

# WASH Road Map Initiative 8

<b>Item</b>	<b>V3 (16/02/2024)</b>	
<b>Name of Initiative</b>	<b>Humanitarian WASH sector Advocacy and Funding</b>	
<b>Lead organization(s)</b>	Action contre la Faim (ACF), French Water Partnership (FWP), UNICEF	
<b>Team</b>	<p><b>Members: ACF, FWP, GWC, GWN, ICRC, IFRC, IMC, IMPACT, LSHTM, NRC, SDC (EDA), SI, SCF, SWA, UNHCR &amp; UNICEF.</b> (<i>in bold, the members present at Meeting N2</i>)</p> <p><b>Potential Members :</b> COE, Geneva Water Hub, The Economist, Water Diplomat, Humanitarian &amp; Resilience Investing (HRI), Aqua for All.</p> <p><b>Potential Partners/ Targets:</b> World Bank, Asian DB, African DB, COE, BHA (USAID), ECHO (EU), FCDO (UK), SIDA (Sweden), CDCF (France), GFFO (Germany), Veolia, Gates Foundation, Eleanor Crook, etc.</p>	
<b>Total timeframe (months)</b>	<p>Strategy: 2024-2025 (see workplan below)</p> <p>Vision: 2024-2030 (see section below)</p>	
<b>Resources Required</b>	<u>Financial requirement up to 31/12/2025:</u> Euros 421,397 (estimated, not yet refined nor secured) Generic budget: <b>Annex 1 &amp; 2</b>	<u>Financial requirement 2026 to 31/12/2030:</u> Euros 1,000,000 (estimated, not yet secured)

<p><b>Objective(s) (list specific objective(s) of the initiative)</b></p>	<p><b><u>Overall Objective:</u></b></p> <p>To support the construction and facilitation of an advocacy community of WASH actors working jointly towards the promotion of the Call to Action for Survival and Resilient WASH Responses and the realization of the WASH Roadmap.</p> <p><b><u>Specific Objectives:</u></b></p> <p><b>S.O.1 - Humanitarian WASH Advocacy</b></p> <p><u>Phase 1: Define collectively Global WASH advocacy priorities fed by several levels (local, national and regional) and aligned on the Call to Action (especially points 2 and 4):</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Engage WRM members and map out WRM members advocacy strategies 2024 &amp; 2025 to synergize, make more efficient and above all maximize out impact.</li> <li>● Develop a humanitarian WASH advocacy strategy 2024-2025 based on the CTA endorsed by WRM members, including the creation of an advocacy platform thorough regular coordination calls.</li> <li>● Design a joint advocacy strategy for a restricted group of active members.</li> <li>● Build a generic Communication plan (including packages/kits for mobilisation and communication campaigns, etc).</li> </ul> <p><u>Phase 2: Roll-out Advocacy:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Inform advocacy initiatives through robust data &amp; field direct testimonies.</li> <li>● Collect field evidence on impediments to the WASH response related to the shrinking humanitarian space in FCV settings and on insufficient access to funds.</li> <li>● Roll out the WRM mobilization 'packages' to support influence campaigns.</li> <li>● Disseminate our advocacy messages through international workshops.</li> </ul>
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- Support active members of Initiative 8 to coordinate a joint advocacy approach, including at key summits.
- Support new CTA's endorsers on advocating for CTA points 2 & 4 (see Annex 3).

Phase 3: Evaluation & Reporting:

- Measure S.O.1 impact.
- Monitor the S.O.1 through WRM related indicators.

**S.O.2 – Reduce the Humanitarian WASH Funding Gap**

Phase 1: Mapping and analysis of existing Humanitarian WASH funding landscape (needs, gaps, existing mechanisms, resources) and propose options to maximize its impact or to propose new alternative solutions:

- Map and analyze current WASH Humanitarian funding gap.
- Map existing global humanitarian funding mechanisms.
- Propose solutions on how to support, develop and increase their reach by all means including creating a new Humanitarian WASH Fund open to conventional and non-conventional donors (feasibility, complementarity with existing funds).

Phase 2: Decision by the WRM Executive Committee (E.C.) about how to maximize Humanitarian WASH sector Funding:

- Based on the feasibility study transmitted by the WRM Initiative 8 co-leads before 30/09/2025, the WRM E.C. endorses WRM's Strategic Recommendations on Maximizing Humanitarian WASH Funding: this could include asking for the creation of a new Fund.

