

BRIEF ON PRAWA¹

Prisoners' Rehabilitation And Welfare Action [PRAWA] is a Non-governmental organization aimed at promoting Security, Justice and Development in Africa. It was established in 1994 and in 1998 it secured *observer status* with the African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights. The vision of PRAWA is the emergence of 'a humane and secure society that corrects and empowers to prevent crime, violence and torture'. The organisation's mission statement is to 'promote institutional reforms in formal and informal sector for access to justice, torture victims and youths at risks. The organization has three major programme components namely –

- ❖ Security and Justice Sector Reform
- ❖ Rehabilitation and Social Development
- ❖ Research and Documentation

The organization utilizes the following strategies in the implementation of its programmes activities: training and capacity building; research and advocacy; human rights monitoring; rehabilitation, care and direct support services to prisoners, ex-prisoners, torture victims, youths at risks and their families; and community engagement.

PRAWA currently has 83 staff made up of 29 full-time staff and 64 part-time, volunteer/associate staff). The organization has a 7 member Governing Board. The strength of the organization rests on its multi-disciplinary team and wealth of knowledge in research, policy and practice in the field as well as its ability to engage both formal and the informal sectors in its implementation of innovative and high impact interventions spanning close to two decades. The organization has since its inception trained over 50,000 prison officers, police officers and other justice sector practitioners. It has also provided direct support services and rehabilitation to over 108,000 prisoners, ex-prisoners, youths at risks, torture victims and their families with over 69 publications on the field of prisons, justice, security sector, torture and social development.

Highlight of Research Activities-

Some of the Research Activities implemented by PRAWA include the following-

- 1. Research on conditions of vulnerable prisoners in Nigeria [carried out in 57 prisons in Nigeria] 2000 – 2002² Funded by Open Society Initiative for West Africa (OSIWA)

¹ Updated December 2016

² This involves the carrying out of in-prison data collection in 57 prisons in 17 States of Nigeria to understudy the conditions of imprisonment and treatment of the following vulnerable prisoners – juveniles, women prisoners, mentally disabled prisoners, remand prisoners, prisoners on death row, prisoners with physical disabilities, Death Row Prisoners and Lifers (Persons Sentenced to Life Imprisonment). This research was funded by the Open Society Initiative for West Africa (OSIWA).

- 2. Perception Survey on Torture Prevalence in Enugu State 2008 – 2009 Funded by the International Rehabilitation Council for Torture Victims (IRCT)
- 3. Baseline on Prison Decongestion and Reentry Scheme [2008-2009]³ funded by SJG/DFID
- 4. Baseline Research in the six pilot countries – Nigeria, Rwanda, Kenya, Zambia, Burundi and Democratic Republic of Congo [involving administration of over 2185 Self Report Questionnaire, 85 in-depth interviews, 56 Focus Group Discussions [FGDs] involving 505 participants, observation of over 31 prisons and engaging 60 in-country interviewers [2010-2012], Funded by the Dutch Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- 5. Collection of compendium of best practices in prisons across Africa Funded by the Dutch Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
- 6. Scoping Study on Criminal Justice Institutions in Enugu State 2011 Funded by J4A/DFID
- 7. Production of Prison Population Monthly Trend Analysis in Enugu and FCT [since 2011 to date] Funded by J4A/DFID
- 8. Process Mapping, Problems and Solution Identification and development of Concept notes of the Speed Up Criminal Justice Sector in Enugu State involving Police, Prisons, Courts, Enugu State Ministry of Justice, Legal Aid Council and CSO's [September – December 2011]. Funded by J4A/DFID
- 9. Process Mapping, Problems and Solution Identification and development of Concept notes of the Speed Up Criminal Justice Sector in FCT involving Police, Prisons, Courts, Legal Aid Council, National Agency for Prohibition of Trafficking Against Persons and Other Related Offences, Economic Financial Crime Commission, Independent Corrupt Practices Commission, Federal Ministry of Justice and CSO's [December 2012 – January 2013]. Funded by J4A/DFID
- 10. Nigeria Prisons Capacity of Transportation of Awaiting Trial Prisoners to Court [FCT] 2012 and 2013 Funded by J4A/DFID
- 11. Assessment of Nigerian Prisons capacity to Transport Awaiting Trial Prisoners to Court, in Kuje prisons in FCT, Keffi Old and new Prison in Nassarawa State and Suleja Prison in Niger State. Funded by J4A/DFID
- 12. Nigeria Prisons Capacity of Transportation of Awaiting Trial Prisoners to Court [Enugu] 2012 carried out in Enugu, Oji River, and Nsukka prisons in Enugu State.

