

Water, Sanitation & Hygiene (WASH) for Women and Girls' Education, Health, Productivity, Dignity and Well-being

WASH
Delivers
!!!

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WASH =

Access to
adequate
QUANTITY of
SAFE/QUALITY
water

SANITATION=
fixed point
defecation
Safe, private,
accessible

HAND
WASHING
with soap
at key times

Menstrual
Hygiene

Food
Hygiene

Session Outline

Relate and share experiences as women (and men)

Review Why **WASH** Matters for Girls & Women

Solutions!!!

Advocacy for Hygiene

Menstrual Hygiene Management

Inclusive WASH

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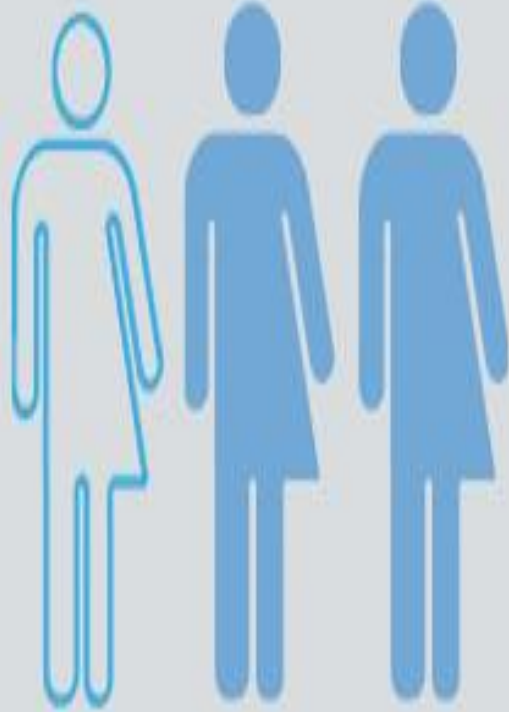


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Who's in the room?

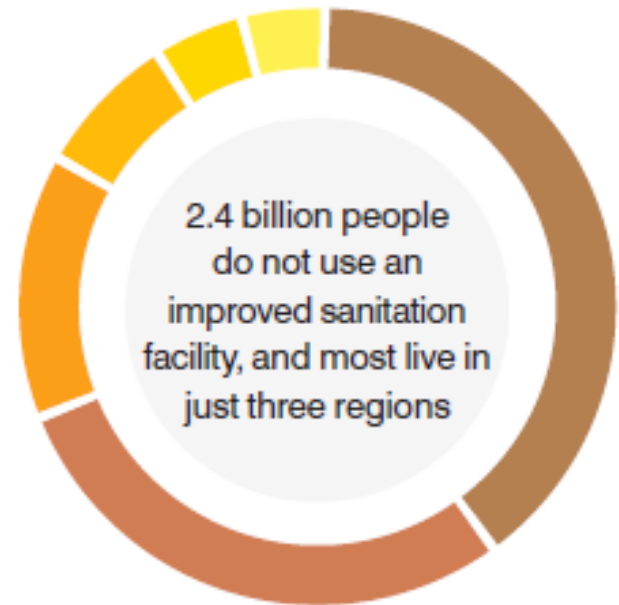
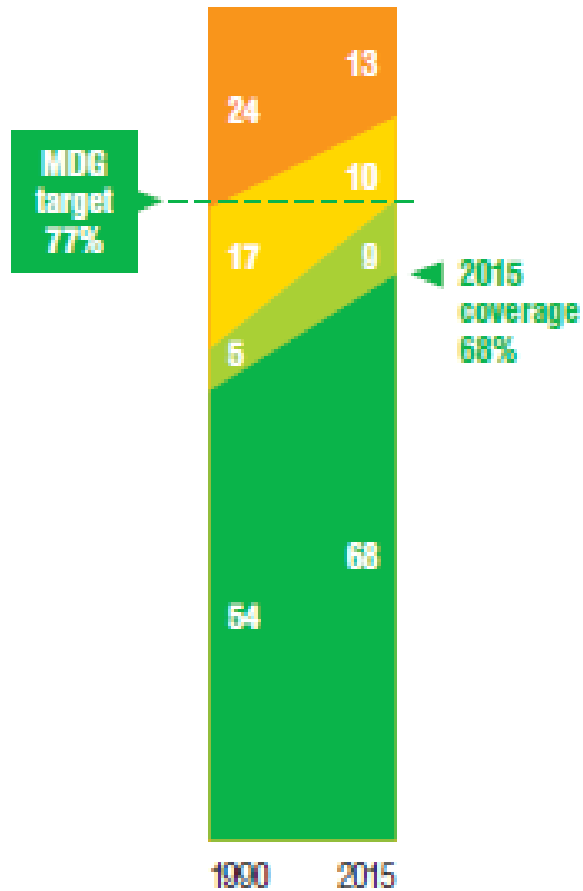






