



WASH in Nutrition

Strategies and Operational Solutions to fight Undernutrition with Water, Sanitation and Hygiene

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Nutrition Framework

(USAID, 2013)

DIETARY INTAKE

- Adequate amounts of diverse and quality food
- Proper child care and feeding practices



CHILD

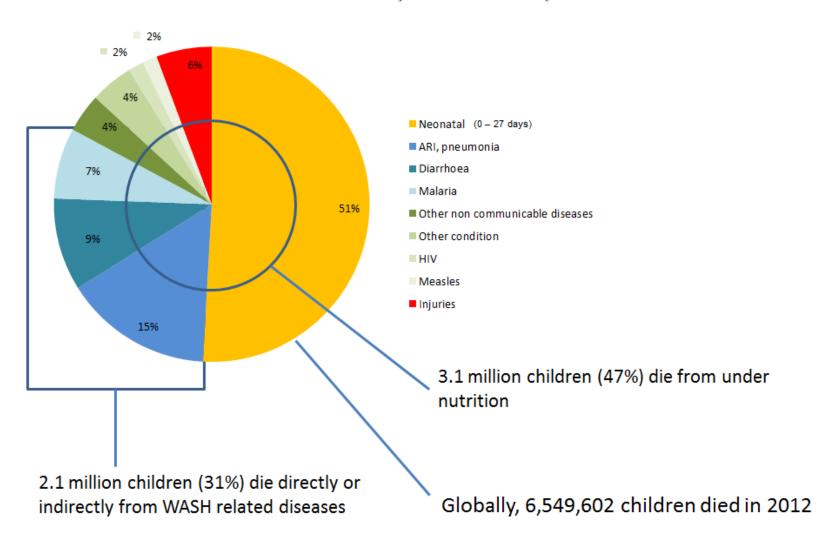
PREVENTION & TREATMENT

DISEASE

- · Access to health services
- Access to WASH infrastructure and proper hygiene behavior

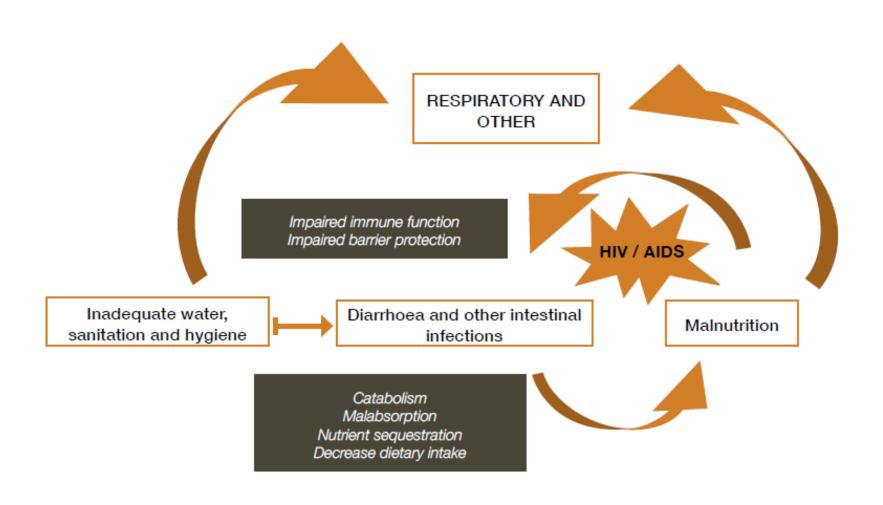
Under 5 Mortality

(WHO 2014)



The Vicious Cycle

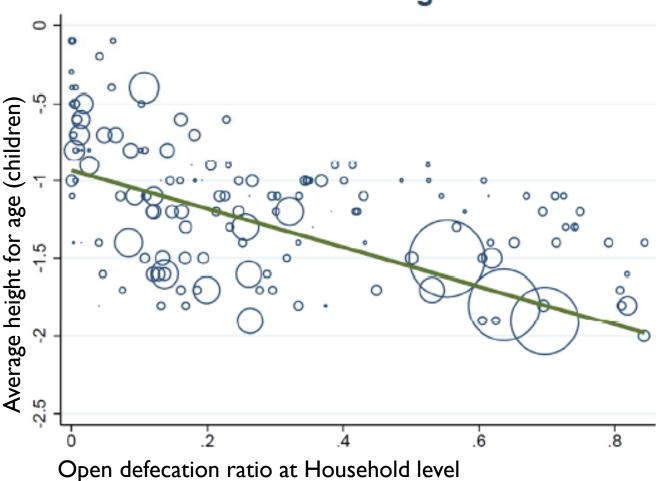
(WHO, 2007)



WASH impacts Nutritional Status

(Spears, India, 2012)

Sanitation affects stunting



The SUN Movement (2009) 55 countries engaged





Objectives are:

- Engage and Inspire
- Share experience on scaling up nutrition through a multisector approach
- Invest
- **Support** (enable other Networks and the SUN Movement Secretariat to engage in issues that cannot be addressed in-country).

Session Structure

- I Where are we? Panel presentations
 - I. Research
 - 2. Policy Strategy and Advocacy
 - 3. Operational Approach and Technical Implementation
- 2 Where do we want to go? Group work
 - Develop three key recommendations per group
- 3 Sharing/agreement on recommendations
- 4 Closing and way forward

I. Research

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Environmental Health Group
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2. Policy, strategy and advocacy (a)

Christiane Hieronymus

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German Federal Ministry for Economic
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2. Policy, strategy and advocacy(b)

Dr. Francois Lompo

Minister of Agriculture, Water Resources, Sanitation and Food Security
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3. Operational approach and technical implementation

Claire Gaillardou

Technical WASH Advisor for West Africa Action Contre la Faim (ACF)

Where do we want to go?

Three groups (20min):

- I. Research Joanne Esteves Mills, LSHTM / SHARE
- 2. Policy, strategy and advocacy
 Ajay Paul, German WASH Network / Welthungerhilfe
- 3. Operational approach and technical implementation Joanne Smyth, Concern Worldwide

Objective:

Develop three key recommendations per group and provide flipchart

Groups Recommendations Research Prioritising and understand what interventions are cost effective. What to focus on and at what scale. And the magnitude of the effect and WASH on acute malnutrition.

Global Policy: SUN to integrate and budget for the integration process

only in policies and strategies but also in Call for Proposals

(consider targeting and importance of integrated assessment stage)

Two way integration: concrete representation of sector experts in high level sector

meetings and the sectoral debate. Consideration of the sectoral integration not

Ensuring that WASH and nutrition projects include a Behaviour Change strategy

Emphasis on health system strengthening for sustainability, focus on engage and

Consider integrated analysis of both WASH and nutrition value chains to support

How to measure nutrition and WASH+ better consistency in measurement tools Whether to measure health outcomes, behaviours or parasitic prevalence. What the enabling factors which make interventions work in practice. Note: better dissemineation of findings to policy and operations for adoption. Funding the gaps: provide support and invest in modelling intervention packages and evidence based research with potential to be scaled up within capabilities of governments and institutions

training of health practitioners

Policy & Strategy

Operatio nal /

Technical

Thanks

- Please register on the session mailing list / mapping form
- Please join SuSanA Working Group 12 meeting (today, 2PM, room 353)
- Or become a member on http://www.susana.org
- References available on SuSanA website
- Further steps: Bonn Conference, World Toilet Day, Operational manual WASH in Nut
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