



WATER

Rehabilitation and Construction of Water Network and Sewage Systems in Houses and Schools

Basic sanitation infrastructures in Puerto Cabezas Municipality, Llano Sur Comunity.



COUNTRY
Nicaragua



BENEFICIARIES
3.698



METHOD
Infrastructures

LOCAL PARTNERS	MINSA MINED Puerto Cabezas Municipality
FUNDING AGENCIES	UNICEF
STARTING DATE	October 2009
IMPLEMENTATION PERIOD	7 months
DESCRIPTION	Project beneficiaries were 571 families in the three communities of Yulu, Kligna and Sukatpin.
OBJECTIVES	This project improved the health of girls and boys, as well as the population in general of the three rural communities in the Llano Sur sector of the Puerto Cabezas Municipality through actions aimed at guaranteeing access to safe water and better hygienic services in the communities and their schools. Beyond this, the project contributed to the reduction of illnesses due to the consumption of contaminated water and to fostering adequate hygiene levels in the involved areas.
ACTIVITIES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Access assured to drinkable water and a basic sewage system for 100% of the inhabitants and three schools in the communities of Sukatpin, Yulu and Kligna; • Participatory Plan of Action created together with the communities and municipal and regional authorities (municipal government, MINSA, Regional Health Secretary) for the start up of the sewage system; • New wells constructed; • Training courses for school teachers (23 teachers total) and students (839 students total) carried out on personal hygiene and good water resource management.