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SDGS & CHANGING TARGETS
**New Access to Water**

**Old Indicator:**
3.1.8.1-2 Number of people gaining access to an **improved** drinking water source

**New Indicator:**
Number of people gaining access to a **basic** drinking water source

**New Indicator:**
Number of people gaining access to a **safely managed** drinking water source
New Access to Water

Number of people gaining access to a **basic** drinking water source

What is a basic drinking water source?
- Same as old definition for “improved”
  - Protected from contamination
  - 30 minutes or less collection time
  - New access only

Number of people gaining access to a **safely managed** drinking water source

What is a safely managed drinking water source?
- Higher level of service quality including:
  - Located on premises
  - Available when needed
  - Compliant with faecal (and priority chemical) standards
  - No prior access
New Access to Water

How do we measure these?

Number of people gaining access to a **basic** drinking water source:
- Direct observation of new construction and count of beneficiaries
- Household surveys
Note: Must have baseline data available to ensure this is *new* access

Number of people gaining access to a **safely managed** drinking water source:
- Direct observation (with water quality test) and count of beneficiaries
- Household surveys
- Third-party data from water operators such as utilities, private operators or governments
Note: Must demonstrate the linkage between USG assistance and new water supplies.
**Old Indicator:**

3.1.8.1-2 Number of people gaining access to an **improved** sanitation facility

**New Indicator:**

Number of people gaining access to a **basic** sanitation facility

**New Indicator:**

Number of people gaining access to a **safely managed** sanitation service
New Access to Sanitation

Number of people gaining access to a **basic** sanitation facility

What is a basic sanitation facility?
- Same as old definition for “improved”
  - Hygienically separates human excreta from human contact
  - Household only (no shared sanitation)
  - No prior access

Number of people gaining access to a **safely managed** sanitation service

What is a safely managed sanitation service?
- Basic sanitation facility that also ensures excreta is safely disposed in situ or removed to be treated off-site
New Access to Sanitation

How do we measure these?

Number of people gaining access to a basic sanitation facility

- Direct observation of new construction and count of beneficiaries
- Household surveys

Note: Must have baseline data available to ensure this is new access

Number of people gaining access to a safely managed sanitation service

- Direct observation and count of beneficiaries
- Household surveys
- Third-party data from sanitation service providers such as utilities or fecal sludge management businesses

Note: Must demonstrate the linkage between USG assistance and new sanitation service
PUTTING THE COLLABORATIVE BEHAVIORS INTO PRACTICE
Enhance government leadership of sector planning processes

Strengthen and use country systems

Use one information and mutual accountability platform

Build sustainable water and sanitation sector financing strategies