

## FACTS ON DISABILITIES

- ⦿ Article 260 of the Constitution defines disability to include any physical, sensory, mental, psychological or other impairment condition or illness that has or is perceived by significant section of the community to have, a substantial or long term effect on an individual's ability to carry out ordinary day-to-day activities
- ⦿ In May, 2018 Kenya ratified UN Convention on rights of persons with disabilities
- ⦿ 1.63 Million (3.5%) Kenyans have a disability ( KNBS, 2017)
- ⦿ Only 340,900 persons with disability were registered by 2017

**Sources:** The Constitution of Kenya, Persons with Disabilities Act, 2013 and the National Council for Persons with Disabilities Website