World Vision

CAPACITY STATEMENT

Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH)

Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH) are at the heart of child well-being and are essential for children and their families to thrive. We focus on bringing clean water, dignified sanitation and effective hygiene practices to communities, schools and healthcare facilities.

What is the problem?

Lack of proper hygiene practices, access to proper sanitation facilities and clean water is causing a high level of intestinal diseases, such as diarrhoea, which causes high levels of mortality especially for vulnerable children under five years old.

How is World Vision addressing the issues?

We are partnering with communities to ensure access to cleanwater, stakeholders and sanitation facilities in good hygiene basic such households and institutions as schools and health facilities.

What are some of the approaches we are using?

- Drilling of shallow boreholes fitted with hand pumps
- Provision of water, sanitation and hygiene stations in schools and health facilities
- Community Led Total Sanitation (CLTS)
- Menstrual health and hygiene promotion
- Water stations with deep boreholes fitted with solar powered pumps and distribution systems
- Rainwater harvesting systems
- Nurturing Care Groups (NCG) approach to promote hygiene behaviour change

2021 - 2022 Impact Figures*



135,100 people provided with access to clean drinking water



8,800 households established hand washing facilities



households constructed latrines

villages achieved open defecation free status

54,100

people reached through hygiene awereness and behaviour change campaigns

*figures rounded off