

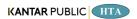
# **Functionality Assessment of Household Tap Connection under National Jal Jeevan Mission - 2022**



STATE REPORT: KARNATAKA
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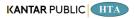
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#### **Abbreviations**

AWC	Aanganwadi Centre
FHTC	Functional Household Tap Connection
Gol	Government of India
GP	Gram Panchayat
HF	Health Facility
HH	Household
HGJ	Har Ghar Jal
JJM	Jal Jeevan Mission
LPCD	Litres per Capita per Day
MVS	Multi-village Scheme
NJJM	National Jal Jeevan Mission
RC	Residual Chlorine
O&M	Operation and Maintenance
OHT	Over Head Tank
PSU	Primary Sampling Unit
PWS	Piped Water Supply
SVS	Single Village Scheme
VAP	Village Action Plan
VWSC	Village Water and Sanitation Committee
WQMIS	Water Quality Monitoring and Information System
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#### Glossary

- 1. **Community** Group of people living in one particular area or village/habitation
- 2. **Cross-sectional research** A cross-sectional study is a type of research design in which data is collected from a relatively large and diverse group of people at a single point in time
- 3. **Drinking water source** Groundwater (open well, borewell, tube well, handpump, spring, etc.)/ surface water (river, lake, pond, reservoir, etc.)/rainwater, available for drinking and domestic use
- 4. Improved sources The following sources as considered improved by the National Family Health Survey definitions: Piped water into dwelling, yard/plot with a tap, piped water connected to public stand-posts, tube well or borewell, Hand pump, dug well– protected, Spring–protected, Rainwater, Water ATM/ Community RO plant/ Community Water Purification Plant (CWPP)
- 5. **Unimproved sources** The following sources as considered unimproved by the National Family Health Survey definitions: Unprotected spring, unprotected dug well, cart with small tank / drum, Tanker/ truck, Surface water (river/ dam/ lake/ pond/ canal), and bottled water
- 6. **Functional Household Tap Connection (FHTC)** A tap connection to a rural household for providing drinking water in adequate quantity of prescribed quality on regular basis.
- 7. **Functionality of FHTC** Functionality of a tap connection is defined as having infrastructure, i.e., household tap connection providing water in adequate quantity, as presented:

Definitions	Fully functional	Partially functional	Non-functional
Quantity	>= 55 LPCD	> 40 lpcd - < 55 LPCD	< 40 LPCD
Regularity	12 months or daily basis	9-12 months or < daily basis	< 9 months or < daily basis
Quality	Potable	Potable	Non potable

- 8. **Quantity (in litres)** of water received by households per person per day should meet the service level of 55 lpcd.
- 9. **Functionality Assessment** An assessment of the functionality of rural household tap connections based on a sample survey
- 10. **Regularity** Regularity of water is considered when a rural household receives water for 12 months on daily basis or as per schedule.
- 11. **Potability –** Potable water is water that is safe to be used as drinking water. Parameters of potable water are mentioned below:

Parameters for potable			A	Permissible Limit in
	er tested in the survey	Unit Acceptable Limit		the absence of
mater teeted in the early				alternative sources
i.	pH (tested on site)	-	6.5 to 8.5	No relaxation
ii.	Free residual chlorine (tested on site)	Mg/litre	0.2	1
iii.	Turbidity	NTU	1	5
iv.	Total hardness	Mg/litre	200	600
V.	Total alkalinity	Mg/litre	200	600
vi.	Chloride	Mg/litre	250	1000
vii.	Ammonia	Mg/litre	0.5	No relaxation
viii.	Phosphate	Mg/litre	0.3	1
ix.	Iron (in hotspots only)	Mg/litre	1	No relaxation
X.	Nitrate	Mg/litre	45	No relaxation
xi.	Sulphate	Mg/litre	200	400



xii.	Total dissolved solids	Mg/litre	500	2000
xiii.	Fluoride	Mg/litre	1	1.5
xiv.	Arsenic (in hotspots only)	Mg/litre	0.01	No relaxation
XV.	Bacteriological test for To bacteria and E. coli or the coliform bacteria		Shall not be detectable sample	e in any 100 ml

- 12. **Sampling** Selection of a subset of individuals from within a statistical population to estimate water service delivery among the population. In the current study, households have been sampled to estimate the representation of the village and subsequently of the district as well as of the state.
- 13. Types of schemes: Following are the piped water supply schemes that were assessed
  - a. Mini-solar based piped water supply scheme in isolated/tribal hamlets
  - b. Single Village Scheme (SVS) in villages having adequate groundwater that needs treatment
  - c. Single village scheme (having adequate groundwater/ spring water/ local or surface water source of prescribed Quality)
  - Retrofitting of ongoing schemes taken up under erstwhile NRDWP for the last mile connectivity/ retrofitting of completed rural water supply schemes to make it JJM compliant
  - e. Multi-village PWS scheme with water grids/ regional water supply schemes
- 14. Village Action Plan (VAP) Plan prepared by Gram Panchayat and/ or its sub-committee, i.e., VWSC/ Paani Samiti/ User Group, etc. based on baseline survey, resource mapping and felt needs of the village community to provide FHTC to every rural household, treat the generated greywater and plan its reuse, undertake surveillance activities, etc. VAP also indicates the fund requirement and timelines for completion of work under the Mission and will be approved by the Gram Sabha. Irrespective of the source of funding, all drinking water-related works in the village are taken up based on the VAP.
- 15. **Source Sustainability** includes measures such as aquifer recharge, rainwater harvesting, increased storage capacity of water bodies, reservoirs, de-silting, etc. improve the lifespan of water supply systems
- 16. **Har Ghar Jal (HGJ)** An administrative unit wherein all HHs are provided with water supply through FHTCs is called "Har Ghar Jal".
- 17. **Public Institutions** The public institutions in the survey include Aanganwadi Centre (AWC), Health Facilities, Schools, Gram Panchayat, and government buildings.
- 18. **Working tap connection –** A tap connection supplied water at least one day in the week, preceding of survey
- 19. **Functional Scheme –** A scheme is said to be functional if it was reported to be working for all 12 months in a year.

Note: The detailed analysis of data at the district level has been incorporated in the District Reports presented separately. The State Reports are to be read in concurrence to the District Reports.

#### **Executive Summary**

Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) was launched on the 15th of August 2019 with the objective to provide functional household tap connections (FHTCs) to all rural households. NJJM, Gol engaged HTA Kantar Public to conduct the 'Functionality Assessment' of the tap connection at households as well as public institutions/ buildings such as schools, anganwadis, gram panchayat buildings, public health facilities, and wellness centers in all the rural districts for the financial year 2021-22.

A cross-section research design was adopted for this functionality assessment study. As per the design, all villages having a piped water scheme (PWS) with 20 or more functional household tap connections were included in the sample frame. There after the required number of villages were randomly selected villages such that these are statistically significant at the district level.

In this study, data was collected from the households, and public institutions (i.e., schools, anganwadis, gram panchayat buildings, public health facilities and wellness centers, etc.) in the randomly selected villages. Water quantity and quality were also tested in the sampled households and public institutes. Quality testing was conducted for various parameters, out of which pH and residual chlorine were tested on the ground and for the remaining 12 different quality parameters water sample was collected and sent to the nearest NABL accredited district labs for testing.

The state of Karnataka lies in the southern part of India and has a population of 6,10,95,297 (Census 2011). It has 30 districts and 28657 villages, and 22363 villages have PWS schemes. The state is yet to achieve the Har Ghar Jal status. A total of 390 villages, across all districts, and 11770 households were randomly sampled for the survey, and additionally, water samples from 443 public institutions were tested.

In the assessment among sampled villages, 48% of villages have only one scheme, 31% of villages have 2-3 schemes, and 20% have 4 or more schemes. Mostly all schemes across the state were found functional.

At the state level, 92% of the HHs were satisfied with the regularity of the supply, 87% with the quality of the water supplied, 92% with the colour of the water supplied, and 86% with the taste of the supplied tap water.

#### Overall functionality status of Karnataka

At the state level, 99% of HHs received water on the day of the survey. While 59% of the HHs were found to have fully functional tap water connections within the premises. Out of which 82% received an adequate quantity of water, 84% reported receiving a fully regular supply of water, and 82% HHs received potable water.

It was found that 54% of households received water all 7 days a week, 27% of the households received water 3 or 4 days a week, and 9% of the households received water at least once a week. The average duration of water supply across the state was reported to be 2 hours per day.

In Karnataka, 18% of the villages have reported that water is directly supplied to the households and the remaining 82% reported that water was supplied via an overhead tank, sump, or both.

During the roll-out of the data collection in the state, all-district level NABL accredited laboratories (labs) extended their support in accepting and testing water samples from HHs

and public institutions. One of the challenges identified by the labs was the capacity to test more than 30-40 samples within 24 hours given the shortage of technicians and availability of necessary reagents in the required quantity. In Karnataka, 12150 samples of water were submitted, and 11449 were tested at the labs. The turnaround time of testing of water sample was more than 48 hours in most cases. Given this feedback, it can be conferred that these labs have limited scope to take up samples from the general public at large on a regular basis. The different quality parameters of the collected water samples that were tested were turbidity, total hardness, total alkalinity, chloride, iron, nitrate, sulphate, total dissolved solids, bacteriological test, arsenic, and fluoride.

Residual chlorine was found within the permissible limit only in 32% of the HHs. The percentage was relatively lower in the public institutions, wherein there is a possibility of additional chlorine being added locally for the purification of water.

Out of the 11770 HHs sampled for the FHTC assessment, a water quality test was carried out in 11707 HHs. pH was found within the acceptable limit in 93% of households. Among the public institution, pH was found in the acceptable limit of more than 85% in all the public institutions.

56% of villages in the state reported having available field test kits. And 53% of these reported to have either VWSC/Pani Samiti or pump operators trained to use field test kits for testing the quality of water on-site.

#### Water quality management in village

It was found that 35% of villages in the state reported having a VWSC or a Pani Samiti out of which 53% of the VWSC/Pani Samitis reported to have more than 50% female members. In the state, 16% of the villages reported that VWSC/Pani Samiti is responsible for the operation and maintenance of pipe water supply.

44% of villages reported having identified skilled manpower for O&M of PWS schemes. 3% of villages in the state reported having faced challenges with respect to O&M of PWS schemes.

99% of HHs reported that they are aware of any grievance redressal mechanism w.r.t. HH tap water through PWS, but only 4% HHs have reported a complaint in the last year and only 4% of complaints have been resolved. Among those who reported complaints (i.e., 4% HHs, 490 HHs), 96% of the HHs reported their complaints to pump operators and VWSC/Pani Samiti besides other reporting channels.

Overall, 60% of villages in the state levy charge for water service delivery to households whereas 67% HHs reported paying water service delivery charges at the households.

94% of HHs reported that their daily requirement of water was being met by HH tap connections.

