



## 9<sup>th</sup> World Water Forum

### Actions submission format

On 15<sup>th</sup> of July Action Groups (AGs) will submit their action proposals to Pilot Groups (PGs) for feedbacks and observations, before opening the consultation process.

**AGs will group their projects into 3/4 sub-themes or categories called Actions.** As such, all projects will contribute to a main objective and ultimately to the title of the action group. This will also allow broader participation and involvement from stakeholders, especially from the consultative groups.

#### **Adopted semantic:**

- Action = synthesis of the types of interventions and projects that contribute to achieving the objective of the action group. As such, an action can be understood as a sub-theme or a category of projects. It should target a wide range of stakeholders, have potential for innovation, replicability and sustainability. It should lend itself to one or more of the following activities: (a) awareness-raising; (b) capacity development; (c) dialogues; (d) sharing of good practices; (e) partnerships for action; (f) infrastructure/service development, etc.

The Pilot Groups will revise the proposal in a week's time and will send their feedback to the coordinators. The evaluation by Pilot Groups will include the following aspects:

- Alignment of the Actions with the SDGs
- Coherency between projects under a same action and with the Action
- Overlapping with other Actions and duplication of projects
- Stakeholders representativeness and involved actors
- Regional representativeness
- Replicability of projects

At the end of July, the consultation process with Consultative Groups (CGs) should be launched and should remain open until the first weeks of September 2020.

During the Consultation Process, AGs will present their Actions to CGs, who will be able to:

- Make observations,
- Request to collaborate in a particular project,
- Propose innovative ideas and additional projects.

Before the conclusion of the consultation process and finalization of the three Actions, a series of webinars will be organized for each Priority.

Under the chairmanship of the Co-Chairs, the webinars will be facilitated by the Action Group Coordinators. The purpose of those meetings will be to share the results of the reflections already carried out and to gather the opinions and suggestions of other actors from around the world.

Indeed, in addition to the members of the working groups, the webinars will be open to all interested stakeholders, to gather expectations, suggestions and contributions from as many people as possible with the aim of enriching the Forum content ensuring broad participation and inclusion.

AGs will then consider the CGs propositions and will select the contributions they deem adapted.



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**Please note that during sessions you will be able to present the progress of your Actions (one category per session) justified by the achievements reached by single projects.**

AGs will subsequently finalize their proposals and submit them to PGs for final validation, including a draft proposal of sessions.

PGs will assess and review the final set of proposals and eventually make suggestions to avoid major redundancies and gaps and to check if the guidelines are met.

The finalized set of proposals will be shared with the ISC, which will check potential overlapping and coherence between Priorities and make the final approval.

AGs should submit their proposals by using the following template, listing the Actions and the related projects in order of priority and level of impact:



