food? 1 Begging 2 Scavenging 3 Food in kind 4 Buying 5 Well wishers 6 Other

LIVING AND SURVIVAL STRATEGIES

SF 34	SF34A	SF 35	SF 36	SF 37	SF 38
Have you ever been arrested or detained while on the streets	If Yes, what was/were the reason(s)?	Have you ever experienced violence or harassment on the streets?	What type of violence	Who was the perpetrator?	Have you ever been offered help or support after experiencing violence?
Yes					
Yes. 1 No. 2	Loitering.....A Snatching.....B Fighting.....C Stealing.....D Conflict with law enforcement...E Using drugs.....F Running away from Home...G Robbery with violence..H Mugging.....I Drug peddling.....J Sexual violence offences...K Other(specify).....L	YES NO..... SKIP TO SF 39 1. 2.	Forced labour A Exploitation.....B Trafficking.....C Physical abuse..D Sexual.....E Emotional.....F Any other.....G	Other street families Law enforcement General public Other (Specify) A B C D	YES NO 1. 2.
If no skip to SF35		If YES did you seek for any help			

SF 39	SF 40	SF 41	SF 42
Do you use any of the following substances?	Have you ever been taken to a rehabilitation centre	Have you ever been re-integrated back to the society	Have you received any other assistance
Alcohol Tobacco Bhang (marijuana) Hard drugs (e.g., heroin, cocaine) Jet Fuel Glue Miraa/Muguka Medical pills None Other substances(specify)	Yes.....1 No.....2		Social protection programmes Government shelter NGO/charity organization Religious institution Feeding program None A B C D E F

BIRTH AND ID REGISTRATION

TO BE ASKED OF ALL PERSONS	
SF43	SF44
Do you have any of the following documents	If you don't have identification what is the reason
Birth certificate National ID - soft check for below 18 SHIF Card NSSF Card - soft check for below 18 Refugee registration card None	A Lost B Never issued C Stolen D Lack of pre-requisite documents E Never sought for them F Other

Health & Well-being

SF45	SF46	SF47	SF48	SF49
Have you fallen sick in the last one month?	What was the major health challenge that you have experienced in the past one month?	Did you seek any treatment?	Where did you seek treatment?	What challenges do you face in accessing health and social services
YES NO	1 Malaria 2 Chest related diseases 3 HIV/AIDS, STI 4 Fever 5 Diarrhea/ Stomach Ache 6 Skin Diseases 7 Other (Specify) 8. None	Yes.....1 No.....2 If No skip to SF49	Public Hospital A Private Hospital B Mission Hospital C Pharmacy/Shop D Medical camp E Other (Specify)	Lack of Finances A Lack of information B Lack of identification documents C Stigma and Discrimination D Distance to service centers E Mobility F Lack of tailor made health services G None H Others(Specify)
If No skip to 49				

SEXUALITY & REPRODUCTION

Persons Aged 10 Years and Above		Females Aged 10 Years and Above				
SF01	SF50	SF51	SF52	SF53	SF54	SF55
LINE NUMBER	Have you ever had sexual intercourse?	The last time you had sex, did you or your partner use a condom?	Do you have children	If YES, how many?	How many children are alive?	Are they living with you in the streets
	YES...1 NO----2 SKIP TO SF 52	YES...1 NO....2	1).....YES 2).....NO ----SKIP TO SF 56	Biological = Foster = If SF 50 IS NO Soft check for biological children		YES.....1 NO.....2

ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS AND HYGIENE PRACTICES

SF 56	SF 57	SF 58	SF 59	SF 60
Has environmental factors (e.g., floods, drought, extreme weather conditions) affected your street life?	How do you protect yourself from extreme weather conditions?	What is your main source of drinking water? (probe further) Piped Water.....A	How do you maintain personal hygiene (bathing, washing clothes)?	How do you dispose human waste?
Yes....1 No.....2	Makeshift sheltersA Public buildingsB Community support ..C CorridorsD Home.....E Abandoned/Incomplete buildings....F Using nylon/protective gear....G None.....H Other.....I	Tube well or BoreholeB Dugwell.....C Water from spring.....D Rainwater.....E TankertruckF Cart with small tankG Hotels/Eateries/Kiosks/Carwash etc.....H Surface water (River/Dam/Lake/Pond/Stream/Canal/Irrigation Channel).....I Bottled WaterJ	Public toilets/showers Streams/rivers No access Other (Specify)	Flush/Pour toilet Pit latrine with slab Pit latrine without slab/open pit Bucket toilet No facility/Bush/Field Other (Specify)

COMMUNICATION AND ACCESS TO TECHNOLOGY

SF 61
Do you own a mobile phone?
Yes...1 No....2

ASPIRATIONS AND REINTEGRATION

SF 62	SF 63
if given a chance would you like to leave the street life? Yes.....1 No2 Not sure.....3	What support would help you transition out of street life Housing/shelterA Education/vocational training.....B Employment opportunitiesC Rehabilitation for substance use..D Family reunificationE Startup kit/Seed capital.....F Other (specify) G