Overall, 94% of HHs reported using an improved source of drinking water, as their primary source. The state also needs to further strengthen communication for the quality of water supplied so that every household can use the same for drinking purposes.

Overall, 22% HHs reported using booster pumps to maximize the water flow through their piped water connections.

It was found that 67% of the villages have schemes that are based on groundwater sources, while 11% on surface water sources.

Age-wise functionality of the schemes indicates an increase in 'always functional' schemes in the state since 2012. 24-% point increase in the fully functional scheme was recorded from 2012 to 2013-18. In 2019 and later the percentage of fully functional schemes decreased by

18% and 55% of schemes have been reported to be always functional and none as partially functional (i.e., a total of 55% of schemes).

#### Impact of JJM

Across the state, none of the HHs reported having an incidence(s) of water-borne diseases in the last year.

Since having a functional HH tap connection, 40% HHs across the state have reported that there has been a change in the no. of employment days of the adult HH members while 45% HHs reported no change.

Out of the HHs reported (i.e., 9243) that female members used to fetch water before HH tap connection, 91% reported that post-installation of HH tap connection helped reduce of time and effort in collection of water.

Across the state, 23% of the HHs reported that since having a functional HH tap connection the attendance of the girls going to schools has increased, and 46% of the HHs reported no change in attendance which could possibly be an impact of shutting down of schools due to COVID-19 related lockdown during the survey period.

#### **Functionality Status of Har Ghar Jal Districts**

At the state level for Har Ghar Jal districts, 98% of households received water on the day of the survey. While 60% of the households were found to have fully functional tap connections. Out of which 79% received an adequate quantity of water, less than 9 out of 10 reported receiving a fully regular supply of water and 84% received potable water.

Since having a functional HH tap connection, 43% reported that there has been a change in no. of employment days. Out of the HHs in which female members used to fetch water before HH tap connection, 92% reported that post-installation of HH tap connection helped reduce time and effort in collecting water. Across the Har Ghar Jal district, 19% HHs reported that since having a functional HH tap connection their income has directly benefitted.

#### **Functionality Status of Aspirational Districts**

At the state level for aspirational districts, 100% of households received water on the day of the survey. While 85% of the households were found to have fully functional tap connections. Out of which 98% received an adequate quantity of water, more than 9 out of 10 reported receiving a fully regular supply of water and 91% received potable water.

Since having a functional HH tap connection,60% reported that there has been a change in no. of employment days. Out of the HHs in which female members used to fetch water before HH tap connection, 93% reported that post-installation of HH tap connection helped reduce time and effort in collecting water. Across the aspirational district, 26% HHs reported that since having a functional HH tap connection their income has directly benefitted.

#### 1. State Factsheet

Functionality status of tap connection at households	India	Karnataka
Working tap connections- HHs which received water through tap connection at least once in last 7 days (%)	86	99
Quantity <sup>1</sup> of water received by households		
Adequate quantity (>55 LPCD) (%)	85	82
Partially adequate quantity (> 40 LPCD - < 55 LPCD) (%)	5	7
Inadequate quantity (<40 LPCD) (%)	10	11
Regularity <sup>2</sup> of water received by households		
Fully Regular Supply (as per schedule) (%)	80	84
Partially Regular Supply (not as per schedule) (%)	14	13
Irregular Supply (less than 9 months' supply) (%)	6	3
Potable <sup>3</sup> (Quality) water received by households (%)	87	80
Overall functionality <sup>4</sup> (%)	62	58

Service delivery parameters	India	Karnataka
Overall user satisfaction on regularity at the household level (%)	83	92
Overall user satisfaction on quality at the household level (%)	82	87
Households receiving water supply daily-7 days a week (%)	74	54
Daily HH requirement of water being met by FHTC (%)	80	94
Households paying water service delivery charges (%)	35	67
Households aware of grievance redressal mechanism (%)	71	99
Households reported a reduction in time and effort in collecting water (%)	79	91
Average no. of times water is supplied in a day	1	1
Households reported incidence of water-borne diseases in the last year (%)	2	0
Households purifying water before drinking (%)	57	72
Residual Chlorine (RCL) detected with in permissible limits (%)	24	32
Villages with Field Test Kits (%)	30	56
Villages in which bacteriological test was done in last 1 year by VWSC/ Pani Samiti (%)	29	42
Villages reported to have a mechanism for chlorination (%)	21	6

Institutional arrangement	India	Karnataka
Village reported having presence of VWSC/ Pani Samiti (%)	38	35
Villages in which VWSC/ Pani Samiti is responsible for Operation & Maintenance of PWS schemes (%)	14	16
Villages in which persons are trained to use Field Test Kits (%)	31	53
Villages levying water service delivery to households (%)	34	60
Villages having skilled manpower for Operation & Maintenance of PWS schemes (%)	31	44
Community monitoring of water wastage in villages (%)	19	31
Villages in which signages about JJM were observed (%)	15	11



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Quantity (in litres) of water received by households per person per day should meet the service level of 55 lpcd 
<sup>2</sup> Regularity is receiving water for 12 months or daily basis as per schedule 
<sup>3</sup> Potable water has been considered basis testing of water samples through laboratory tests for physical, chemical, and bacteriological parameters (within acceptable/ permissible range) and onsite testing of pH. 
<sup>4</sup> Overall functionality has been computed as the intersection of Adequate Quantity, Fully Regular Supply and Potable (Quality) for households wherein water supply was available at the time of survey

Functionality status of tap connection at households in Har Ghar Jal Districts	India	Karnataka
Working tap connections- HHs which received water through tap connection at least once in last 7 days (%)	91	98
Quantity of water received by households		
Adequate quantity (>55 LPCD) (%)	88	79
Partially adequate quantity (> 40 LPCD - < 55 LPCD) (%)	4	6
Inadequate quantity (<40 LPCD) (%)	8	15
Regularity of water received by households		
Fully Regular Supply (as per schedule) (%)	84	88
Partially Regular Supply (not as per schedule) (%)	11	8
Irregular Supply (less than 9 months' supply) (%)	5	4
Potable (Quality) water received by households	90	83
Overall functionality (%)	69	59

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Functionality status of tap connection at households in Aspirational Districts	India	Karnataka
Working tap connections- HHs which received water through tap connection at	70	400
least once in last 7 days (%)	78	100
Quantity of water received by households		
Adequate quantity (>55 LPCD) (%)	85	98
Partially adequate quantity (> 40 LPCD - < 55 LPCD) (%)	5	2
Inadequate quantity (<40 LPCD) (%)	10	0
Regularity of water received by households		
Fully Regular Supply (as per schedule) (%)	77	96
Partially Regular Supply (not as per schedule) (%)	14	3
Irregular Supply (less than 9 months' supply) (%)	9	1
Potable (Quality) water received by households (%)	88	91
Overall functionality (%)	62	85

#### 2. Context

Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) was launched on the 15th of August 2019 with the objective to provide functional household tap connections (FHTCs) to all rural households.

Figure 1: Har Ghar Jal - Objective, Vision, & Outcome



In accordance with the overall objectives as specified in the Operational Guidelines for the implementation of the NJJM, GoI carried out a sample survey to assess the functionality of household tap connections. As part of this endeavour, NJJM, GoI engaged HTA Kantar Public to conduct the 'Functionality Assessment' of the household as well as public institution/buildings such as schools, anganwadis, gram panchayat buildings, public health facilities, and wellness centers in all the rural districts for the fiscal year 2021-22.

#### 2.1. State snapshot: Karnataka

The state of Karnataka lies on the southern part of India and has a population of 6,10,95,297 people. It has 30 districts and 28657 villages where 22363 villages have PWS schemes. The state lies on the Southern Plateau and Hills Region and West Coast Plains and Hills region and receives an average annual rainfall of about 1146.9mm. Among the villages with PWS schemes, 18042 villages (62.96%) have more than 20 households with functional tap connections. The state is yet to achieve the Har Ghar Jal status.

Presented here are state level information collated from the DDWS-IMIS:

Figure 2: State IMIS Status & Map

#### **IMIS** status:

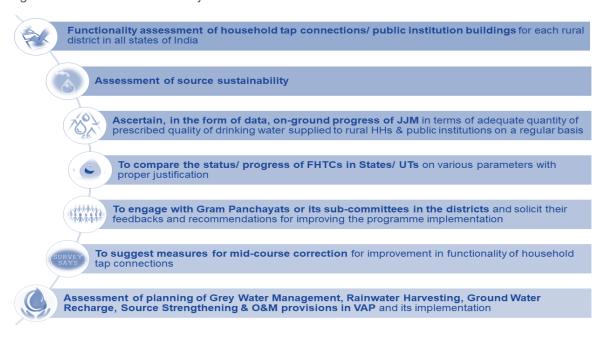
- Not a Har Ghar Jal state.
- 18 districts are Iron & 16 districts are Fluoride affected
- 18042 (62.96% of all) villages with PWS more than 20 FHTC
- 8.22% villages covered under HH tap connections under HGJ



#### 2.2. FHTC Assessment Objectives

The overall objectives of the FHTC assessment are as presented:

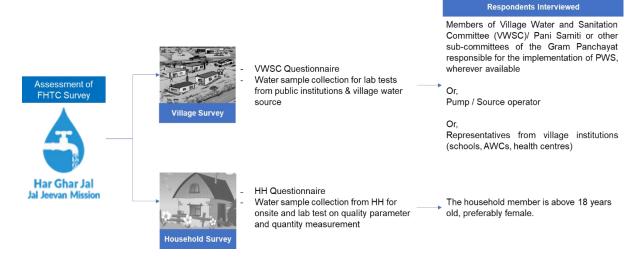
Figure 4: FHTC Assessment Objectives



#### 2.3. Assessment Methodology

A cross-section research design has been used for this functionality assessment study. Quantitative data were collected from villages and households across all states/UTs using the CAPI (Computer Assisted Personal Interviewing) mode. The survey includes two components, village, and household.

Figure 5: Survey Components & Respondents



#### 2.4. Sample Size

The sample size was calculated to provide estimates with a 95% confidence interval (CI) and 5% margin of error (MoE) after incorporating the correction factor for a finite population considering the total number of geographic units having FHTCs.

- Village sample is estimated to be representative at the state level
- HH sample estimated to be representative at the district level
- Number of Har Ghar Jal (HGJ) villages were proportionately sampled at the district level
- All PWS schemes (up to 4) were covered per village. Per scheme approximately 9 (3 each from the head, middle, and tail HHs) or 18 households (6 each from head, middle, and tail HHs) were sampled to achieve the desired sample at the district level.

