Theory of Change Increased dignity in detention

Assessments of

detention conditions

helps identify the needs

of incarcerated

children

Legislation

& policies recognize

the fundamental rights

of girls and boys

in detention

Referral and case management mechanisms are effective, if necessary involving third party service providers

Standard Operating

Procedures in detention

promote child friendly

& desistance approaches

A funding mechanism

for legal aid is in place

and legal aid lawyers

capacities are improved

Behaviour change

among justice

professionals to treat

children with respect

for child rights

& gender sensitivity

Children and adults are separated

in all detention

& custody facilities

around the country

Systematic

reintegration/

rehabilitation strategy

(Psychological,

education, employment)

are in place

Child rights

& restorative justice

principles mainstreamed

throughout justice

professional training

Families

& key influencing actors

are mobilized to advocate

for the improvement

of detention conditions

The efficiency of legal aid lawyers is improved through training on child rights & strategic litigation

Justice actors

in charge of detention

are involved

in coordination

& made accountable

Detention facilities

comply with minimum

standards in WASH

& child friendly

environment

Children access child friendly legal aid, and psychosocial activities during trial and in detention

recidivism and improve

and inmates are sensitized to non-violent communication

> of violence ++ against children

are in place and effective for boys and girls

> Improved with differentiated services for girls and boys

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Access to specialized

services to reduce

reintegration

Reduction

child-friendly facilities,

Detention staff

Complaint mechanisms

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Independent monitoring of detention facilities are in place

Increased dignity in detention

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Theory of Change Implementation of non-custodial measures

Situational analysis determines the implementation of non-custodial measures **International advocacy** and knowledge hubs demonstrates effectiveness of NCM Local advocacy for specialized juvenile justice, including specialized courts and judges

Juvenile justice legislation recognizes detention of children as a measure of last resort & the detention of migrant children unlawful

> Restorative practices are promoted at community level by civil society actors

By-laws provide

guidance on

the implementation

of non-custodial

measures

The use of restorative & non-custodial measures is promoted by medias & children

Justice & social protection actors support child-friendly reform to justice for children

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Pilot projects demonstrate the effectiveness of NCM in-country

Judicial and non-judicial actors are trained in diversion & alternatives to detention measures

Accreditation of civil society & community actors increases options for NCM & restorative practices

at community level

Communities accept & are mobilised for the implementation of NCM

Justice & social welfare budgets

allocate resources

to NCM

Social workers & probation officers capacities & working methodologies are improved.

Police and prosecution use safe mechanisms to divert children away from criminal proceedings

Judges & prosecutors prioritize alternatives to detention (pre-trial & imprisonment)

Diversion

from criminal

proceedings

Evaluation

& data-collection

mechanisms

are in place

All parties, child offender, victim and community representatives are invited to contribute to the decision

Success stories of children gone through NCM are promoted within the community

Social services

ensure and report

on the adequate

implementation

of non-custodial measures

Justice & Social Welfare actors agree on an evaluation and monitoring framework

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At pre trial stage: Children are kept out of

detention until they get a formal hearing

Alternatives to imprisonment

Implementation of non-custodial measures

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Theory of Change Improved prevention & reintegration

Religious leaders refrain from using judgemental and stigmatising ++ language for children Change in perception Network of employers about youth willing to employ non-stigmatisation girls and boys or assumption that out of detention they are irreparable is developed Media is championing ++ Children and youth child rights benefit from reintegration & challenging follow-up activities for Faith based actors discrimination towards 6 months to 2 years disseminate counter girls and boys narrative to violence & violent extremism Families and communities are trained Children and youth **Community-based** on non-violent and child are actively involved prevention friendly communication in community-based & reintegration justice initiatives and use positive discipline Communities Community leaders Schools have child are actively involved promote social inclusion, safeguarding policies in prevention of juvenile non-discrimination and are trained on ++ delinquency for children & denounce stigmatisation positive discipline and youth Local police **Coordination** Communities social committees/council between protection cohesion and inclusion identify and see and justice systems are strengthened their positive role to reduce violence through peace building in supporting children by and against activities at risk of delinquency +children Violence Local police against girls and boys committees/council Girls, boys is reduced identify and support and young people are informed children at risk of thanks to Community + or being victims of their rights base child protection of violence mechanisms Complaint mechanism Girls, boys for child rights violations and young people at risk are effective at police know where to go and prosecution levels for support

Identification of

delinguency and

exclusion factors

Situation analysis

identify

child rights violations

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Theory of Change Synergies in context of legal pluralism



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