



# Central African Republic

### **Summary of country engagement at SWA**

The Central African Republic joined SWA in 2012.

A consultation and coordination platform was created by order of the Prime Minister in 2017. It coordinates all actions of the water, sanitation and hygiene sector. This platform includes mechanisms for mutual accountability among participants and the implementation of a public finance reform in the sector.

#### **Commitments by the government**

Commitment	Body / Organizations	Target Year	Progress Description	Constituency	Progress
Launch the National Water and Sanitation Fund, with a specific budget allocated for sanitation and hygiene, by December 2020.	Ministere du developpement de l'Energie et des Ressources Hydrauliques/Direction Generale des Ressources Hydrauliques	2020		Government	Reviewing

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Revise national WASH policies and strategies to bring them in line with the SDGs, focusing on equity and reducing inequalities, by December 2019.	Ministere du Developpement de l'Energie et des Ressources Hydrauliques/ Direction generale des Ressources Hydrauliques	2019		Government	Reviewing
Provide access to safe drinking water and sanitation for 500,000 additional people, particularly the most vulnerable.	DIRECTION GENERALE DES RESSOURCES HYDRAULIQUES	2021		Government	Reviewing
Reduce the proportion of people practising open defecation, and ensure access to safe drinking water and sanitation for an additional 500,000 people, particularly the most vulnerable, by the end of 2021.	Ministere du Developpement de l'Energie et des Ressources Hydrauliques	2021		Government	Reviewing

## **Commitments by partners**

Commitment	Body / Organizations	Target Year	Progress Description	Constituency	Progress
Support the Government to launch the National Water and Sanitation Fund, with a specific budget allocated for sanitation and hygiene, by December 2020.	UNICEF	2020		External Support Agencies	Reviewing p
Support the government for the revision of the National WASH policy and Strategy in line with the SDG.	UNICEF CENTRAFRIQUE	2019		External Support Agencies	Reviewing p
Support the government in efforts to eliminate open defecation and improve access to safe drinking water and basic sanitation.	UNICEF CENTRAFRIQUE	2021		External Support Agencies	Reviewing p
Provide technical support to the Government for the operationalization of the Water and Sanitation National Fund by 2020	UNICEF CENTRAFRIQUE	2020		External Support Agencies	Reviewing p

#### **Focal Points**

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#### **News**

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Amref Health Africa Achieves SWA Partnership Commitment through first-ever Pan-African Common Position on Climate and Health

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The Central African Republic: Sector progress in instability

#### **Documents**

2022 Country Overview: Central Africa Republic

Central African Republic - Collaborative Behaviour Country Profile 2020

2020 Country Overview: Central African Republic