



Date: 2012
Project: Lifewater 20/20 Maji Safi Project
Location: Uganda
Number of kits: 400 static kits
Partners: Watchmen International - www.watchmeninternational.com

Estimated impact: Clean and safe drinking water for up to 25,000 Ugandans

Introduction

Lifewater works with indigenous teams and partners on the ground in developing nations so that we can get water purification kits to people in need as quickly and cost effectively as possible.



A Lifewater workshop in Kasese, Western Uganda, showing local representatives assembling their own Lifewater systems

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'Maji Safi' means clean water in Kiswahili. The aim of this project was to raise sponsorship to place 20 Lifewater systems into schools, orphanages, clinics, hospitals, etc. in each of 20 Ugandan towns/areas. The target group for this project was the most vulnerable in Ugandan society - children, the elderly, the sick.

As sponsorship was raised throughout the year – from churches, businesses, schools, trusts and individuals in the UK and elsewhere – workshops were organised throughout Uganda. These workshops were run by team members of our partner organisation, Watchmen International. Representatives from various local organisations, including local government, health and water officers, were invited to hear about Lifewater projects and how the Lifewater systems work. This was followed by a practical demonstration on how the Lifewater kits are easily assembled with locally-sourced 60 litre buckets in order to provide a water purification system that is able to filter enough water on a daily basis for between 60-100 people. The invited representatives then had an opportunity to assemble their own Lifewater systems under the watchful eye of the hosts.

To find out more about this lifewater, please don't hesitate to contact us – info@lifewaterkits.org.uk.

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