SUAAHARA II Project

**Status: Ongoing**

**Project Partner:** USAID/HKI

**Project Area:**
- **Eastern Development Region** (5 districts - Taplejung, Panchthar, Sankhuwasava, Solukhumbu, Bhojpur)
- **Central Development Region** (5 districts – Dolakha, Sindhupalchok, Rasuwa, Nuwakot, Dhading)
- **Western Development Region** (7 districts - Rupandehi, Nawalparasi, Gorkha, Lamjung, Syangja, Myagdi, Baglung)
- **Mid-Western Region** (14 districts-Bardiya, Banke, Dang, Kapilbastu, Arghakhachi, Palpa, Gulmi, Pyuthan, Rolpa, Salyan, Rukum, Surkhet, Jajarkot, Dailekh)
- **Far Western Region** (9 districts-Darchula, Bajhang, Bajura, Doti, Dadeldhura, Baitadi, Achham, Kanchanpur, Kailali)

**Project Duration:** May 2016 - April 2021

**Aim:**
Improved nutritional status of women and children in Nepal

**Project Description:**
The SUAAHARA project has been just being initiated and has been planned in 40 districts in all the development regions of Nepal. The project will be implemented under consortium approach in which ENPHO will contribute to achieve outcome on WASH “i.e., Household Adopts Essential WASH Actions”. The project will mainly support to attain ODF in the remaining district and promote total sanitation which has already gained ODF status. The project envisioned to improve nutrition status of the people particularly women and children through improving WASH status.

**Expected Outputs:**
- Improved capacity of 127,555 stakeholders and frontline workers on WASH Promotion
- 89 VDCs are declared open defecation free
- Households have improved knowledge and practice on water treatment and safe storage
- Households have improved knowledge and practice on hygiene behavior
- Increased girls friendly and child friendly facilities at schools
- Increased investment among private sector to provide biogas, bio-sand filters, rainwater harvesting and other WASH services
- Promoted total sanitation to attain healthy home and healthy community status