

Government signs MOU to enhance skill development for social and children protection.

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The state Department of Children Protection has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the Kenya School of Government (KSG) that will enable the school provide skill capacity development program on social and child protection.

While presiding over the MOU signing ceremony at his NSFF office, the Cabinet Secretary for Labour and Social Protection Mr Simon Chelugui, said the training programs at the School of Government will expand window of opportunity, for the different cadre of officers and practitioners.

Mr Chelugui said the program will also accelerate the rate of building and enhancing a pool of skilled social and child protection human resources in the country to effectively sustain social and child protection agenda across the country.

The cabinet Secretary said, there was need for adequate skills and capacity in social and child protection in Kenya in view of emergent and varying social dynamics and trends and issues that demand a robust capacity development strategy among practitioners at various levels.

The Cabinet Secretary noted that, the development of the programmes is significant in guaranteeing the integrity, quality and sustainability of the programs that is in line with the Government agenda of ensuring efficient delivery of public services.

He commended the WFP and UNICWEF for supplementing government's effort in the sector and urged development partners to continue with the support particularly to practitioners from the County Governments to undertake trainings.