Sharing Organizational Data to Expand Your Impact

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water builds relief
• Provides a framework to find solutions.
• Creates a proven methodology for an organization to expand its impact.
• Lays the foundation for data from which one can build an effective strategy.
CASE STUDY
DEMONSTRATING TRANSFORMATIONS
WHAT IT IS

• Water Mission’s new Restore Survey is a breakthrough, cost-effective tool designed to routinely evaluate the impact of water, sanitation, and hygiene (WASH) solutions in communities around the world.
The Restore Survey collects data about a community’s strengths and weaknesses before, during, and after a project’s implementation cycle.

This information provides a baseline for accurately assessing the full impact of solutions over time and supports enhanced community collaboration throughout the project.

The survey results are designed to be shared with local leaders, empowering them with insights on how to support and advance their community.
“This is a tool that will allow us to treat community members as the ones who hold the key to their own transformation. By asking them their needs and strengths from the beginning, we can leverage their skills and empower them in a new way.”

— Julia Sherry, Program Evaluation Specialist
HOW IT WORKS
THREE KEY SECTORS

• **Management Skills:** Reflects a community’s trust in local leadership, as well as its capacity to maintain and operate financially viable safe water or sanitation service into the future.

• **Community Well-Being:** Assesses the social, emotional, material, and spiritual health of residents, allowing for ongoing changes to be evaluated after solutions are implemented.

• **WASH Behaviors:** Measures the knowledge and practice of safe water, sanitation, and handwashing behaviors throughout the community.
• In addition to guiding and measuring Water Mission’s work, this real-time survey data invites community members to directly address their challenges and independently drive positive, lasting change.
LEAVING NO ONE BEHIND
WHERE ARE THERE ROOM FOR IMPROVEMENTS?

• Are all populations treated equally?
• Is there room for improvement?
• How can we work with the community to encompass all into safe water solutions?
• How equipped is the community to take ownership of this project into the future?