

## INHABIT – UNHIDE Survey

Risk assessment and access to WASH services in urban Lilongwe

## A. Demographic

Age: 71Gender: ☒ Male ☐ Female ☐ Other / Non-responsiveSettlement: ☐ 47 ☒ 56 ☐ \_\_\_\_\_1. Since when do you live in this area? 1956

2. Status of the dweller

☒ Owner-Occupier [continue section B]☐ Tenant [continue section C]

## B. Owners only

3. How did you obtain the land and the house?

☐ Buy from Malawi Housing Corporation☐ Buy from the City Council☐ Allocated from the Chief☒ Buy from the Chief FB 2-10☐ Buy from \_\_\_\_\_☐ Received as a gift from \_\_\_\_\_☐ Inherited from \_\_\_\_\_

4. What made you confident that the agreement would be valid?

BECAUSE OF THE TRUST FROM THE CHIEF HIMSELF.

## C. Tenants only

5. Why did you choose this location? [Choose 1]

☐ Close to family☐ Close to my job☐ Close to schools☐ Close to Health Facilities☐ Close to transport☐ Cheap rent☐ Access to water☐ Access to electricity☐ Safety☐ Land rights/ownership☐ Marriage☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

6. How long do you plan to stay at this house?

☐ Less than 3 months☐ More than 3 months☐ One year to five years☐ More than five years

6b. Do you plan to buy/construct/repair in your house?

☐ Yes☐ No

6.c What do you want to buy/construct/repair?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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7. Does your landlord live close by?

☐ Yes☐ No

8. Is your landlord responsible if you have a problem with your house?

☐ Yes☐ No

9. For which kind of problems would your landlord provide a solution? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Does your landlord give you indications/rules on how to maintain/clean house and toilet?

☐ Yes☐ No

If yes, which ones: \_\_\_\_\_

11. Who is responsible to provide the toilet?

☐ Tenant☐ Landlord**D. General risks in the area**

12. What are the main risk for you? [Choose 3]

- ☐ Household limited financial resources
- ☐ Unemployment
- ☒ Food security
- ☐ Tenure security
- ☒ Violence/insecurity
- ☐ Toilets
- ☐ Solid waste
- ☐ Electricity

- ☐ Water (lack of access)
- ☒ Water shortages
- ☐ Education
- ☐ Health care
- ☐ Housing (quality of housing)
- ☐ Transport services
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

13. Could you explain why and give examples? ① FOOD SECURITY WE HAVE NO PLACE TO CULTIVATE.② VIOLENCE THERE IS③ WATER SHORTAGE MAINLY RELIES ON TAP WATER BUT SOMETIMES TAPS RUNS DRY FOR A DAYS & WEEK.

14. How do you dispose of garbage? [Multiple choices]

- ☒ Use Public bins
- ☐ Dump in the river
- ☐ Dump in allocated sites
- ☐ Dump elsewhere: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Burn
- ☐ Private operator

- ☐ Lilongwe city council Disposal
- ☐ Pit in the plot
- ☐ Toilet
- ☐ Composting
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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15. What are the main problems with garbage in the area? [Multiple choices]

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Garbage on the ground     | <input type="checkbox"/> Cockroaches feeding from garbage |
| <input type="checkbox"/> No bins                   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Smell                 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Flies          | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Risk of diseases      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rats feeding from garbage | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____                      |

16. Is there a Public Health Centre or Clinic in the settlement?

- |                                      |   |                             |
|--------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, public | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, private clinic | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
|--------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|

\* WE ONCE HAD A PUBLIC HEALTH C. BUT GOVERNMENT HAS SOLD IT TO CATHOLICS.

17. Do you feel safe in your settlement?

- ☐ Yes  
☒ No

18. Could you explain what makes you feel safe and/or feel unsafe in your settlement?

TOO MUCH VIOLENCE DUE TO UNAUTHORIZED BUSINESSES LIKE BARS,  
CIGARETTE SHOPS AS INDIAN HEMP.

