



Making villages secure for drinking water and waste management facilities

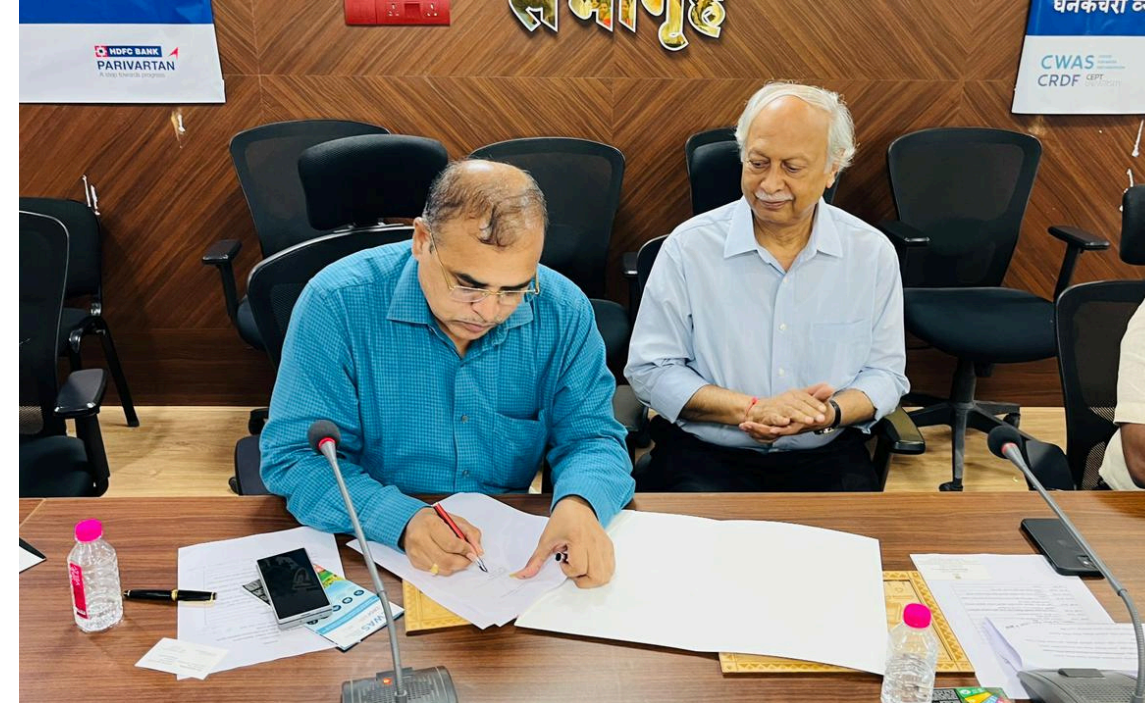
Community Engagement Events

HDFC Project Inauguration Event

13th September 2024 | Palghar



A MoU was signed between CWAS-CRDF and Zilla Parishad Palghar, Government of Maharashtra, to support HDFC Bank Parivartan's Focused Rural Development Programme. The inauguration event was attended by 100+ representatives from Gram Panchayats, Block Development Offices, and Zilla Parishad Palghar.



Training on Water Quality Testing using Field Test Kits

29th August 2024 | Palghar



The purpose of the training was to train the Jalsurakshaks with the skills to conduct water quality tests using FTKs provided by the DWSSM, ZP Palghar. The training was attended by 84 participants from 45 Gram Panchayats.



International Coastal Cleanup Day

21st September 2024 | Maharashtra



Under Swachhata Hi Seva 2024, CWAS-CRDF in partnership with Palghar District Administration and HDFC Bank CSR undertook the drive to remove trashes from the beaches and waterways of Palghar district on the occasion of International Coastal Cleanup Drive, 2024. The drive was supported by 300+ school and college volunteers.