³ This research was conducted in all the prisons located within Enugu State Nigeria – Enugu Maximum Security Prison, Oji River Prison, Nsukka Prison, and Ibitolu Prison Farm Centre. The funding for this research was provided by the Security, Justice and Growth (SJG) Programme/DFID

Funded by J4A/DFID

- 13. Causes of Court Adjournment Monitoring Exercise in Enugu 2012 and 2013
Funded by J4A/DFID
- 14. Causes of Court Adjournment Monitoring Exercise in FCT 2012 and 2013
Funded by J4A/DFID.
- 15. Research on the Treatment of Traffic and Environmental Offenders in Enugu State, Nigeria (2014) Funded by J4A/DFID
- 16. Research on Implementation of Alternatives to Imprisonment Measures in Enugu State, Nigeria (2014) Funded by J4A/DFID
- 17. Research on Bail Processing in Enugu State, Nigeria (2014) Funded by J4A/DFID
- 18. Research on the Treatment of Traffic and Environmental Offenders in the Federal Capital Territory, Nigeria (2015) Funded by J4A/DFID
- 19. Research on Implementation of Alternatives to Imprisonment Measures in the Federal capital Territory, Nigeria (2015) Funded by J4A/DFID
- 20. Research on Bail Processing in the Federal Capital Territory, Nigeria (2015)
Funded by J4A/DFID
- 21. Client Satisfaction Survey on the Legal Aid Council of Nigeria in Six States – Lagos, Kwara, Cross River, Taraba, Kaduna, and Anambra States (2015) Funded by World Bank.

- 22. Baseline Research of Kirikiri Maximum and Kirikiri Medium Security Prison (2016)
funded by J4A/CSSF

- 23. Nigeria Prison Survey Reports Vol 1 (funded by Foreign and Commonwealth Office of the British Government)

- 24. Nigerian Prison Survey Reports Vol 2 (funded by Foreign and Commonwealth Office of the British Government)

- 25. Nigerian Prison Survey Reports Vol 3 (funded by Foreign and Commonwealth Office of the British Government)

SOME OF PRAWA PUBLICATIONS:

A. Penal Reform Educational Series:

- (1) Prisoners Also Have Rights
- (2) Torture in Detention
- (3) Dying in Custody
- (4) Guilty Until Proved Innocent: The burden of Remand Prisoners in Nigeria
- (5) What the Laws say about Prisoners
- (6) Facts About Nigeria Prison System
- (7) Protecting the Rights of Nigerian Citizens in Foreign Jails
- (8) Overcrowding in Nigerian Prisons
- (9) Alternatives to Imprisonment
- (10) Women in Custody

B. Prisons and Penal Reform Factsheets

- (11) Prison Population
- (12) Rehabilitation and Resettlement of ex-prisoners
- (13) Vulnerable Prisoners
- (14) Non-Custodial Sanctions
- (15) Criminal Justice Administration
- (16) Religious Activities in Prison
- (17) Education for Prisoners
- (18) Changing Behaviour
- (19) Healthcare in Prison
- (20) HIV/AIDS in Prison

C. Family Link Series

- (21) Accommodation
- (22) Aftercare
- (23) Contact with outside world
- (24) Health Matters
- (25) Information, Request and Complaints
- (26) Mentally Disordered Prisoners
- (27) Religion
- (28) Useful Organisations
- (29) Women Prisons
- (30) Young Prisoners

