



Impact Report

2025

This report provides an overview of the work of World Vision International in Burkina Faso, from October 2024 to September 2025.

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WE ARE WORLD VISION

World Vision international is a Christian relief, development and advocacy organization dedicated to working with children, families and communities to promote human transformation and justice.

Our goal is to help the most vulnerable children overcome poverty and live the life in all its fullness. We serve all people regardless of religion, race, ethnicity or gender.

World Vision has been working in Burkina Faso since 2021 to respond to humanitarian needs, reduce suffering and strengthen communities resilience.

The 2024-2028 country strategy targets **1.6 million people** – including **1 million children** – among the most vulnerable in conflict-affected areas.

We work alongside families, and with local, national and global partners, to enable children take an active role with their families in building lives free of need and full of promise.

Since the beginning of its interventions, World Vision has been able to impact the lives of **1,479,788 people** across various sectors of intervention.

OUR VISION

Our vision for every child,
life in all its fullness.

Our prayer for every heart,
the will to make it so.



FOREWORD FROM COUNTRY DIRECTOR



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Dear partners, friends and colleagues,

It is with immense joy and gratitude that we share with you the 2025 annual report, which summarises the impact of World Vision International's activities in Burkina Faso. We take this opportunity to give thanks to God for his protection and provision over the past year.

In 2025, we witnessed the incredible strength of communities in the face of adversity. In a global context marked by persistent crises, our mission took on its full meaning: **to protect, support and restore** hope to those who need it most.

Every action taken, every smile restored, every life transformed is the result of collective commitment and a shared vision.

Thanks to your trust and the determination of our teams, we have been able to reach **477,147 people**, including **200,797 children**, offering them not only immediate relief but also sustainable prospects. Our interventions in the areas of **food security, health and nutrition, child protection, and water,**

sanitation and hygiene have helped to build solid foundations for a better future.

This report is not just a review: it is a **testimony to what we can achieve together** when we believe in human dignity and resilience.

Admittedly, in 2025 we faced a number of challenges, but our efforts to maintain constant engagement with donors, the celebration of reaching one million participants in our humanitarian response programme, the launch of the WASH 2026-2030 business plan, the visit of WVI's Vice President of Operations, accompanied by the regional leader and all country directors from the West Africa region, and active participation in humanitarian clusters and organisational coalitions, are all highlights of our efforts to build strong partnerships for the well-being of children.

We are beginning a new year, 2026, which corresponds to a new global strategic cycle of our promise entitled "*Bold Hope for Children*", which inspires us to remain courageous and transform ourselves into an agile organisation capable of adapting quickly as new challenges arise.

Finally, I would like to thank all our partners, including the Government of Burkina Faso, the children, donors, local authorities, community and faith-based organisations, and our employees for their sincere cooperation and commitment.

Let us continue to turn challenges into opportunities and make hope a reality for the most vulnerable children in Burkina Faso.

May God bless you all !

