

**Ensuring WASH services are combined with safe treatment and disposal or use of wastewater** amplifies health gains by reducing the burden of disease and associated loss of productivity and healthcare costs, particularly among vulnerable members of society, thus contributing to the alleviation of poverty.

*UN-Water*

**Adequate and sustained investments in nutrition will lift individuals, communities and countries out of poverty.**

With proper nutrition, a child can grow stronger, become smarter and reach their full potential.

*Scaling Up Nutrition Movement*

**A new Green Cross project, "HADII Yahde" (Energy to Stay!), will strengthen the resilience of fragile communities by introducing sustainable agricultural systems to five communities in the Matam region of Senegal.**

These combine small photovoltaic systems with water and energy saving innovations to improve quality of life, promote inclusive employment and generate income - all while cutting fossil fuels, and the cost of buying them, out of food production.

*Green Cross*

**90% of disaster deaths occur in low and middle-income countries.**

Economic losses take scarce resources away from education and health. Disaster risk reduction is a fundamental part of eradicating poverty.

*United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction*

**The UN Economic Commission for Europe takes on the challenging issue of poverty measurement by preparing a comprehensive guide on this issue.**

The Guide on Poverty Measurement will include concrete recommendations and examples to help countries learn from each other. The Guide is expected to be ready for a broad consultation by the beginning of next year.

*United Nations Economic Commission for Europe*

**The United Nations Research Institute for Social Development 2016 Flagship Report**

shows that breaking the vicious circle that produces poverty, inequality and environmental destruction requires transformative change that directly attacks the root causes of these problems instead of their symptoms.

*United Nations Research Institute for Social Development*

**The FAO-led From Protection to Production (PtoP) project analyzes the productive and economic impacts of cash transfer programmes on economic development, food security and nutrition in sub-Saharan Africa.**

The project is a collaborative effort between the FAO, the UNICEF and the governments of Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya, Lesotho, Malawi, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

*Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations*

**The International Trade Center empowers small firms to become export-ready** and helps generate higher incomes and better livelihoods for women, youth and vulnerable communities in developing countries.

*International Trade Centre*

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*Uniting all for peace, sustainability and dignity: breaking the vicious circle of poverty*



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