



Institutional, policy, legislative and regulatory reforms for Integrated Water and Wastewater Management (IWWM)



Jamaica

Analysis of the legal and economic basis for a tariff reform, infrastructure financing and respective policy recommendations.



Dominican Republic

Technical Regulations for the Control of Discharges to Surface Water, Sanitary Sewage and Coastal Waters received public endorsement and are in the publication process.



Barbados

Communications strategy for Integrated Water and Wastewater Management (IWWM).



Panamá

- Consolidated technical draft of the Marine-Coastal Water Quality Standard.
- Presentation of the Local Guidelines on Local Norms and Good Practices in Water, Sanitation and Solid Waste Management for the Isberiyala community.



Trinidad and Tobago

The "Trinidad and Tobago Standard - Wastewater Reuse - Agriculture Applications and other Requirements" was developed and approved in public consultation.



Colombia

Analysis of the legal and economic basis for tariff reform and infrastructure financing and respective policy recommendations.



Suriname

Baseline concerning public policies, regulatory gaps, and planning processes in sanitation.



Sustainable and tailor-made financing options for urban, peri-urban and rural I/WM



Technical-financial mechanism facilitating access to financing for water and sanitation projects.



Recommendations for a municipal water and sanitation strategy.



Plan to address sustainable economic activities, sanitation, and health risks related to water resource management and sanitation management in Nickerie.

Costa Rica

Dominican Republic

Proposal for a tariff structure and an implementation plan.



Honduras

Panamá

Proposal for the development of a local financial governance mechanism for Isberyala/Sugdub.



Suriname



Innovative small-scale, local, rural, peri-urban and community-based solutions for I/WM



Honduras

Recommendations for a municipal water and sanitation strategy.



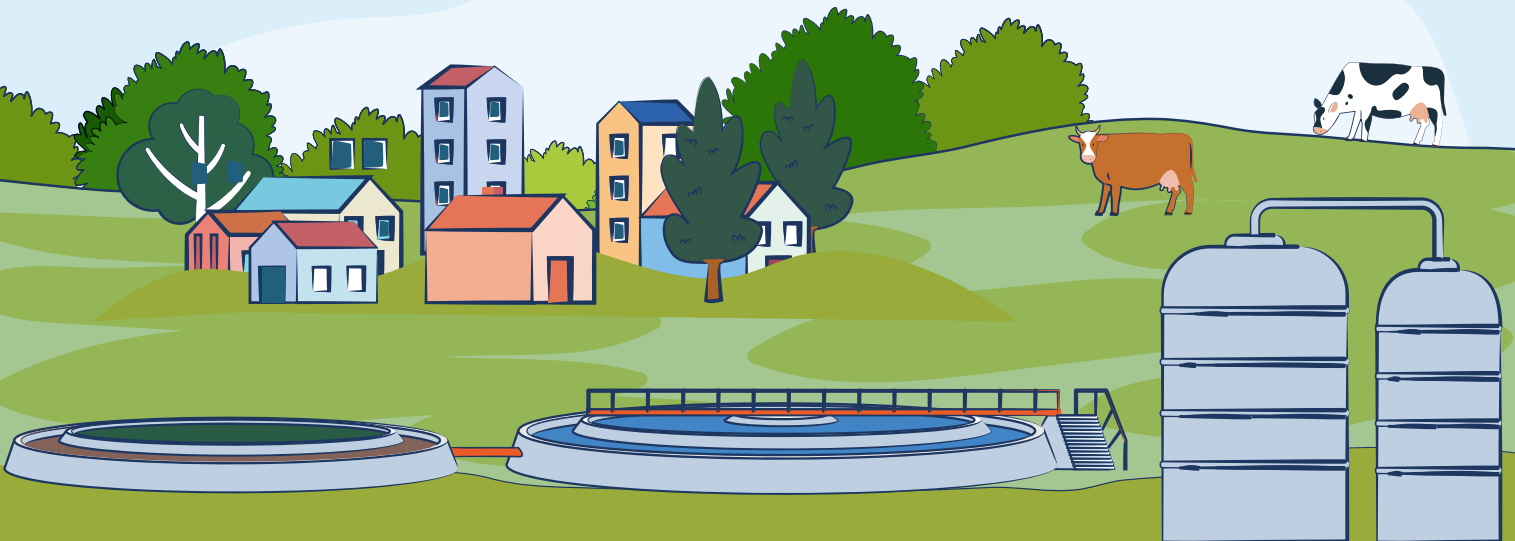
Trinidad & Tobago

Design and implementation of integrated and innovative water and wastewater solutions in Charlotteville.



Jamaica

Integrated Management and Wastewater Reuse Project in St. Catherine.





IWWM Capacity Building



13 participants

joined a peer-to-peer exchange session between the Dominican Republic and Honduras on the fundamentals of water and sanitation project formulation and linkage to funding sources.

34

participants

joined a training on improving financing for water and sanitation projects.

8

project representatives

from the Caribbean joined the capacity building in behavioral change for water and sanitation in partnership with RARE and the Nature Conservancy.

86

wastewater operators

received a capacity building for Improved Performance of Caribbean Utilities in partnership with CAWASA.

A module for strengthening capacities and competencies of the officials of the institutions linked to the water sector at the sanitation took place in Suriname.



Knowledge Sharing

GEF CREW+ Website launched in February.



<https://www.gefcrew.org/>

The third Project Steering Committee Meeting was held in June.



Campaign to raise awareness about the Wider Caribbean Region and its connections to IWWM.



Launch of the GEF CREW+ Champions Campaign.



A series of testimonial videos from focal points were developed and launched.



Advocacy



Panama represented GEF CReW+ at **Our Ocean Conference 2023**.




Trinidad & Tobago represented GEF CReW+ at the **Caribbean Science Symposium on Water 2023**.



Trinidad & Tobago and Guyana represented **GEF CReW+** at **CWWA's conference 2023**.



Information Management

 Ongoing development of National Water Information Management Systems in five countries.



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