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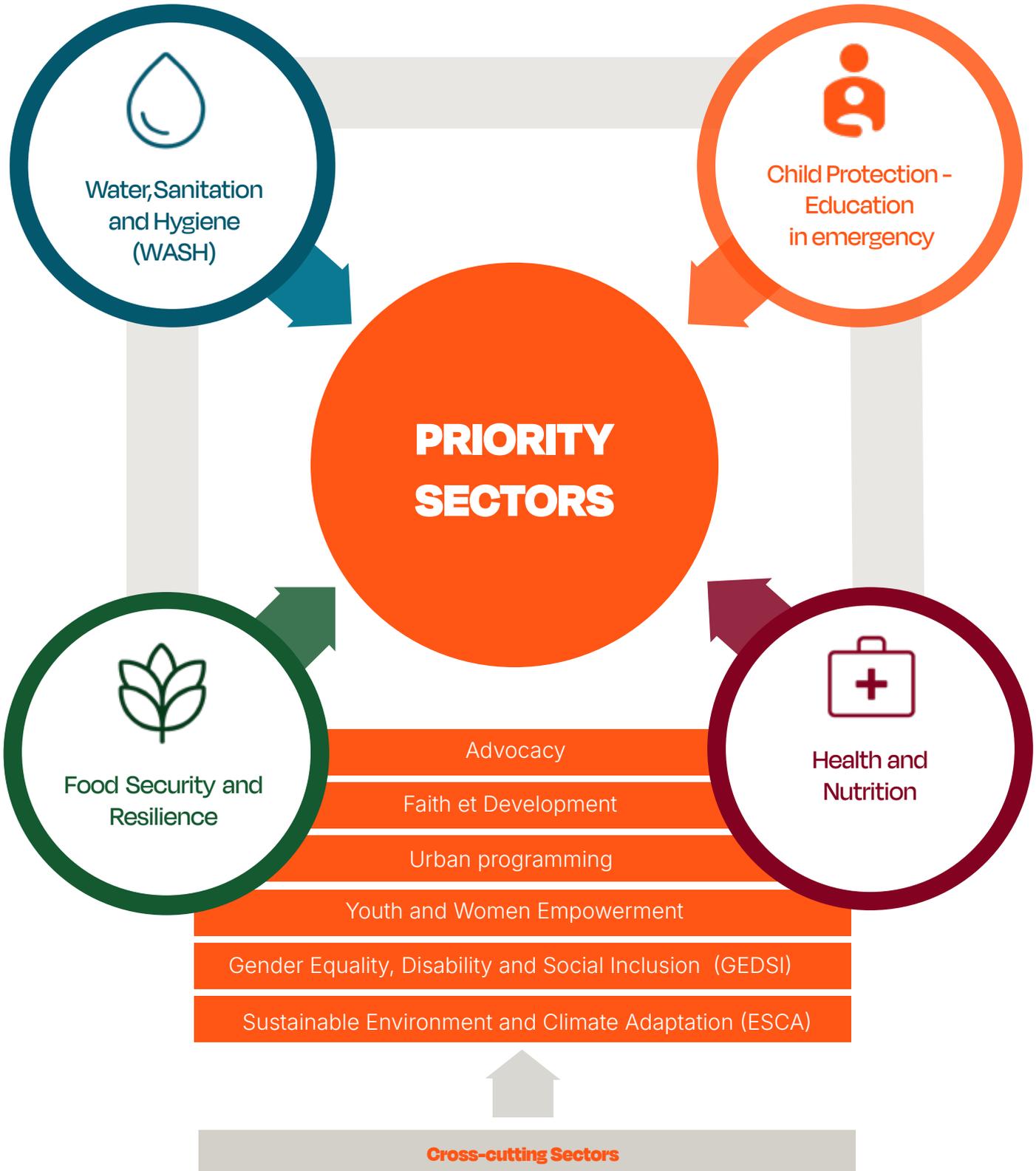
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OUR COUNTRY STRATEGY 2024 - 2028

Save the lives of **one million of the most vulnerable children**, reduce human suffering, and strengthen the resilience of **1.6 million people affected** by disasters in Burkina Faso by **2028**.



Response Approach

World Vision International Burkina Faso applies interconnected, locally-led, and globally recognised approaches, as well as core project models with well-structured and sequenced interventions that have delivered superior results and impact..

To enhance its field effectiveness, the office has adopted a thoughtful localisation and access strategy with innovative procedures sensitive to the fragile context, such as a hybrid implementation approach combining direct and indirect interventions. It collaborates with accredited partners who have already demonstrated their effectiveness within affected communities while prioritising local recruitment.



Young women undergoing vocational training as part of the youth empowerment project - Ouagadougou

Response coverage areas in FY25

In fiscal year 2025, World Vision International Burkina Faso operated in the following regions:

**Bankui,
Guiriko,
Gulmu,
Kadiogo,
Kuilisé,
Liptako,
Sourou,
Yaadga.**

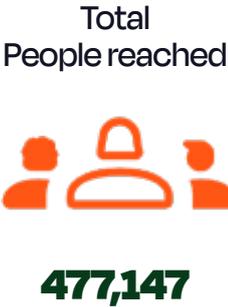


Fifteen (15) multisectoral projects were secured from bilateral and multilateral donors, as well as World Vision support offices, during the 2025 fiscal year.

Funding source	Investment areas	Regions
Aktion Deutschland Hilft (ADH)	Health, Nutrition, WASH	Yaadga
FHRAOC	Health, Nutrition, Food Security, Protection	Bankui, Sourou
Start Network	Protection, WASH, Shelter	Kuilisé
WFP	Food Security, Resilience	Bankui
Visser Response Fund	Protection, WASH, Faith et Development	Gulmu, Kuilisé
UNFPA	Social cohesion Strengthening, Women Empowerment	Liptako, Yaadga
World Vision Canada	Health, Nutrition	Bankui, Kadiogo, Yaadga, Gulmu
	WASH	Kadiogo, Kuilisé
World Vision Germany	Youth Empowerment	Bankui, Kadiogo
UNICEF	Health, Nutrition	Bankui
BUNGE Limited	WASH	Guiriko
World Vision US	Governance, Women Empowerment	Liptako, Kuilisé
	WASH	Bankui, Kadiogo, Kuilisé
	Protection, Social cohesion, Families Empowerment	Bankui, Kuilisé
	Health, Nutrition - Gift in Kind	Bankui, Kadiogo, Yaadga, Gulmu

SUMMARY OF OUR **IMPACT**

People reached in FY25



Support for malnutrition treatment - Yako

ACHIEVEMENTS



Water, Sanitation and Hygiene

15 boreholes were constructed or rehabilitated, providing **9,537** people with improved access to drinking water.