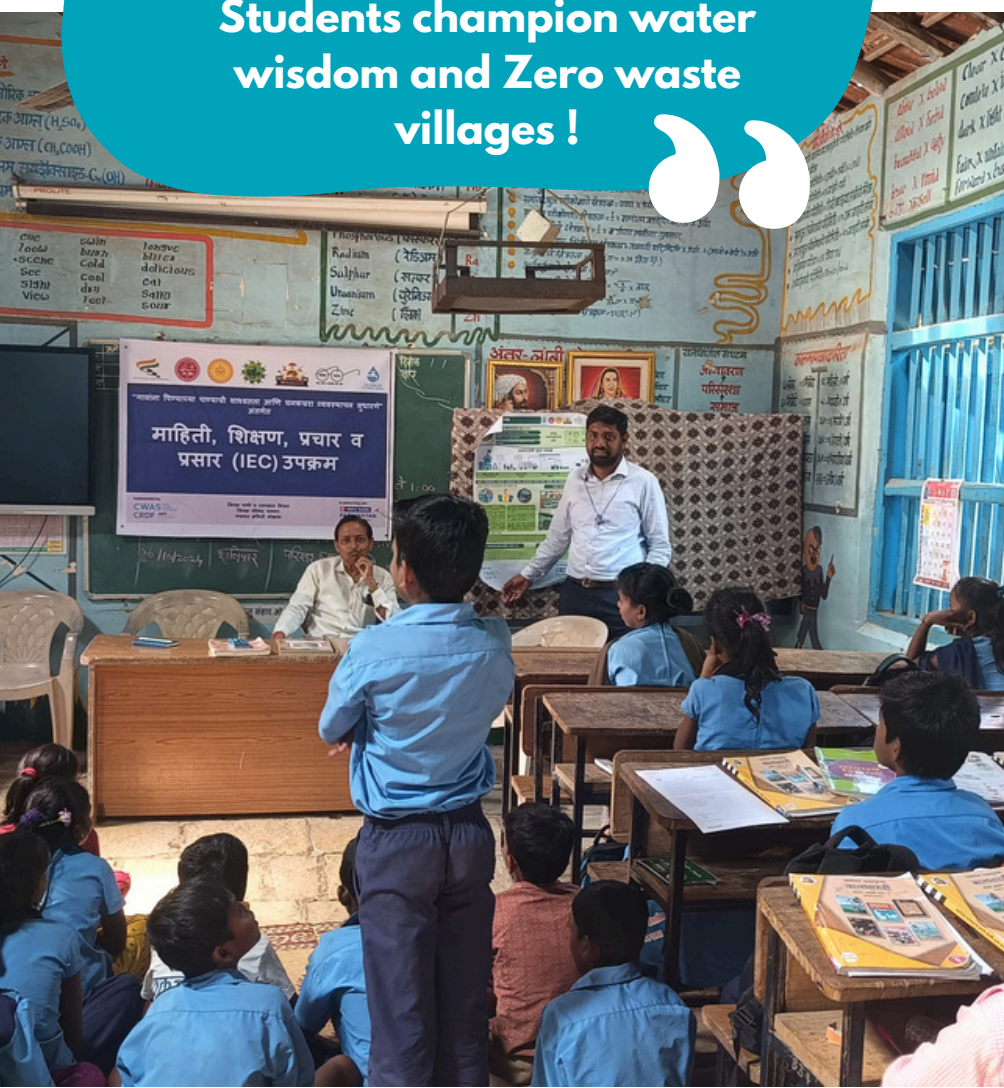


IEC Awareness Campaign for RWH and SWM

25th – 26th October 2024 | Palghar



An IEC awareness campaign was conducted across villages in Mokhada Block, engaging over 170 participants, including students from Grades 1 to 7. Through interactive sessions on Solid Waste Management, Rainwater Harvesting, and environmental conservation, students actively participated, asked thoughtful questions, and gained practical knowledge on waste segregation and RWH methods.



From Classrooms to Communities :
Students champion water wisdom and Zero waste villages !

IEC Awareness Campaign for RWH and SWM

December 2024 | Palghar



An IEC awareness campaign was conducted across villages in Dahanu Block, engaging over 450 participants, including students and teachers. Through interactive sessions on Solid Waste Management, Rainwater Harvesting, and environmental conservation, students actively participated, asked thoughtful questions, and gained practical knowledge on waste segregation and RWH methods.



