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TOPIC-ADOLESCENT ATTITUDE TOWARDS  
FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION PROVIDERS AND ITS  
EFFECT ON SEXUAL PRACTICES IN LIKUYANI  
SUB-COUNTY KAKAMEGA COUNTY KENYA

# INTRODUCTION

- Half of the worlds population is below age 25
- 83% live in developing countries
- Over 40% in Kenya are younger than 15 years
- Adolescent are in transition stage, many challenges.
- Early sexual activities, pregnancy, HIV/AIDs/STIs
- This is signifant portion of Kenya population if not taken care of can negatively affect the country; economic and social

# INTRO: PROVIDERS

- parents.-First socializing agent, thro' observing, communication, monitoring set an attitude towards sexual behavior
- Peer pressure- important in passing information as well as influence sexual behavior. They can encourage or deter

Peer pressure mainly affect those with low self – esteem

# PROVIDERS;

- Electronic media- provide wide variety of messages, reach a wide audience and help promote comm' bet parents and children
- School-structured environment with high population
- Health workers- great source of information esp' in clinics

## Research methodology

- Descriptive survey research design
- Conducted secondary schools in Likuyani sub-county
- Target form two students
- Target population 1312, accessible pop 650
- Multi stage, simple random used to select school and 241 students
- Structured questionnaire used

# Method;

- Reliability- deter' by cronbach,s coefficient alpha above 0.85
- Validity through expert opinion from dept of psychology/counselling
- Data analyzed thro' inferential and descriptive statistics
- Computer package SSP version 17 used
- Data presented in tables, frequency and percentages

# Results/Discussion

- Preferred providers
- Teachers-79---32.8
- Friends—67—27.8
- Mass media-48—19.9
- Parents----48            19.9
- MOST preferred place to receive FLE
- School-46%, health centers, 32%, youth clinics  
18%, home 4.1%

# Incase of RHE problem

- Health workers at 49%
- Parents at 36
- Peers 10
- Teachers 5.4