	<p><u>Phase 3: Roll out of the WRM Funding Strategy Recommendations for the Humanitarian WASH sector:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Specific advocacy focus on the Humanitarian WASH Sector funding gap and on recommendations to maximize existing Humanitarian WASH sector funding mechanisms</li> </ul> <p><u>Phase 4: Evaluation &amp; Reporting:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Measure the S.O.2 impact.</li> <li>• Monitor the S.O.2 through WRM related indicators.</li> </ul> <p><b>Precondition to the implementation of the initiative 8 (transversal):</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Securing a seed budget from WRM proper funds (see budget in <b>Annex 2</b>)</li> <li>• Securing an appropriate budget dedicated to Initiative 8 (see budget in <b>Annex 1</b>).</li> <li>• Coordinate quarterly online webinars for members to exchange information, align practices and coordinate jointly advocacy activities.</li> <li>• Develop a monitoring framework for S.O.1 &amp; S.O.2.</li> <li>• Report annually on S.O.1 &amp; S.O.2.</li> <li>• Feedback the WRM website and members with regular resources, articles and analysis produced by Initiative 8.</li> </ul> <p>(<u>Note</u>: This precondition is transversal to all Specific Objectives and will therefore not be reported in the following Workplan, nor set by phases).</p>
<p><b>Short description (2 paragraphs)</b></p>	<p>1 - The initiative will develop a consultative and integrated (e.g. with CTA and WAA) approach to establish an inclusive Humanitarian WASH sector global advocacy strategy (including marketing and communication campaigns) based on gaps, priorities, actors' capacity and trends identified at global, regional, national and local levels. It will</p>

	<p>progressively equip the local and national WASH sector partners and coordination platforms to be better advocates of the WASH Humanitarian cause, especially the current underfunding of the Humanitarian WASH sector, but also and at first place the advocacy messages of the CTA (see Annex It will ensure that the WASH sector is more visible on humanitarian responses, more vocal to be better funded (see section below) and considered in the global and national agendas.</p> <p>2 – The WASH sector is currently underfunded and deprioritized compared to other major sectors, especially regarding the Humanitarian context. The Initiative wants to change that critical status by advocating at global level about the lack of financial resources for Humanitarian WASH projects, and by producing recommendations to promote maximizing the effectiveness and coverage of the existing funds and financial mechanisms and if needed, feasible and endorsed by the WRM Executive Committee, by proposing to launch an additional Humanitarian WASH fund open to conventional and non-conventional donors (including private sector and private foundations).</p>
<p><b>Link to Pillars and pillar objectives?</b></p>	<p><u>Contribution to WRM Pillars (See <b>Annex 5</b>):</u></p> <p><b>Pillar 1 – Capacity:</b> The humanitarian WASH response has the right systems, at the right place, at the right time</p> <p><b>Pillar 3 – Financing:</b> The humanitarian WASH response is supported by innovative, predictable, and flexible multi-year funding</p> <p><u>Contribution to WRM Monitoring Indicators (See Note Below and <b>Annex 5</b>):</u></p> <p><b>S.O.1 :</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Number of humanitarian WASH responses that provide a predictable response and scale-up (as required) based on preparedness planning and national capacity Strengthening (<b>indicator P.1.1</b>).</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Number of donors that demonstrate new or refined pledging commitments and/or contributions to a global fund dedicated to sector-financing and investments for the humanitarian WASH response (<b>indicator P.3.2</b>)</li> </ul> <p><b>S.O.2 :</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Number of operational models established that demonstrate increased sustainable investment for WASH service delivery through one-basket, multi-year funding opportunities (<b>indicator P.3.1</b>)</li> <li>• Number of donors that demonstrate new or refined pledging commitments and/or contributions to a global fund dedicated to sector-financing and investments for the humanitarian WASH response (<b>indicator P.3.2</b>)</li> </ul> <p><u>Note:</u> specific advocacy indicators, not reflected in the WRM indicators framework, will need to be produced and followed. Example on S.O.1: “By the end of the project, several key Member States understand the specific constraints faced by WASH actors in FCV and start to align their diplomatic engagement accordingly”.</p>
<p><b>Link to WRM Ax(i/e)s and ax(i/e)s objectives?</b></p>	<p>Not Applicable</p>
<p><b>Target audience</b></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 - The CTA signatories.</li> <li>2 – The WRM members.</li> <li>3 – Member States.</li> <li>4 – The whole WASH sector, its actors, its conventional and non-conventional donors.</li> <li>5 - Other main Humanitarian Clusters.</li> </ol>

