# THE SANITATION, HYGIENE, AND WASTEWATER MPTF

FOR THRIVING MARKETS, COMMUNITIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT



**1 in 3 people** do not have basic handwashing facilities with soap and water at home

1 in 4 women and girls struggle to manage their menstruation safely and with dignity.

**42% of household wastewater** is not safely treated before discharge, leading to an estimated 113 billion m³ of household wastewater being released to the environment with inadequate or no treatment.



The alarming status quo has consequences on health, access to education, economic participation and growth, gender equality, prosperity and the environment, requiring a radical overhaul of how sanitation, hygiene, menstrual health and wastewater are viewed, valued and financed, especially on a rapidly warming planet.

## **TOWARD CATALYTIC FINANCE - AND IMPACT**

The first UN Multi-Partner Trust Fund (MPTF) dedicated to Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) target 6.2, the Sanitation, Hygiene and Wastewater MPTF brings a much-needed impetus to catalyze investments into the severely overlooked and underfunded sectors of sanitation, hygiene, menstrual health and wastewater.

Focusing squarely on market-based approaches to deliver impact on economies, people and the planet, the MPTF brings together the public and the private to create an enabling environment where investment in sanitation, wastewater management, hygiene and menstrual health is not only incentivized, but thrives.











# THE PATHWAY TO SUCCESS AND A GENDER-EQUAL, SUSTAINABLE FUTURE FOR ALL

Our Mission: By 2030, increase inclusive and sustainable access to safely managed sanitation, hygiene and menstrual health for populations, and reduce the amount of untreated wastewater reaching water bodies, in Low- and Middle-Income Countries (LMICs) for social, economic and environmental benefit

# A UNIQUE BLEND OF UN CAPABILTY, THE SANITATION, HYGIENE AND WASTEWATER MPTF CONVENES, RAISES AND CATALYZES RESOURCES TO BUILD THRIVING SANITATION, HYGIENE, MENSTRUAL HEALTH AND WASTEWATER MARKETS FOR ALL.



We drive Private Sector
Development and access to
finance for long-term
market growth





# Sanitation, Hygiene, and Wastewater

Next Generation Sanitation coverage and access, comprising all aspects of the value chain, to ensure that human waste, wastewater and solid waste is managed in a way that is safe, climate resilient, environmentally sound, and socially acceptable.

### **Menstrual Health Market**

Under the SHF initiative Capital M, the implementation of targeted interventions that are designed to transform the menstrual health market to ensure women and girls everywhere have access to a variety of quality menstrual products at a price they can afford. This reflects across the value chain including raw material production and processing, manufacturing, transportation, distribution to the last mile, user education and demand generation.

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We harness strategic and global partnerships for market-led responses

We support countries to create enabling environments for sanitation and menstrual health markets

# **PARTNER WITH US:**

The Sanitation, Hygiene, and Wastewater MPTF is pioneering new approaches to catalyze investment in the sectors of sanitation, hygiene, menstrual health and wastewater to deliver impacts for people, economies and the environment with a specific focus on gender and climate.

As a joint UN financing facility, we work closely with governments and national partners across Africa and Asia bringing in the private sector for impactful partnerships. Our catalytic approach responds to local and regional contexts, national investment cases, financing strategies, climate risks and the regulatory enabling environment to build thriving sanitation economies and the menstrual health market.

Climate Environmental-Smart