





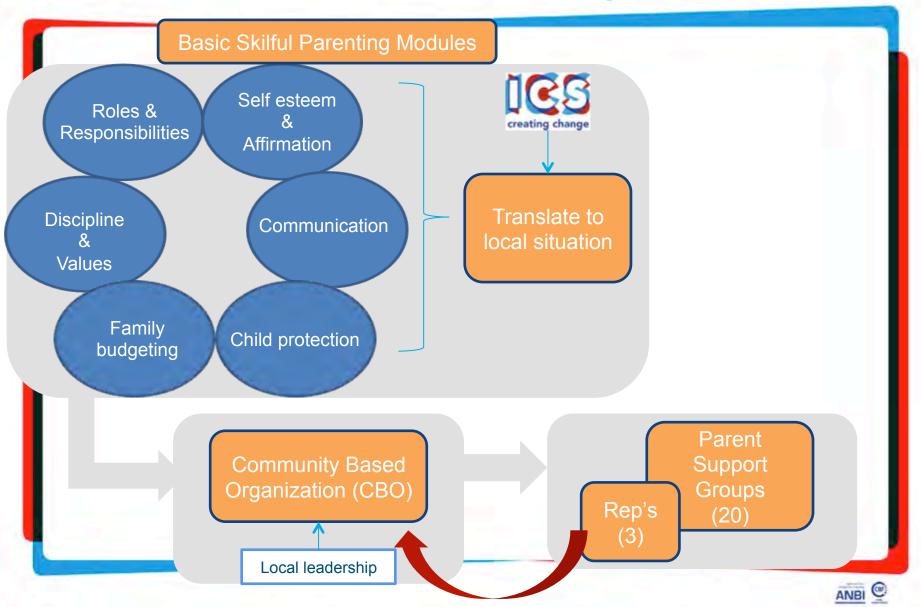
The Skilful Parenting Approach

How to change the lives of children by changing the parental skills of their caretakers



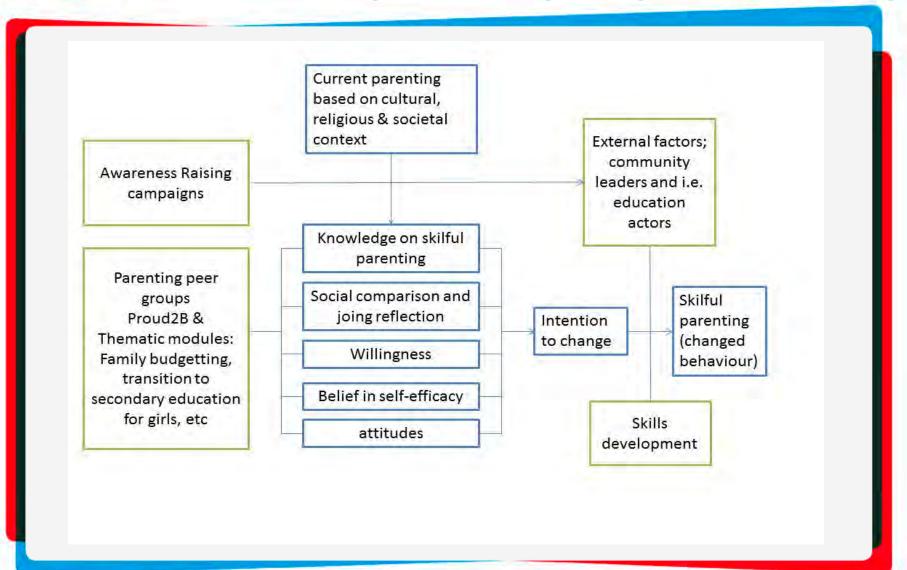


How our Skilful Parenting approach works



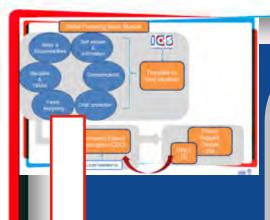


Behaviour change model regarding Skilful Parenting





Parenting modules



- 1. Roles and responsibilities as a positive parent
 - → how to create a trusting environment, commit and understand children's behaviour and development
- 2. Self esteem and affirmation
 - → recognize the importance of affirmation in parenting and encourage a healthy self esteem in the family
- 3. Communications
 - → develop healthy and effective communication in the home
- 4. Discipline and values
 - → understand the importance of values in the home, communicate values and understand principles of effective discipline
- Family budgeting
 - understand the implications of budgeting for the family
- 6. Child protection
 - o understand how to protect children from risky situations and how to act in cases of violation of rights of children

Parent support groups will identify additional topics that will be developed into modules by CBO's and ICS



Community Based Organization (CBO's)



- To reach out on a larger scale in a community, working through CBO's has the most impact
- ICS and its partners also work with ECD centres, Adult Literacy Programmes and School and Youth Clubs as entry point
- CBO's have a longer standing presence in a community and can provide longer term support



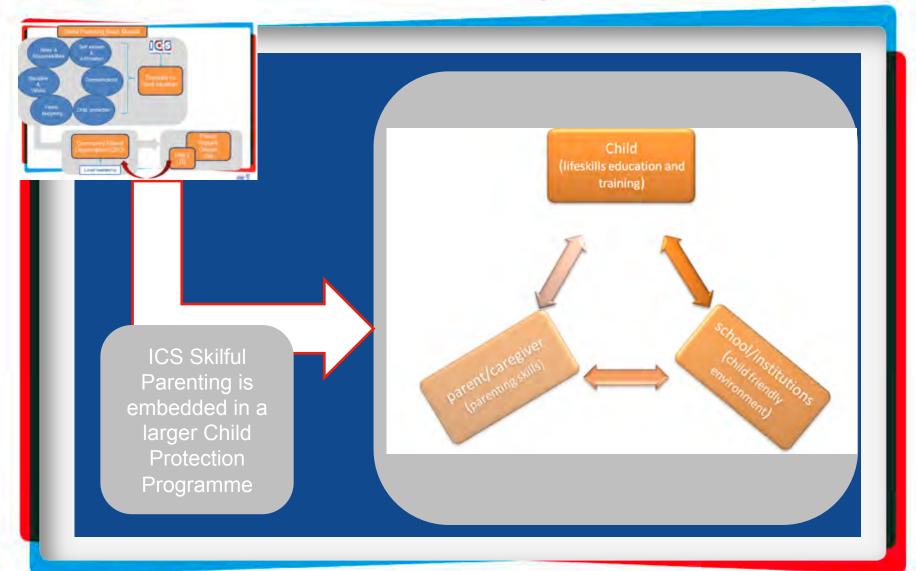
Parent Support Groups & Representatives



- Parent support groups are organised from existing groups; farmer groups in Kenya, saving groups in Cambodia, solar enterprise groups in Tanzania
- Parent groups consist of 20 members, who select 3 representatives to organise follow-through of parent peer groups with support of CBO's
- Each parent support group is organised following its specific possibilities and preferences
- The CBO will assist in getting expert information when the group identifies new topics



How Skilful Parenting fits in ICS program





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