

# Shahpura, India



## Water & Sanitation Project

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INDIA  
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**FINAL  
REPORT**



We are proud to present a final project report on the water and sanitation project in Shahpura, India for Baltimore Aircoil Company. Thanks to your generous support, we have been able to provide safe and reliable water to 230 people.

Before, the village only had three hand pumps, all of which were defunct. This clearly was not sufficient to meet the needs of the village. Women in particular spent long periods of time collecting water; anywhere between three to five hours a day could be spent collecting water. Girls were often taken out of school in order to take on the task of collecting water. Due to the over-demand, many in the village relied on open-dug wells to collect water, which lead to considerable health problems since this water is not safe.




However, thanks to your generous support, we got to work to strengthen the hygiene and sanitation of the community. With the aim of improving the health and wellbeing of the village, we drilled a well, constructed a 40,000 litre water tank and built a pipeline to provide the 230 people in the village with a supply of safe, clean water.

We've also provided two families with access to model twin pit toilet/bathing area units and refurbished 25 toilets which weren't being used.

Finally, we constructed a new latrine block and handwashing platform at Aanganwadi, the local nursery school. The project will also bring wider benefits to the community. As well as the construction of new facilities, the community received hygiene training, maximising the impact of the project and ensuring its sustainability.





## Safe and reliable water supply for school and community

- Providing 230 people with access to safe water from a new 40,000 litre tank and pipeline

## Improved hygiene knowledge and practices

- Hygiene education and awareness training for the whole village

## Access to sanitation facilities

- Construction of latrines for 2 model families
- Rehabilitation of 25 unused toilets
- Construction of a new latrine block and handwashing platform at Aanganwadi (nursery school)



230 People

will benefit from our work  
bringing safe and reliable  
water to the village



# Impact

- An improvement in health and wellbeing across the community, as the incidences of water-related illnesses will decrease with reliable access to safe water
- Children will be able to attend school more regularly and improve their performance, as they will be less ill
- Less money spent on medications, money which can be used elsewhere
- Improved economic opportunities and increased productivity, particularly as precious time is not spent collecting water





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