

Water and Sanitation

Key objective

To enable group members to improve their personal hygiene and health through increased awareness of how water-borne disease is spread

TOOLS required

Relevant pages in new PHE guide, Facilitation Skills Workbook

Personnel required

Trainer to share skills in facilitation with group facilitators. Trainer with basic understanding and experience of hygiene, sanitation and water

Anticipated outcomes

- Improved understanding of the importance of personal hygiene in food preparation
- Practical skills gained to improve household water supplies
- Increased understanding of the need for good sanitation with practical information and ideas on how to put this learning into practice
- Improved awareness of how water-borne diseases are transmitted.
- Better access to water tanks, protected pumps and latrines.

Suggested approaches

- Work through PHE Guide with local community groups, church and community leaders
- Use the Guide in a refugee setting to improve understanding and reduce disease
- Use topics of PHE Guide as training material
- Produce health education posters using the illustrations and basic facts in the PHE Guide.

Case studies

Guide not yet available