

**A SURVEY OF THE VARIOUS EFFECTS OF DRUG  
ABUSE ON COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

**A CASE STUDY OF NYAMIRA COUNTY**

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## **ABSTRACT**

The purpose of the study was investigating the effects of drug abuse within Nyamira County.

The objectives of the study include:

To investigate the effect of drug abuse on community development in Kenya,

To recommend rehabilitation models for the youths involved in drug abuse,

To evaluate the effects of drug abuse on community development to establish the effects of drug abuse on community development

To determine the effects of drug abuse on community development. The study was limited by confidentiality and nature of work. Descriptive research design was used in the study. Primary and secondary data collection methods were used. The target population used was 134 respondents and a sample size of 62 respondents was taken

The research used random sampling to select the above sample size. The data was analyzed quantitatively and qualitatively. It is recommended that community should bring better ideas on way in which to discipline a given person in case any mistakes committed by community member. The community leadership or county leadership should prevent drug abuse in order to bring about community development. Every community members in terms of economic growth since it results to discrimination which brings about poor dev elopement within the community.