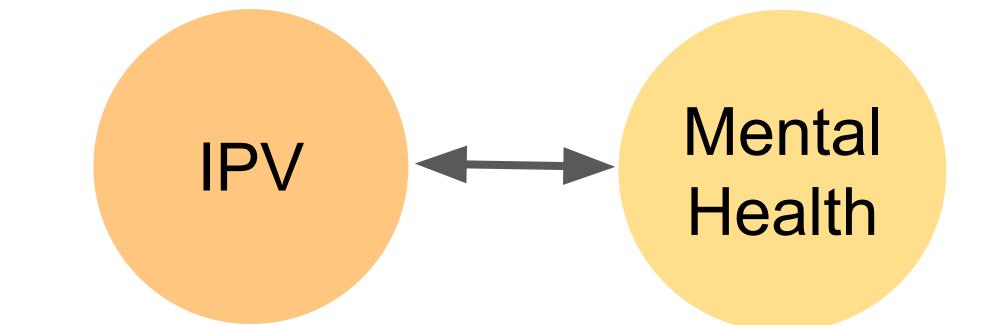


# Implementation of the PREvention Program for Adolescent Relationship and **Emotional Development: Adolescent perspectives**





## Introduction



PREPARED is a 6-session, non-specialist delivered, universal prevention program to promote mental health and prevent intimate partner violence.

Our primary goal was to assess the implementation of PREPARED in Muhuru Bay, Kenya.

### Participants

**46 Adolescents** 

22 In-School











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## **Mixed-Methods Assessment**

Feasibility

Acceptability

Appropriateness

Adoption

Reach

Implementation Outcomes



Surveys



## **Quantitative Results**

	Full Sample N=46		In-School N=22		Out-of-School <i>N</i> =24	
	Μ	SD	Μ	SD	Μ	SD
Adoption	2.78	0.31	2.86	0.31	2.71	0.30
Acceptability	2.88	0.22	2.84	0.27	2.91	0.16
Appropriateness	2.89	0.21	2.89	0.26	2.90	0.16
Feasibility	2.88	0.21	2.81	0.26	2.94	0.12
Reach & Access	2.78	0.37	2.78	0.35	2.78	0.39

\*0 to 3 (0: not at all, 1: a little bit, 2: a moderate amount, and 3: a lot)

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24 Out-of-School



**Detailed Tracking** 

**Qualitative Focus Group** Discussions



families, and WISER Girls Secondary School



Acceptability

"It was a good idea to have the program in the community because <u>many</u> **youths have benefited** from it by being able to learn how to maintain healthy relationships and emotional development." -Out-of-School Girl

#### Adoption



PREPARED was accepted and relevant for in- and out-of-school youth.



It is possible to deliver a mental health and IPV combined intervention in a low resource settings.



#### **Qualitative Results**

"Yes, I got everything that I hoped to get from PREPARED. I loved the lessons that were taught during the sessions and the pieces of advice given to us by our facilitators. **I am now able** to face the life challenges without fear of failing." -Out-of-School Boy

**Appropriateness** 

"After learning in PREPARED now [l] am able to share my problem with others." -In-School Boy

### Conclusions