D. Prison Link Series

- (31) Prison Link Bulletin Series 1
- (32) Prison Link Bulletin Series 2
- (33) Prison Link Bulletin Series 3
- (34) Prison Link Bulletin Series 4

E. Training Manuals

- (35) Towards Good Standards: A Manual for Prison Officers in Nigeria
- (36) Prison Link Unit Training Guide
- (37) Manual for the Training of Prison Officer-Trainers on the United Nations Standard Minimum Rules for the Treatment of Prisoners (for Nigeria)

- (38) Manual for the Training of Prison Officer-Trainers on the United Nations Standard Minimum Rules for the Treatment of Prisoners (for Ghana)
- (39) Practice Guide for Implementation of Crime Prevention and Community Development Scheme (CP-CDS)
- (40) Treatment of Vulnerable Prisoners – A Practice Guide
- (41) Torture Awareness Manual for Health Professionals
- (42) Nigeria Police Force Human Rights Training Manual
- (43) Nigeria Police Force Human Rights Trainers' Guide
- (44) Practice Manual for Court Witness Support Volunteers (In the Press)
- (45) Manual for NGOs on Project Management, (Produced by PRAWA in Partnership with Human Rights Agenda Network (HRAN))
- (46) Manual for NGOs on Fund Raising, Human Rights Agenda Network (Produced by PRAWA in Partnership with HRAN)
- (47) Human Rights and Torture Prevention Training Manual for the Police
- (48) Re-entry Manual: Effective Strategies for Developing Prison and Community – Based Programmes (In the Press)
- (49) Jail Delivery Exercise Manual
- (50) Guidance Note for Investigators

F. Research Reports

- (51) The Prison Service and Penal Reform in Nigeria: A Synthesis Study for the Safety, Security and Access to Justice Programme
- (52) Report of Remand / Awaiting Trial Prisoners
- (53) Report on Juvenile
- (54) Report on Women and Mothers with Babies in Prison
- (55) Report on Prisoners With Physical Disabilities
- (56) Report on Prisoners Mentally Disabilities
- (57) Prisoners on Life Sentence
- (58) Prisoners on Death Row
- (59) Baseline Report on the Prison Decongestion and Reentry Scheme
- (60) Baseline Report on Prison Reform Interventions in Kenya
- (61) Baseline Report on Prison Reform Interventions in Burundi
- (62) Baseline Report on Prison Reform Interventions in Rwanda
- (63) Baseline Report on Prison Reform Interventions in Zambia
- (64) Baseline Report on Prison Reform Interventions in Nigeria
- (65) Baseline Report on Prison Reform Interventions in Democratic Republic of Congo

G. Other Publications

- (66) Decongesting the Nigerian Prisons and Police Cells: A Handbook of Practical Strategies for the Remand Population
- (67) Agenda for Penal Reform
- (68) Internal Human Rights Monitoring Mechanisms in Prison
- (69) A Reference Book on the Administration of Justice: A Compilation of United Nations Human Rights Instruments (2 editions)
- (70) Directory on Penal Reform NGOs in Nigeria
- (71) The Prison Service and Penal Reform in Nigeria: A Synthesis Study

H. Posters

- (71) Human Rights in Prison (Translated in local languages) (3 editions)

- (72) Vulnerable Prisoners Series on:
- Remand / Awaiting Trial Prisoners
 - Juvenile
 - Women and Mothers with Babies in Prison
 - Prisoners with Physical Disabilities
 - Report on Prisoners Mentally Disabilities
 - Prisoners on Life Sentence
 - Prisoners on Death Row

(73). Posters on the Nigeria Police Force Human Rights Training (3 versions)

(74) Stickers on the Nigerian Police Force Human Rights Training (2 versions)

I. Regular Series

(75). PRAWA NEWS (Since September 1998)

(76). PRAWA Annual Report (Since 1994)

J. Audio - Visuals

(77) "Rights of Prisoners" (60 minutes)

(78) "Echoes from Prison" (35 minutes)

(79). "Death Penalty: Punishment or Vengeance"

(80). 'Double Victim' (A Documentary on Treatment of Mentally Disabled Prisoners in Nigeria.