<b>ACTION 1: Tools for Strengthening WASH in Institutions</b> Overall Objective: The broad use of robust tools to strengthen WASH in institutions and improve sustainable outcomes. Overall purpose and expected results: Greater awareness and uptake by stakeholders of the existing tools for system strengthening and a recognition of additional tools needed for WASH in institutions. Overall SDGs Alignment: #6, #3, #4 Coherence with other Priorities: 4 – Means & Tools									
PROJECTS INCLUDED <i>In order of priority and level of impact</i>	OBJECTIVE	DESCRIPTION AND PURPOSE	EXPECTED RESULTS	SDGs ALIGNMENT	IMPLEMENTATION	PARTICIPANTS AND STAKEHOLDERS REPRESENTATIVENESS	REPLICABILITY IN OTHER CONTEXTS	REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVENESS	POTENTIAL OVERLAPPING OR COHERENCE WITH OTHER AGs
<b>Project 1 -Compiling case studies &amp; lessons</b>	To better understand the experiences of those using the existing tools for system strengthening for WASH in institutions	Compile case studies and lessons regarding the use of system strengthening tools from the Community of Practice and organize a resource list to be made available	A compendium of case studies	SDGs 3, 4, 6	Implemented at the global level. Includes case studies from local, subnational, national and global levels	Representation from any and all stakeholders who have written up their use of these tools	This process can be continuous, maintaining a database of experiences	All regions should be represented by the case studies and lessons	4.A; 4.B; 4.D
<b>Project 2 - Webinars</b>	To describe the tools available and demonstrate their applicability	Identify webinars and workshops on the listed system strengthening tools for partners to participate in in advance of the Forum. If there are tools which have not been adequately cover, offer webinars on these tools.	List of webinars	SDGs 3, 4, 6	Virtual	Outreach to partners throughout the WASH, health and education communities about these opportunities	Webinars could be replicated with a regional focus	All regions should be represented by webinars	4.A; 4.B; 4.D
<b>Project 3 - Forum Part 1</b>	To summarize the value, use, and applicability of the system strengthening tools	By the end of the session, government and partners recognize the value of system strengthening as a key element to ensuring sustainability of WASH in institutions and are familiar with the tools needed for system strengthening activities.	Greater uptake of tools by stakeholders	SDGs 3, 4, 6	Virtual	Any participants joining WWF	N/A	Speakers at the event should represent the different regions	4.A; 4.B; 4.D
<b>ACTION 2: Professionalizing institutional WASH advocacy across the globe, including healthcare facilities and schools</b> Overall Objective: To professionalize WASH advocacy across the globe to spearhead advocacy institutional WASH. Overall purpose and expected results: Develop stronger, professional advocates for institutional WASH across Africa, Asia, and Latin America Overall SDGs Alignment: SDG 6, SDG 3, SDG 4 Coherence with other Priorities: This action is coherent with other action groups on water, sanitation, and health; rural development; and financial resources, governance, and legislation.									
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<b>Project 1 – WASH Advocacy Training</b>	To strengthen the capacity of institutional WASH advocates	Series of WASH advocacy trainings designed at various levels in Senegal and beyond prior to and during the World Water Forum, Dakar 2021	Improved advocacy for institutional WASH in rural areas.	SDG 6, 3, 4	Implemented at the local, national and regional levels, including virtual.	WASH advocacy leaders and organizations from countries in Africa, Asia, Latin America, and International Organizations; regional WASH advocacy networks.	Could be replicated in other countries and other development context at local, national, and regional scale.	local, national, regional, and global (in-person and virtual)	This action is coherent with other action groups on water, sanitation, and health; rural development; and financial resources, governance, and legislation.
<b>Project 2 – WASH Advocacy Networks</b>	To promote networking among WASH advocacy professionals	Regional and national-level networks to long outlast World Water Forum Senegal; this will be a key part of Senegal's legacy, and benefits will long outlast the World Water Forum 2021.	Stronger South-South co-operation, coordination, and learning.	SDG 6, 3, 4	Implemented at the local, national and regional levels, including virtual.	WASH advocacy leaders and organizations from countries in Africa, Asia, Latin America, and International Organizations; regional WASH advocacy networks.	Could be replicated in other countries and other development context at local, national, and regional scale.	local, national, regional, and global (in-person and virtual)	This action is coherent with other action groups on water, sanitation, and health; rural development; and financial resources, governance, and legislation.
<b>Project 3 – WASH Advocacy Sessions at WWF9</b>	To share best and promising practices for institutional WASH advocacy across the developing world	Organize and resource a session in Senegal designed to bring together institutional WASH advocates from across the globe to share best, worst, promising practices		SDG 6, 3, 4	To be held at the World Water Forum, in-person and/or virtual.	WASH advocacy leaders and organizations from countries in Africa, Asia, Latin America, and International Organizations; regional WASH advocacy networks.	Could be replicated in other countries and other development context at local, national, and regional scale.	local, national, regional, and global (in-person and virtual)	This action is coherent with other action groups on water, sanitation, and health; rural development; and financial resources, governance, and legislation.

**ACTION 3: Options for appropriate technologies for WASH in Institutions**

Overall Objective: Define appropriate technologies for WASH in institutions

Overall purpose and expected results: Develop guiding principles for appropriate, sustainable technology options that can be taken to scale for WASH in institutions and range of technology options identified for various contexts; expected results include guiding principles and list of context-specific technology options

Overall SDGs Alignment: SDG 6, 3, 4, 9

Coherence with other Priorities: Overlap and coherence with groups on water, sanitation, and health; rural development; and financial resources; governance; technologies; innovations

