**RELEVANT STANDARDS FOR CHILD RIGHTS\***

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| **INTERNATIONAL**   * Charter of the United Nations * Universal Declaration on Human Rights (UDHR) * International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (ICESCR) * Optional Protocol to the ICESCR (ICESCR – OP) * International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (ICCPR) * 2 Optional Protocols to ICCPR (ICCPR – OP1; ICCPR – OP2) * Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination (CERD) * Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women (CEDAW) * Optional Protocol to CEDAW (OP-CEDAW) * Convention against Torture and other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (CAT) * Optional Protocol to CAT (OP-CAT) * Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC) * Optional Protocol to CRC on the involvement of children in armed conflict (OP-CRC-AC) * Optional Protocol to CRC on the sale of children, child prostitution and child pornography (OP-CRC-SC) * International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of their Families (ICMW) * Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD) * Optional Protocol to CRPD (OP-CRPD) * Minimum Age Convention (No. 138) * Worst Forms of Child Labour Convention (No. 182) * Convention on Consent to Marriage, Minimum Age of Marriage and Registration of Marriages * Convention Relating to the Status of Refugees * Geneva Conventions and their Additional Protocols | **REGIONAL**  *Africa*   * Constitutive Act of the African Union * African [Banjul] Charter on Human and Peoples’ Rights * Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples’ Rights * Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples’ Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa * African Charter on the Rights and Welfare of the Child   *Americas*   * Charter of the Organization of American States * American Declaration on the Rights and Duties of Men * American Convention on Human Rights * Inter American Convention to Prevent and Punish Torture * Protocol of San Salvador: Additional Protocol to the American Convention on Human Rights on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights * Inter-American Convention on the Prevention, Punishment, and Eradication of Violence Against Women * Inter-American Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Persons with Disabilities   *Europe*   * European Convention for the Protection of human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms, and its 15 (from 1 to 14bis) Protocols * European Social Charter * Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities * Council of Europe Convention on Action against Trafficking in Human Beings |