(81). Not My Luck (13-weeks episodes audio docu-drama on Torture)

Some of PRAWA past and ongoing project activities include the following-

	Project Title / Description	Location	Funder	Year / Duration
1	Research on Treatment Condition of Prisoners	Lagos, Nigeria	Self-funded ⁴	1994 – 1998
2	Prison Visits and Provision of Welfare Support and Training for Prisoners	Lagos, Nigeria	Self-funded	1994 – 1998
3	Training of Prison Officers on Human Rights and Good Prison Practice [implemented at the Prison Training School Kirikiri, Lagos	Lagos Nigeria	Self-funded	1994 – 1998
4	National Conference on Prison Reform in Nigeria [this lead to the formation of the National Coalition on Penal Reform in Nigeria	Ibadan, Oyo State Nigeria	British Council	1997
5	Community Skills Training [in Sewing for ex-prisoners]	Lagos Nigeria	Irish Embassy	1997/98
6	Alternative to Violence Training [Introduction of AVP in Nigeria and training of 66 AVP Volunteers]. This led to the establishment of AVP Nigeria which subsequently carried out over 100 AVP trainings across Nigeria	Lagos Nigeria	British Council and AVP UK	1998
7	Training on International Human Rights and Good Prison Practice	Nigeria [selected prisons and training carried out in all the states of the federation]	British High Commission	1998 - 2000
8	Prison Link Project-	Nigeria [establishment of prison link officers in over 69 prisons and prison link training units in all the prison training institutions in Nigeria]	British High Commission	2000 – 2001
9	Prison and Community Based Rehabilitation Scheme	Nigeria - Lagos and Enugu States for the Community Based Component, and Ore Prison Farm Okigwe in Imo State and Umuahia Prisons in Abia State for the	European Union [project implemented in partnership with the Penal Reforms International]	1998 -1999

⁴ Funded through contributions from PRAWA staff and board members.

		Prison Based Component		
10	Penal Reforms Media Network [PERMNET] Project and the production of Penal Reforms Media Factsheets	Nigeria establishing a network of 51 journalists from 52 media houses	European Union [project implemented in partnership with the Penal Reforms International]	1998-1999
11	Family Link Project	In all the 10 prisons located under Zone 'A' of the Prison Service namely, Lagos State and Ogun State Prisons	European Union [project implemented in partnership with the Penal Reforms International]	1998-1999
12	Training on Human Rights and Good Prison Practice	Nigeria (in targeted locations)	European Union [project implemented in partnership with the Penal Reforms International]	1998-1999
13	Production of Audio Visual [Documentary] 'Echoes from Prisons'	General	Self - Funded	1997
14	Production of audio –visual docu-drama on 'Rights of Prisoners' (with special focus on torture, inhuman and degrading treatment of detainees and prisoners)	General	1 st Edition [Ford Foundation] 2 nd Edition [British High Commission]	1 st Edition 1998 2 nd Edition 2009
15	Production of Audio Visual [Documentary] on 'Death Penalty' [Sub-titled in French]	General	Self - Funded	2000
16	Penal Reform Education Project	Nigeria	Danish Embassy	1998/1999
17	Vulnerable Prisoners Awareness Project [VAP] focusing on research on women, juveniles, remand, death row, physically challenged, and mentally challenged prisoners	Nigeria with research carried out in 57 prisons in Nigeria	Open Society Initiative for West Africa [OSIWA]	2000-2002
18	African Transformative Justice Project [ATJP] including introduction of prison, court, and community-based victim-offender mediation.	Lagos - Nigeria, Accra - Ghana, and Banjul - The Gambia	Innovative Fund of the DFID Social Development Department UK	2000-2002
19	Death Penalty Awareness Project	Ghana	Switzerland Embassy Accra Ghana	2001
20	Training on International Human Rights Standards and Good Prison Practice for Ghana Prison Service	Ghana	Switzerland	2002
21	Innocent Women Awareness Project [Addressing the issue of innocent women in prisons detained in lieu of their male children, friends or spouse]	Nigeria	United States of Embassy in Nigeria	2001-2002
22	Crime Prevention and Community Development Scheme (CP-CDS)	Three communities in Ihube - Okigwe	STATOIL NORWAY	2003-2005

