

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



District Report: Tiruvannamalai, Tamil Nadu Survey Duration: March to April 2022

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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			

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. **Fully Regular –** 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 water		l lm:4	A coontable I imit	Permissible Limit in
	d in the survey	Unit Acceptable Limit		the absence of
				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

	Parameters for potable water tested in the survey		Acceptable Limit	Permissible Limit in the absence of alternative sources
xiii.	Fluoride	Mg/litre	1	1.5
xiv.	xiv. Arsenic (in hotspots only) Mg/litre		0.01	No relaxation
XV.	Bacteriological test for Total bacteria and E. coli or therm coliform bacteria		Shall not be detectable in	n any 100 ml sample

- 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.

1. Factsheet

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Households reported a reduction in time and effort in collecting water (%) 78 87	Households reported a reduction in time and effort in collecting water (%)	78	87
Overall user satisfaction at the household level	Overall user satisfaction at the household level		
Regularity (%) 95 99	Regularity (%)	95	99
Overall quality (%) 91 94	Overall quality (%)	91	94

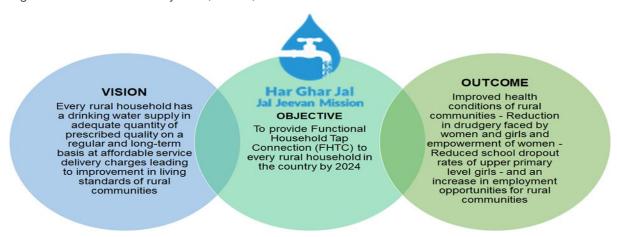
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Village level indicators (based on village questionnaire)		
Schemes reported to be functional (%)	40	67
Villages with groundwater resource (%)	65	91
Villages having groundwater recharge structure ¹ (%)	13	0
Water supply and storage status in villages		
Average no. of times water is supplied in a day	1	1
Villages having OHT/ Sump for storage of water (%)	98	100
Water quality monitoring and surveillance in the villages		
Villages with Field Test Kits (%)	73	82
Villages in which bacteriological test was done in last 1 year by VWSC/ Pani Samiti (%)	31	27
Villages reported to have a mechanism for chlorination (%)	72	64
VWSC/Pani Samiti and PWS signage in villages	12	04
Village reported having presence of VWSC/ Pani Samiti (%)	41	45
Villages in which VWSC/ Pani Samiti is responsible for Operation &	13	18
Maintenance of PWS schemes (%)	10	10
Villages in which persons are trained to use Field Test Kits (%)	62	64
Villages in which signages about JJM were observed (%)	11	0
Operation and maintenance at village		
Villages levying water service delivery to households (%)	63	45
Convergence of JJM activities with other schemes in the villages (%)	8	9
Villages having skilled manpower for Operation & Maintenance of PWS schemes (%)	48	73
Community monitoring of water wastage in villages (%)	32	45

 $^{^{1}}$ Out of villages who reported to have groundwater source (N $_{v}$ =10)

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. District snapshot: Tiruvannamalai

District Tiruvannamalai of Tamil Nadu has a population of 2328614. The district has 11 blocks. Out of 860 villages in the district, 193 are SC dominated and 16 are ST dominated villages. The district lies in Southern Plateau and Hills Region and receives an annual rainfall of 994.5mm.

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

Figure 2: District IMIS Status & Map

IMIS status:

- 87 (10% of all) villages are Har Ghar Jal
- 773 (90% of all) villages are Non-Har ghar Jal
- Non-SC/ST dominated district
- Non JE/AES
- No- History of water contamination
- 706 (82% of all) villages with PWS more than 20 FHT(



2.2. FHTC Assessment Objectives

Figure 3: Objectives of Functionality of Tap Connections



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 4: 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.