## E. Sanitation and hygiene practices

19. What kind of toilet do you use at home?

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flush+ Septic tank                          | <input type="checkbox"/> Pit latrine with concrete slab with roof     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flush + Sewer                               | <input type="checkbox"/> Pit latrine with concrete slab without roof  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECO sanitation – Skyloo (Federation toilet) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Traditional pit latrine with roof |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECO sanitation – Fossa Alterna              | <input type="checkbox"/> Traditional pit latrine without roof         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ventilated Improved Pit latrine (VIP)       | <input type="checkbox"/> No facility                                  |

20. What is the main problem you face with the toilet? [Choose 1]

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Collapse         | <input type="checkbox"/> Cleanliness   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Smell | <input type="checkbox"/> Disease risks |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mosquitoes       | <input type="checkbox"/> Non           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Water shortage   |  |

21. How many households share the facility?

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private | <input type="checkbox"/> Shared with landlord |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shared with 2-4    | <input type="checkbox"/> Shared with 4-8      |

22. [For Flush toilet users] - What do you do when there is a water shortage?

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pour by hand with already collected/stored water | <input type="checkbox"/> Use a public toilet |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Get water from a well or kiosk to pour           | <input type="checkbox"/> No water shortage   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Use own pit latrine                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Use the neighbours toilet                        |  |

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## 23. [For ECOSAN toilet users] - What do you do with the manure?

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sell to business    | <input type="checkbox"/> Give it away for free |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sell to farmers     | <input type="checkbox"/> Dump it               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sell to other _____ |  |

## 24. [For latrine users] - What do you/the landlord do if your toilet is full?

- |   |                                   |
|---|-----------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Build a new one | <input type="checkbox"/> Empty it |
|---|-----------------------------------|

Why: BECAUSE ONCE IT IS FULL WE CAN EMPTY IT BUT TO  
JUST BUILD A NEW ONE FOR GOOD HYGIENE.

## 25. What is the most important hygiene practice? [Choose 3]

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fetching clean water | <input type="checkbox"/> Wearing shoes                                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Waste disposal       | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hand washing                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bathing              | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cleaning the house (inside and outside) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Laundry              | <input type="checkbox"/> Brushing teeth                                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Having good toilets  | <input type="checkbox"/> Shaving hair                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dishes               | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Keeping the water covered               |

Why: ① HAND WASHING ESPECIALLY FROM THE TOILET TO PREVENT BACTERIAL INFECTIONS.  
 ② CLEANING HOUSE TO HAVE FRESH AND PUT AWAY INSECTS & FLIES AROUND THE HOME.  
 ③ WATER COVERED TO HAVE CLEAN WATER ALWAYS AND PREVENT DUST & INSECTS.

## 26. Which are the most challenging hygiene practices? [Multiple chooses possible]

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fetching clean water         | <input type="checkbox"/> Brushing teeth            |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Waste disposal               | <input type="checkbox"/> Shaving hair              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bathing                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Keeping the water covered |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Laundry                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Dishes                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Having good toilets                     | <input type="checkbox"/> No problem                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wearing shoes                           |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hand washing                            |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cleaning the house (inside and outside) |  |

Why: ① CLEAN WATER MOSTLY AFFECTS US WITH DRY TAPS THAT MAKES US TO DRAW FROM WELLS.  
 ② LAUNDRY DUE TO DRY TAPS WE FETCH WATER FROM RIVERS WHICH IS A HEALTHY HAZARD.  
 ③ WASTE DISPOSAL IT TAKES TIME FOR CITY COUNCIL TO EMPTY THE PUBLIC BINS WE USE THAT  
GIVES US WORRIES ON RISK OF DISEASES.

## 27. Who taught you the hygiene practices you are practicing now? [Choose 1]

- |  |                                      |
|--|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Your parents              | <input type="checkbox"/> Friends     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Schools                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Chiefs      |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health workers | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Church                    |                                      |

## 28. Did your hygiene practices changed over time?

- ☒ Yes    ☐ No

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If yes how come? IT HAS HELPED OUR FAMILY MEMBERS FROM DISEASE AS COMPARED TO THE PAST BEFORE BEING TREATED.