6,424 people have access to appropriate sanitation facilities thanks to **84** latrines that have been built.

14,327 people received WASH/NFIs assistance, while **39,098** people benefited from hygiene and sanitation awareness activities.



Child protection

11,510 people have been trained in child protection.

6,816 people were sensitised on child protection issues.

28,918 people were reached by actions faith leaders actions.





Health - Nutrition

26,764 people received psychological support.

9,795 children received dietary supplements.

12,735 people benefited from physical assets for their subsistence (provision of assets).



Food security and Resilience

17,438 people received food assistance.

3,500 people in households benefited from livelihood programmes supported by World Vision.

9,404 young people have received vocational training.

GIK: Gift in Kind



Distribution of donations in kind (shoes, jumpers, hats) - Fada



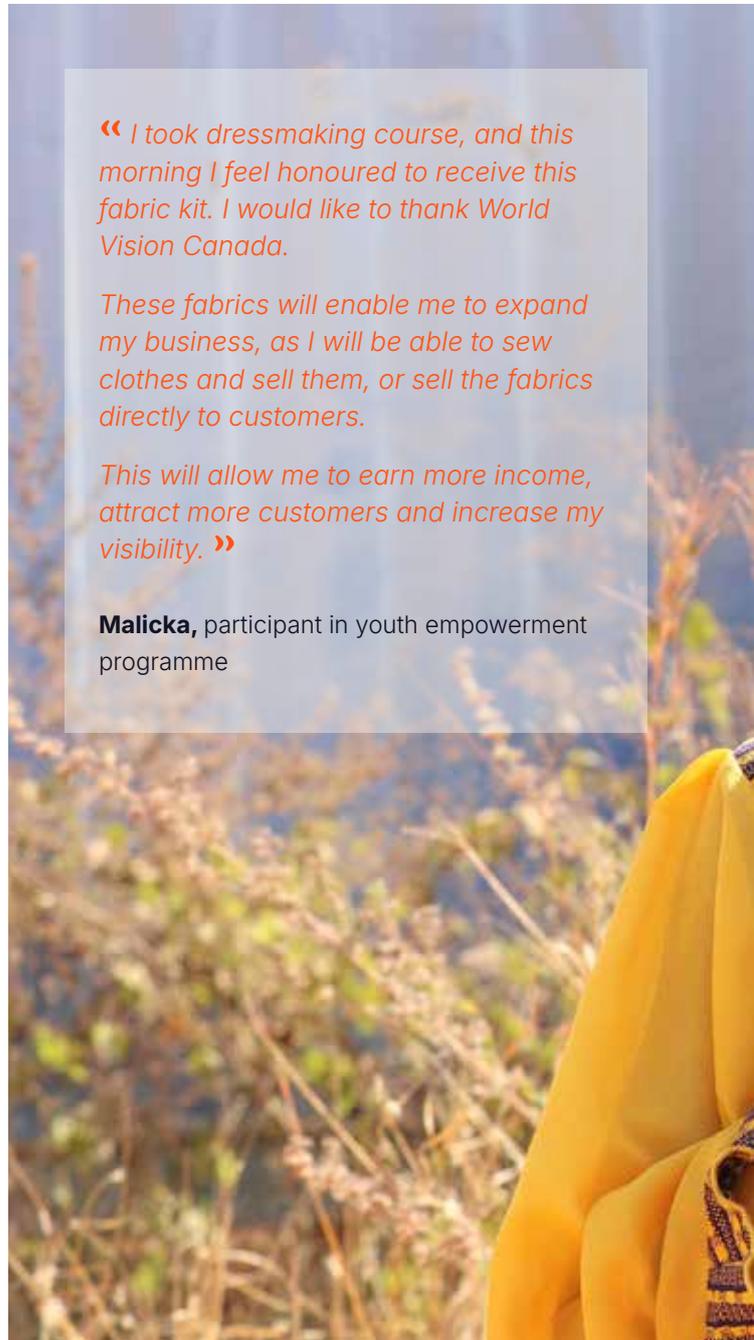
Delivery of ready-to-use therapeutic foods - Ouagadougou

“ I took dressmaking course, and this morning I feel honoured to receive this fabric kit. I would like to thank World Vision Canada.