#### 2.5. Sampling Methodology

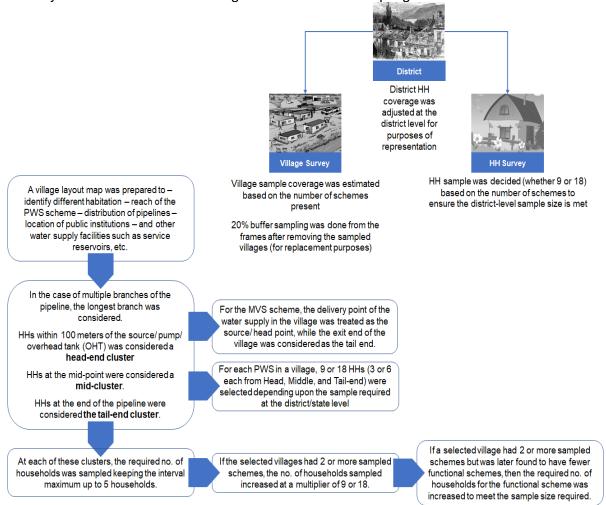
As per the design, all villages having a PWS scheme with 20 or more functional household tap connections were included in the sample frame. The probability proportionate to size (PPS) method was used for village selection in each district. The steps for random selection of villages using PPS are presented below:

Figure 6: Steps for Random Sampling of Villages



Figure 7: Household Selection

The key considerations for the village and household sampling were:



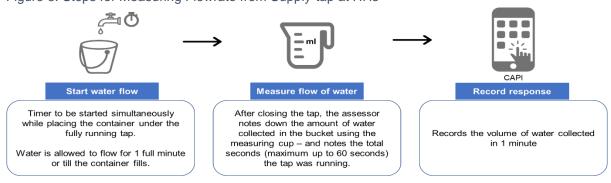
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The record of all district-wise village replacements is maintained and reported as part of the annexure.

#### 2.6. Methodology for Water Quantity Measurement at Households

The flow rate of the water supply was measured using a container with gradual markings (either 5 litres or 1 litre, based on the flow of the tap) and a stopwatch/timer-watch. The process followed is as described in Figure 6.

Figure 8: Steps for Measuring Flowrate from Supply-tap at HHs



In the case of households where the FHTC is connected directly with the storage tank, the following steps were adopted to measure the quantity:

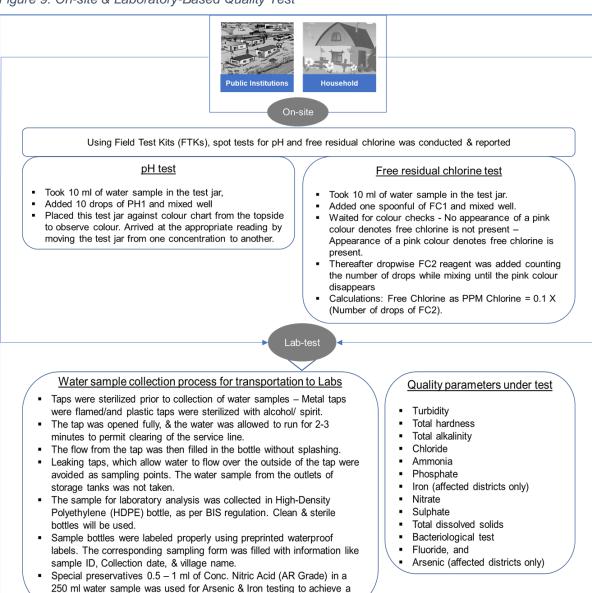
- Assessor first asked and recorded length, breadth, and height.
- Assessor dipped a 5 feet long rod, marked the level of the water table, and calculated the volume – length x breadth x-height of water.
- Next the assessor opened the valve of the connection and allowed the water to flow inside the storage for 10 minutes.
- After 10 mins, the valve was closed, and the assessor again dipped the rod and recorded the new height of the water inside the tank. Based on this new 'height' and the CAPI calculated the changed volume.
- The difference in the volume of water in 10 minutes divided by 10 provided the flow rate of the water supply per minute.

The water flow rate was not measured for village-level public institutions.

#### 2.7. Methodology for Water Quality Measurement

Water quality was tested for all public institutions available in the villages, including schools, AWCs, gram panchayat buildings, public health facilities, and wellness centers, and at the selected households. Two types of quality tests were carried out – a) spot test for pH and free residual chlorine, and b) water sample was collected and transported to labs for testing against 13 quality parameters (total 15) as specified in Figure 7.

Figure 9: On-site & Laboratory-Based Quality Test



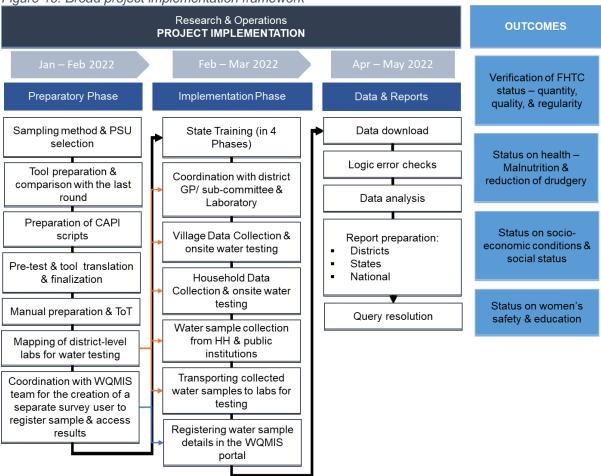
JJM, with the support of the BMI Division of ICMR, enabled a new interface on the WQMIS portal for "Functionality Assessment (FA) User" to enable seamless harmonization of water sample registration, and sample submission for testing, and sharing of results as per the applicable quality parameters.

pH of <2, as applicable.

#### **Project Implementation** 2.8.

An overview of the project implementation is as presented:





A total of 9 teams (comprising 9 supervisors, 54 assessors, and 9 water collection assistants) were recruited, trained, and deployed to complete the survey across the states of Karnataka. One survey team covered approximately 2 – 3 districts. The state-wise team deployment and fieldwork dates were as presented:

Table No. 1: Team deploy	Team deployment and data collection start & end dates						
States	Teams deployed	Start date	End date	Total data collection days			
Karnataka	9 Teams	17 <sup>th</sup> February	15 <sup>th</sup> April	55 Days			

A four-tier quality control (QC) system was put in place. At the ground level, the data collection exercise was done using a computer-aided Personal Interview (CAPI) application which contained all logic and skip-checks inbuilt. Also, 5% of the total samples were accompanied by the supervisors. Sub-targeted QC was done by the state field managers (5%) and the central project management team (5%). Apart from this, the central research team monitored the data trend and as per requirement debriefed data collection teams to improve quality.

#### 2.9. Sample coverage

Table No. 2: Sample covered									
	Targeted sample			Achieved sample					
State	District	Village	HH	District	Village	HHs	Pls		
India	712	13,300	3,00,000	712	13,299	3,01,389	16,148		
Karnataka	30	389	11,619	30	389	11,770	443		

#### 2.10. Sampled village and household profile

#### SAMPLED VILLAGES

### Total no. of villages covered in the state – • 389

- Percentage of SC dominated villages covered in the State is 12.6% (while at national level the average is 12.6%)
- Percentage of ST dominated villages covered in the State is 5.4% (while at national level the average is 20.2%)
- Higher proportion of pump operator interviewed at the village level
- 2.8% of the villages reported to have any historical incidence of water contamination

#### **SAMPLED HOUSEHOLDS**

- Total no. of households covered in the state –
   11770 (Respondents: Male 5580, Female 6190)
- Proportion of General 30.7%, SC 17.1%, ST 10.0%, OBC 42.1% households
- **52.6%** of the FHTC connections are under the name of a female member
- Average household size 5.1
- 100% positive user experience in 5/5 measures

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#### 3. Findings

#### 3.1. Functionality status of FHTC at household level

#### A. Overall Functionality\* (in %)

Figure 11: Functionality of HH tap connection



<sup>\*</sup> Fully Functional has been computed as = Adequate Quantity  $\cap$  Fully Regular Supply  $\cap$  Potable (Quality)

Please note: Henceforth,  $N_H=11707$  implies all HHs where water was found on the day of the survey.

It has been found that 99 percent of the sampled HHs (N=11770) had working tap connections. Moreover, more than 4 out of 5 households (82 percent) received adequate (>=55 LPCD) water supply and more than 4 out of 5 received regular supply (84 percent) of water. The onsite testing for pH and lab test results of the water indicates that only about 80% of the sampled households in the state receive potable water.

Out of the 11770 HHs sampled for the FHTC assessment, water quantity and quality test was carried out in 11707 due to non-availability of water in 1 percent HHs on the day of survey.

Table No. 3: Quantity, Regularity, and Quality of FHTC at the district level (%HH)								
S. No.	District	Working tap connections for 7 days preceding the survey (%HH)	Quantity >=55 LPCD (% HH)	Regularity (% HH)	Potability# (% HH)			
1.	Bagalkote	100	92	90	100			
2.	Ramanagaram	100	100	85	72			
3.	Bangalore Rural	100	58	41	87			
4.	Belagavi	100	76	85	99			
5.	Ballari	100	93	83	84			
6.	Bidar	100	79	99	90			
7.	Vijayapura (Bijapur)	100	80	65	90			
8.	Chikmagalur	100	98	38	75			
9.	Bengaluru Urban	100	93	68	94			
10.	Dakshina Kannada	100	79	87	39			
11.	Kalaburagi	100	54	96	91			
12.	Yadgir	100	97	98	99			
13.	Hassan	100	96	82	94			
14.	Kodagu	100	96	70	98			
15.	Kolar	100	80	69	80			
16.	Chik Ballapur	100	84	91	74			
17.	Mandya	100	98	65	73			
18.	Mysuru	100	74	87	80			

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19.	Raichur	100	98	94	83				
20.	Tumkur	100	92	100	77				
21.	Uttara Kannada	100	77	85	80				
22.	Koppal	100	47	78	75				
23.	Gadag	100	91	96	98				
24.	Haveri	100	81	94	68				
25.	Davangere	100	79	99	97				
26.	Udupi	100	89	89	54				
27.	Chamarajanagar	100	77	99	58				
28.	Chitradurga	100	61	92	79				
29.	KARNATAKA	99	82	84	80				
30.	Dharwad	93	71	100	80				
31.	Shivamogga	91	80	100	89				

<sup>#</sup> Potable water has been considered basis testing of water samples through laboratory tests for physical, chemical, and bacteriological as given in Table 5 parameters (within acceptable/permissible range) and onsite testing of pH. The details of laboratory test are mentioned in the table given above in the glossary.

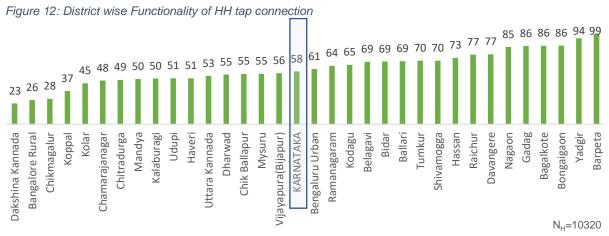
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District level comparison across the districts indicate that Dharwad and Shivamoga reported functionality less than the state average. The district of Hassan, Kodagu, Yadgir, Mandya, Chikmagalur, Raichur and Ramanagaram FHTC provide more than 55 LPCD of water in more than 95 percent HHs.

