



Citywide Inclusive Sanitation

Technical Assistance Hub

SSA TA Hub Africa

WHAT IS THE TA HUB

A program funded by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, hosted by Cabinet EDE International, to address Urban Sanitation Challenges by putting in Practice and Mainstreaming the Citywide Inclusive Sanitation (CWIS) Approach in Programming, Design and Implementation of Projects in Sub-Saharan Africa.

OBJECTIVE

To support a range of multilateral banks and governments by providing strategic, flexible and timely technical assistance to support the adoption of CWIS approaches in investment in Sub-Saharan Africa (SSA).







Improve quality of project preparation and implementation: Increase number of successful inclusive urban sanitation projects,



Structure and strengthen the policy, regulatory and institutional framework and facilitate service delivery improvements by adoption of the CWIS framework



Build networks and capacity of professionals and firms to scale up the adoption of CWIS tools and approaches in programming and project implementation

BARRIERS TO INCLUSIVE URBAN SANITATION

- Limited political-will
- Weak policy, regulatory and enforcement mechanisms
- Inadequate public and community participation

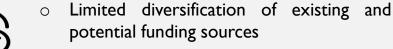
- High urban population growth has significantly outpaced the capacity for infrastructure development and service delivery systems
- Rapid expansion of informal settlements and low-income communities with poor service coverage and quality is increasing urban inequalities







- Inadequate capacity (human and financial resources) to deliver effective and efficient citywide services
- Poor coordination and integration of urban services to optimize resource efficiency



- Inadequate financing for Non-sewer sanitation services that serve majority of the urban population
- Limited involvement, low incentives and inadequate enabling environment for private sector financing
- Lack of, or low-cost recovery mechanisms for urban sanitation services
 - Inadequate technical capacity
 - Focus on technical and infrastructure solutions with limited prioritization of inclusive citywide services
 - Limited scaling of resource recovery and end-use technologies
 - Poor operation and maintenance of sanitation systems
 - Poor sustainability of urban sanitation markets and businesses



STRATEGIC AREAS OF INTERVENTION

- Structure inclusive service models focused on low-income communities
- Private Sector Development and PPP advisory services
- Design and implementation of highly targeted capacity building programs for donors, government agencies, cities, utilities and private sector
- Policy, Regulatory and Institutional review, analysis and reforms to enhance service delivery improvement

- Feasibility Studies, Detailed Design, Tendering Assistance and Construction Supervision
- Construction, Operation and Maintenance of sanitation infrastructure

MARKET STRUCTURING AND BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

CWIS PROGRAMMING AND PROJECT MANAGEMENT

CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT FUNDRAISING & RESOURCE MOBILIZATION

POLICY & REGULATION

URBAN PLANNING & URBAN SANITATION SERVICE PLANS

INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT

ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL SAFEGUARDS

- Diagnostic studies and evidence-based decision support systems
- Project design, planning, implementation and quality assurance
- Monitoring and Evaluation

- Analysis, design and structuring of financing mechanisms and cost recovery models for sanitation services
- Preparation and development of bankable projects and programs
- Advisory services for the implementation and management of projects

- Informal settlement in lowincome communities
- Expansion in sanitation service provision
- Environmental, socio-economic and gender studies
- Risk analysis and impact assessment studies
- Preparation of ESIA, ESMPs and RAPs for infrastructure development projects

TA HUB'S ADDED VALUE

Timely, Flexible, Dynamic, Innovative and Context Specific TA Solutions

GOVERNMENTS



- Inclusive Service Delivery Planning and Reforms
- Change Management and Capacity Building
- Infrastructure Planning and Development
- Participatory Evidence-Based
 Decision Support Systems and
 Tools
- Developing Bankable Projects
- Support public service delegation projects
- Learning and Benchmarking

DONORS/MDBs



- Flexible and Timely Project
 Preparation, Design and
 Implementation Support
- Change Management and Capacity Building
- Catalytic Financing
- Technical Leverage with Diverse Expertise
- Project Demonstration and Scaling

EXPERTS



- Networking, Learning and Innovation
- Capacity Building (use and apply CWIS tools to be more responsive to government and financial partner demands for CWIS approaches)
- Market Development
- Promotion of Women and Young Professionals
- Mentorship and Benchmarking
- Development of Local Expertise

CURRENT PROJECTS AND COUNTRIES OF INTERVENTION

COTE D'IVOIRE

- Assessment of potential for on-site sanitation by-products
- Development of the national strategy for onsite sanitation in urban areas

SENEGAL

Technical assistance for the development and coordination for scaling up urban sanitation services and improvement of sanitation infrastructures

SIERRA LEONE

Technical assistance in the integration of CWIS in water supply and sanitation master plan & preparation for a medium-term investment for Freetown

BURKINA FASO

- Inventory of Non-Sewer sanitation status for 6 cities
- FSTP design of 3 cities (Koufougou/Ouahigouya/Banfora) technical, economical and environmental studies
- Highly targeted capacity building programs

BENIN

Technical assistance to SGDS (Public service) to delegate FSTPs to Private Sector (operator selection, contracting and technical assistance) during the first-year operation, and valorisation of by-products

NIGER

- Structuring of an innovative municipal sanitation market for Niamey
- Highly targeted capacity building programs

ETHIIOPA

TA for participatory CWIS planning, public sector, private sector development and peer to peer learning in Hawassa including a network of 10 regional cities

KENYA

Technical assistance to support the integration of city-wide inclusive sanitation (CWIS) into feasibility studies for the urban water supply and sanitation project

MOZAMBIQUE

Technical assistance for improving sanitation infrastructure and service delivery in urban areas of Quelimane and Tete

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