# Workshop on Mainstreaming Citywide Sanitation 4-5 April 2016 About Centre for Science & Environment (CSE) & About the Workshop Objectives

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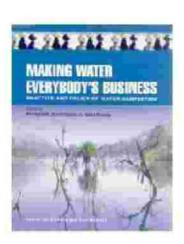
#### CSE – Background

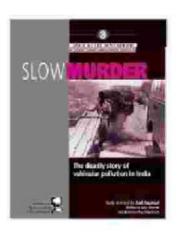
Set up in 1980's - a New Delhi based registered non profit society.

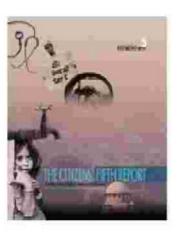
The centre promotes sustainable development with equity, participation and democracy through —

- knowledge based activism
- policy research combined with public awareness









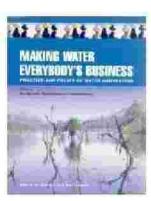
# 35+ years, 150+ staff, learning, sharing and pushing for change

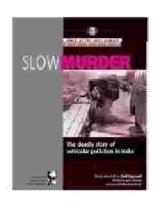
Policy research & advocacy	Documenting to build knowledge	Disseminating knowledge	Training & education
Sustainable mobility & Clean Air	Knowledge portal	Down To Earth	Green School Programme
•	Climate change	Gobar Times	
Sustainable habitat	Resource Centre	CSE Websites	Media Resource Centre
Sustainable		HALLIGON DOWN HIS WIND	
industrialization		Books	Anil Agarwal Green College/ Environment
Sustainable Water -		Films	Training Institute
Waste water management		gobar times	Regulators training
Climate change		COUL.	South-South Learning, training
Renewable energy	South South	Freen	and capacity
Food safety & toxins			building

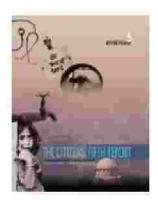
# CSE WATER PROGRAMME – INITIATIVES

- 1. Greening rural development
- Septage management including decentralised wastewater treatment incl local reuse/recycle
- 3. Conservation / protection/ restoration of water bodies in urban areas including rainwater harvesting
- Water sensitive design and planning including water efficiency
   & Conservation
- 5. River Pollution
- 6. Technical advisory support to implement Best Management Practices.











#### Water Programme:

#### Aims to secure sustainability in water and wastewater management

Knowledge
Creation,
Advocacy
and
Capacity
Building

- Research to understand nature of problems and develop solutions
- To enable institutions and people undertake actions in managing water / wastewater and implementation of best practices. (technical advisory, training workshops, training manuals)

Building knowledge Networks

 To strengthen all those who are involved in managing their water - governments, community/ individual

(newsletter, model projects, water information / rain centres and *Paani Yatras*)

Awareness Creation

To make households, industries, institutions, villages and urban mohallas, all recognize the importance and value of Water. (reports, articles, films, exhibitions, lectures, website)

## About this Workshop & its Objectives

#### **National Urban Sanitation Policy 2008**

All *cities and towns become totally sanitized, healthy and livable,* ensure and sustain public health and environmental outcomes for all their citizens.

#### Milestones for 100% Sanitation

- 1. Open Defecation Free
- 2. Wastewater and Drainage safely managed
  - a) All grey water collected and disposed off safely;
  - b) All storm water is properly managed

## **Sanitary and Safe Disposal**

 100 % of human excreta and liquid wastes from all sanitation facilities must be disposed of safely.

This will be achieved by:

- Ensuring that all human wastes are collected, treated and disposed of safely;
- Promoting proper disposal and treatment of sludge from on- site installations (septic tanks, pit latrines, etc.);
- Promoting proper functioning of network-based sewerage systems and ensuring connections of households to them;
- Encourage recycle and reuse of treated waste water for non-potable applications, wherever possible.

- Responsibility for provision of sanitation facilities in the country primarily rests with local government bodies.
- The State and Central Govt. act as facilitators, through enabling policies, budgetary support and capacity development
- Central Govt. through the 5 Year Plans, guides investment in the sector by allocating funds for Strategic priorities.

#### **Major initiatives - Timeline**

- 2008 Release of the National Urban Sanitation Policy
- Service level benchmarking: benchmarks adopted in six critical areas incl. WS and Sewerage etc.
- 2009 Capacity building schemes for ULBs supported by creation of CoE at nine reputed institutions
- 2010 Ranking of 436 Class I cities in 2010 under NUSP

2011 – CSE Policy paper on Septage Management

 2013 – MoUD Released Advisory on Septage Management to ULBs

#### **Major initiatives - Timeline**

 Mizoram, Agartala, Tamilnadu, Karnataka states issued notification / policy on septage management including pilot projects.

2014/15 – Swacch Bharat (U/R), Smart Cities –
 100 no.s, AMRUT – 500 no.s cities & NMCG –
 118 town / cities along river Ganga

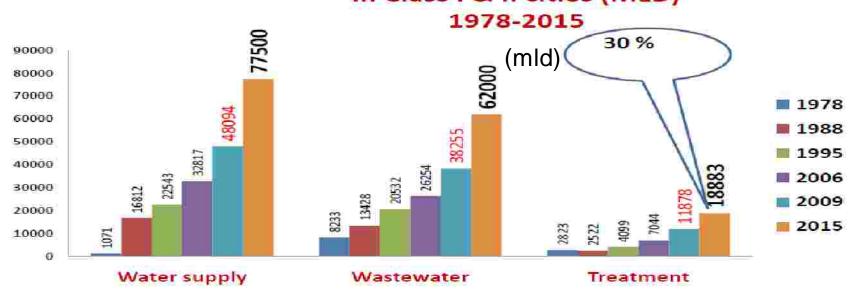
All national flagship programmes and states now focusing on sanitation focusing on solid and liquid waste management incl. septage management.