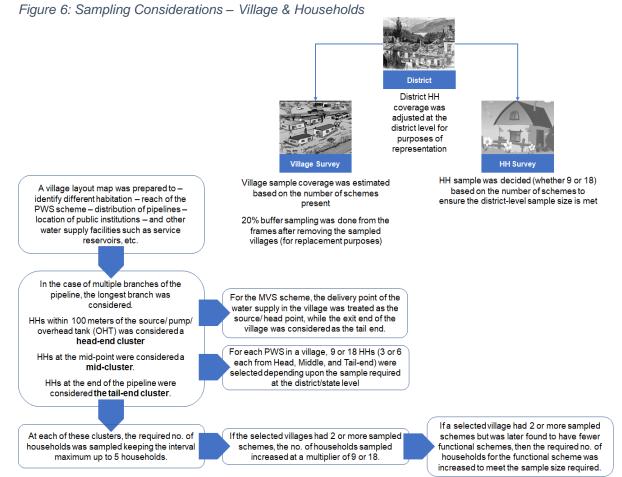
2.5. Sampling Methodology

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 as presented:

Figure 5: Steps for Village Sampling



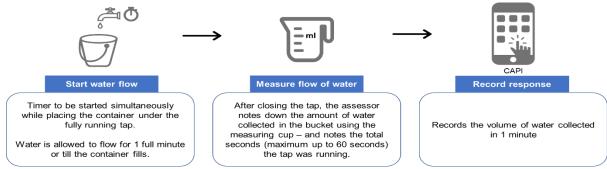
The key considerations for the village and household sampling were:



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

Figure 7: Steps for Measuring Flowrate from Supply-tap at HHs



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 7.

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

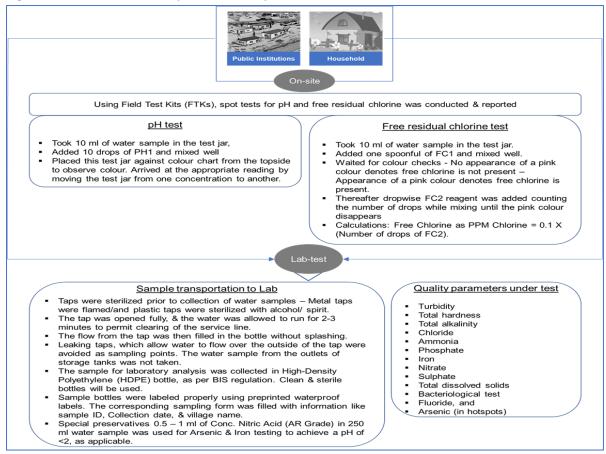
- Assessor first asked and recorded length, breadth, and height.
- Assessor dipped a 5 feet long rod, marked the level of the water table, and calculated the volume – length x breadth x-height of water.
- Next the assessor opened the valve of the connection and allowed the water to flow inside the storage 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, anganwadis, 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 8.

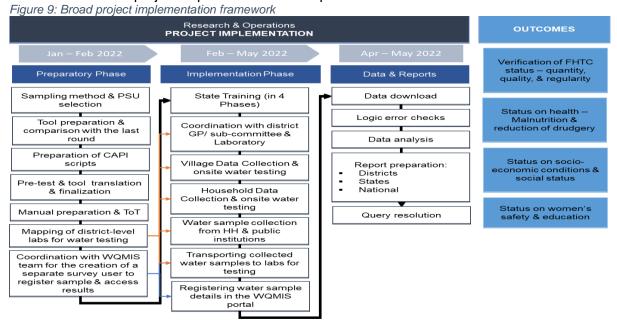
Figure 8: On-site & Laboratory Based Quality Test



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, sample submission for testing, and sharing of results as per the applicable quality parameters.

2.8. Project implementation

An overview of the project implementation is as presented:



A total of 6 teams (comprising 6 supervisors, 72 assessors, and 6 water collection assistants) were recruited, trained, and deployed to complete the survey across the states of Tamil Nadu. One survey team covered approximately 2 – 3 districts. The state-wise team deployment and fieldwork dates were as presented:

Table No. 1:	State-wise tear	n deployment ar	nd data collectio	n start & end da	tes
State		Teams deployed	Start date	End date	Total data collection days
Tamil Nadu		6 Teams	3/9/2022	4/7/2022	30 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	d sample		Achieved sam	ple		
District	Village	НН	Village	НН	Public Institutions		
Tiruvannamalai	11	378	11	378	13		
Tamil Nadu	413	13,887	413	13,922	987		