More than 99 percent HHs in the districts of Bidar, Chamarajanagar, Davangere, Tumkur, Dharwad and Shivamoga reported to regularly receive water through FHTC. Regular supply of water is less than 50 percent in the district of Chikmagalur and Bangalore Rural.

Potability of water was found to be more than 50 percent in the districts of Vijayapura (Bijapur), Chitradurga, Koppal, Chikmagalur, Haveri, Bengaluru Urban, Mysuru, Gadag and Chamarajanagar. Whereas in almost half of the other districts the potability of water was found less than 10 percent.

#### B. District wise functionality status



<sup>\* &#</sup>x27;Functionality' has been computed as the intersection of Adequate Quantity, Fully Regular Supply and Potable (Quality) for households wherein water supply was available at the time of survey, i.e., 11707 HHs.

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**58 percent HHs** in the state were found to have functional HH tap water connection. Barpeta district reported 99 percent functional households in the state, followed by Yagir with more than 90 percent functionality. In the districts of Dakshina Kannada, Bangalore Rural, Chikmagalur and Koppal less than two-fifth of the households have functional HH tap water connection highlighting scope for improved service delivery.

#### C. Age vs functionality of schemes in the villages

100 72 80 54 51 60 48 44 40 28 20 2 1 0 Always functional Partially functional Always functional Not functional Not functional Don t know/can t say Not functional Don t know/can t say Always functional Don t know/can t say Partially functional Partially functional Functional - Before 2012 Functional - 2013 to 2018 Functional - 2019 and later

Figure 13: Age vs functionality of schemes in the villages

About 5 out 10 schemes are functional before 2012 which reflects a 24-point increase in till 2018 and 18-point decrease in 2019 and later.

■ % schemes



N<sub>s</sub>=416

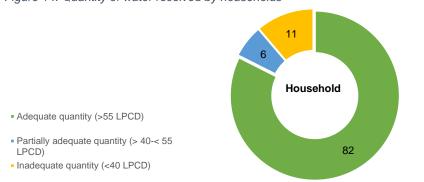
#### 3.2. Quantity, Regularity, and Quality of Water

Under JJM, functionality is defined as having infrastructure, i.e., household tap connection providing water in adequate quantity (55 LPCD or more) of prescribed quality on regular basis (every day or as decided by GP and/ or its sub-committee) with adequate pressure. It also includes long-term source and system sustainability. For the purposes of this survey, the quality parameters are defined and measured on a set of 15 indicators (of which 2 indicators are tested on-site and for 13 indicators water samples have been sent to the laboratories), as mentioned in the glossary section.

#### A. Water quantity measured as LPCD (Litres per Capita per Day)

82% HHs reported receiving more than 55 LPCD of water.

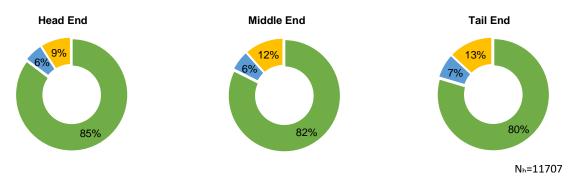
Figure 14: Quantity of water received by households



 $N_b = 11707$ 

#### Quantity of water received across head, mid, and tail end HHs

Figure 15: Quantity of water received across head, middle and tail end households



The quantity of water received across the tail end was observed to have declined, and about four-fifth (82 percent) of the sampled households received water in adequate quantity, i.e., greater than or equal to 55 LPCD.

#### Types of water storage arrangements (in %)

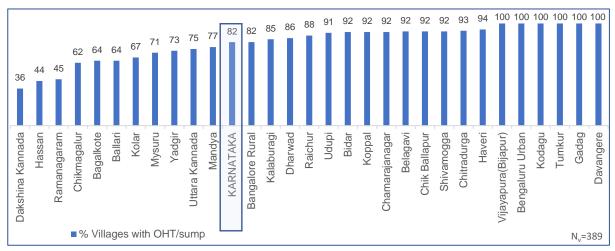
Figure 16: Pipe water supply storage available in village



 $N_{v} = 389$ 

About three-fourth (72 percent) of the respondents in the state reported water being directly supplied. And in 28 percent reported water being stored in sump and overhead tanks.

Figure 17: District wise water storage arrangements at village level (% villages with OHT/ Sump)

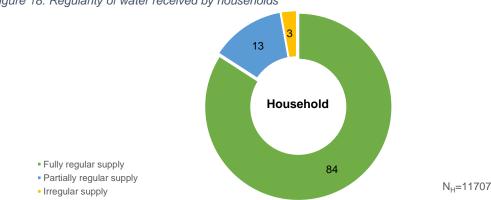


**82 percent villages** in the state have either an OHT or a sump for storing water for supplying to the households. Vijayapura, Bengalurur Urban, Kodagu, Tumkur, Gadag, and Devangere are the district where all the villages have either an OHT or a sump, followed Chitradurga, and Haveri where more than 92 percent of the villages have facilities to store water for supplying to the households.

#### B. Regularity of water supply to villages and households

84% HHs receive a regular supply of water (as per agreed schedule).

Figure 18: Regularity of water received by households

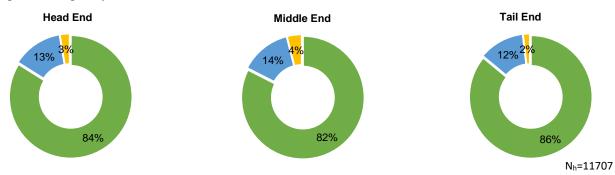


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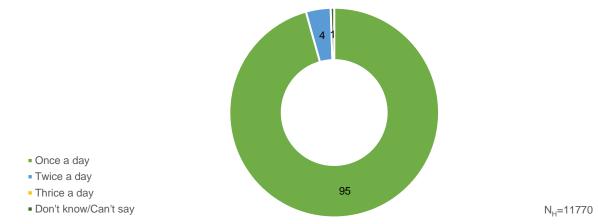
#### Regularity of water received across head, mid, and tail end HHs

Figure 19: Regularity of water received across head, middle and tail end households



Water is more regularly available at the tail-end households of the PWS in comparison to the head end.

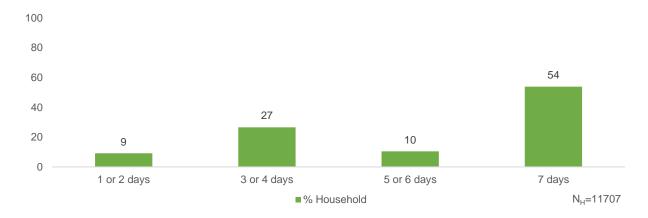
Figure 20: Average no. of times water is supplied in a day



HHs in **95 percent of HHs** receive water once a day. The average duration of water supply across the state was reported to be **2 hours per day.** 

#### Average water supply days in a week to households

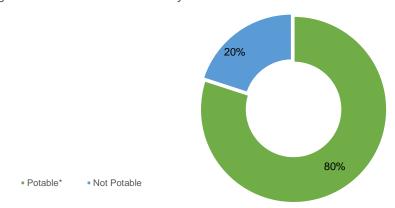
Figure 21: Average number of days households receive water supply in a week (in %)



**54 percent of HHs** reported receiving water for all 7 days in a week (daily).

#### C. Potability Water - Quality

Figure 22: Potable water received by households



N<sub>H</sub>=11707

\*Potable water has been considered basis testing of water samples through laboratory tests for physical, chemical and bacteriological as given in Table 5 parameters (within acceptable/ permissible range) and onsite testing of pH. The details of laboratory test are mentioned in the table given above in the glossary.

Among the sampled households in Karnataka where water was found on the day of the survey, the potability of water was found to be 80%.

Table No. 4: Village quality parameters reported within permissible range (% sample within permissible range)

Quality Parameters (N <sub>v</sub> =389)	Water Samples Tested from Public Institutes					
	Anganwadi Centre	Health Facility	Schools	Others		
pH (on-site)	88	87	86	100		
Turbidity	99	100	100	96		
Total Hardness	96	100	92	96		
Total Alkalinity	99	100	98	100		
Chloride	100	100	100	100		
Ammonia	Not Tested					
Iron	100	100	100	100		
Nitrate	96	100	97	96		
Sulphate	100	100	100	100		
Total Dissolved Solids	97	100	95	96		
Bacteriological Test (Absence)	Not Tested					
Fluoride	100	100	95	92		
Arsenic	Not Tested					

Table No. 5: Household water quality parameters reported within permissible range (in % sample within permissible range)

The number of water samples submitted to the laboratory for the calculation of the different parameters was the same as mentioned in the rest of the report (sample size for HH water submitted to labs=11707). However, the below data are presented based on the results received from the laboratories and the respective base sizes are mentioned for each of the parameters separately.

Quality Parameters	No of water samples tested	% Samples within permissible range		
pH (on-site)	11707	93		
Turbidity	10965	99		
Total Hardness	11141	95		
Total Alkalinity	11204	99		
Chloride	11193	100		
Ammonia	Not Tested			
Iron	6481	100		
Nitrate	10812	92		
Sulphate	10181	100		
Total Dissolved Solids	11216 99			
Bacteriological Test (Absence)	Not Tested			
Fluoride	5465	97		
Arsenic	Not Tested			

#### Safeguarding piped water supply for unforeseen bacteriological contamination-Presence of Residual Chlorine (RC)

The Residual Chlorine (RC) in the state of Karnataka was found in 32% samples. The remaining 68% samples had no RC.

The Residual Chlorine in piped water supply is one of the most important preventive actions to assure quality of water against bacteriological contamination from source to consumption. The presence of residual chlorine within permissible limits is indicator of well-maintained and healthy piped water supply system.

It is advised that behavioural change communication campaigns on appropriate dosage of residual chlorine is held in all villages and monitoring system for chlorine dosing is established. The FTK must have residual chlorine testing facility for effective WQM&S.

#### **Comment on functioning of District Lab:**

The district lab tested water samples for 9 water quality parameters. 12150 water samples were submitted, and 11449 water samples were tested, and reports made available. The turnaround time for testing was more than 48 hours in most cases. Given this feedback, it can be conferred that these labs have limited scope to take up samples from the general public at large on a regular basis.