	including training on entrepreneurship, alternative to violence and provision of micro-credit to women and youths at risks.	Imo State and Ossa Umuahia Abia State Nigeria		
23	Providing support for the organization of In – Prison (faith-based) Outreaches aimed at reducing offending and re-offending behaviours (Reformation/ Rehabilitation) implemented by the Making of Kings Ministries	Sierra Leone, Kenya, Zambia, Rwanda, Burundi, Democratic Republic of Congo, and Nigeria (Benue, Ogun, Lagos, Imo, Abia, Ebonyi, Enugu, Anambra, Rivers, Cross Rivers, Akwa Ibom, Delta, and Edo States Prisons)	Self-Funded and through PRAWA Staff Donations	2007 to date
24	Prison Decongestion and Reentry Scheme [PDRS]	Enugu State [covering the following prisons- Enugu, Nsukka, Oji River, and Ibitolu Prisons] Nigeria	Security Justice and Growth/DFID	2008-2009
25	Torture Documentation And Redress Scheme [TDRS]	Nigeria	British High Commission	2008 – 2011
26	Torture Prevention and Awareness Project [includes also police station based training and public awareness activities.	Enugu State and Federal Capital Territory [FCT] Nigeria	OAK Foundation and the International Rehabilitation Council for Torture Victims [IRCT]	2009 and 2011 respectively
27.	Production of 13-episodes audio [drama] titled ‘Not My Luck’ focusing on Torture and the need for its prevention.	General	OAK Foundation and the International Rehabilitation Council for Torture Victims [IRCT]	2009
28	Prisoners Capacity Building Project [Training in Computer Appreciation and Repairs]	Kaduna Prison Kaduna State Nigeria	Switzerland Embassy Nigeria	2009 -2010
29	Police Station Based Human Rights and Torture Prevention Training	Federal Capital Territory - Nigeria	Switzerland Embassy Nigeria	2010-2011
30	Community Justice Project – Rights Education and Community Mediation Services’	Amokpo Nike, Enugu, Enugu State – Nigeria	Self -Funded	2010
31	Prison Reforms Intervention in Africa [PRIA]. This involves the following – a. Conducted baseline research in the six pilot countries.	Nigeria, Kenya, Zambia, Rwanda, Burundi, Democratic Republic of Congo and across the continent utilizing	Dutch Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2010 – 2013

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> b. collection of compendium of best practices in prisons across Africa c. Implementation of in-country based and regional training and capacity building activities including- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Training of Trainers on Human Rights and Good Prison Practice [Rwanda, Kenya, Burundi, Zambia, Nigeria and DRC] - Development of Draft Strategic Plan for the Correctional Service [Zambia] - Development of Prison Database [Zambia, Kenya] - Development of Draft Prison Mental Health [Zambia, Kenya] - Development of Draft Rehabilitation Policy [Zambia, Kenya] - Training for the Prison Public Relations Staff [Zambia, Kenya] - Training on Prison Classification and Security [DRC, Burundi] 	the platform of the African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights and the African Correctional Services Association (ACSA)		
32	<p>Speeding Up of Criminal Justice Project this includes the following projects –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Speeding Up of Police Investigations [Enugu State] b. Speeding Up of Prosecutions [Enugu and FCT] c. Speeding Up Court Trial Process [Enugu, FCT] d. Enhancing the Attendance of Witnesses in Court [Enugu, FCT] including the Establishment of Witness 	Pilot States: Enugu State and the Federal Capital Territory Nigeria, and with a national roll out of the Pro Bono Clearing House initiative in partnership with the Legal Aid Council of Nigeria as well as the Case Management System in partnership with Nigeria Prison Service]	Justice for All / DFID	2011 to date

