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JSMP Launches Report on Children's Access to Formal Justice in Timor-Leste

On 5 June 2014, JSMP launched its new report [Children's Access to Formal Justice in Timor-Leste](#) as well as a new unit - Women and Children's Justice Unit.

JSMP presented a summary of the report's findings and recommendations to key partners from Government, civil society and international agencies.

"We hope that this report can be a useful source of information on children's justice matters in Timor-Leste and be a reference to future strategies designed to address the issues affecting the realisation of children's rights to access formal justice" said Luís de Oiveira Sampaio, JSMP's Executive Director.

The event counted with speeches by Ms Ana Pessoa, Special Advisor to the President, Ms Maria Barreto, National Commissioner for the Rights of the Child, and Ms Carmen da Cruz, Director-General for Social Reinsertion at the Ministry of Social Solidarity.

The full report is available online for download in [Tetum](#), [Portuguese](#) and [English](#).

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