#### **National Programmes**

SBM	AMRUT	NMCG
<ul> <li>Covers all (4040 no.s) statutory towns</li> <li>100% elimination of open defecation</li> <li>Targets by 2019:         <ul> <li>1.05 million toilets, 5 lakh community toilets, 100 collection, processing and disposal of solid waste</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Cover 500 towns/cities</li> <li>100% coverage with water supply</li> <li>100% coverage with sewer connections or septage management system</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Focus on 118         towns/ cities         along River Ganga</li> <li>Focus on river         pollution         abatement –         sewage and         industrial         effluents</li> </ul>

#### Sewage: more sums

Water supply, wastewater generation, treatment in Class I & II cities (MLD)



Two cities Delhi & Mumbai have 31% of total treatment capacity installed in India.

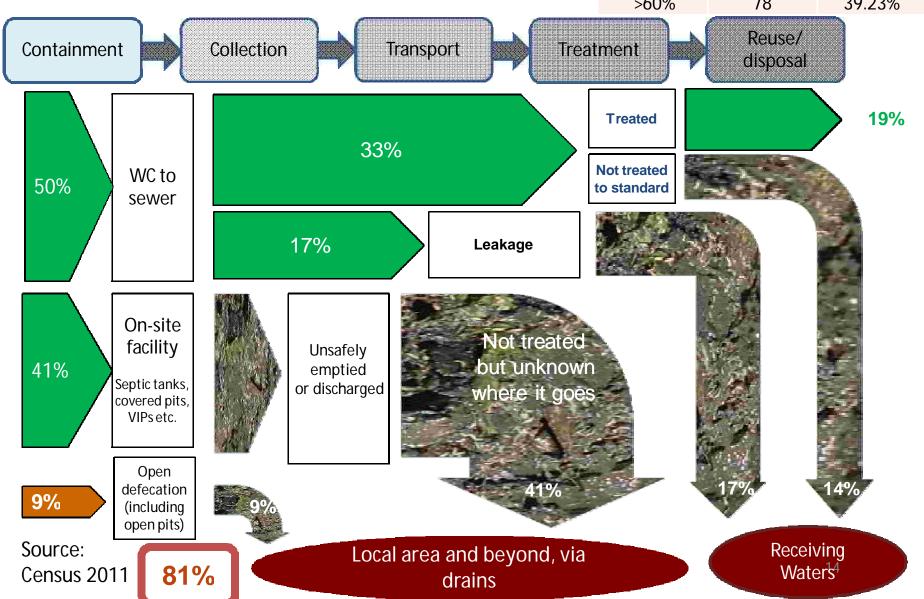
Source: CPCB Reports (1978,1988,1995,2006,2009,2015)

- 30% of total sewage can be treated and 31 % of treatment capacity in Delhi & Mumbai.
- Significant population still dependent on Septic tanks with inadequate mechanisms.

#### **Urban India: Excreta Flows**

Source: WSB World Bank

Sewer coverage	No of Cities	% of population
<10 %	191	16.45%
10 - 30%	158	20.10%
30 - 60%	75	24.22%
>60%	78	39.23%



# Workshop

**Day 1 : 4<sup>th</sup> April 2016** 

**Session 1: Safe Disposal and Reuse of Faecal Waste** 

Session 2: Septic tank - disposal system and

treatment

**Day 2 : 5th April 2016** 

Session 3: Tools for decision making to upscale / include FSM in Sanitation Plans – International Case Studies

Session 4: Policies for decision making to upscale / include FSM in Sanitation Plans

**Session 5: Policy Integration Challenges and Opportunities** 

#### Aim & Objective of the Workshop

- to promote active exchange of experiences of national and international opportunities and challenges in excreta management - thereby mainstreaming citywide sanitation.
- Cross learning with key sector policy makers, national/state functionaries, professionals, NGOs, international donor agencies and researchers who are involved in promoting sustainable and affordable sanitation

## Technical Sessions – Day 1

#### Session 1: Safe Disposal and Reuse of Faecal Waste

This session will discuss fundamental issues addressed in any laboratory dealing with faecal waste. How have labs contributed to technology solution and policy? What did they do – projects/analytics? Also discuss FSM in practice: from lab to field and field to lab – questions of a practitioner.

#### Session 2: Septic tank - disposal system and treatment

This session will discuss the different types of on-site systems – septic tanks (as per IS standards) or improved, various types of containment, disposal system and treatment with example from towns / cities India.

Discuss some national experiences of on-site /decentralised faecal waste treatment systems including potential and barriers in of faecal waste for agriculture.

Understand technologies in details in terms of science – how /where it works and when it works (including regulations, performance monitoring and assessment)?

#### Technical Sessions – Day 2

# Session 3: Tools for decision making to upscale / include FSM in Sanitation Plans – International Case Studies

The session will present international case studies on – how does city include FSM / on-site waste management in sanitation plans and experience sharing on cost, regulation, land requirement, efficacy of treatment.

# Session 4: Policies for decision making to upscale /include FSM in Sanitation Plans

This session presents tools / policies for decision making upscale / include FSM in sanitation plans. Both BMGF supported and other key actors will present on – How to support assessment in terms city's situation in terms faecal waste management, include interventions in sanitation plans addressing sanitation for all.

# **Session 5: Closing Session : Policy Integration Challenges and Opportunities**

The session presents experiences and issues of state / cities in developing city wide sanitation plans.

The aim is to discuss the barriers and brainstorm tools, technologies and policy integration challenges and state programmes.

