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**Ethiopians Fighting Against Child Exploitation** is a 4-year, \$10 million project funded by the US Department of Labor which aims to **reduce child labor** primarily in the traditional weaving sector in three regions of Ethiopia.

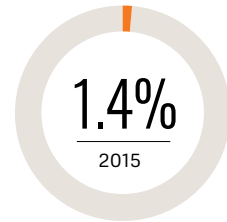
The project uses a **multi-sectoral approach** to addressing child labor through **provision of direct education and livelihoods services, strengthening capacity of local and national institutions, policy advocacy, awareness raising, social protection and research** to provide reliable data on child labor. The project has provided direct education services to **20,639 children and livelihoods services to 7,859 households.**

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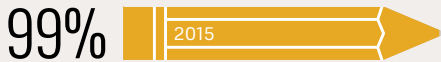


## CHILD LABOR

The percentage of E-FACE supported **children engaged in child labor decreased** from 85% in 2012 to 1.4% in 2015.



## EDUCATION



99% of E-FACE supported **children are retained in school** compared to 60% in 2012.

**Dropout rates** for E-FACE supported children in 57 target schools **have decreased** from 10% in 2012 to 2.3% in 2015.

In 2015, **74.5%** of students in target schools **scored an average of 65% or higher** across all subjects, up from 22.3% in 2012.

64%

**Enrollment rate** for E-FACE supported children in target schools has increased from 64% in 2012 to 95.1% in 2015.

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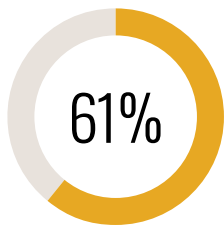
2012



2015

# OUTCOMES

## LIVELIHOODS



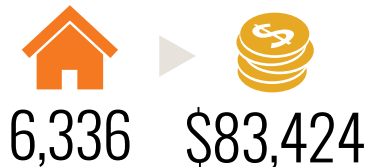
61% of TVET-trained youth have **secured formal and full-time employment.**



**90%** of business owners trained in Occupational Safety and Health have applied **two or more workplace improvements for their youth employees** and 90% of targeted weaving youth are accessing **education funded by their employers.**

**Annual income for weavers** has increased by **89.9%** and **potato farmers** by **858.4%**.

6,336 households are **participating in Village Savings and Loans Associations** and have a total of **USD 83,424 in assets** comprised of social funds, cumulative savings and interest on loans and penalties.



## SOCIAL PROTECTION

**88** target woredas have established functional **community-based child labor monitoring systems** that are implemented by community groups and actively track vulnerable children and their families to **keep children in school and out of hazardous work situations.**



**178** children were identified as trafficked and **reintegrated with their families.**

**Birth registration certificates** issued to **15,676** E-FACE supported children.

## POLICY ADVOCACY

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Supported the Ministry of Labor and Social Affairs (MOLSA) to **develop and approve the National Plan of Action (NAP) to Eliminate WFCL.**

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SNNP and Addis Ababa Regional Education Bureaus enacted manuals to **mainstream child labor and trafficking issues into education curriculum** for all primary school students in each region.

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**Zonal bylaws** in Gamo Gofa and Wolaita Zones which provide policies to combat and prevent child labor and trafficking have been enacted and **cover all target and non-target woredas** in these Zones.



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