2.10. Sampled village and household profile

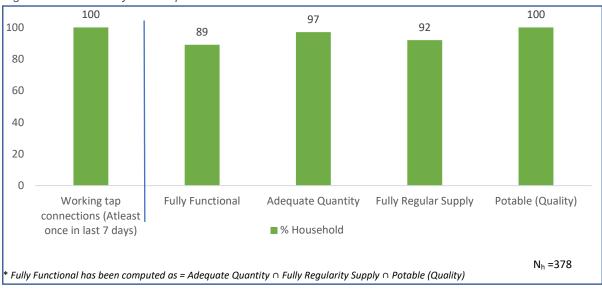
SAMPLED VILLAGES SAMPLED HOUSEHOLDS Total no. of villages covered in the district - 11 Total no. of households covered in the district Percentage of SC dominated villages covered in the district is % (which is slightly higher than Proportion of General - 66%, SC 28%, ST% 3, the state average, i.e., 24%) OBC 4% households Percentage of ST dominated villages covered 58% of the FHTC connections are under the in the district is None (which is lower than the name of a female member state average, i.e., 1%) Average household size - 4 Higher proportion of pump operator >75% positive user experience in 5/5 interviewed at the village level measures **No** the district reported to have any historical incidence of water contamination

3. Findings

3.1. Functionality status of FHTC at household level

A. Overall Functionality* (in %)

Figure 10: Functionality of HH tap connection



It has been found that 100 percent of the sampled HHs (N=378) had working tap connections (i.e., received water at least once in last 7 days). More than eight out of ten (89 percent) HHs had fully functional tap connection (i.e., HHs receiving adequate quantity of prescribed quality of water on a regular basis).

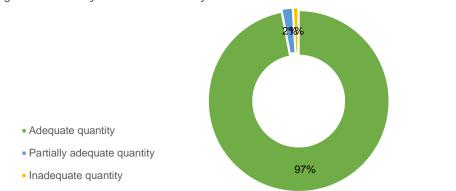
3.2. Quantity, Regularity, and Quality of Water

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 will also include long-term source and system sustainability. Presented here are the findings in this respect.

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

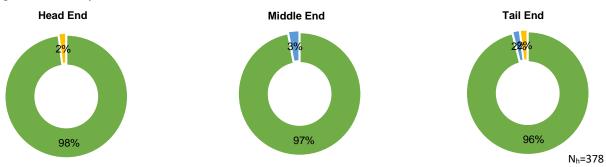
97% HHs reported receiving adequate quantity of water

Figure 11: Quantity of water received by households



Quantity of water received across head, middle, and tail end HHs

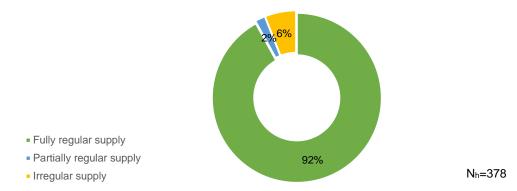
Figure 12: Quantity of water received across head, middle and tail end households



B. Regularity of water supply to households

92% HHs receive a regular supply of water (as per agreed schedule)

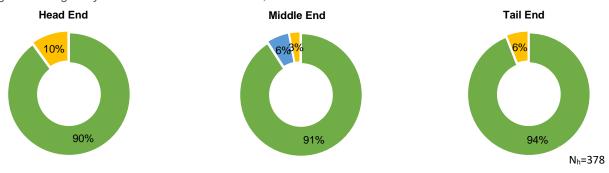
Figure: Regularity of water received by households



N_h=378

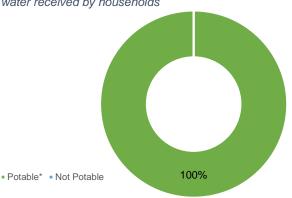
Regularity of water received across head, middle, and tail end

Figure 13: Regularity of water received across head, middle and tail end households



C. Water quality - Potability

Figure 14: Potable water received by households



 $N_h = 378$

Table No. 3: Village quality parameters reported within permissible range (% sample within permissible range)

Quality Parameters (N _V =11)	Water Samples Tested from Public Institutes				
	Anganwadi Centre	Health Facility	Schools	Others	
pH (on-site)	100	100	100	100	
Turbidity	100		100		
Total Hardness	100		100		
Total Alkalinity	100		100		
Chloride	100		100		
Ammonia	Not tested				
Iron	No history				
Nitrate	100		100		
Sulphate	100		100		
Total Dissolved Solids	100		100		
Bacteriological Test (Absence)	100		100		
Fluoride	No history				
Arsenic	No history				

^{*}Potable water has been considered basis testing of water samples through laboratory tests for physical, chemical, and bacteriological as given in Table 4 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.