30. Do you see differences between the households in your area in how they practice hygiene?

- ☒ Yes  
☐ No

☐ I don't know

Can you give us an example: MOST PEOPLE ESPECIALLY OUR NEIGHBOUR JUST DISPOSE GARBAGE EVEN IN THE FODS PAILS WITH OUR AREA.

31. If you had more income, what would you change in your hygiene practices?

DIGGING PITS AROUND MY HOUSE TO DISPOSE WASTE PROPERLY AND FOR PIT LATRINES.

F. [For area 56, 49 & ?] Role of NGOs and other external actors

32. Which non-government organisations are active in your area?

- ☐ Unicef  
☐ Water Aid  
☐ Water for People  
☐ MATAMA  
☐ CCODE  
☐ CICOD

- ☐ Vision World Wide  
☐ Concern Universal  
☐ The Federation  
☐ DAPP  
☐ AfriCare  
☐ Welt Hunger Hilfe

- ☐ TSP  
☐ PLAN Malawi  
☐ Oxfam  
☐ Red Cross  
☐ Catholic Relief Service  
☐ Other(s) \_\_\_\_\_

33. Regarding sanitation and hygiene, what kind of activities or projects do these organisation(s) have?

- ☒ Construction PROVIDE LATRINE CONCRETES BY SELLING. [continue to question 34]  
☐ Training/education [continue to question 39]  
☐ Advocacy [continue to question 40]  
☐ Providing loans to build toilet [continue to question 40]  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ [continue to question 40]

34. [If construction] – Where do they construct toilets?

- ☒ Household level  
☐ Public at market

- ☐ School facilities  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

35. [If construction] – What kind of toilets do the NGOs construct? [Multiple choice]

- ☐ Flush + Septic tank  
☐ Flush + Sewer  
☐ ECO sanitation – Skyloo (Federation toilet)

- ☐ ECO sanitation – Fossa Alterna  
☐ Ventilated Improved Pit latrine (VIP)  
☐ Pit latrine with concrete slab with roof  
☐ Pit latrine with concrete slab no roof  
☒ Just concrete slab

36. [If construction] Where are these toilets? [Multiple choice]

- ☐ Schools  
☒ Private / household

- ☐ Markets  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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37. [If construction] – Are these the kind of toilets you think are most needed in your area?

☒ Yes☐ No

Could you explain this: BECAUSE WITH THESE CONCRETE SLAB TOILETS  
ABLE TO CLEAN WITH WATER EASY MOVING THE TOILET  
FOR A BETTER HYGIENE.

38. [If construction] - Who is in charge of the maintenance of the sanitation facilities in school and markets? [Multiple choice]

☐ Appointed owner☒ Land owner☐ Worker appointed by the community☐ The NGO☐ The city☐ Private company paid by NGO☐ Private company paid with revenues☐ Private company paid by community☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

39. [If training/education] – Who in the community is trained / educated by the NGOs? [Multiple choices]

☐ Local health workers☐ Chief / block leader☐ Community members☐ School pupils☒ Private operator☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

40. Do you feel that these organisations help the sanitation situation in your area?

☒ Yes☐ No

How / Why not: BECAUSE THEY SUPERVISE ON HOW BEST WE TAKE  
CARE OF OUR TOILET FACILITY AND PROVIDE AIDS TO THOSE  
DOING GOOD IN SANITATION.

41. What would you like to be done on sanitation in your area [by the NGOs]? TO BE PROVIDED  
WITH THE BEST PIT LATRINE TOILET FACILITY.

## G. Income levels

42. Household size 5 members

43. (For tenancies only) Monthly rent of household (if applicable)

44. Working members in the household 245. Occupation of the main income earner of the household BUSINESS CONTRACTOR

46. What is the average monthly income (MKW) of your household?

☐ < 4,500 MKW☐ 4,500 - 9,000 MKW☐ 9001, - 18000 MKW☐ 1801, 27,000 MKW☐ 27,000 – 36,000 MKW☒ 36,000 – 45,000☐ 45,000 or more MKW

Thank you