

Report on **“preventing and eliminating child, early and forced marriage, with a particular focus on challenges, achievements, best practices and implementation gaps**

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1. The Prevalence of underage marriage in the peripheral areas and the various States of Sudan
2. The vision org carried out a study on the reality of poverty and its impact on child marriage
3. The impact at the level of cultural rights ,social, economic and there documented studies on the psychological impact ,the social and economic
4. Marriageable age according to the Constitution of the Government of Sudan, ten years for girls and eighteen for men
5. Efforts include outreach and involvement of government actors, such as doctors, lawyers and social development institutions and civil society organizations through proposals to reform the personal status laws
6. Participate institutional and state policies toward the poor and compulsory basic education and the development of girls' education as a priority in policy, develop a plan for advocacy by organizations and civil society actors

**Challenges**

* Lack of gender equality
* absence of policies for basic education
* Weak development programs
* Customs and traditions
* Civil wars

**Proposed strategic**

* Address the effects of poverty
* Family outreach by the religious leaders
* Compulsory of basic education
* Effectiveness of child rights convention
* To harmonization between Sudan child act 2010 and CRC

**Recommendation**

* Networking between organizations working in the field of child marriage
* Build the capacity of non-governmental actors and community leaders
* implement advocacy lobbing campaign to applied compulsory basic education
* Add cultural programs and socials in the projects
* Activating the role of the media
* Work on the introduction of marriageable age and change in the future constitution
reform family law and personal status

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