	6 – A wider audience (public awareness, communication, publications, research).
<b>Interdependencies with other WRM initiatives</b>	All initiatives will be impacted and supported by initiative 8. In a reflexive way, Initiative 8 will be mainly fed by reports, research and field testimonies and WASH' Hub ( <b>Initiative N°1</b> ), by global, regional and field data ( <b>Initiative N°2</b> ), Nexus ( <b>Initiative N°7</b> ) if maintained in the WRM and most of all by the WRM Call to Action ( <b>Initiative CTA</b> ).
<b>Links to key external initiatives</b>	<p><b>Link to S.O.1:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● IFRC One WASH</li> <li>● Hunger &amp; Conflict (Resolution 24-17) (ACF)</li> <li>● Water &amp; Peace</li> <li>● One Water Summit</li> <li>● Water Action Agenda</li> <li>● Alliance to Spare Water in Armed Conflicts</li> <li>● Call to Action (WRM)</li> <li>● War in Cities (RCRC Movement)</li> <li>● EWIPA (ICRC)</li> </ul> <p><b>Link to S.O.2:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● ICRC HIB (Humanitarian Impact Bond)</li> <li>● UNICEF revolving WASH fund</li> <li>● Call to Action (WRM)</li> <li>● Water Action Agenda</li> <li>● <u>Humanitarian and Resilience Investing Initiative</u></li> <li>● <u>Good Humanitarian Donorship</u></li> <li>● Humanitarian Innovative Finance Hub (HIFHUB)</li> </ul> <p><b>Events forecasted:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● World Water Forum Mai 2024</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● World Water Week August 2024</li> <li>● Aid Ex (Belgium) September 2024</li> <li>● One Water Summit (France &amp; Kazakhstan) September 2024</li> <li>● Suisse presidency of the UN Security Council, October 2024</li> <li>● Ministers SWA Gathering, Washington, 2024</li> <li>● 75 years of Geneva Convention anniversary, 2024</li> <li>● European Humanitarian Forum, 18 &amp; 19 March 2024 &amp; 2025</li> <li>● World Bank Fragility Forum</li> <li>● Switzerland prominent role in the UNSC from October 2024</li> </ul>
<b>Workplan</b>	See Table I (S.O.1) and Table II (S.O.2).
<b>Sustainability of Initiative</b>	The aspirational vision to 2030 of the initiative is basically the extension of the 2025 vision to 2030, described in the WRM Strategy 2025 document: <b>“By 2030, the WASH sector will have the capacity and resources to deliver in emergencies at scale, anywhere and at any time.”</b>

## Phases linked to Initiative Specific Objectives and WRM Indicators

### I – S.O.1: Humanitarian WASH Advocacy

Phase	Outcomes	Milestones	Outputs (Results)	WRM Success Indicators (see Annex 5)	Estimated Time
<b>1</b>	Define collectively Global WASH advocacy priorities fed by several levels (local, national & regional) and aligned on the CTA (especially points 2 and 4).	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Engage WRM members and map out WRM members advocacy strategies 2024 &amp; 2025 to synergize, make more efficient and above all maximize our impact.</li> <li>Develop a humanitarian WASH advocacy strategy 2024-2025 based on the CTA endorsed by WRM members, including the creation of an advocacy platform thorough regular coordination calls.</li> <li>Design a joint advocacy strategy for a restricted group of active members.</li> <li>Build a generic Communication plan (including packages / kits for mobilization and communication campaigns, etc.).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>R.1.1: WRM members Humanitarian WASH Advocacy Mapping report</li> <li>R.1.2: WRM Humanitarian WASH Advocacy Strategy report</li> <li>R.1.3: Advocacy &amp; Communication supporting package</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>indicator P.1.1.</li> <li>indicator P.3.2.</li> </ul>	9 months

