



Working together - Government and NGOs to enable Wider Replication

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Working Together - WASH at Scale

BACKGROUND

Policy Environment – devolved responsibilities and PATS

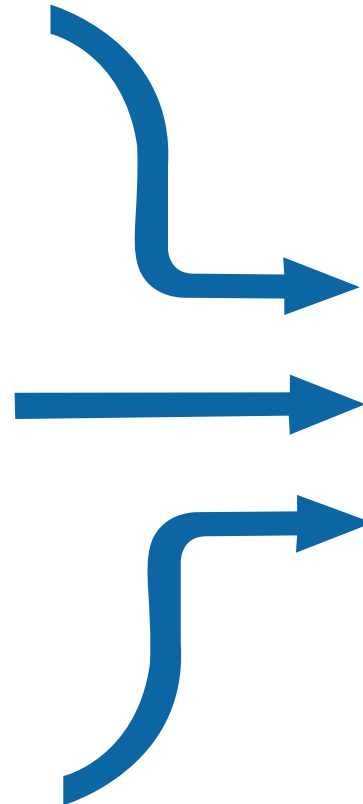
Weak inter-agency coordination

Improved linkages of NGOs and Government after disasters in Pakistan

Imbalance between investments in water supply and sanitation/ hygiene

Weak service delivery in WASH sector

Approach adopted by Plan Pakistan



Government-Led Approach

Mutual trust in the capacities of Public & Development Sector

Working in coordination and collaboration

Capacity building of service provides/duty bearers

Scaling up based on learnings

Outcome



Government Departments are now able to **respond** as per their mandate for WASH

Hygiene **promotion** is built into infrastructure programs

Government **initiated** and **funded** sanitation scale-up program based on learnings

Inter-departmental and development sector **coordination** strengthened and formalised



Key Learnings

- **Working with government to identify key gaps and using NGO capabilities to address these within government systems**
- **Starting small, not expecting overnight ‘success’, and building/scaling up as capacity develops**
- **Political buy-in is required to institutionalise integrated WASH programs in public sector plans and budgets**

Capacity Building of Government



Joint Planning & Reviews



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