Table	Table No. 6: Performance of Labs							
SI. No	District	Lab available	HH surveyed	Samples submitted	Report received	Overall lab experience		
1	Bagalkote	Yes	397	428	416	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."		
2	Ramanagaram	Yes	422	424	419	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."		
3	Bangalore Rural	Yes	378	414	373	The labs did not have any issue with testing the number of water samples submitted nor had any issues with human resource, reagents etc		
4	Belagavi	Yes	408	446	396	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."		
5	Ballari	Yes	390	427	375	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."		
6	Bidar	Yes	379	379	372	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."		
7	Vijayapura (Bijapur)	Yes	387	387	380	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."		
8	Chikmagalur	Yes	405	438	418	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."		
9	Bengaluru Urban	Yes	382	407	343	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of		



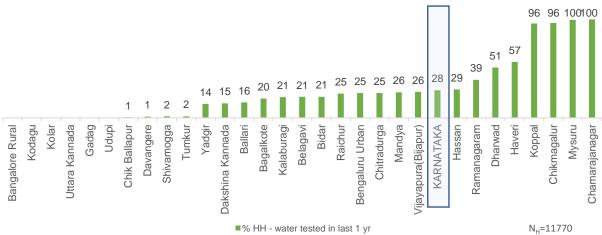
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						samples and had issues of			
10	Dakshina Kannada	Yes	399	411	406	human resource, regents etc."  The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
11	Dharwad	Yes	387	360	328	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
12	Kalaburagi	Yes	390	393	380	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
13	Yadgir	Yes	380	383	377	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
14	Hassan	Yes	406	424	416	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
15	Kodagu	Yes	394	400	399	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
16	Kolar	Yes	378	419	376	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
17	Chik Ballapur	Yes	378	403	368	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
18	Mandya	Yes	382	392	370	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
19	Mysuru	Yes	452	452	449	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
20	Raichur	Yes	409	456	394	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
21	Shivamogga	Yes	384	348	304	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
22	Tumkur	Yes	381	381	377	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
23	Uttara Kannada	Yes	388	407	373	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
24	Koppal	Yes	383	397	388	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			

Table	Table No. 6: Performance of Labs								
SI. No	District	Lab available	HH surveyed	Samples submitted	Report received	Overall lab experience			
25	Gadag	Yes	387	387	385	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
26	Haveri	Yes	380	390	336	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
27	Davangere	Yes	397	397	377	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
28	Udupi	Yes	388	411	385	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
29	Chamarajanag ar	Yes	387	392	378	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			
30	Chitradurga	Yes	392	397	391	The labs did not have capacity to test more than 20-30 number of samples and had issues of human resource, regents etc."			

### Households reported that their HH tap-water was collected and tested in the last one year

**28 percent of HHs** reported that their HH tap-water was collected and tested in the last one year.





#### Operation and Maintenance (O&M) of schemes at village level 3.3.

The SVS prescribed quality scheme faced the most challenges (2%) in comparison to the other schemes in the state.



#### Type of challenge faced by the schemes

The most faced problem varied from one scheme to another. However, 'Absence/unavailability of pump operator' is a problem that was found unanimously in all the schemes.

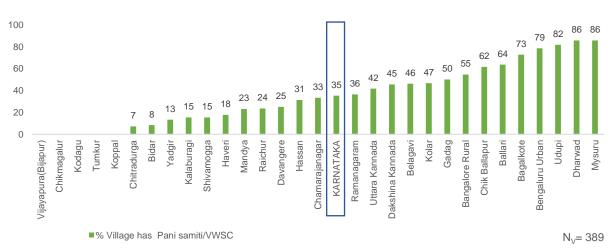


Figure 25: Type of challenge faced by the schemes





Figure 26: Villages where VWSC/ Pani Samiti is present



35 percent of villages in the state reported to have a VWSC or a Pani Samiti.

#### B. VWSC/Pani Samiti with more than 50 percent female members

About 53 percent of the VWSC/Pani Samitis in Karnataka were having more than 50 percent female members.

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Figure 27: VWSC/ Pani Samiti with more than 50 percent female members

#### C. VWSC Meetings in last one year

Across the villages in the state, that reported to have VWSC/Pani Samitis (137 villages), 2 meetings in last one year was reported the most (45 percent).

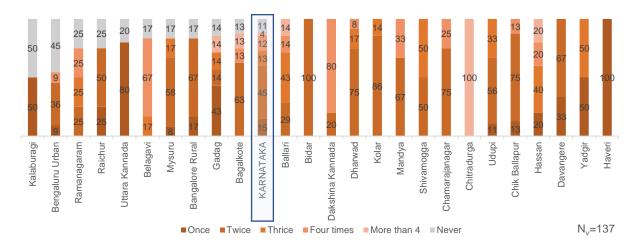


Figure 28: VWSC meetings held in last one year

#### 3.4. Utilization of water at HHs for drinking and other activities

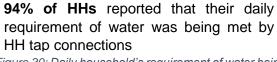
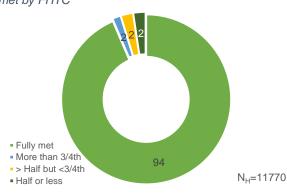
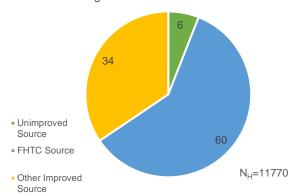


Figure 30: Daily household's requirement of water being met by FHTC



### **60% HHs** reported HH tap connections as their primary source of drinking water

Figure 29: Households reported FHTC as primary source of drinking water



More than 9 out of 10 (94 percent) HHs reported their daily requirement of water being fully met by the HH tap connections. And 60 percent HHs reported used household tap connection for drinking water (primary source). About 34 percent of the HHs even though have reported household tap connections to fully meet their requirements, were not found using the same for drinking purposes.

Overall, **94 percent of HHs** reported using improved primary source of drinking water, out of which **60 percent of HHs** reported HH tap water as their primary source.

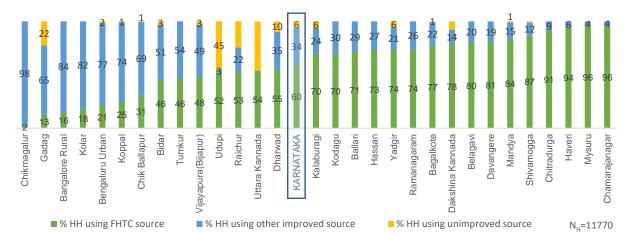


Figure 31: District wise distribution of household's reported FHTC as primary source of drinking water

#### A. Households who practice purifying of water before drinking

Practice of purifying water before drinking was reported the most in Ballari (99 percent) where 71 percent HHs reported using HH tap water as primary drinking water source, while the least was reported in Kolar (22 percent) where 18 percent HHs reported using HH tap water as a primary drinking water source.

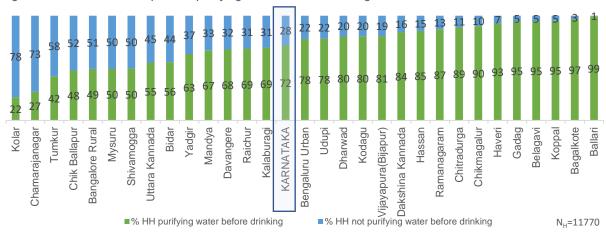


Figure 32: Households who practice purifying of water before drinking

#### B. Households paying water service delivery charges

In Karnataka, around 67% of the sampled households were found to be paying service delivery charges, Tumkur being the district with the highest percentage of such households (100%) and Chikmagalur being the district with the lowest percentage of such households (4%).

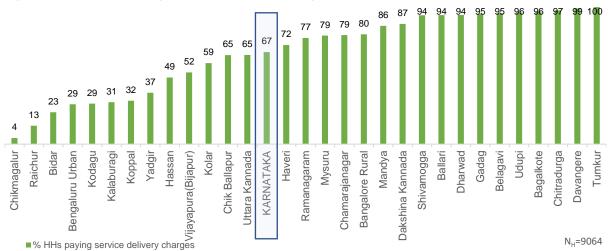


Figure 33: Households paying water service delivery charges

#### C. Storage mechanism used by households

Overall, 95 % households in Karnataka were found to use some mechanism to store water in the household.

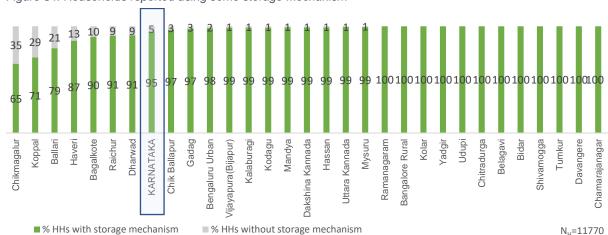


Figure 34: Households reported using some storage mechanism

#### D. Households using booster pumps

Overall, 22 percent HHs reported using booster pumps to maximize the water flow through their piped water connections. Belagavi and Bagalkote reported 70 percent and 56 percent of HHs using booster pump in the state while Uttara Kannada reported only 2 percent.



Figure 35: Households reported to use of booster pumps

#### E. Households who faced shortage of water

In the state, **34% HHs** faced shortage of water during any time of the year.

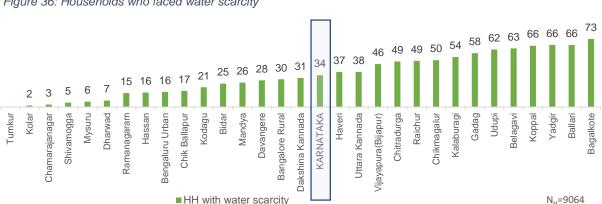
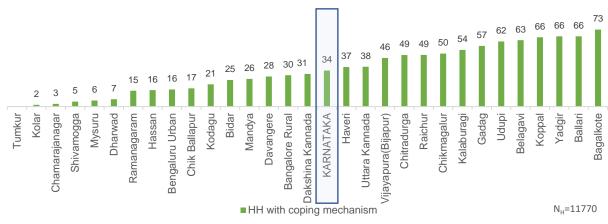


Figure 36: Households who faced water scarcity

## F. Households with coping mechanism during scarcity of water In the state, 34 percent HHs faced shortage of water during any time of the year, while 34 percent HHs reported having some mechanism to cope with scarcity of water.

Figure 37: Households reported to have some mechanism to cope with scarcity of water

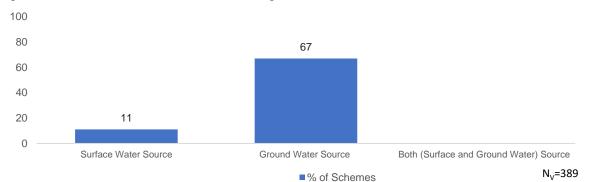


#### 3.5. Source sustainability at the village level

#### Schemes based on surface and ground water

**11% of schemes** reported to be based on surface water source while 67% of schemes reported to based of ground water sources

Figure 38: Schemes based on water source in village

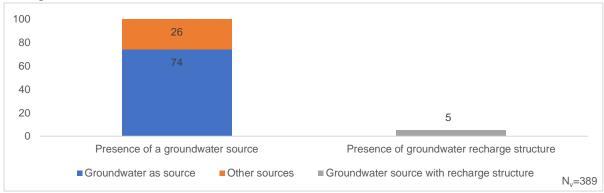


<sup>\*&#</sup>x27;Surface Water Source' is Stream, Spring, Glacier, River, lake, pond etc. and Groundwater Source is open well, borewell, tube well, handpump, spring, etc.