These fabrics will enable me to expand my business, as I will be able to sew clothes and sell them, or sell the fabrics directly to customers.

This will allow me to earn more income, attract more customers and increase my visibility. ”

Malicka, participant in youth empowerment programme



In 2025, for the first time since the response began, Burkina Faso received in-kind donations from Canada and United-States support offices.

These donations consisted mainly of **biomedical equipment, medicines, ready-to-use therapeutic foods, fabrics, toys, clothes and shoes.**

The biomedical equipment, medicines and nutritional inputs were handed over to the Ministry of Health to support the government's efforts in running health facilities and providing healthcare to the population.

In collaboration with provincial humanitarian response services, vulnerable children and young people were identified to receive the other items.

These donations, worth **over US\$1 million**, helped to strengthen the resilience of the population and give hope for a better future.



ENOUGH Campaign : Ending hunger and child malnutrition by 2028

Children and Youth Participation

Children and young people participated in dialogue workshops on nutrition organised in Dédougou and Boromo on the initiative of World Vision.

They contributed recommendations that were used to draft and submit an advocacy note to the Civil Society Network for Nutrition (RESONUT), which participated in the Nutrition Summit in Paris in January 2025.



ENOUGH

« It is interesting to see children involved in certain decision-making processes, because in some places children are ignored on the pretext that they are small and cannot contribute anything. »

Fatim Dembélé, Young girl leader in Dédougou, during the Dialogues on Nutrition

ENOUGH Campaign through data

600

Children received school meals through the school feeding programme.

17,438

People reached by food assistance

41

Advocacy actions taken by World Vision supporters

219,345

Children benefited from World Vision's nutrition programmes



A world where every child has enough
food to thrive is possible !!!

Ressources (Cash and Gift in Kind) mobilised in FY25 :

USD 6,931,937

Investment in some sectors (Amounts in US dollars)



Emergency response

2,504,730



Livelihoods

1,330,050



Health and Nutrition

495,959



Water, Sanitation and Hygiene

473,517





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Miñi drinking water supply system - Yako

HIGHLIGHTS OF FY25



February 2025 - Jean-Baptiste Kamaté, Chief Field Operations officer for World Vision International, visited Burkina Faso to explore several projects in urban and peri-urban areas.

May 2025 - Field visit by World Vision Germany to monitor the youth empowerment programme as part of the YES KIRE project



June 2025 - Commemoration of the Day of the African Child in collaboration with members of the Joining Forces alliance





May 2025 - Visit to the urban programme by World Vision's technical and financial partners



July 2025 - World Vision and its partners celebrated reaching one million participants through their programmes



September 2025 - Launch of the WASH Business Plan 2026-2030 in the presence of key sector partners and chaired by the Ministry of water

STORIES OF CHANGE

Driven by Determination :
Tata's journey towards success



Tata, on his bicycle, selling his products - Ouagadougou

Standing by her bicycle with a smile on her face, Tata radiates determination as she heads to the local market. In her bags: cakes, soap, and a few pairs of shoes she hopes to sell.

Beyond appearances, Tata is one of those women firmly committed to succeeding despite the many challenges they face.

" We first received theoretical training that helped us build confidence and acquire the skills needed to start a business. At the end of the training, I felt a real change within me. I had become a new person—more confident and determined ", she says.

Tata is part of a group of young women supported through the YES KIRE Project, implemented by World Vision. This project aims to strengthen sustainable livelihoods and life skills for 1,500 young people from displaced and host communities in the peri-urban areas of Ouagadougou and Boromo.

Driven by her passion for baking, Tata chose to learn this trade. Today, she produces and sells cakes to support her family.

" I had a lot of difficulties getting around ", she says. **" Then the project team told me I had been selected to receive a bicycle. My joy was immense! Because beyond the bike, it meant my business would take off. "**

This bicycle, provided through World Vision's Gift Catalog, has truly transformed Tata's daily life.

She can now travel longer distances to sell her products and has even expanded her business to include soap and shoes. She is even more delighted to have received, along with the bicycle, training on its maintenance and a complete repair kit.

Thanks to this project, young women graduates receive tangible support: equipment to start their businesses and means of transport to facilitate their activities.

By focusing on girls as the main participants, the project helps reduce their vulnerability to violence, early marriage, trafficking, and sexual exploitation.

Silvain Kabré, Project Manager at World Vision shares that this additional support from the Gift Catalog has enabled us to have a greater impact on participants' lives.

