# SMART CENTER Ghana Updates

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# Outline of Presentation

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# 1. Overview of SMART Center Ghana

	-	Number of people	
o. Programs of the Center	Facilities	benefiting/Services	
1 Rope pump/Tube wells water supply	430		93,978
2 Hand dug wells rehabilitation projects	56		10,520
3 Rain water harvesting systems	146		51,100
4 WASH i-Maintenance centers	4		
5 Household managed irrigation	32		17,100
6 Household latrines	145		1,885
7 Household handwashing	700		9,100
Household water treatment and safe			
8 storage	296		3,848
9 Community Solar Water Supply	7		2,850
Grand total of beneficiaries	1,809		190,381

### *Continued*: Overview of SMART C. Ghana Products

No.	Center Products	2020 Goods & Services Sold	2021 Goods & Services sold
1	Geophysics Survey	5	25
2	Manual Drilling	4	15
3	Rope Pumps	2	25
3	Solar Pumps others	0	2
	Solar pumps ZL 50 20 and others	0	60
	Solar Panels (100 Watts)	0	65
	Solar Panels (60 watts)	0	15
	Solar Panels (310)	0	5
4	HWTS-Tulip Filters	205	45
5	Community SDG 6 Model	125,000 liters	820,000 liters of drinking water sold
6	Trainings	78	45

### Continued: Overview of SMART C. Ghana; HR

- Permanent Staff: 5
- Temporary Staff: 25
- Outsourced Activities: 6

# 2. Current Activities

# Simple is not Easy



- Poor manufacturing: inputs
- Poor response time: community and repair services

### Work in Progress to solve Problem

- i-Maintenance Centers: 4 plus 1 mobile (1,037 repair services since 2014)
- Continuous improvement in quality

### A. New Products: SCG-1000L-S2 household water facility



## B. Manual Drilling and Rope Pumps



### C. Productive Use of Water

#### **Household Food Production**



#### **Women Empowerment**



# 3. Future Plans

No.	Planning Area	Time
1.	WASH-Technical Vocational Entrepreneurial training	May 2022 to June 2022
2.	2022 Water Sanitation and Hygiene Forum	March 2022 or October 2022
3.	Quarterly SCG WASH OutReach	Q1, Q2, Q3 & Q4
4.	Partnerships Building with Public and Private organizations	July 2022 and Nov. 2022

# 4. Successes and Challenges

#### Successes

- Improvement in quality of products and services
- Successful design and marketing an innovative WASH product: cost competitive
- Successful introduction of new products: Solar water Supply

#### Challenges

- COVID 19 impact on Rural Communities
- Inadequate Capitalization
- Inadequate logistics and support
- Training Center with inadequate training equipment

# Moving Forward

- Looking forward to increase sales as COVID 19 eases
- Looking forward to new partnerships
- Planning for additional capital: local sales and revenue generation

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