

YAMBA MALAWI'S CHILDHOODS & LIVELIHOODS PROGRAM

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

MAIN OBJECTIVES

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| Wage employment | Food security | Financial inclusion | Self-employment |
| Market access | Social services | Income diversification | Women's empowerment |
| Social cohesion | Productivity | Social inclusion | Climate resilience |

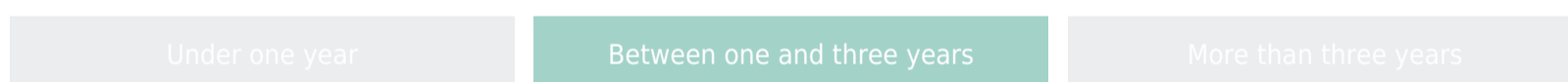
PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The program is a child-focused poverty graduation initiative that operates at the household and community-wide levels to improve early childhood development outcomes by empowering caregivers.

PROGRAM COMPONENTS



AVERAGE PROGRAM DURATION FOR PARTICIPANTS



DO PARTICIPANTS ACCESS COMPONENTS IN A SPECIFIC SEQUENCE?



DIGITIZATION

COMPONENTS DELIVERED DIGITALLY

| | | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| TRANSFER | COACHING | BUSINESS CAPITAL |
| FINANCIAL SERVICES FACILITATION | MARKET LINKS | SKILLS TRAINING |
| CLIMATE RESILIENCE SUPPORT | WAGE EMPLOYMENT | |



BASIC PROGRAM INFORMATION

COUNTRY

Malawi

REGION

Sub-Saharan Africa

LEAD IMPLEMENTING AGENCY

Yamba Malawi

TYPE LEAD IMPLEMENTING AGENCY

NGO

START DATE

09/01/2017

END DATE

Open-ended

P-CODE (WB PROGRAMS)

DNA

GLOBAL PRACTICE (WORLD BANK)

Non-WB



COUNTRY INFORMATION

LENDING CATEGORY (WB ONLY)

IDA

FCV COUNTRY (WB FY24 LIST)

No

TOTAL POPULATION (MILLION)

19.89

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (NPL) (%)

50.70%

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (\$2.15/DAY (2017 PPP)) (%)

70.10%

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (MPI) (%)

49.88%

NO. ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS IN THE COUNTRY

11

NO. BENEFICIARIES (DIRECT & INDIRECT) OF ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS IN THE COUNTRY

1,881,097



PARTICIPANT PROFILE

TARGETED POVERTY GROUPS

Extreme poor

Ultra-poor

PRIORITY VULNERABLE GROUPS

Women

Children



ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA



PARTICIPANT IDENTIFICATION METHODS

Community-based targeting

Geographic targeting

Categorical targeting

Proxy Means Test



PLANNED RESEARCH AND EVALUATION

EVALUATION/RESEARCH TYPES

Needs assessment
Impact evaluation

IMPACT EVALUATION TOPICS

Overall impact
Dynamics over time
Resilience and shocks responsiveness

NAME RESEARCH PARTNERS

Moritz Poll, PhD candidate, Brown University

DATE WHEN IMPACT EVALUATION RESULTS AVAILABLE

Summer 2025

Data submitted as of 04/03/2023, through PEI's Landscaping Survey.

For more information on the survey [click here](#).

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PROGRAM COVERAGE

DIRECT PARTICIPANTS

815

DIRECT & INDIRECT BENEFICIARIES

3,586

PERCENTAGE FEMALE PARTICIPANTS

76-99% of participants

Share of country population (%)

: 0.02

Area/s

: Only rural

Share of poor (national poverty line) (%)

: 0.04

Geographic coverage

: Several states/regions

INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

ORGANIZATIONS

INVOLVED IN IMPLEMENTATION

PROVIDING FINANCING

National/central government



Regional/district government



Local/municipal government



Non-governmental organization



Community



Financial Service Provider



World Bank



Multilateral (not WB)



Bilateral organization



Private sector organization



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

COMPONENTS DELIVERED THROUGH COMMUNITY

COMMUNITY STRUCTURES LEVERAGED FOR PROGRAM DELIVERY

- Transfer
- Business capital
- Wage employment facilitation
- Skills training
- Coaching
- Financial services facilitation
- Market links
- Climate resilience support

- Informal community groups
- Formal community groups
- Local governance groups
- Community individuals
- Other community structures

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