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## **Enabling children to grow up in permanent, safe and caring families**

- Preventing unnecessary separation from families
- Supporting reintegration back into families
- Addressing child abuse and neglect in families
- Supporting families to care for children



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## **Ensuring a range of high-quality alternative care choices**

- Giving children who can't be looked after by their families a wide range of care choices, which may include:
  1. support to extended family carers
  2. small scale residential care
  3. foster care
  4. supervised independent living
- Ending the use of large-scale institutional care, especially for children under three years old
- Making sure that all alternative care is of high quality



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## **Preventing children from living outside of adult care and, in the interim, protecting these boys and girls**

- Helping children living alone on the streets, who have been trafficked or who are living with employers



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## **Promoting better and more participatory decision making about children's care**

- Making decisions on children's care on a case-by-case basis, considering the needs of each child
- Enabling children to participate in decisions about their care
- Supporting adults, including parents and other carers, to listen to and learn from children's views



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## **Building strong child protection systems which strengthen families and promote quality care for children**

- Achieving large-scale change to support the better care of children through:
  1. changing laws, policies and guidance
  2. building the child welfare workforce
  3. promoting service provision
  4. working with governments, communities and civil society