	<p>Support Unit at the Court Premises [Enugu]</p> <p>e. Enhancing Legal Representation for Awaiting Trial Persons and the establishment of Clearing House for Pro Bono Legal Services [Enugu and FCT]</p> <p>f. Enhancing Transportation of Remand Prisoners to Court [Enugu, FCT]</p> <p>g. Enhancing Coordination amongst Criminal Justice Institutions [FCT]</p> <p>h. Development and Monitoring of Case Management System in the Police [Enugu], Ministry of Justice [Enugu], and Judiciary [Enugu, FCT], Prisons [Enugu, FCT]</p>			
33	Human Rights Training Integration [HRTI] Project	Enugu, Kaduna, and Lagos States of Nigeria	British High Commission	2011 – 2012
34	Illegal Migration Awareness Project [IMAP]	Nigeria - Enugu, Lagos, Abuja, Benue	British High Commission	2011 – 2012
35	Research on Justice Sector Inventory Portfolio for Enugu State	Enugu – Nigeria	Justice for All/DFID	2011
36	Training of Prison Psychologist on Trauma Counselling and Development of Protocol for Identification of Torture Victims, and provision of prison and community-based medical and psycho-social rehabilitation for torture victims	Enugu	OAK Foundation and the International Rehabilitation Council for Torture Victims [IRCT]	2011-2012
37	Printing of the Nigeria Prisons Standing Order and the Production of Prisoners' Handbook in Hausa, Ibo, Yoruba, Pidgin English and English, and	Nigeria	British High Commission (through the Human Rights Integrated Project, HRTI) and the Dutch Ministry of Foreign Affairs (through the Prison Reforms Interventions in Africa Project, PRIA)	2012 – 2013

38	Human Rights and Police Project involving the Development of the Nigeria Police Human Rights Training Manual	Nigeria	Switzerland Embassy	2012-2013, 2013 – 2014
39	Drug Abuse and Prevent Awareness Creation Project [Prisons, Secondary Schools, and other Community Based Locations]	Nigeria (So far the programme have been conducted in over 30 prisons in Ogun, Imo, Rivers, Enugu, Akwa Ibom, Cross Rivers, Delta, and Edo States, and in over 21 secondary and tertiary schools and one community in Enugu and Lagos States.	Self - Funded	2012 to date
40	Collection of Law Reports	Nigeria	Africa Library Project, Switzerland	2013
41	Production of Audio Visual [Documentary] 'Double Victim' focusing on the treatment of prisoners living with mental disability subtitled in French	General	Produced with the Support of the Dutch Ministry of Foreign Affairs (as part of the Prison Reform Intervention in Africa Project)	2013
42	Crime and Human Rights Awareness for Teenagers	Lagos State (Five Secondary Schools in Surulere, Mainland, and Mushin Local Government Areas)	Self-funded	2013 – 2014
43	Research on the Use of Bail, Alternatives to Imprisonment, and Treatment of Environmental and Traffic Offenders	Enugu State	Justice for All	2014
44	Live Clean and Healthy in Prison Campaign (aimed at provision of sanitary towels to female prisoners)	Kirikiri Female Prison Lagos State	Self - funded	Since March 2014 to date
45	Production of Handbook on the Utilization of ECOWAS Court of Justice for Effective Victim Reparation [in partnership with the ECOWAS Court of Justice and Redress, United Kingdom]	West African sub region	Self-funded	2014
46	Production of a Report on the Protection of the Rights of Children of Incarcerated Persons in Nigeria [in partnership with the Institute of Child Protect, The Gambia]	Nigeria	Self-funded	2014