Educate. Empower.
Transform :
Students creating
sustainable communities!

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Training on Water Quality Testing using Field Test Kits

December 2024 | Palghar



The purpose of the training was to train the Jalsevaks, Pada Swayamsevaks, Community Resource Persons (CRPs), and Self-Help Groups (SHGs) with the skills to conduct water quality tests using FTKs provided by the DWSM, ZP Palghar. A total of 80 participants from 10 Gram Panchayats attended the session.

IEC Awareness Campaign for RWH and SWM

December 2024 | Palghar



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Learn. Lead. Inspire :
Building sustainable
futures with young
minds !



Exposure Visit to ATUL Foundation

23rd January 2025 | Valsad



Exposure visits to Atul Foundation were organized for 25 local officials from Manor Gram Panchayat and the SBM team of Palghar Block. Participants, including elected representatives and Gram Sevaks, gained valuable insights into sustainable solid waste management practices and explored ways to implement them in their respective villages.



Exposure Visit to ATUL Foundation

25th January 2025 | Valsad



Exposure visits to Atul Foundation were organized for 25 local officials from Ranshet Gram Panchayat, Dahanu Block. The participants, including elected representatives and Gram Sevaks, gained valuable insights into sustainable solid waste management practices and explored ways to implement them in their villages.



Bhoomi Pujan and Shramdan on Republic Day

26th January 2025 | Palghar



On Republic Day, Bhoomi Pujan and Shramdan were conducted for the Rainwater Harvesting initiative at four schools in Palghar and Mokhada blocks. Awareness activities on Rainwater Harvesting (RWH) and Solid Waste Management (SWM) were also held for students and teachers.



Training on Strengthening of Gram Panchayats

12th February 2025 | Palghar



A workshop was conducted with the Block Development Office, Mokhada, Palghar district, Maharashtra focused on empowering Gram Panchayats through water security, solid waste management, sanitation, and spatial mapping in development plans. Over 235 participants attended, including Gram Sevaks, Sarpanchs, Deputy Sarpanchs, CRPs, and SHG members from various Gram Panchayats.



IEC Awareness Campaign on Women's Day

8th March 2025 | Palghar



On Women's Day, celebrations were organized at Ranshet and Ganjad Gram Panchayats, bringing together 195 participants, including SHG members, the Sarpanch, Gram Sevak, and GP members. The event featured IEC activities on rainwater harvesting and plastic waste management, followed by an oath-taking ceremony to promote sustainable solid waste practices.

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Enhancement of Water Supply System

March 2025 | Palghar



The water supply system in Panshetpada-2, Mahagaon Gram Panchayat, Palghar, was upgraded through a Mini Piped Water Supply Scheme benefiting 52 households. A solar pump now delivers water from a 40-foot deep well to a 5,000-liter overhead tank, easing the burden on women and children who previously traveled far to fetch water.



Construction of New Well

March 2025 | Palghar



A new well was constructed in Ozarpada, Ranshet Gram Panchayat, providing a reliable water source for 67 Katkari tribal households. Earlier, residents walked 1.5 km daily, spending hours fetching water as handpumps dried up by April. The well has resolved water scarcity, and a solar motor pump installed by the Gram Panchayat now ensures continuous supply to the community tap.



RWH at Community and Institutional Level

March 2025 | Palghar



As part of the initiative, 24 community-level and 9 institutional Rainwater Harvesting (RWH) structures were implemented. With active community participation through shramdan and resource mobilization, the effort ensured local ownership. School-based RWH systems not only meet institutional water needs but also serve as models for wider adoption.



“Why let rainwater go to waste?
Harvest, store and use it sustainably !”



IEC Awareness Campaign for RWH and SWM

December 2024 | Palghar



An IEC awareness campaign was conducted across villages in Dahanu Block, engaging over 30 participants, including students, teachers and representatives from Gram Panchayat. The sessions focused on raising awareness about Rainwater Harvesting (RWH) at both community and institutional levels.



This project at CWAS is supported by HDFC Bank's Parivartan Programme. Under this, CWAS is supporting 50 villages in 3 blocks of Palghar district in Maharashtra by engaging with communities and local governments.