<p><b>2</b></p>	<p>Roll out Advocacy.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Inform advocacy initiatives through robust data &amp; field direct testimonies.</li> <li>● Collect field evidence on impediments to the WASH response related to the shrinking humanitarian space in FCV settings and on insufficient access to funds.</li> <li>● Roll out the WRM mobilization 'packages' to support influence campaigns.</li> <li>● Disseminate our advocacy messages through international workshops.</li> <li>● Support active members of Initiative 8 to coordinate a joint advocacy approach, including at key summits.</li> <li>● Support new CTA's endorsers on advocating for CTA points 2 &amp; 4.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● R.1.4: Contribution to 4 international Fora (2024 &amp; 2025)</li> </ul>		<p>24 months</p>
<p><b>3</b></p>	<p>Evaluation &amp; Reporting.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Measure S.O.1 impact.</li> <li>● Monitor the SO1 through WRM related indicators.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● R.1.5: Two Standard reporting to WRM indicators (2024 &amp; 2025)</li> <li>● R.1.6: Two Annual Report (2024 &amp; 2025)</li> </ul>		<p>6 months (3 months per year)</p>

## II – S.O.2: Reduce the Humanitarian WASH Funding Gap

Phase	Outcome	Milestones	Outputs	WRM Success Indicators (see Annex 5)	Estimated Time
<b>1</b>	Mapping and analysis of existing Humanitarian WASH funding landscape (needs, gaps, existing mechanisms, resources) and propose options to maximize its impact or to propose new alternative solutions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Map and analyze current WASH Humanitarian funding gap.</li> <li>• Map existing global humanitarian funding mechanisms.</li> <li>• Propose solutions on how to support, develop and increase their reach by all means including creating a new Humanitarian WASH Fund open to conventional and non-conventional donors (feasibility, complementarity with existing funds).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• R.2.1: Humanitarian WASH Funding gap Mapping report (2025)</li> <li>• R.2.2: Humanitarian WASH Funding mechanisms Mapping report (2025)</li> <li>• R.2.3: Funding Gap Advocacy &amp; Communication supporting package</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• indicator P.3.1.</li> <li>• indicator P.3.2.</li> </ul>	9 months
<b>2</b>	Decision by the WRM Executive Committee (E.C.) about how to	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Based on the feasibility study transmitted by the WRM Initiative 8 co-leads before 30/09/2025, the WRM E.C. endorses WRM's Strategic Recommendations on Maximizing Humanitarian WASH</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• R.2.4: Official decision from WRM E.C about WRM's Strategic Recommendations</li> </ul>		3 months

	maximize Humanitarian WASH sector Funding.	Funding: this could include asking for the creation of a new Fund.	on Maximizing Humanitarian WASH Funding is made official.		
<b>3</b>	Roll out of the WRM Funding Strategy Recommendations for the Humanitarian WASH sector	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Specific advocacy focus on the Humanitarian WASH Sector funding gap and on recommendations to maximize existing Humanitarian WASH sector funding mechanisms</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• R.2.5: The WRM Funding Strategy Recommendations is presented in two international meetings (part of the 4 meetings of S.O.1)</li> </ul>		12 months
<b>4</b>	Evaluation & Reporting.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Measure the S.O.2 impact.</li> <li>• Monitor the S.O.2 through WRM related indicators.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• R.2.6: Contributions to Standard reporting to WRM indicators 2025</li> <li>• R.2.7: Contributions to WRM Annual Report 2025</li> </ul>		3 months