Table No. 4: Household water quality parameters reported within permissible range in % sample within permissible range)

Quality Parameters	No of water samples tested	% Samples within permissible range		
pH (on-site)	378	100		
Turbidity	100	100		
Total Hardness	99	100		
Total Alkalinity	100	100		
Chloride	100	100		
Ammonia	Not tes	sted		
Iron	No his	tory		
Nitrate	100	99		
Sulphate	100	100		
Total Dissolved Solids 100		100		
Bacteriological Test (Absence)	99	100		
Fluoride	No his	tory		
Arsenic	No his	No history		

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

The Residual Chlorine (RC) in the Solan district was found in 23% samples. Out of which 12% samples were having RC outside range whereas 65% samples, had no RC. It may be mentioned that 100% of water samples passed the bacteriological contamination test but to assure the protection against bacteriological contamination, addition of RC is must in PWS system.

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.

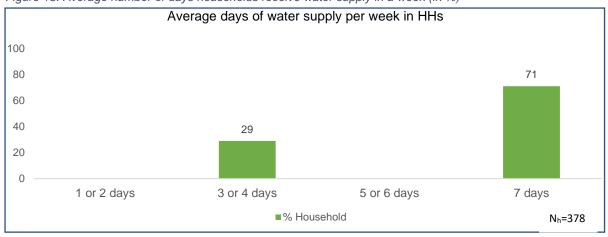
Comment on functioning of District Lab:

The district lab tested water samples for 8 water quality parameters. 291 water samples were submitted, and 105 water samples were tested, and reports made available. The turnaround time for testing was more than 48 hours in most cases.

The labs did not have any issue with testing the number of water samples submitted nor had any issues with human resource, reagents etc.

3.3. Average water supply days in a week

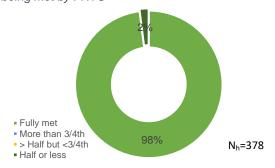
Figure 15: Average number of days households receive water supply in a week (in %)



3.4. Household utilization of water for drinking and other activities

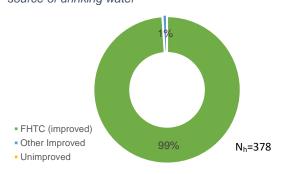
Fulfilment of requirement 98% HHs reported that their daily requirement of water is being met by FHTCs

Figure 17: Daily household's requirement of water being met by FHTC

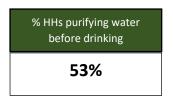


Primary source of drinking water 99% HHs reported HH tap connection as their primary source of drinking water

Figure 18: Households reported FHTC as primary source of drinking water



3.5. Status at HH level (Nh=378)



% HHs paying water service delivery charges

% HHs with booster pumps

% HHs having coping mechanism during scarcity

% HH aware of grievance redressal mechanism for reporting problems with FHTC

Channel for registering grievance (N_h=378*) Pump-operator

Key problems for reporting grievances (N=378)

Others

% Reported complaints resolved $(N_h=25)$

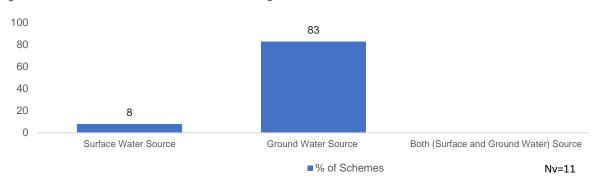
^{*}HHs who reported complaints in last 1 year

3.6. Source sustainability at the village level

Schemes based on surface and ground water

8% of schemes are reported to be based on surface water and 83% ground water.

Figure 19: Schemes based on water source in village

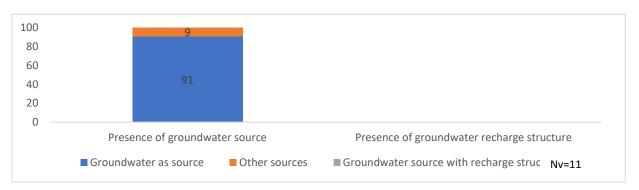


^{*&#}x27;Surface Water Source' is Stream, Spring, Glacier, River, lake, pond etc. and Groundwater Source is open well, borewell, tube well, handpump, spring, etc

Villages reported having presence of a groundwater source

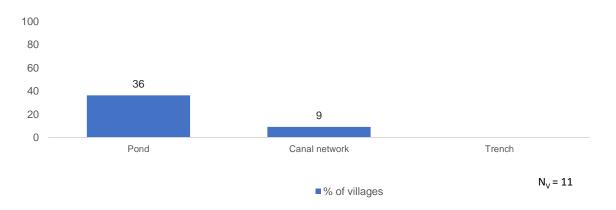
91% of villages reported the presence of groundwater sources like improved dug wells and borewells, and none were supported by recharging structures.