47	Global Study on Children Deprived of their Liberty [in partnership with the Defence for Children International and over 60 Civil Society Organisations with the support of the UN Committee on the Rights of the Child.	Global	Not directly funded through PRAWA	2014 to date
48	Development of a African Regional Guide on Torture Victims Compensation for Judicial Officers (in partnership with CSVR South Africa and the Counseling Services Unit Zimbabwe)	Africa	Self - funded	2014 – 2015
49	Pan Africa Reparation Initiative [in partnership with REDRESS UK, CSVR South Africa, Independent Medical – Legal Unit Kenya, Africa Centre for Torture Victims Uganda, and other African NGOs)	Africa	Not directly funded through PRAWA	2012 to date
50	Mental Health and Justice Project [implemented in partnership with the Legal Aid Council of Nigeria]	Nigeria and through the African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights	United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime	2014
51	Promoting the Implementation of the Universal Periodic Review Recommendations to Nigeria on Torture Prevention, Detention and Justice Sector Reforms [in partnership with National Human Rights Commission)	Nigeria	The German Embassy through the International Rehabilitation Council for Torture Victims (IRCT)	2014
52	Police Against Gender-Based Violence and HIV/Aids	FCT and Lagos State (Nigeria)	UN-WOMEN	2014
53	Curbing Human-Trafficking in Top Endemic States of Nigeria (in partnership with the National Agency for the Prevention and Prohibition of Trafficking in Persons and Other Related Matters, NAP TIP)	Nigeria (Kaduna, Kano, Edo, Anambra and Ogun States)	Netherlands Embassy	2014 – 2017 (extended to Feb 2018)
54	Development of the Nigeria Prison Service Strategic Plan 2015 - 2020	Nigeria (National)	Justice for All/DFID	2015
55	Security Justice Training Information and Coordination (SJ-TIC) Project	Nigeria (National)	Part Funded by the Open Society Justice Initiative (OSJI)	2015
56	Comprehensive Prison Support Intervention (Maximum Prison Kirikiri Lagos Pilot)	Lagos State (Maximum Prison Kirikiri, Lagos)	Justice for All/DFID	January-March 2016
57	Development of the National Legal Aid Strategy of Nigeria	National	UNODC/European Union	December 2015 – September 2016
58	Development of Guidance Manual for Enhancing Pro Bono Stakeholders' Engagement and	National	UNODC/European Union	December 2015 – September 2016

	Coordination on provision of Legal Aid			
59	Development of Guidelines for Fast Tracking the Implementation of the Mandela Rules/Bangkok Rules	National	UNODC/European Union	December 2015-September 2016
60	Training of Legal Aid Council Paralegals	National	UNODC/European Union	December 2015 – September 2016
61	Implementation of the National Roll Out of the Nigeria Police Force Human Rights Training Programme 2015-2020	National	Embassy of Switzerland, UNODC, and GIZ	2015 to date
62	Prison Reform Implementation	National	Foreign and Commonwealth Office of the British Government	November 2016 – March 2019

Prison Visits and Monitoring-

PRAWA has carried out over 150 prison visits/monitoring activities in several countries such as Ghana, Rwanda, Nigeria, Sierra Leone, Liberia, Mozambique, South Africa, Zimbabwe, Kenya, Malawi, Swaziland, The Gambia, UK, Netherlands, USA, Czech Republic, Thailand, China, Barbados, Zambia, Burundi, Democratic Republic of Congo, etc.

Networks-

The organization collaborates with several governmental, non-governmental, community-based organizations and faith-based organizations and professional bodies in the implementation of its activities. PRAWA is a member of the following networks/associations: Federal Capital Territory Criminal Justice Administration Committee, Enugu State Justice Reform Team (ESJRT), African Security Sector Network (ASSN), International Security Sector Advisory Team (ISSAT), Association of Security Sector Education and Training (ASSET), International Rehabilitation Council for Torture Victims (IRCT), and the International Corrections and Prisons Association (ICPA). PRAWA is also a member of the Consortium of Local Partners for the Justice for All (J4All) Programme Nigeria.

Office Locations-

PRAWA has offices in Enugu, Abuja and Lagos Nigeria and prison service liaison officers Zambia, Rwanda, Kenya, Burundi, Nigeria and the Democratic Republic of Congo and a Legal Intern at the African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights supporting the Special Rapporteur on Prisons and Conditions of Detention in Africa.