

Sanitation and Water for All (SWA)

Review of Commitments and Progress for Nepal



Financial and Capacity Development

Commitments: Access climate financing. Implement Capacity Development Master Plan.

Progress: 75%. Second Nationally determined contribution (NDC) emphasizes WASH adaptation plans. Training programs ongoing.

Quality Standards and Sector-Wide Approach

Commitments: Establish national WASH standards. Initiate sector-wide approach.

Progress: 75%. Drinking Water Quality Standard revised. Sector-wide approach model pending.

Regulatory and Governance Framework

Commitments: Endorse WASH Act. Establish sector monitoring framework.

Progress: 75% WASH Act introduced, regulations drafted. Sector monitoring framework in progress.

Joint Commitments

Commitments: Develop costed WASH plans. Drafted Hand Hygiene for All (HH4A) roadmap.

Progress: 25%. Initial draft of the Hand Hygiene for All (HH4A) roadmap approved, and finalization efforts are underway.

Partner's Commitment

Commitments: Mobilize WASH credit facilities. Strengthen partnerships. Advocate for WASH Act.

Progress: Development partners initiated credit facilities. Ongoing capacity development and advocacy.

Nepal has made notable progress in the WASH sector through various commitments and strategic plans. The combined efforts of government, civil society, and international partners are essential to realize the full potential of these initiatives, ensuring that no one is left behind.