## Annex 1: Initiative 8 Generic Budget 2024-2025

Generic Budget WRM Initiative 8 Budget (euros)								Funding strategy		
Item	Quantity	Unit	Quantity	Unit	LOE	Unit Price	Total cost	WRM Seed Fund	To Propose to	ACF & PFE Pro bono
<b>Functioning and Purchases</b>							<b>169 440</b>			
Consultancy 1: WRM members Humanitarian advocacy strategies mapping	1	consultancy	34	days	100%	600	20 400	29 630	139 810	0
Consultancy 2: Humanitarian WASH Funding Gap mapping	1	consultancy	44	days	100%	600	26 400	20 400	0	0
Consultancy 3: Humanitarian WASH Funding mechanisms mapping	1	consultancy	44	days	100%	600	26 400	0	26 400	0
Consultancy 4: WRM Advocacy Strategy	1	consultancy	44	days	100%	600	26 400	0	26 400	0
Facilitating Workshops & Fora sessions	1	contribution	1	workshop	100%	5 000	5 000	5 000	0	0
Facilitating Workshops & Fora sessions	1	contribution	3	workshop	100%	5 000	15 000	0	15 000	0
Displacements to the Field	2	person	2	field visit	100%	3 230	12 920	0	12 920	0
Displacement to Workshops & Fora	2	person	1	workshop	100%	2 115	4 230	4 230	0	0
Displacement to Workshops & Fora	2	person	3	workshop	100%	2 115	12 690	0	12 690	0
Communication Package on Humanitarian WASH Advocacy	1	publication	1	time	100%	10 000	10 000	0	10 000	0
Communication Package on Humanitarian WASH Funding Gap	1	publication	1	time	100%	10 000	10 000	0	10 000	0
<b>Human Ressources</b>							<b>213 648</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>195 738</b>	<b>17 910</b>
Project Manager & Advocacy (WASH) Officer	1	staff	18	months	100%	7 500	135 000	0	135 000	0
Wash Advisor	1	staff	18	months	13%	8 500	19 125	0	19 125	0
Advocacy Advisor	1	staff	18	months	13%	6 500	14 625	0	14 625	0
Donors Liaison & Partnership Advisor ACF / IDDRU (pro bono)	1	staff	18	months	5%	7 500	6 750	0	0	6 750
Finance Officer	1	staff	18	months	8%	6 500	9 750	0	9 750	0
Grant officer	1	staff	18	months	8%	6 500	9 750	0	9 750	0
Initiative 8 Secretariate Officer PFE (pro bono)	1	staff	18	months	10%	6 200	11 160	0	0	11 160
Placement on S.O.1(2024)	1	intern	6	months	100%	624	3 744	0	3 744	0
Placement on S.O.2(2024)	1	intern	6	months	100%	624	3 744	0	3 744	0
<b>Subtotal Direct costs</b>							<b>383 088</b>	<b>29 630</b>	<b>335 548</b>	<b>17 910</b>
<b>Indirect costs (10%)</b>							<b>38 309</b>	<b>2 963</b>	<b>33 555</b>	<b>1 791</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>							<b>421 397</b>	<b>32 593</b>	<b>369 103</b>	<b>19 701</b>

Note 1: detailed budget will be submitted to supportive donors annexed to a detailed proposal.

## Annex 2: Seed Fund proposed to WRM E.C. & Pro Bono Budget from co-leads

Focus Seed Fund & Pro Bono Budget WRM Initiative 8 (euros)									
item	Quantity	Unit	Quantity	Unit	LOE	Unit Price	Total cost	Requested WRM Seed fund	Pro bono (ACF & PFE)
<b>Functioning and Purchases</b>							<b>29 630</b>		
Consultancy 1 : WRM members Humanitarian advocacy strategies mapping	1	consultancy	34	days	100%	600	20 400	29 630	0
Facilitating Workshops & Fora sessions	1	contribution	1	workshop	100%	5 000	5 000	20 400	0
Displacement to Workshops & Fora	2	person	1	workshop	100%	2 115	4 230	5 000	0
<b>Human Ressources</b>							<b>17 910</b>		
Donors Liaison & Partnership Advisor ACF / IDDRU (pro bono)	1	staff	18	months	5%	7 500	6 750	4 230	0
Initiative 8 Secretariate Officer PFE (pro bono)	1	staff	18	months	10%	6 200	11 160	0	17 910
<b>Subtotal Direct costs</b>							<b>47 540</b>	<b>29 630</b>	<b>17 910</b>
<b>Indirect costs (10%)</b>								<b>2 963</b>	<b>1 791</b>
<b>Grand Total (Euros)</b>								<b>32 593</b>	<b>19 701</b>

The WRM Initiative 8 S.C. will kindly require from WRM Proper Funds a **Seed funding of 32,593 Euros**.