" Fifty young women and men received sewing kits, and another 100 benefited from bicycles to facilitate their participation and the development of their entrepreneurial activities", he says.

World Vision received funding through the Gift Catalogue to support young female graduates by providing them with the equipment they need to start their own businesses, as well as means of transport (bicycles) to facilitate their travel and enable them to carry out their entrepreneurial activities effectively.

Treatment of Malnutrition: In Titao, Ramata finds her smile again

Against the backdrop of a humanitarian crisis in Titao, little Ramata's early life has been far from easy. She lost her mother just days after being born. Suddenly, her grandmother, Adjara, found herself alone with the heavy responsibility of raising her, with no resources and in an environment where access to healthcare was challenging.

" I had to take care of my granddaughter with no means at all. To feed her, I used to buy powdered milk for 4,800 CFA francs per can. It was very expensive, but I did it out of love for Ramata because her smile gave me the strength to carry on, " says Adjara.

Despite all her efforts, Ramata's health began to deteriorate. She lost weight and stopped smiling. Concerned for her health, her grandmother took her to the medical centre, where she was diagnosed with severe acute malnutrition. The healthcare workers advised her to go to the Kapalin Advanced Health Post (PSA).

" I was panicking. I felt like I had failed, despite everything I'd done. But once I got to the health post, I was pleasantly surprised. "

Set up by World Vision, with funding from FHRAOC and in partnership with the NGO APADE, this advanced health post provides primary healthcare services to local communities as part of the *Integrated Multisectoral Support Project for Food Security/Health/Nutrition and Shelter/NFIs/WASH, Protection (PIMSAP)*.

Ramata Dicko, Health and Nutrition Coordinator:

" A large part of our work involves providing outpatient care for malnourished children until they recover. We are overjoyed to see hundreds of children fully healed and smiling again. "

Little Ramata received comprehensive and free medical care at the Kapalin Advanced Health Post. Thanks to the fortified porridge she was given, she gradually regained her appetite, vitality and, most importantly, her smile.

" Today, she is doing very well. I thank God, and I am grateful to World Vision and their partners for their support, " says Adjara, Ramata's grandmother.

In addition to her granddaughter's treatment, Adjara attended **awareness sessions on nutrition and hygiene**, including how to prepare fortified porridge using local ingredients.

" Now I know how to make porridge at home and keep the kitchen clean. When Ramata falls ill, I come straight here. I no longer need to travel all the way to the district hospital, which is too far away and is often overcrowded. "

For Adjara and many other families, the establishment of the Kapalin Advanced Health Post has been a huge relief.

" Before, we could spend the whole day at the medical centre just to be seen by a nurse. Now, at the health post, we are seen quickly and the care is free. "

Thanks to this initiative, Ramata has found her smile again, and her life is full of hope. She is growing up peacefully - a living testament to resilience and the strength of life itself.



Little Ramata and her grandmother - Titao

Access to Water: A Source of Hope and Stability in Burkina

Forced to flee her home due to insecurity, like so many others, Djawrata now endures tough living conditions at the Pafadnam site for internally displaced persons in the village of Louda.

" At the site where we live, there was only one manual pump for all the families. The water supply was insufficient to meet our daily needs. When the pump broke down, we had to buy water from a reservoir outside the site, paying 25 Fcfa for two jerrycans. "

In response to the situation, World Vision stepped in to enhance access to drinking water at the site. Utilizing a solar-powered water pumping system with a 10m³ capacity, which supplies two water points close to the shelters, the living conditions of the displaced individuals have significantly improved.

" Since this water point was installed just a few metres from my home, my life has changed. I can now access water more easily for drinking, cooking, and other household tasks. This frees up time for me to sell condiments at the market and collect firewood for cooking. Now, when my children return from school, they find their meal already prepared. "

Ferdinand Sawadogo, WASH Manager at World Vision, explains:

" In 2022, we installed a manual borehole to meet the needs of the site's residents. However, due to high demand, this pump was no longer sufficient. With support from the water authority of North - Centre Region, we set up a solar-powered system that now supplies around 2,000 people at the site. "

This initiative has reduced waiting times and allowed women to focus on other essential activities."

A management committee, composed of community members, has been established to ensure the proper functioning and maintenance of the infrastructure. Awareness sessions on good hygiene practices are also organised to prevent waterborne diseases.

Thanks to these initiatives, Djawrata and many other families have regained stability and hope. Access to clean water is not just a vital necessity; it is also a driver of autonomy and dignity for vulnerable communities.



Water tower built on the site for displaced persons - Louda



Djawrata at the standpipe - Loude

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Child Friendly Space activity - Kaya



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