

Mala IV: Integrated Child Protection Program (including WASH component)



Country
Nepal

Organisation
Terre des hommes (Tdh)

Key topics
Water, Sanitation & Hygiene
Advocacy & Policy Development
Project Management
Capacity Building/strengthening

Beneficiaries
Drinking Water Supply
Community
Targeted: 1,234
Achieved: 1,331

School
Targeted: 3,194
Achieved: 4,189

Health Centre
Targeted: 7,165
Achieved: 10,250

Sanitation
Community
Targeted: 12,980
Achieved: 19,594

School
Targeted: 3,194
Achieved: 4,203

Health Centre
Targeted: 7,165
Achieved: 10,616

Budget
Total: 700,000 CHF
SDC: 525,000 CHF
Own Funding: 175,000 CHF

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Approach, methods and strategy

- Integrated approach (Health, WASH and Child Protection)
- System strengthening approach through Stakeholders' participation in WASH projects
- Multi-stakeholder collaboration to increase the access to water, sanitation and hygiene facilities
- Application of CLTS and SLTS approaches outlined in the National Sanitation and Hygiene Master Plan of Nepal Government
- Facilitation to develop and implement VDC and school level WASH plans
- Integration of Community Health interventions for healthy behavior promotion



Lessons learnt

- Strengthening the local systems and structures helps to improve sustainability of WASH structures.
- Joint monitoring and supervision from district level stakeholders including media is equally important to get recognition of work done.
- Integrated programming model addresses the WASH needs more comprehensively.

Good practices

- Sensitizing the local change makers such as traditional healers, mothers groups, child clubs in the community to support WASH activities
- Working together with government stakeholders in delivering WASH facilities
- Female Community Health Volunteers, Mothers Group, Child Clubs, local level institutions' involvement in WASH activities

Advocacy & policy

- Support two events of advocacy program with national level FEDWASUN for promotion of functionality and governance issue in the WASH sector
- Organize and support one event of Regional WASH Coordination Committee (R-WASH-CC) for post ODF/total sanitation framework in Mid western region
- Produce one joint Consortium publication on best practices of WASH in Mid Western Nepal and one documentary film on WASH