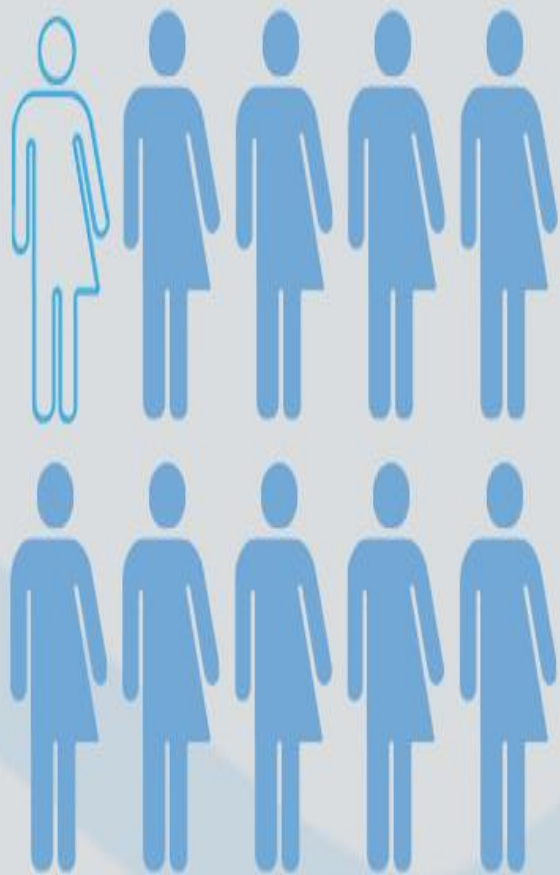
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DON'T HAVE ACCESS TO
ADEQUATE SANITATION

