

# PROJECT PROFILE



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## Timiza Usafi Project

**Background:** Timiza Usafi project is funded by **Dunea** through Amref in Netherlands. Dunea is a water and sewerage company based in Holland, a member of the **WaterWorX group**, serving over 600,000 households.

The project is a partnership between Amref Health Africa and Homawasco, the Water and Sewerage Company of Homa Bay County aimed at improving access to safe water, improved sanitation and hygiene.

**Project Goal:** To contribute towards increased sustainable access to and use of improved water supply, sustainable sanitation and proper hygiene practices among low income urban dwellers in Homa Bay County.

**Location:** Homa Bay County | **Project Sites:** Homa Bay Town, Mbita Town, Kendu Bay Town, Oyugis Town

**Donor:** Dunea | **Budget:** € 62,010,000 (Ksh 62,898,318)

**Project Duration:** 2018 - 2020

**Implementing Partners:** Amref Health Africa in Kenya, Homawasco, Ministry of Health

### Project objectives

- Creating demand for increased access to sustainable improved water and sanitation facilities among the residents of Homa Bay, Mbita, Oyugis, and Kindu bay urban centers
- To promote sanitation and hygiene in institutions and communities within the 4 project sites
- To mainstream gender within Homawasco in WASH management and service delivery
- To conduct project monitoring, research, learning and documentation.

### Expected results

1. Improved access to safe water
2. Improved sanitation
3. Improved hygiene behavior
4. Gender mainstreaming

### Implementation Approaches

- Community Health Strategy
- Multiple Use of Water Services
- Urban Community Led Total Sanitation
- Sanitation Marketing
- Pro-poor approaches



## Activities

 <p><b>CREATING DEMAND FOR INCREASED ACCESS TO SUSTAINABLE SANITATION</b></p>	Community mobilization, sensitization & education	County and Sub county engagement completed <b>30</b> villages mobilized and sensitized for ODF roadmap
	Development of Sanitation and Hygiene IEC Materials	IEC/BCC materials identified and engagement with Amref Communications Manager initiated
	Conduct Sanitation and Hygiene awareness campaigns	Not yet done
	Conduct training for Natural leaders, CHVs and Sanitation Champions	<b>58</b> CHVs trained and <b>150</b> natural leaders oriented on UCLTS
	Conduct training of PHOs on urban CLTS approach	<b>26</b> PHOs trained on UCLTS
	Carryout institutional sanitation triggering	Planned Q1 2019
	 <p><b>PROMOTION OF SANITATION &amp; HYGIENE IN INSTITUTIONS/ COMMUNITIES</b></p>	Construct pro poor sanitation facilities in urban settlement
Construct low cost sanitary blocks in institutions		Identification of sites is ongoing
Carryout urban CLTS in Homabay, Mbita, Oyugis and Kindu bay		<b>30</b> villages triggered <i>(Follow up is on going)</i>
Train local community artisans on WASH technologies		Identification is ongoing
 <p><b>GENDER MAINSTREAMING</b></p>	Carryout sensitization on gender mainstreaming ( <i>board and senior management</i> )	Planned Q1 2019
	Capacity build of technical staff and partners on gender mainstreaming	Planned Q1 2019
	Develop gender mainstreaming guidelines and tool kits production	Identification of consultant completed
	Awareness creation on gender mainstreaming	Planned Q1 2019
	Carryout monitoring on use of guidelines and tools	Planned Q1 2019
 <p><b>PROJECT MONITORING AND DOCUMENTATION</b></p>	Conduct monitoring, supervision and technical assistance on the project	Continuous process
	Conduct Rapid Assessment	Field work completed, report undergoing review