Figure 20: Villages reported the presence of groundwater sources and among those how many reported to have a recharge structure



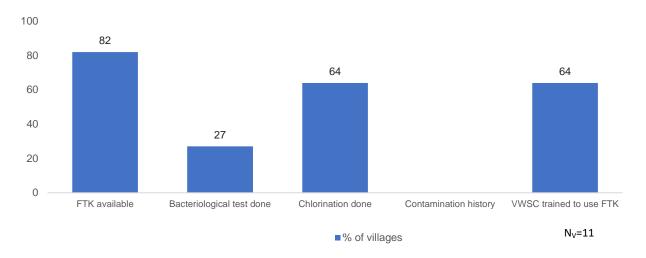
The top 3 other source sustainability measure taken by villages

Figure 21: Villages reported having taken other source sustainability measure



3.7. Water quality monitoring and surveillance in the villages

Figure 22: Water quality monitoring and surveillance by villages



3.8. Status of JJM

A. VWSC/Pani Samiti and PWS signage in villages (N_v=11)

Presence of VWSC/Pani Samiti	VWSC/Pani Samiti responsible for O&M of PWS Schemes	% Villages – VWSC/PO trained to use FTKs	% Villages in which signages about JJM was observed	
45%	18%	64%	0%	

B. Water supply, storage and operation & maintenance at village level (N_v=11)

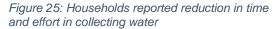
Average no. of supply in a day	% Villages having skilled manpower for O&M for	% Villages having skilled manpower for O&M for PWS	Community monitoring of water wastage in villages	
1	45%	73%	45%	
% Villages having OHT/ Sump	% Villages having faced O&M challenges	Primary points for reporting grievances	Key problems for reporting grievances	
100%	0%	Other	Pipeline leakage	

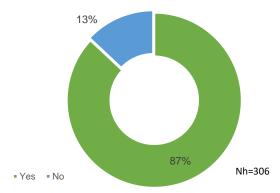
Perception of HHs on Outcome Indicators 3.9.

a. Health b. Economic Income Incidence of water borne diseases at HH level Change in employment days since FHTC in last one year as reported programmes/schemes Figure 24: Household reported a change in Figure 23: Household reported incidence of water employment days since FHTC programmes /schemes borne diseases in last one year 100 80 26% 60 41% 40 20 0 Waterborne Water related None Increase 33% diseases diseases No change Nh=378 ■% of HH N_h=378

c. Drudgery Reduction in time and effort in collecting water

- Don't know





3.10. User satisfaction

Table No. 5: User satisfaction - more than 75% happy with FHTC services				
S. No.	Parameter (N _h =378)		In %	
1	Regularity	© • •	99	
2	Overall quality	••	94	
3	Colour		97	
4	Taste	000	91	
5	Odour	<u>•</u>	98	

Note:

Base (N_v)=11 means all villages sampled and covered in Tiruvannamalai district

Base (N_H)=378 means all households sampled and covered across the 11 villages in Tiruvannamalai district

Base (N_H)=378 means all households where female members used to fetch water before HH tap connection

4. Annexures

4.1. Summary of villages

Table No. 6: Village Summary						
S.No.	Name of sample village	Sample HHs	Actual sample HHs (achieved)	No. of scheme	No of source of surface water	No of source of Ground water
#	Total	378	389	12	13	26
1	Hasanamapettai	27	28	1		2
2	Kaduganur	36	37	1		1
3	Erungal	36	37	1	1	
4	Namathodu	36	37	1	4	4
5	Sathiyavadi	36	37	1	6	4
6	Melnagar	36	37	1		2
7	Edapirai	36	37	1		3
8	Kalasapakkam	36	37	1		1
9	Tandarai	27	28	2	2	3
10	Anwarabath	36	37	1		5
11	Keelsinipakkam	36	37	1		1

