

The Role of Public Administrators in Mitigating Gender Based Violence Meted Against Children

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Abstract

Gender based violence (GBV) is one of the contemporary predicaments distressing the ha existence and coexistence of members of society. It is a phenomenon entrenched in inequality and continues to be one of the most notable human rights violations within all so worldwide. Despite myriad research on GBV, little is known about the role of public adminis in the extenuation of depravity. As part of the efforts geared towards achieving the sust development goal of gender equality, this article investigates the role of public administra mitigating gender-based violence meted out against children. Purposive sampling was u select the participants of this study. The study sampled 50 children who had been affected in Kakamega County, 20 public administrators and 50 parents whose children had suffer violence. The study conducted focused group discussions with the children and interview parents and administrators. Thematic analysis and analytic induction were used to analyze d presented various themes under investigation. The study concludes that consciousness of discrimination and violence must underpin the implementation of protective policies for all c in Kakamega County and across the nation. Additionally, it proposes a comprehensive resp GBV by public administrators and other stakeholders, alongside prevention strategies, if c are to be effectively protected.

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