

UNICEF EASTERN AND SOUTHERN AFRICA
R-WASH PROJECT MEETING
30 Sep – 04 Oct 2024, Jigjiga, Ethiopia
R-WASH Workshop Agenda



Venue: Lotus Hotel, Jigjiga, Ethiopia
Objectives of the R-WASH workshop:

- To review and assess achievements, risks and approaches from the ongoing implementation of various components of the R-WASH project
- Update on emerging prospective interventions related to the R-WASH
- To strengthen collaboration among stakeholders for improved delivery of program outcomes
- To capture lessons and formulate a way forward
- To develop a communication and advocacy strategy

AGENDA

Day		Session theme	Speaker
		Monday, 30 September 2024	
		Session 1: Formal Opening Moderator: Lavuun	
0830	0900	Registration	All
0900	0920	Security Briefing	SO UNICEF
0920	0950	Opening Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UNICEF Representative • UNHCR Representative • KfW Representative • Refugee Returnees Service • Regional Water Bureau 	
0950	1005	Coffee Break	
		Session 2: Goals and Context	
1005	1025	Workshop objectives and structure Actions status of 2023 Workshop	Lavuun UNICEF ESARO
1025	1035	Situation of IDP and Refugees in Ethiopia, Sudan and Somalia	Glen UNHCR
		Session 3: R-WASH Progress Review – Overall overview of the implementation status of the R-WASH Moderator: David	
1035	1100	Progress Review Output 1 (presentation by UNHCR Ethiopia and Sudan)	UNHCR
1100	1130	Plenary discussion on implementation challenges. How R-WASH progresses in insecure areas challenges and maintaining services while system is being build and implemented	UNHCR

		Session 4: R-WASH Progress Review – Output 2: Environmental and social safeguards developed and implemented, and social cohesion and peace enhanced Moderator: Sajjad	
1130	1150	Progress Review Output 2 – focus on what works and does not work and workflow presentation. Report by Norken	Consulting Firm: Norken International (Pvt) Ltd
1150	12h10	Plenary discussion and Q&A	
1210	1330	Lunch	
		Session 5: Sustainability of Integrated WASH systems for Refugees, IDP and Hosts Moderator: Luckson	
1330	1400	Presentation of the costing study done in Ethiopia and Uganda and way forward / linkages with other sessions	Lavuun/ UNICEF
1400	1420	GCR update on interventions Q&A	Judit Prigge / Jason Snuggs
1420	1545	Presentation: Gambella transition plan <i>Group work: Financial sustainability and Transition to payment by forcibly displaced (2 sites per group)</i>	Sajjad Akbar
1545	1600	Coffee Break	
		Session 6: Climate Certificates Moderator: Lavuun	
1600	1700	Introduction to Climate Certificates Applicability for WASH programme and specifically R-WASH <i>Plenary Q&A</i>	Consultant Edouardo Piquero UNICEF: Nour
1700		End of Day 1	
		Tuesday 1 October	
0800	0830	Recap Day 1	
		Session 7: Output 3 & 4: Climate Resilient water and sanitation infrastructure developed and implemented. Strengthened utility capacities for provision of sustainable and equitable WASH services and programme delivery, and O&M Activities Moderator: Abdirahman	
0830	0930	Progress Review Output 3 – focus on what works and does not work Report by CES Q&A	Consulting Firm: CES Consulting Engineers Salzgitter GmbH
0930	1020	Progress Review Output 4 – focus on what works and does not work Report by Sachsen Wasser	Consulting Firm: Sachsen Wasser

		Q&A	
Field trip			
1020	1100	Leave for Kebribeyah	
1100	1130	Meet Local administration	
1200	1230	Meeting utility managers	
1300	1400	Travel to Kaha	
1400	1500	Site visit to Kaha including lunch	
1400	1500	Travel to Kebribayar	
1500	1600	Travel to Jijiga	
1600		End of Day 2	
Wednesday 2 October			
0830	0900	Recap Day 2	
Session 8: Output 5: Evaluative Framework and Review Moderator: Malene			
0900	0935	Progress update on results framework, Theory of change, data collection and management	Martina Bennet
0935	0945	Data dashboard and monitoring tool	Anthony Waliaula
0945	1000	Q&A	
1000	1015	Coffee Break	
Session 9: Xylem updates on pilot? Moderator: Lavuun			
1015	1100	Updates on Xylem interventions Piloting interventions with in-kind support Documentation of the pilot	Michael / Philip
Session 10: Groundwater sustainability and aquifer recharge Moderator: Sajjad			
1100	1200	Introduction to the (Managed) Aquifer Recharge component - Overall approach - Plan for R-WASH and pilot - Partnerships and contractual arrangements - GW Monitoring	Catalin; (Dresden University) + Jay Matta
1200	1230	Q&A	All
1230	1400	Lunch	
Session 11: Lessons and way forward Moderator: David/Lavuun			
1400	1500	Note on next steps Discussion and group work on specific topics. <i>What should we change in terms of:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Contract management Manage budget gaps Support required Coordination Communication and advocacy 	Stefanie (KfW) All

1500	1530	Summary: Priorities and recommendations per output	
1530	1600	Coffee Break	
1600	1630	Recap day 1-3 & closing	
1700		End of Day 3	
		Thursday 3 October RWASH advocacy & communication: laying the foundations	
0830	0840	Opening <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Welcome to the final day - Introduce Advocacy Session and objectives - Quiz (Kate) 	Lavuun Alicia
0840	0915	Intro to Advocacy Building an Advocacy Strategy	Alicia Kate
0915	1015	Group work & report back – Defining Country Problem & Solution Statements	
1015	1045	Break	
1045	1055	Introducing SMART advocacy outcomes	
1055	1200	Group work + feedback – Defining SMART advocacy outcomes at the country level	
1200	1245	Lunch	
1245	0130	Power Mapping for Advocacy Impact <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Key tools - Group work + report back 	
0130	0145	Quick break	
0145	0200	Why strong comms matters for Advocacy	
0200	0230	Breakout in small groups – developing story pitches for RWASH sites	
0230	0245	Story pitches to plenary	
0245	0315	Surgery sessions – Comms (Alicia) Advocacy (Kate)	
0315	0320	Close and next steps	

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		Closing Remarks KfW UNHCR UNICEF	
		Flight to Addis	
		Thursday 3 October	
		End Workshop	