This fund will contribute to launch concretely the initiative 8 by:

- Ensuring 1 consultancy about the mapping of WRM members in term of humanitarian WASH Advocacy, in order to inform synergies, alliances, and help design the WRM Advocacy strategic plan, aligned with CTA commitments.
- Ensuring a session led by WRM on WASH Humanitarian advocacy issues in one international Forum (to be defined: WWW, WWF, OWS)
- Ensuring the Movment of 2 WRM members to deliver this session

This Seed Fund will be kindly **complemented and supported Pro-Bono** by the Initiative 8 co-leads for an in-kind amount of **19,701 Euros** (from ACF & from French Water Partnership).

## Annex 3: Initiative 8 Proposed Timeline

Link to S.O.	Line	Content	End date	Achieved
<b>2024</b>				
1, 2	A1	Validation by initiative members of co-leads & possible new members	07/02/2024	N
1, 2	A2	Validation by initiative members of Summary sheet & colead endorsement	28/02/2024	N
1, 2	A3	WRM seed fund & Traditional donor's approached with concept notes	31/03/2024	N
1, 2	A4	Recruitment of the initiative 8 permanent team	30/06/2024	N
1	A5	Report 1 (WRM members Advocacy Strategy Mapping) is delivered	30/09/2024	N
1	A6	Report 2 (WRM Advocacy Strategy) is delivered	31/12/2024	N
1	A7	Advocacy & Communication kit 1 (Humanitarian WASH) is delivered	31/12/2024	N
1	A8	Routinely delivers against the WRM Initiative 8 strategy outcomes	31/12/2024	N
1, 2	A9	Contribution to 2 major fora (Humanitarian Advocacy focus)	31/12/2024	N
<b>2025</b>				
1	B1	WRM Executive Committee decides a WRM Recommendation Strategy on Maximizing the WASH Humanitarian funding	31/03/2025	N
2	B2	Report 3 (WASH Humanitarian Funding Gap) is delivered	31/09/2024	N
2	B3	Report 4 (WASH Humanitarian Funding Mechanisms) is delivered	31/09/2025	N
2	B4	Advocacy & Communication kit 2 (Humanitarian WASH Funding) is delivered	31/09/2025	N
2	B5	WRM Funding Strategy is endorsed	31/12/2025	N
1, 2	B6	Contribution to 2 major fora (Humanitarian Funding focus)	31/12/2024	N

## Annex 4: The WRM Call for Action (Initiative 8 focus points in bold policy)

As Humanitarian WASH Road Map actors, we call on governments to champion this Road Map, and make commitments to take concrete action to strengthen the WASH sector in Fragile, Conflict and Violent (FCV) settings. Road Map members are concerned by the lack of attention given to specific WASH challenges in FCV settings during previous high-level water events and proceedings (e.g. 2022 Dakar declaration and 2021 High-Level Political Forum). Through this call to action, WASH Road Map actors call upon governments to raise the profile of WASH in FCV settings and table the following commitments in March 2023. We therefore call on governments to:

- Primarily focus their efforts on people living in FCV settings, who are the most severely impacted by the multiple burdens of conflict, climate change, poverty and hunger. Special attention should be given to countries where no progress has been made towards achieving SDG 6, and populations who do not even have access to basic WASH services. It is only by including the most vulnerable that we can hope to reach the SDGs.
- **Increase support for humanitarian WASH responses and coordination to deliver predictable, effective (timely) and sufficient survival WASH responses and ultimately safeguard the lives and health of those living in FCV contexts.**
- Build sustainable and resilient WASH services that can withstand crises. Building back better and adapting existing systems – from infrastructures to communities – should be systematic, especially in countries with the highest exposure to multiple risks (climate crises, conflicts, natural disasters). In these contexts, cooperation between development and humanitarian actors at all levels from local to global will ensure continuity of services and better value for money. Together, let's build services that last.
- **Actively promote the effective implementation of International Humanitarian Law obligations relating to the protection of WASH personnel and UN Security Council Resolution 2573 (2021). This includes promoting the identification and exchange of good practices to protect WASH infrastructure during armed conflict; supporting data collection on attacks on or impacting WASH infrastructure and their knock-on effects; and facilitating access to the necessary equipment, spare parts and consumables to restore and maintain WASH services.**
- Support the request to the UN Secretary-General to swiftly nominate a UN Special Envoy for Water, in order to establish an ongoing UN-hosted intergovernmental mechanism to discuss global water issues and ensure the achievement of SDG 6 and all water-related SDGs.