4.2. Functionality – 55 LPCD vs regularity vs potability vs working tap connection

Table No. 7: Functionality of HH tap connection						
S. No.	Village	Functionality* (% HH)	Quantity >=55 LPCD (% HH)	Regularity (% HH)	Potability (% HH)	Working tap connections (%HH)
#	Total	89	97	92	100	100
1	Hasanamapettai	100	100	100	100	100
2	Kaduganur	72	100	72	100	100
3	Erungal	61	78	75	97	100
4	Namathodu	100	100	100	100	100
5	Sathiyavadi	100	100	100	100	100
6	Melnagar	100	100	100	100	100
7	Edapirai	92	92	100	100	100
8	Kalasapakkam	97	100	97	100	100
9	Tandarai	100	100	100	100	100
10	Anwarabath	97	97	100	100	100
11	Keelsinipakkam	67	100	67	100	100

^{*} Fully Functional has been computed as = Adequate Quantity \cap Fully Regularity Supply \cap Potable (Quality)

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4.3. Villages not meeting the quality parameters

	Table No. 8: Quality parameters dissatisfied at village level 1. pH (Acceptable Range- 6.5 to 8.5)					
1. pH	(Acceptable Rar		T			
S.No.	Block Name	Panchayat Name	Villages	No. of HHs outside the acceptable range		
NA NA NA NA						
2. Fre	2. Free residual chlorine (Acceptable Range- 0.2 to 1 PPM)					
S.No.	Block Name	Panchayat Name	Villages	HHs outside the acceptable/permissible range	HHs with no	
	01	A 1 1	A 1 1		chlorine	
1	Chengam	Anwarabath	Anwarabath	18	9	
2	Cheyyar	Kaduganur	Kaduganur	0	36	
3	Kalasapakkam	Kalasapakkam	Kalasapakkam	0	36	
<u>4</u> 5	Pernamallur Polur	Namathodu	Namathodu	0	34	
6		Edeparai Kilsirupakkam	Edapirai	27	0	
7	Thandarampet Thellar		Keelsinipakkam Sathiyavadi	0	35	
8	Tiruvannamalai	Sathiyavadi	Tandarai	0	36	
9	West Arni	Thandarai Melnagar	Melnagar	0	26 35	
	rbidity (Acceptak			0	35	
J. Tu	rbidity (Acceptat	Panchayat	NTO)	HHs outside the acceptable/pa	rmissible	
S.No.	Block Name	Name	Villages	HHs outside the acceptable/per	missible	
NA	NA	NA NA	NA	NA range		
4. To	tai nardness (Ac		200 to 600 Milligra		iooiblo	
S.No.	Block Name	Panchayat Name	Villages	HHs outside the acceptable/perm	issible	
NA	NA	NA	NA	range NA		
5. 10	tal alkalinity (Acc	Panchayat	200 to 600 Milligra	HHs outside the acceptable/perm	icciblo	
S.No.	Block Name	Name	Villages		issible	
NA	NA	NA	NA	range NA		
6. Ch	ioride (Acceptab		1000 Milligram/lit		iosible	
S.No.	Block Name	Panchayat Name	Villages	HHs outside the acceptable/perm	issible	
NΙΛ	NΙΛ		NΙΛ	range		
	NA NA NA NA NA NA 7. Ammonia (Acceptable Range- 0.5 Milligram/litre)					
7. All	ппоша (Ассеріа	Panchayat	inigrani/nire)	HHs outside the acceptable/perm	icciblo	
S.No.	Block Name	Name	Villages	range	issible	
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		Panchayat		HHs outside the acceptable/perm	issible	
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10. Su			400 Milligram/litr	e)	· ·	
		Panchayat		HHs outside the acceptable/perm	issible	
S.No.	Block Name	Name	Villages	range	iodibie	
NA	NA	NA	NA	NA		
			Range- 500 to 200			
		Panchayat		HHs outside the acceptable/perm	issible	
S.No.	Block Name	Name	Villages	range		
NA	NA	NA	NA	NA		
12. Bacteriological test (Presence - Absence Test for Hydrogen Sulphide producing organisms (H2S))						
		Panchayat		HHs outside the acceptable/perm		
S.No.	Block Name	Name	Villages	range		
NA	NA	NA	NA	NA NA		
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		Panchayat		HHs outside the acceptable/perm	issible	
S.No.	Block Name	Name	Villages	range	ISSIDIE	
NA	NA	NA	NA	NA NA		
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Table I	Table No. 8: Quality parameters dissatisfied at village level				
14. Ar	14. Arsenic (in hotspots) (Acceptable Range- 0.01 Milligram /litre)				
S.No.	Block Name	Panchayat Name	Villages	HHs outside the acceptable/permissible range	
NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	