#### Villages reported having presence of a groundwater source

In the state, **74 percent villages** reported the presence of groundwater sources like improved dug wells and borewells. Out of which, 5 percent of villages reported (i.e., 21 villages) reported having a recharge structure.

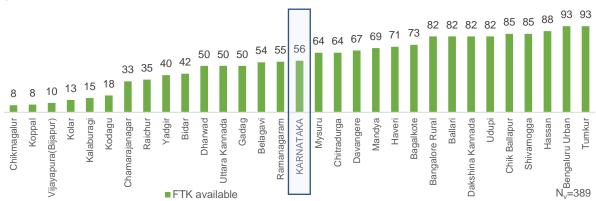
Figure 39: Villages reported the presence of groundwater sources and among those how many reported to have a recharge structure



#### 3.6. Water quality monitoring and surveillance in the villages

#### A. Water quality management by VWSC: Availability of FTK with the Pani Samiti/ VWSC

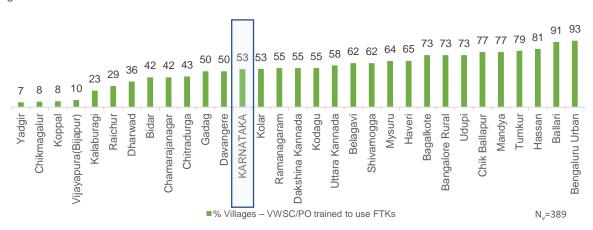
Figure 40: Availability of field test kits with VWSC/ Pani Samiti



With regards to water quality testing in the village by VWSC, 56 percent villages in the state reported having available field test kits. Tumkur reported 93 percent villages having available field test kits for water quality testing, while Chikamagalur and Koppal reported only 8 percent.

#### B. Persons trained to use field test kits

Figure 41: Persons trained to use field test kits

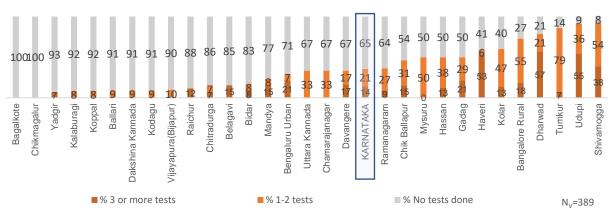


Overall, **53 percent of villages** in the state reported to have either VWSC/Pani Samiti or pump operator trained to use field test kits for testing the quality of water on-site. Bengaluru Urban, and Ballari reported 93 percent and 91 percent, respectively, VWSC/Pani Samiti or pump operator trained to use field test kits while Yadgir and Chikamagalur reported 7 percent and 8 percent, respectively.



## C. Water quality management by VWSC: Frequency of testing using FTK

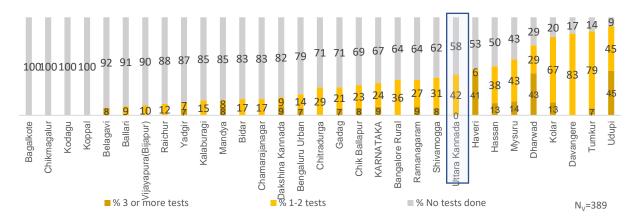
Figure 42: Frequency of testing using FTK in villages



Across the state, less than one-fifth of the total sampled villages (14 percent) reported that the quality of water (at different points in the respective villages) was checked at least three times using FTKs in last one year. Among the districts, Dharwad had the highest proportion of such villages, wherein 57 percent of its villages reported using FTKs three or more times in last one year.

### D. Water quality management by VWSC: Frequency of lab testing

Figure 43: Frequency of lab testing

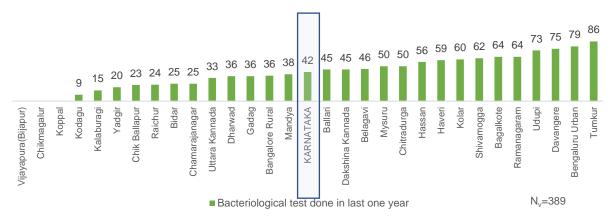


Across the state, around 1 out of 10 of the total sampled villages (9 percent) reported that the quality of water (at different points in the respective villages) was checked at least three times through laboratories in last one year. Among the districts, Udupi had the highest proportion of such villages, wherein 45 percent of its villages reported tests through laboratories - three or more times in last one year.

### E. Water quality management by VWSC: Bacteriological test done in last one year

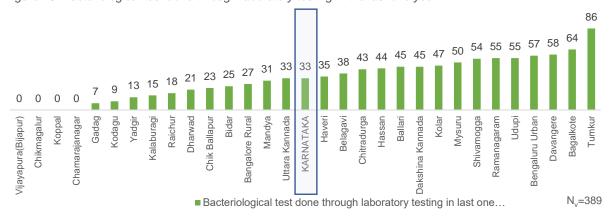
With regards to water quality testing in the village by VWSC, **42 percent villages** in the state reported having bacteriological test done in the last one year.

Figure 44: Percent villages in which Bacteriological test was done in the last one year



# F. Water quality management by VWSC: Bacteriological test done through laboratory testing in the last one year

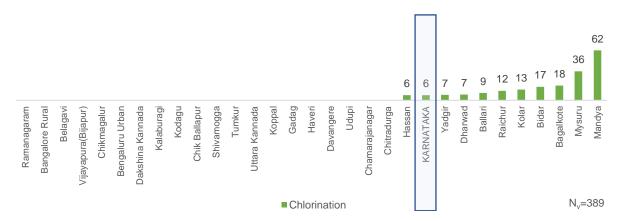
Figure 45: Bacteriological test done through laboratory testing in the last one year



Laboratory based bacteriological tests, in last one year, was reported by 33 percent of sampled villages. 86 percent of the sampled villages from the district Tumkur reported to have had bacteriological tests done through laboratories in last one year.

# G. Water quality management by villages: Availability of chlorination mechanism in the village

Figure 46: Villages having a mechanism for chlorination



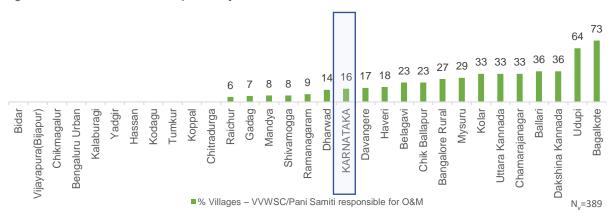
More than **6 percent villages** reported that there is availability of chlorination mechanism in the village but during onsite testing of water at household level only 32 percent households tested to have for presence of chlorine.



### 3.7. Management of water service delivery at village level

### A. VWSC/Pani Samiti responsibility for O&M of PWS schemes

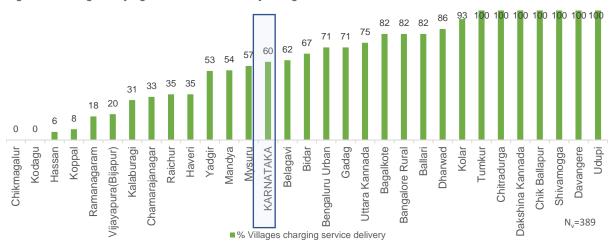
Figure 47: VWSC/Pani Samiti responsibility for O&M of PWS schemes



In the state, **16 percent villages** that have VWSC/Pani Samiti reported to be responsible for operation and maintenance of PWS. In 73 percent of the villages in Bagalkote district, VWSC/Pani Samiti are responsible for O&M of PWS scheme.

### B. Villages levying water service delivery charges from households

Figure 48: Villages levying water service delivery charges from households

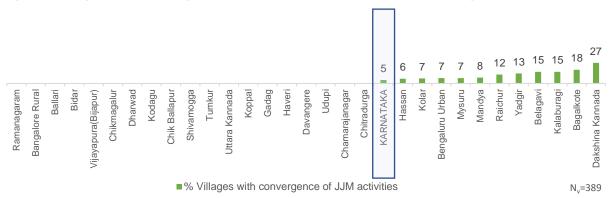


Overall, **60 percent of villages** in the state levy charge for water service delivery to households whereas **67 percent HHs** reported paying water service delivery charges at the households.

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### C. Convergence of JJM activities with other schemes in villages

Figure 49: Village reported convergence of JJM activities with other schemes in the village

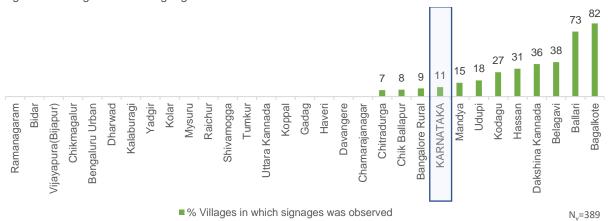


In the state, only **5 percent villages** in the state reported convergence of activities under JJM with other government programmes/ schemes on skill development, capacity building and training, and awareness generation.

### D. Villages where signages were observed

Signages about JJM were observed in 11 percent of the sampled villages. District Bagalkote had the highest proportion of villages where signages were observed (82 percent).

Figure 50: Villages in which signages about JJM was observed





## 3.8. Status of Operation & Maintenance

## A. Villages with skilled manpower for operation and maintenance (O&M) of PWS schemes

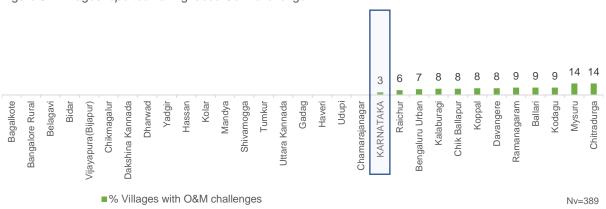
Figure 51: Villages reported having skilled manpower for O&M of PWS schemes



Across the state, **44 percent villages** in the reported having identified skilled manpower for O&M of PWS schemes, the most reported to be in Kodagu (91 percent) and the least in Koppal and Chamarajanagar (0 percent).

#### B. Villages with O&M challenges

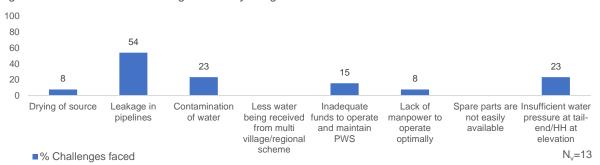
Figure 52: Villages reported having faced O&M challenge



In the state, **3 percent of villages** in the state reported to have faced challenges with respect to O&M of PWS schemes.