## Annex 5: The WASH Roadmap Indicators Applying to Initiative 8

Target	Indicators	Means of Verification	Indicator Reference	Link to Initiative S.O
<b>Axis 1</b>	Number of humanitarian WASH responses in countries that demonstrate adherence to a global system that guides partners to implement WASH interventions based on epidemiological and environmental data	Reports from agencies and sector Response plans/strategies from agencies and sector External reviews and evaluations from Agencies and sector	<b>A.1</b>	<b>x</b>
<b>Axis 2</b>	Number of humanitarian WASH responses in countries that demonstrate compliance with the global monitoring system set up for quality assurance and accountability	Reports from agencies and sector (based on the QAAS) External reviews and evaluations from agencies and sector	<b>A.2</b>	<b>x</b>
<b>Axis 3</b>	Number of responses in fragile states that demonstrate systematic use of a consolidated accountability framework between WASH humanitarian and development actors to monitor resilient and risk-informed WASH service delivery	Reports from agencies and sector Response plans/strategies from agencies and sector External reviews and evaluations from agencies and sector	<b>A.3</b>	<b>x</b>
<b>Pillar 1</b>	Number of humanitarian WASH responses that provide a predictable response and scale-up (as required) based on preparedness planning and national capacity strengthening	Reports from agencies and sector Preparedness plans/strategies from agencies and sector External reviews and evaluations from agencies and sector	<b>P.1.1</b>	<b>S.O.1</b>
	Number of agencies that can demonstrate the use of the harmonized, system-wide approach for capacity-development in the humanitarian WASH sector	Reports from agencies and sector Capacity development plans/strategies from agencies and sector External reviews and evaluations from agencies and sector	<b>P.1.2</b>	<b>x</b>
<b>Pillar 2</b>	Number of national WASH cluster/sector humanitarian WASH coordination platforms complying with the GWC minimum requirements for coordination	Reports from GWC and national WASH cluster or sector humanitarian WASH coordination platforms External reviews and evaluations from sector	<b>P.2.1</b>	<b>x</b>
	Number of new or enhanced strategic, operational and/or academic partnerships that have been successfully formalized, at global, regional and country levels	Partnerships agreements from agencies and sector External reviews and evaluations from agencies and sector	<b>P.2.2</b>	<b>x</b>
<b>Pillar 3</b>	Number of operational models established that demonstrate increased sustainable investment for WASH service delivery through one-basket, multi-year funding opportunities	Reports from agencies and sector, OCHA FTS and donors' External reviews and evaluations from sector	<b>P.3.1</b>	<b>S.O.2</b>
	Number of donors that demonstrate new or refined pledging commitments and/or contributions to a global fund dedicated to sector-financing and investments for the humanitarian WASH response	Reports from agencies and sector, OCHA FTS and donors. External reviews and evaluations from sector	<b>P.3.2</b>	<b>S.O.1</b> <b>S.O.2</b>

## Annex 6: Resources & Contacts

### a) **Resources linked to the Initiative N°8**

- UNICEF Vision for Leveraging Repayable Finance in WASH
- Sanitation and Water for All How to Make Public Investment Work
- IRC Innovative Financing for Responses to Refugee Crises
- OECD Making Blended Finance Work for Water and Sanitation
- [Mobilizing Capital to Overcome Fragility](#)
- [Good Practices Playbook for Innovative Financing in Humanitarian Contexts](#)

### b) **Resources linked to the WRM**

- <https://www.washroadmap.org/>
- [Most recent contact list 2024.xlsx](#)
- [www.washroadmap.org/uploads/1/3/8/8/138810292/road\\_map\\_2025\\_en\\_full\\_version.pdf](http://www.washroadmap.org/uploads/1/3/8/8/138810292/road_map_2025_en_full_version.pdf)
- [WRM MTR Recommendations Table 8-21-23\[30\].docx](#)
- [WRM Governance TORs.docx](#)
- [WASH RoadMap Secretariat Handover.docx](#)
- WRM initiative 4.3 Advocacy Strategy 2023-2025: [here](#)

### c) **WRM Initiative 8 Contact List (01/2024)**

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<sup>[1]</sup> Precondition is transversal and therefore not presented in the tables

<sup>[2]</sup> For the estimated budget, please refer to **Annex 1**

<sup>[3]</sup> For the indicators details and means of verification, please refer to **Annex 4**