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Achieving Improvements in Urban Sanitation at Scale international experiences in city-wide sanitation

IWA's role in incentivizing change through demonstration and dissemination

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Need for integrated solutions to tackle sanitation problems at household, communal and city levels





Promoting innovation – *theory of change*

- "Innovation" is not the same as "invention"
- Full scale implementation of an idea
- Bringing solutions to the marketplace
- Innovate requires a collective action

IWA Urban Sanitation Initiative

Goal: Universal access to affordable sanitation services and effective waste water management systems; ensuring sustained improvements in environmental health and sustainable use of natural resources.

- 1. <u>URBAN FOCUS</u>: including cities peri-urban areas and small /medium sized towns.
- 2. <u>INTERNATIONAL OUTREACH</u>: with regional focus reaching out to target countries and city-level engagement
- 3. <u>POLITICAL COMMITMENT</u> : working in cities where there is commitment from relevant governmental authorities and service providers
- 4. <u>LONG TERM ENGAGEMENT and CAPACITY BUILDING</u>: short, medium and long term objectives.
- 5. <u>PARTNERSHIP BASED</u>: partnering with range of organisations to build on competitive advantages and resource mobilisation/co-ordination.

Examples of best practice

- Indonesia Sanitation Sector Development Program 2006 – 2010
- Bahia Azul (Blue Bay) Salvador da Bahia, Brazil
- Dumaguete City Septage Management System, Philippines

Indonesia Sanitation Sector Development Program 2006 - 2010

Aim : to raise the profile of urban sanitation on the national development agenda and to create an enabling environment for accelerated progress in urban sanitation nationwide.

- 1. Worked intensively in 12 cities to build capacity and formulate city sanitation strategies
- 2. Lessons from this experience to inform advocacy, government sanitation strategy and design technical assistance from national level.
- 3. Program culminated in the adoption of a 'Roadmap to the Acceleration of Sanitation Development 2010-2014' with commitments to scale up both planning and investment in over 300 cities.

 High-level political support from the Vicepresident

Political motivations

- National motivation 'triggered' through vocal mayors and sanitation planning in cities
- Results from WSP's Economics of Sanitation Initiative used for advocacy
- Peer pressure and competition among cities increased motivation and mayors commitment

ISSDP : Investment prioritization

Priorities identified by mapping of sanitary conditions and Environmental Health Risk Assessments (EHRAs).

A Contraction

Indonesia – technology

Low density peri-urban : communal on-site (septic tanks) and individual on-site facilities

Medium-density urban - overflow from septic tanks connected to smallbore sewerage system draining to WWTP. New houses connected directly to small bore or simplified sewer.

High -density urban - House connection to condominium sewer system connected to collector sewer draining to aWWTP outside the residential areas

Indonesia – DEWATS

Upflow anaerbic baffled septic tank

Prefabicated unit for costefficiencies in production, quality control and ease of installation

Bahia Azul (Blue Bay) – Salvador da Bahia, Brazil

Before the Civil Works

The Experience of Condominial Water and Sewerage Systems in Brazil:

BNWP

WSP were and any method of program

Jose Carlos Mel

Example of condominial sewerage layout

Technical innovation

Sewers laid at low depths in areas where surface loading is low.

Sewers above ground in areas where ground conditions are too rocky to lay sewerage

Pre-fabricated sewer pipes and access chambers

Social innovation

Promoted the National Water Agency (ANA) in Brazil since 2001 to finance construction of new or rehabilitation, upgrade or expansion of existing WWTPS.

Funding based on agreements between :

- ANA
- State government
- River basin committee (RBC)
- Municipal authorities
- Wastewater treatment plant operators

Since 2001, PRODES has supported 42 projects with US\$ 93 million

ANA commits US\$25 million for PRODES in 2011

Prodes contracts will cover:

- 30% of project budgets in cities > 200,000
- 30-100% in municipalities with populations 20,000 - 200,000
- 100% for towns with < 20,000.

PRODES – WWTP Performance Targets

Monitoring and regulation

- Payments made after the achievement of the agreed goals on water quality indexes are demonstrated.
- Standardised framework of performance evaluation for regulatory purposes.
- Monitoring and verification of water quality objectives by ANA based on a process of self-evaluation and auditing.

Federal Government provides funds for the sector modernization through the PMSS program (Water and Sanitation Modernization

Program)

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General sector performance is monitored by the SNIS program (National Service for Water and Sanitation Information), where all service providers have their operational indicators registered

> Figura 4.1 ÍNDICES DE ATENDIMENTO DE ÁGUA E DE ESGOTO EM RELAÇÃO À POPULAÇÃO URBANA PRESTADORES DE SERVIÇOS REGIONAIS E MICRORREGIONAIS (percentual)

Brazil PWSS Sector Modernization

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PMSS

Dumaguete City Septage Management System, Philippines

IWA

- National Sewerage and Septage Management Program (NSSMP) - Philippines
- Project motivated came from an assessment which identified 20,000 poorly designed and improperly maintained septic tanks
- First city-wide septic tank maintenance program in the Philippines financed by the local government.
- Equal partnership between the water utility company and the local government of Dumaguete in which revenue is evenly split.
- Project aims to achieve full cost recovery through user fees after five years.
- Supported by USAid through the Waterlinks Programme

Dumaguete City Septage Management System, Philippines

Septage Management Ordinance signed in 2005 giving the municipality overall responsibility for septage management

- Extensive media campaign
- Coordination of scheduling between desludging and treatment
- Extensive training for desluding crews and staff of treatment facilities

Community members and Manila Water staff watch as their private contractor desludges a septic tank in their neighbourhood

Dumaguete City Septage Management System, Philippines

The city selected a non-mechanized system consisting of stabilization ponds that has the advantages of being low-tech and ideal for the tropical location with lots of available land.

Institutional and financing arrangements

- Collection and transport of septage to the treatment facility is the responsibility of the water utility company
- Treatment facility responsibility of the municipality
- Finances attached to monthly water bill.
- 20% set aside as reserve/contingency funds

National Sewerage and Septage Management Program (NSSMP) -Philippines

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Municipal

actors

Civil society

Advocacy and development of national policy

Definition of roles, responsibilities and regulatory framework

Facilitation, engagement and stakeholder participation

Key to success

International Water Association

Conference on Decentralised Wastewater Management in Asia

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