



Putting Children First: New Frontiers in the Fight Against Child Poverty in Africa

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Three main themes

MANIFESTATIONS OF CHILD
POVERTY

CHILD-SENSITIVE SOCIAL
PROTECTION

TRANSITIONS FROM
CHILDHOOD INTO
ADULTHOOD

Manifestations of child poverty



ensure that psychosocial and relational issues are part of measures or studies of child poverty



measurement is necessary, but categorisation is not 'be all and end all'



gain insight into trajectories over time and across childhood



pay attention to nutrition!

Child- sensitive social protection



explore and interrogate the potential and challenges of 'cash plus' approaches



understand the importance of delivery and implementation of social protection interventions – cash and 'plus'



pay attention to nutrition!

Transitions from childhood into adulthood



Acknowledge intersection of life choices, pressures and aspiration



pay greater attention to the importance of social relations and social connectedness



be critical of singular, top-down and prescriptive approaches to supporting children in their transitions into adulthood



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