#### C. Details of challenges faced

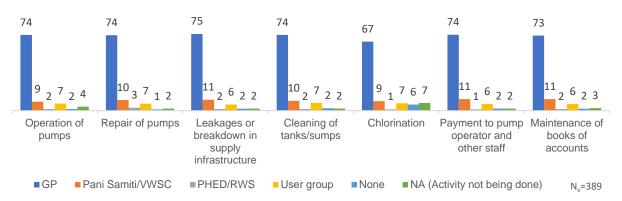
Figure 53: Details of O&M challenges faced by village



Out of the 3 percent of villages that had faced challenges with respect to O&M of PWS schemes (13 villages), 'leakage in pipelines' was attributed the most – at 54 percent.

### D. Responsible for O&M

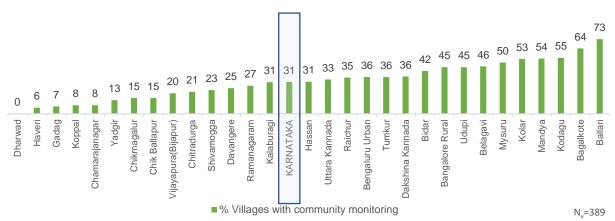
Figure 54: Different bodies responsible for O&M



Across the state, villages reported 'GP the most for being responsible for all essential aspects about operation and maintenance of PWS schemes.

#### E. Villages with community level monitoring of water wastage

Figure 55: Villages reported having community level monitoring of water wastage



31 percent of villages in the state reported to have community level monitoring of water wastage

## 3.9. Status of service delivery related grievances and redressal

## A. Village level

### Grievance redressal at village

Figure 56: Reporting of grievance redressal at village level

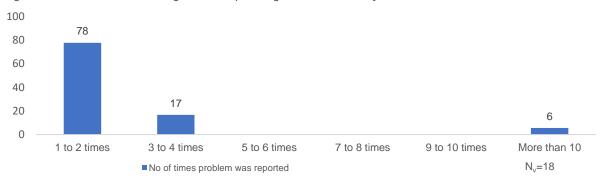


In the state, **72 percent of villages** reported that they are aware of any grievance redressal mechanism, but only 5 percent HHs have reported a complaint in the last one year amongst which 3 percent reported that the complaints are fully resolved while 2 percent of complaints have been partially resolved.

### Problem reported in last 1 year

Among the villages who reported a complaint (i.e. 18 villages), 6 percent villages have reported a complaint more than 10 times in the last one year, while 78 percent reported a complaint at least once or twice.

Figure 57: Number of times villages have reported grievance in last 1 year



### Primary points for reporting grievances

Among those who reported complaint (i.e., 5% HHs, 18 villages), 44% of villages reported that they report their grievances to **block functionaries** beside other reporting-points.

80 60 44 40 28 20 11 11 6 0 Helpline number Reporting to block Reporting to district PHED Reporting through portal Self-resolution functionaries or other authorities (online) Nv=18 ■ Primary point for reporting grievances

Figure 58: Primary points for reporting grievances by village

### Key problems for reporting grievances

Overall, among those who reported complaint (i.e., 5% HHs, 18 villages) 61% of villages reported that leakage in the pipeline is their most encountered problem for reporting grievances.

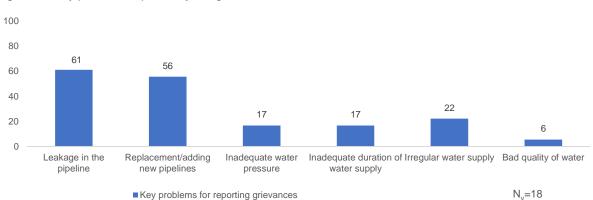


Figure 59: Key problems reported by village

#### B. Household level

### Awareness of grievance redressal at household

In the state, 99 percent of HHs reported that they are aware of any grievance redressal mechanism w.r.t. HH tap water through PWS, but only 4 percent HHs have reported a complaint in the last one year and only 4 percent of complaints have been resolved.

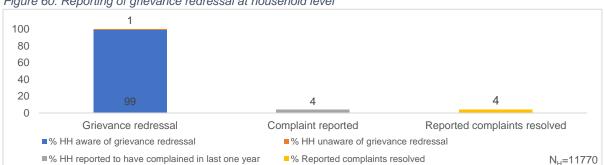


Figure 60: Reporting of grievance redressal at household level

### Primary channels for reporting grievances by households

Among those who reported complaint as shown in the above graph (i.e., 4% HHs, 490 HHs), **96%** of the HHs reported their complaints to the **pump operators** beside other reporting-channels.

96
80
60
40
20
Helpline number Pump operator VWSC/Pani Samiti GP functionaries Block functionaries District PHED or other authorities

Primary channels used by HHs (% HH)

N<sub>H</sub>=490

Figure 61: Primary channels for reporting grievances by households

### Key problems for reporting grievances

Overall, among those who reported complaint (i.e., 4% HHs, 490 HHs) **59%** of the HHs that reported problems was of **replacement/adding new pipeline** beside other problems.

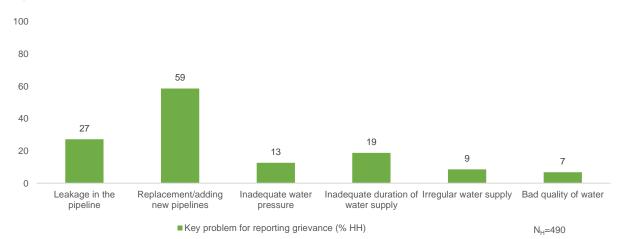


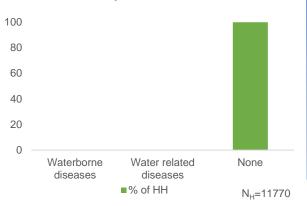
Figure 62: Key problems reported by households

### 3.10. Perception of HHs on Outcome Indicators

## A. Incidence of water borne diseases at HH level in last one year

Across the state no HHs reported having an incidence(s) of water borne diseases in your household in last one year. The cases recorded were of Dysentery, Diarrhoea, Cholera and Typhoid

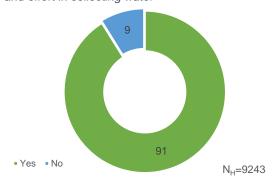
Figure 63: Household reported incidence of water borne diseases in last one year



## C. Reduction in time and effort in collecting water

Out of the HHs reported (i.e. 9243) that female members used to fetch water before HH tap connection, 91% reported that post installation of HH tap connection it helped reduction of time and effort in collection of water

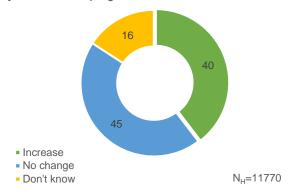
Figure 65: Households reported reduction in time and effort in collecting water



## B. Change in employment days since FHTC programmes/schemes

Since having a functional HH tap connection, 40% HHs across the state has reported that there has been a change in the no. of employment days of the adult HH members while 45% HHs reported no change

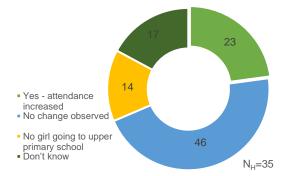
Figure 64: Household reported a change in employment days since FHTC programmes /schemes



## D. Impact on attendance of the girls going to upper primary

Across the state, 23% HHs reported that since having a functional HH tap connection the attendance of the girls going to schools increased, while 46% HHs reported no change in attendance which could possibly be an impact of shutting down of schools due to COVID-19 related lockdown during the survey

Figure 66: Households reported increase of attendance of girls going to upper primary school



### E. HHs are using time saved due to provision of tap connection

Time saved by female HH members against collecting water, post installation of HH tap connections, was reportedly most utilized for other HH work (84 percent).

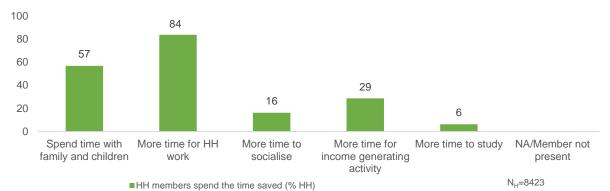


Figure 67: Households reported increase of attendance of girls going to upper primary school

## F. Change in social status

Sense of pride and positive change in social status was reportedly realized by 64 percent of HHs post the installation of HH tap connections.

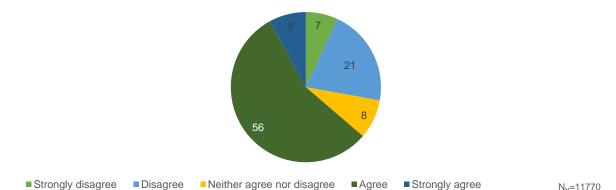


Figure 68: Households reported to have a positive change in social status

### G. Direct benefits in terms of income due to FHTC

Across the state, 16 percent of sampled HHs reported being in complete agreement that there had been direct benefits on their HH income since the installation of HH tap connection, while 66 percent HHs reported being in partial agreement against the same.

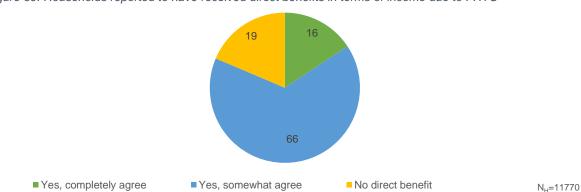


Figure 69: Households reported to have received direct benefits in terms of income due to FHTC

## 3.11. User satisfaction

Table No. 7: User satisfaction - more than 75 percent happy with FHTC services					
S. No.	Parameter (N <sub>h</sub> =11770)	In %			
1	Regularity	( <u>·</u> ·	91.9		
2	Overall quality	( · · )	87.3		
3	Colour	<u>•</u>	92.2		
4	Taste	( <u>·</u> )	86.4		
5	Odour	( <u>·</u> ·	92.8		

#### Note:

Base (N<sub>v</sub>)=389 means all villages sampled and covered in Karnataka state

Base  $(N_H)$ =11770 means all households sampled and covered across the 389 villages in Karnataka state

Base  $(N_H)$ =11707 means all households sampled where water sample be collected across the 389 villages in Karnataka state

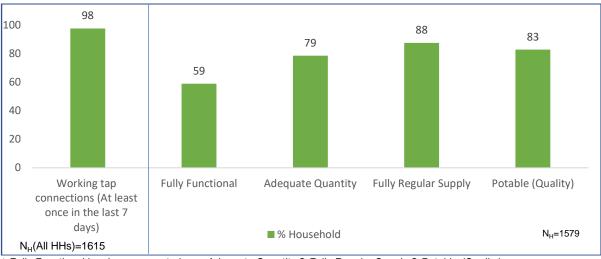
Base  $(N_H)$ =9243 means all households sampled where female members used to fetch water before HH tap connection

Base (N<sub>H</sub>)=35 means all households sampled that had adolescent girls as one of HH members

## 4. Status of functionality in Har-Ghar-Jal villages

## 4.1. Overall Functionality (in %)

Figure 70: Functionality of HH tap connection for Har Ghar Jal districts



<sup>\*</sup> Fully Functional has been computed as = Adequate Quantity \cap Fully Regular Supply \cap Potable (Quality)

Please note: For HGJ district,  $N_H$ =1579 implies all HHs where water was found on the day of the survey.

