Record Nr. UNINA9910369927203321 Autore Abdulraheem-Mustapha Mariam Adepeju **Titolo** Child Justice Administration in Africa / / by Mariam Adepeju Abdulraheem-Mustapha Pubbl/distr/stampa Cham:,: Springer International Publishing:,: Imprint: Palgrave Macmillan, , 2020 **ISBN** 3-030-19015-3 Edizione [1st ed. 2020.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (274 pages) Disciplina 305.26096 340.096 Economic development Soggetti Youth in development Africa—Politics and government Criminal law Public policy Development and Children African Politics Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure Law **Public Policy** Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia 1. Chapter 1: Introduction -- 2. Chapter 2: Understanding the Concept Nota di contenuto of Child Delinquency in the Administration of Child Justice -- 3. Chapter 3: The Nature of Child Justice Administration -- 4. Chapter 4: International and Regional Legal Framework on Child Justice Administration -- 5. Chapter 5: Legal and Institutional Frameworks on Child Justice Administration in Nigeria -- 6. Chapter 6: Legal and Institutional Frameworks for Child Justice Administration in South Africa -- 7. Chapter 7: Reforming Child Justice Administration in Africa: Comparative Perspectives, Conclusion and the Way Forward. Sommario/riassunto This interdisciplinary book analyzes the nature of child justice administration in Africa, particularly focusing on Nigeria and South

Africa. The author uses a comparative approach in analyzing the legal

regime and practice of child justice administration in Africa by recommending South Africa as inspiration for Nigeria since the justice sector in South Africa is significantly more developed. It further investigates various problems and challenges associated with children in the criminal justice system in Africa, thereby contributing to the cross-fertilization and collaboration among African nations that contributes to the development of the continent as a whole. The monograph shows that children are not only neglected by academics and practitioners but also that there is no access to scholarly materials in this area of law in Africa. This work contributes to knowledge in the area of law and methodology on the issue of child justice administration, development studies, political science, and African studies. Mariam Adepeju Abdulraheem-Mustapha is Senior Lecturer in the Department of Public Law at the University of Ilorin, Nigeria.