The sanitation MDG was not met in 2015

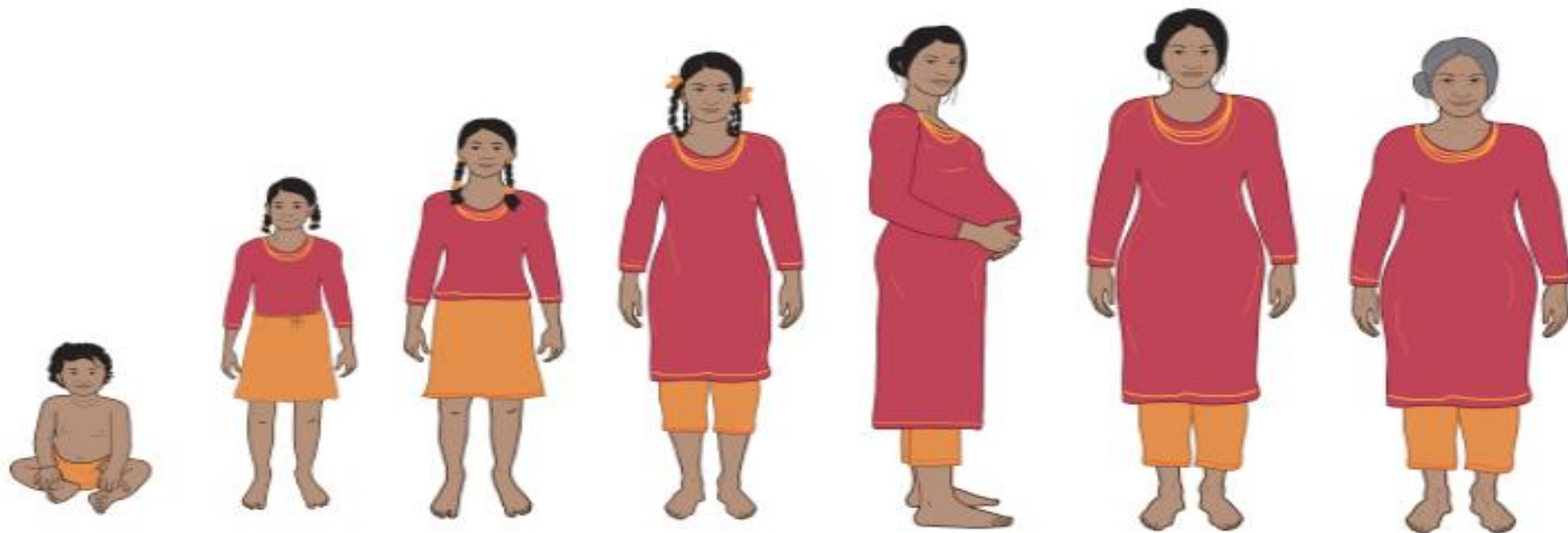


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- SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA, 695
- EASTERN ASIA, 337
- SOUTH-EASTERN ASIA, 176
- LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN, 106
- OTHER REGIONS, 98