It has been found that 98 percent of the sampled HHs (N=1615) had working tap connections. 59 percent HHs in the state were found to have fully functional HH tap water connection. Moreover, more than three-fourth of the households (79 percent) received adequate quantity (>=55 LPCD) of water supply and almost 9 out of 10 received regular supply (88 percent) of water. The on-site testing and lab test results of the water indicates that more than 4 out of 5 (83%) sampled households in the state receive potable water.

Table No. 8: Quantity, Regularity, and Quality of FHTC for Har Ghar Jal districts (%HH)						
S. No.	District	Working tap connections (HHs which received water through FHTC at least once in the last 7 days) (% HH)	Fully functional (% HH)	Adequate Quantity (% HH)	Full Regular Supply (% HH)	Potable (Quality) (% HH)
1.	Bagalkote	100	0	56	0	100
2.	Ramanagaram	100	67	100	87	67
3.	Belagavi	100	89	100	93	96
4.	Ballari	100	95	97	100	97
5.	Bidar	100	0	0	100	100
6.	Vijayapura(Bijapur)	100	97	97	100	100
7.	Chikmagalur	100	0	100	0	100
8.	Dharwad	100	56	56	100	90
9.	Kalaburagi	100	100	100	100	100
10.	Hassan	100	75	96	80	96
11.	Kodagu	100	73	100	73	100
12.	Mandya	100	8	94	25	47
13.	Mysuru	100	56	67	78	100
14.	Raichur	100	53	100	85	68
15.	Uttara Kannada	100	72	72	100	100
16.	Koppal	100	36	36	78	97

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17.	Gadag	100	79	86	93	97
18.	Haveri	100	42	100	96	43
19.	Davangere	100	79	82	100	96
20.	Chamarajanagar	100	22	68	99	23
21.	Chitradurga	100	62	66	74	96
22.	KARNATAKA	98	59	79	88	83
23.	Shivamogga	70	61	64	100	98

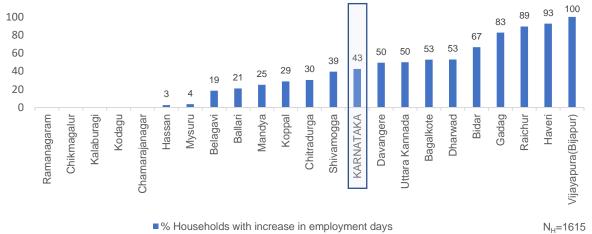
<sup>#</sup> Potable water has been considered basis testing of water samples through laboratory tests for physical, chemical, and bacteriological as given in Table 5 parameters (within acceptable/permissible range) and onsite testing of pH. The details of laboratory test are mentioned in the table given above in the glossary.

## 4.2. Perception of HHs from Har-Ghar-Jal villages on Outcome Indicators

### A. Change in employment days since FHTC programmes/schemes

Across the state, more than two-fifth (43 percent) of the sampled households reported that employment days increased since the installation of FHTC.

Figure 71: Household reported a change in employment days since FHTC programmes /schemes in Har Ghar Jal districts



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### B. Reduction in time and effort in collecting water

Similarly, about 92 percent of the sampled households also reported that the effort and time in collecting water reduced after installation of FHTC.

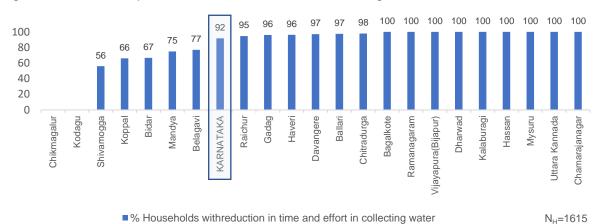
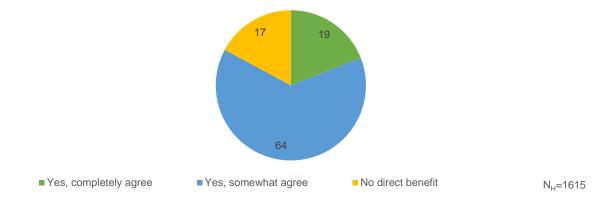


Figure 72: Households reported reduction in time and effort in collecting water in Har Ghar Jal districts

### 4.3. Direct benefits in terms of income due to FHTC

Across the state, 19 percent of sampled HHs from HGJ villages reported being in complete agreement that there had been direct benefits on their HH income since the installation of HH tap connection, while 64 percent reported being in partial agreement against the same.

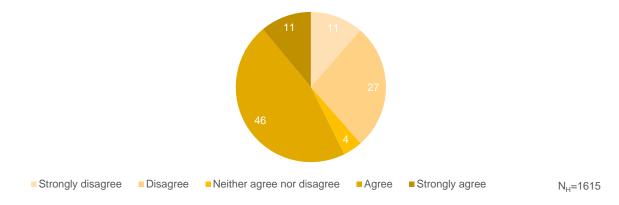
Figure 73: Households reported to have received direct benefits in terms of income due to FHTC in Har Ghar Jal districts



## 4.4. Change in social status

Almost one-half of the households felt HH tap connection earned them more respect, feeling of pride and brought a positive change in their social status.

Figure 74: Households reported to have a positive change in social status in Har Ghar Jal districts



## 5. Status of functionality in aspirational districts

## 5.1. Overall Functionality (in %)

Figure 75: Functionality of HH tap connection for aspirational districts



<sup>\*</sup> Fully Functional has been computed as = Adequate Quantity  $\cap$  Fully Regular Supply  $\cap$  Potable (Quality)

Please note: For aspirational district,  $N_H$ =789 implies all HHs where water was found on the day of the survey.

It has been found that 100 percent of the sampled HHs (N=789) had working tap connections. 85 percent HHs in the state were found to have fully functional HH tap water connection. Moreover, almost all the households (98 percent) received adequate quantity (>=55 LPCD) of water supply and more than 9 out of 10 received regular supply (96 percent) of water. The onsite testing and lab test results of the water indicates that about 9 out of 10 (91%) sampled households in the state receive potable water.

Table No. 9: Quantity, Regularity, and Quality of FHTC for aspirational districts (%HH)						
S. No.	District	Working tap connections (HHs which received water through FHTC at least once in the last 7 days) (% HH)	Fully functional (% HH)	Adequate Quantity (% HH)	Full Regular Supply (% HH)	Potable (Quality) (% HH)
1.	Yadgir	100	94	97	98	99
2.	Raichur	100	77	98	94	83
3.	KARNATAKA	100	85	98	96	91

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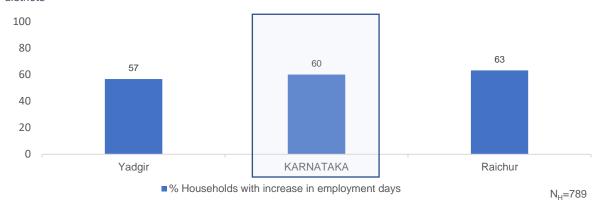
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## 5.2. Perception of HHs from aspirational districts on Outcome Indicators

### A. Change in employment days since FHTC programmes/ schemes

Around 60 percent of the households in aspirational districts reported increase in employment days since installation of FHTC.

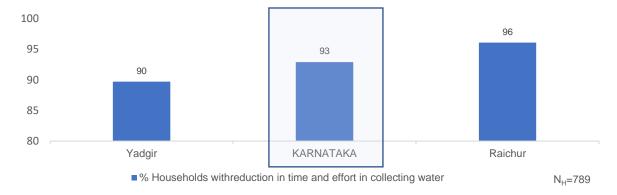
Figure 76: Household reported a change in employment days since FHTC programmes /schemes in Aspirational districts



## B. Reduction in time and effort in collecting water

Around 93 percent of the households in aspirational districts reported reduction in time and effort in collecting water.

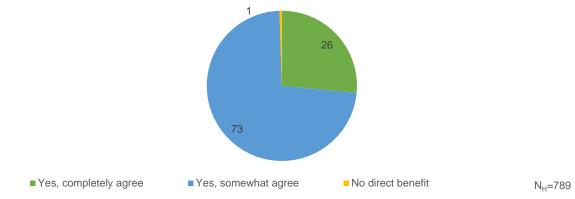
Figure 77: Households reported reduction in time and effort in collecting water in Aspirational districts



### 5.3. Direct benefits in terms of income due to FHTC

Across the state, 26 percent of sampled HHs from aspirational districts reported being in complete agreement that there had been direct benefits on their HH income since the installation of HH tap connection, while 73 percent reported being in partial agreement against the same.

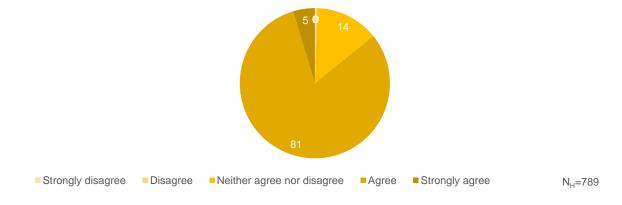
Figure 78: Households reported to have received direct benefits in terms of income due to FHTC in Aspirational districts



### 5.4. Change in social status

More than four-fifth of the households in aspirational districts felt HH tap connection earned them more respect, feeling of pride and brought a positive change in their social status.

Figure 79: Households reported to have a positive change in social status in Aspirational districts



## 6. Annexure

Table No. 10: List of replaced villages						
S. No.	District Name	Village Name	Status of the Scheme (No Scheme/Replaced & Defunct)	Remarks		
1	Bagalkote	Yaragoppa Inam	No Scheme	No Scheme present in the sampled village, hence replaced with Village-Bellikindi. Scheme found to be functional in replacement village		
2	Ramanagaram	Hallimala	No Scheme	No Scheme present in the sampled village, hence replaced with Village- Harisandra. Scheme found to be functional in replacement village		
3	Kalaburagi	Kamalapur	No Scheme	No Scheme present in the sampled village, hence replaced with Village- Kinnisadak. Scheme found to be functional in replacement village		
4	Yadgir	Chanpatna	No Scheme	No Scheme present in the sampled village, hence replaced with Village- Devatkal. Scheme found to be functional in replacement village		
5	Kolar	Ahamya	No Scheme	No Scheme present in the sampled village, hence replaced with Village-Banthahally. Scheme found to be functional in replacement village		
6	Shivamogga	S.S.Bhog	No Scheme	No Scheme present in the sampled village, hence replaced with Village-Siruvante. Scheme found to be functional in replacement village		
7	Haveri	Devagondanakatti	No Scheme	No Scheme present in the sampled village, hence replaced with Village-Chikkaaralihalli. Scheme found to be functional in replacement village		
8	Chitradurga	T.Yemmiganur	No Scheme	No Scheme present in the sampled village, hence replaced with Village- Kengunte. Scheme found to be functional in replacement village		

