

## Making a SPLASH\* at Scale in Zambia

\* Schools Promoting Learning Achievement through Sanitation and Hygiene



SPLASH SCHOOLS



Boys and girls were up to 3 times less likely to be absent than those attending schools without a WASH program.

Reached all schools in 4 districts with WASH messages. 430 schools have full WASH program with WASH facilities improvement and hygiene education.

SCHOOL



Community involvement in school-led total sanitation inspired in the construction of **9,200** household latrines.

sanitation in the spotlight.

**STATIONS** 

Clean classroom drinking water means that students don't leave lessons to search for water and increases pupil-teacher contact time for learning. Students are better hydrated, which helps learning.

**HANDWASHING STATIONS** 



**HWS** managed by student WASH clubs consistently had water and soap available. Handwashing became a normal daily activity.



TEACHERS TRAINED

WASH is now integrated in the Zambia curriculum, and teachers learned how to teach hygiene in a fun, active way.

demonstrated the importance of keeping girls in school during their periods, broke taboos, and created pride. Boys wanted their own washrooms, too!

Girls' washrooms



WATER

Access to water allowed PTAs to make bricks and build new classrooms, teachers' houses, and school kitchens.



LOCAL ARTISANS TRAINED

**SPLASH** trained and certified local artisans who set up their own small businesses. Certified Area Pump Menders ensure local WASH maintenance and repair services.