- OPEN DEFECCATION
- UNIMPROVED
- SHARED
- IMPROVED



1 IN 10 OF WORLD'S POPULATION
DON'T HAVE ACCESS TO
SAFE WATER

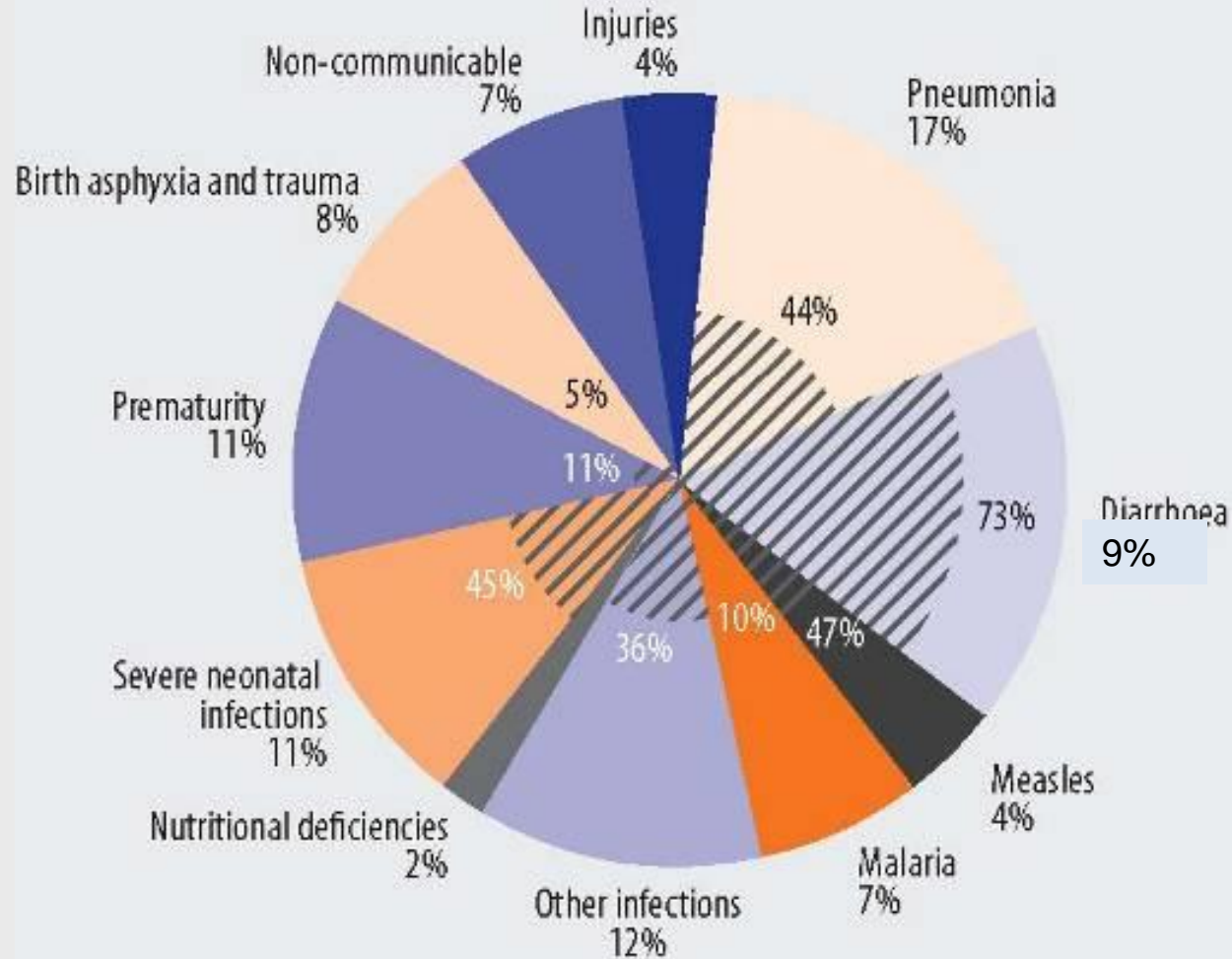


Causes of Under 5 Mortality

Vicious Cycle between Diarrhea and Undernutrition

Diarrhea: 9% of all child deaths

Undernutrition contributed to 73% of these deaths

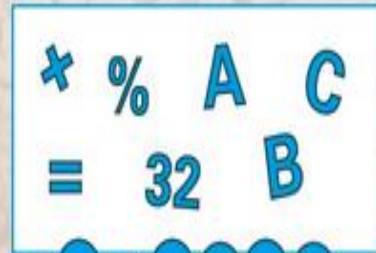


Shaded area indicates contribution of undernutrition to each cause of death



GROWING UP

A young child who does not get enough food and nutrients cannot grow properly. This condition is called 'stunting'. Stunting can already start in the womb of a malnourished mother.



EDUCATION

Stunted children often have irreversible developmental problems. Their potential is limited and they often do less well in school if they have access to education.



PROFESSIONAL LIFE

As a result, stunted children have fewer professional opportunities later in life and earn less, perpetuating poverty in their families.



VICIOUS CYCLE

Low income, lack of healthcare and reduced access to proper nutrition will continue to impact the health of their children.

Stunting has lifelong implications... A stunted child will never learn or earn as much as if they'd been properly nourished... *And the damage can't be un-done...*

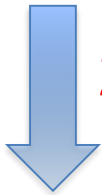
Safe Feces Disposal



30% ++

Focus on WASH behaviors for Diarrhea Disease Reduction....

Safe Storage & Treatment of Water



21%



30-50%



Handwashing



43%

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Supportive Environments
for Healthy Communities



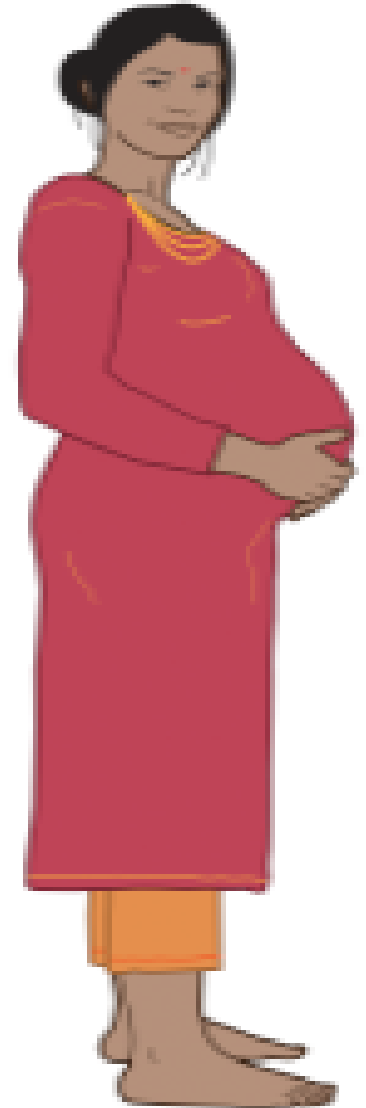






WASH and Safe Birth

- Threefold risk of maternal mortality for women who give birth in unsanitary conditions, at home and facility
- 30% of neonatal deaths due to infection
- HW by mother and birth attendant reduces risk of neonatal death by more than 40%, tetanus by more than 36%, cord infection by 49%









Let's reflect!



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WASH IMPROVEMENT FRAMEWORK

Access to Hardware & Services

Improved water supply
Sanitation platforms
Financial products
Fecal Sludge Removal
Household Technologies

- Soap
- Water containers
- Chlorine solution

Promotion & Demand Creation

Communication methods
Social mobilization
Community participation
Social marketing

Sustained Improvements in Water Supply, Sanitation and Hygiene

Enabling Environment

Supportive Policy , Tariffs & Regulation
Institutions w/Needed Capacities
Coordinated G /NGO Planning
Financing and cost-recovery
Cross-sector & PP partnerships

Community-led Total Sanitation





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Write down one
“ah-ha”
from the session
*A surprising fact
or thought*

Please write
ONE action or
commitment
you leave with

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