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<b>Project 1 -Guiding principles for sustainable technologies</b>	To identify and agree on a set of guiding principles for technology options that facilitate the use, sustainability and scalability of WASH services in public institutions.	Technologies play a key role in achieving adequate water, sanitation and hygiene (WASH) in public institutions. Numerous technology options exist for water supply, sanitation, hygiene, waste management and environmental cleaning. At the same time, governments, WASH practitioners and public institutions face a recurring challenge in offering appropriate, affordable, sustainable and scalable WASH technologies. This project aims to define guiding principles for sustainable solutions at scale for WASH in institutions.	Build consensus and disseminate information on guiding principles to consider in the choice technologies for WASH in institutions. A concrete outcome of this action could be the development of a consensus statement on technology choices for resource-constrained settings	SDG 6, 3, 4, 9	Implemented at the local, national and regional levels, including virtual	National governments, civil society organisations from all continents, private sector, multilateral and bilateral organisations	Guiding principles will provide overall framework, while each region or context will adapt the principles based on their own need	Guiding principles will draw on local, national, regional, and global levels (in-person and virtual)	Overlap and coherence with groups on water, sanitation, and health; rural development; and financial resources, governance, and legislation



<p><b>Project 2 – Technology options exploration and showcase at World Water Forum</b></p>	<p>To explore a range of technology options for basic WASH services in public institutions</p>	<p>Numerous technology options exist for water supply, sanitation, hygiene, waste management and environmental cleaning. A range of technology options will be explored via this project suitable for WASH in institutions, including but not limited to, options offered by the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Integrated Eco-WASH Systems (IEWs) by Banka BioLoo: a technology option to provide highly efficient, ecological/environment-friendly WASH systems for schools and healthcare (and even homes) in rural (and poor urban) communities in developing countries. The proposed system combines rainwater-harvesting, water saving micro-flush toilets and hand washbasins as well as on-site biological treatment of wastewater and sewage into highly efficient, environment-friendly complete WASH systems.</li> <li>-Point-of-use water treatment proposed by the Mediterranean Water Forum: the action consists of designing and installing water treatment systems that are easy to operate and maintain and are also possibly autonomous in energy (thanks to solar energy). The water kiosk, installed at a community scale, is a microenterprise managed by local entrepreneurs who earn a living from the sale of safe water thus participating to the development of local economy. For a percentage fee on safe water sales, Oshun or an authorized operator ensures maintenance (including periodic replacement of consumables) and technical assistance to entrepreneurs.</li> </ul>	<p>Showcase existing technology options that may be appropriate for WASH in institutions for a range of WASH services (clean drinking water, sanitation services, hygiene, etc.)</p>	<p>SDG 6, 3, 4, 9</p>	<p>Technologies implemented at various levels worldwide, showcased at World Water Forum and virtual</p>	<p>National governments, civil society organisations from all continents, private sector, multilateral and bilateral organisations</p>	<p>Different technology options will be appropriate for different contexts; this project will help determine which technologies will be replicable for which contexts</p>	<p>Examples will showcase local, national, regional, and global (in-person and virtual)</p>	<p>Overlap and coherence with groups on water, sanitation, and health; rural development; and financial resources; technologies; innovations</p>
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<p><b>ACTION 4: Strengthening and promoting the scale-up of sustainable WASH service delivery in public institutions through enhanced data, knowledge sharing and capitalization</b></p> <p>Overall Objective: To identify and amplify the knowledge on scalability/upscaling pathways for WASH in Institutions</p> <p>Overall purpose and expected results: Actors have increased awareness of programmatic approaches favouring scalability and are able to clearly articulate pathways for at-scale action and advocate for increased investments in improving WASH in Institutions within their countries</p> <p>Overall SDGs Alignment: SDG 3, 4 &amp; 6</p> <p>Coherence with other Priorities: Action is coherent with other action groups on water, sanitation, and health; rural development; and financial resources, governance, and legislation.</p>										
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<b>Project 1 – Knowledge Sharing Exercise</b>	-	To identify and understand existing programmatic approaches and service delivery models that have contributed to upscaling of WinS and WASH in HCFs initiatives	Compile, analyze and disseminate country approaches, experiences and lessons on scaling up national action on WASH in Institutions	A compilation of a diverse approaches to the scale-up of WASH in Institutions	SDGs 3, 4, 6	Will include country examples on at-scale WASH in institutions initiatives across Africa, Asia, and Latin America	Representation from any and all global, national and local stakeholders who have been active in WASH in Institutions and particularly on the aspect of scalability	This knowledge sharing exercise is replicable in other contexts and can be tailored to the differing challenges faced by regions.	The country case studies will aim to be representative and bring out the specificities in the considerations for scale up in various regions	Overlap and coherence with groups on water, sanitation, and health; rural development; and financial resources, governance, and legislation