

NOTES ON TOILETS AND HYGIENE IN PORT-AU-PRINCE AND CARREFOUR:

Emerging conclusions on behavioral change drivers and barriers

PERSPECTIVES

Basic/Improved sanitation and handwashing
- products and related behaviors

TOILETS /LATRINES



DRIVERS

- Desire for comfort, lack of smell, easy to clean flush toilets.
- Dissatisfaction with pit latrines that smell and have insects
- Embarrassment with not having a facility or using a very poor one.
- Availability of retailers and installers.

BARRIERS

- Perceived costs of toilets and installation.
- Tenancy (for renters)

HANDWASHING



DRIVERS

- Knowledge of health benefits and claims that handwashing is practiced regularly.

BARRIERS

- Lack of handwashing facilities and little evidence of widespread practice.
- No immediate benefit stated to carry out regular handwashing

PERSPECTIVES

Safely Managing Waste

EMPTYING



DRIVERS

- Satisfaction with bayacous

BARRIERS

- Perceived costs of emptying
- Sharing with multiple families can dilute responsibility, motivation
- No expressed concern by households or emptiers concern on how waste is managed once pits are emptied.

SYSTEM CONNECTIONS AND ALTERNATIVES



DRIVERS

- Some interest in connecting and paying for system to handle waste
- Some interest in trying container-based-dry toilets

BARRIERS

- Lack of integrated solutions offered from organizations such in government, non-government, or private sector.
- Those connected are not concerned if waste is disposed of in the sea.

 blogs.iadb.org/agua

 @BIDagua

#WATER #HAITI



Copyright © 2017 Inter-American Development Bank. This work is licensed under a Creative Commons IGO 3.0 Attribution-NonCommercial-NoDerivatives (CC-IGO BY-NC-ND 3.0 IGO) license (<http://creativecommons.org/licenses/by-nc-nd/3.0/igo/legalcode>) and may be reproduced with attribution to the IDB and for any non-commercial purpose. No derivative work is allowed.

Any dispute related to the use of the works of the IDB that cannot be settled amicably shall be submitted to arbitration pursuant to the UNCITRAL rules. The use of the IDB's name for any purpose other than for attribution, and the use of IDB's logo shall be subject to a separate written license agreement between the IDB and the user and is not authorized as part of this CC-IGO license.

Note that link provided above includes additional terms and conditions of the license.

The opinions expressed in this publication are those of the authors and do not necessarily reflect the views of the Inter-American Development Bank, its Board of Directors, or the countries they represent.

Authors: Jason Cardosi and Sergio Perez. Design: www.souvenirme.com

