

# THEORY OF CHANGE

Through education, community engagement, and advocacy, Kakenya's Dream transforms the lives of vulnerable girls across rural Kenya, and in the process, transforms the communities in which they live. Our work demonstrates the positive social and economic impact that empowered girls and women can have on their communities. Our programs are designed to help girls realize their full potential while engaging boys and men who will play critical roles in their long-term success.

We believe in the transformational power of holistic education to positively impact the lives of girls and the communities in which they live.

## OUR VISION

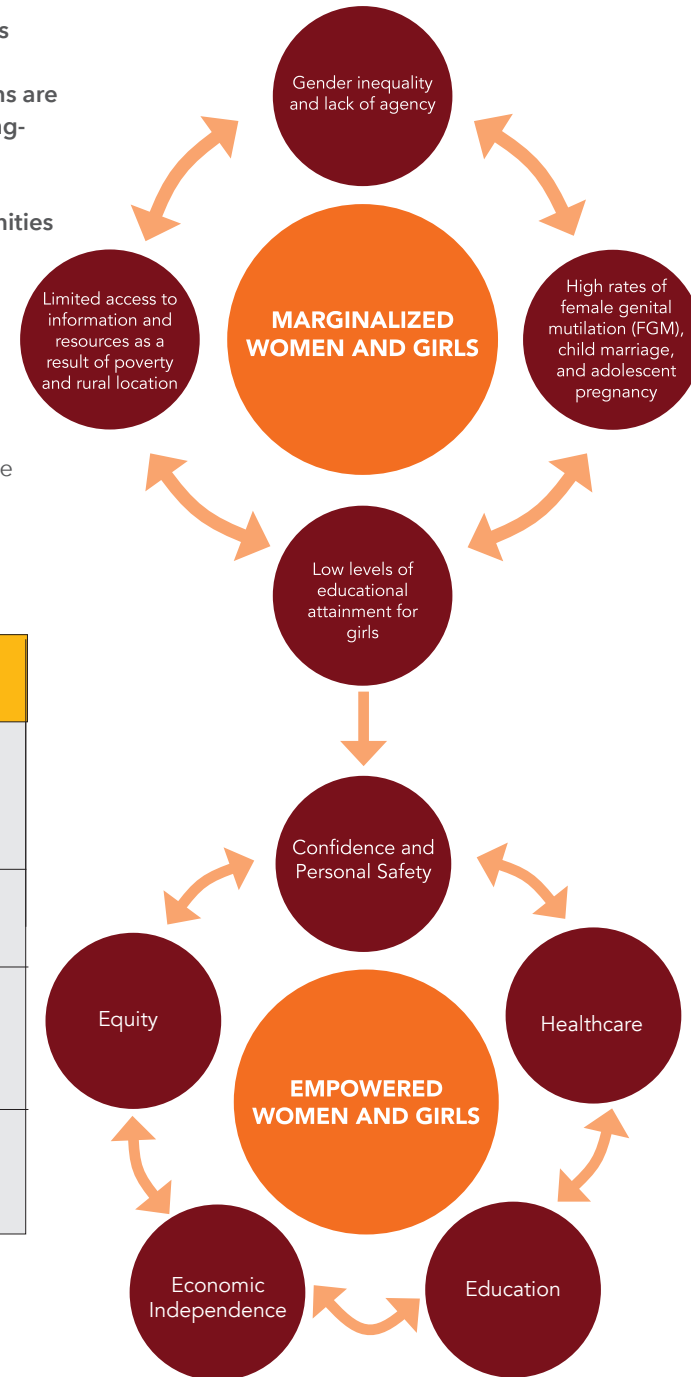
A world where African women and girls are valued and respected as leaders and equal in every way

## OUR MISSION

Invest in girls from rural communities through educational, health, and leadership initiatives to create agents of change

## OUR VALUES

Girl-centric, Rights-based, Community driven, Collaborative, Transparent, and with Integrity



PARTNERSHIPS	GOALS	MEDIUM-TERM (2020-2024) IMPACTS/OUTCOMES	LONG-TERM IMPACTS/OUTCOMES
Local Communities	Build centerpiece programs as a model for other communities including: Centers for Excellence, Network for Excellence, Health and Leadership Trainings, and youth-friendly health services	Kakenya's Dream students avoid FGM and child marriage, thrive academically, physically, and emotionally/mentally as they prepare to become contributing members of society	Cultural change that results in women and girls' social and economic empowerment in African communities
Governments and International Agencies			
NGOs	Establish community partnerships to support the centerpiece programs and girls' advancement	Kakenya's Dream programs expand populations served by 25% in rural areas, creating greater awareness of rights and options among boys and girls	Replicable and scalable models for girls' education across Africa
Educational Institutions	Drive community awareness of the social and economic value of educated girls, free from FGM, child marriage, and teen/early pregnancy		
Foundations and Donors	Engage boys and men, with special focus on boys	Community leaders, individuals, corporations, foundations, governments, and other influential entities increase both involvement and investment in Kakenya's Dream	Sustained commitments by policy-makers and private and public entities to invest in and improve girls' education
	Mobilize more resources in support of our work		
	Strengthen the organizational structure to ensure smart and sustainable growth	A strong governance structure to drive long-term stability	Kakenya's Dream and its alumna are catalysts for positive change in their communities