# Overview of News, Blogs, Resources and Videos BRAC WASH Programme

# **BRAC** and IRC website

# **BRAC WASH Programme brochure/summary document/event newsletter**

- o Brochure (Updated: November, 2014)
  - Link: http://wash.brac.net/images/pdf/wash%20brochure1.pdf
- One pager with overall programme overview (Updated: April 2014)
   Link: http://wash.brac.net/images/pdf/wash\_june\_2014.pdf
- National Sanitation Month 2014 Newsletter
   Link: http://wash.brac.net/images/pdf/newsletter%20nsm%2014.pdf

# **BRAC WASH resource papers:**

The pages below act as an introduction to what has been achieved and how and summarise aspects of the programme. They are based on a series of extended posters that were developed for the programme's annual review for 2014.

#### BRAC WASH programme overview

- http://www.ircwash.org/sites/default/files/brac\_wash\_overview\_dec\_2014.pdf
- http://linkis.com/www.ircwash.org/news/HdjGK#
- http://wash.brac.net

#### BRAC WASH: Meeting the human right to water

http://www.ircwash.org/sites/default/files/brac wash safe water dec 2014.pdf

## BRAC WASH: Safe sanitation with equity

http://www.ircwash.org/sites/default/files/brac\_wash\_safe\_sanitation\_dec\_2014.pdf

#### BRAC WASH: Achieving behavioural change

http://www.ircwash.org/sites/default/files/brac\_wash\_achieving\_behavioural\_change\_dec\_2014.pdf

#### BRAC WASH: School sanitation and hygiene education

http://www.ircwash.org/sites/default/files/brac school sanitation and hygiene dec 2014.pdf

# Innovation and Learning:

- BRAC WASH: Assessing financial sustainability
  Link: http://www.ircwash.org/sites/default/files/brac wash lcca dec 2014.pdf
- <u>BRAC WASH: Qualitative monitoring (QIS)</u>
  Link: http://www.ircwash.org/sites/default/files/brac wash qis dec 2014 0.pdf
- BRAC WASH: Faecal sludge management

http://www.ircwash.org/sites/default/files/brac\_wash\_faecal\_sludge\_management\_dec\_2 014.pdf

- BRAC WASH: Sanitation supply chain management
  Link:

  http://www.ircwash.org/sites/default/files/brac wash supply chain management dec 2
  014.pdf
- BRAC WASH: Integrated monitoring
  Link:

  <a href="http://www.ircwash.org/sites/default/files/brac\_wash\_integrated\_monitoring\_dec\_2014.p">http://www.ircwash.org/sites/default/files/brac\_wash\_integrated\_monitoring\_dec\_2014.p</a>

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# BRAC and IRC learning together

http://linkis.com/www.ircwash.org/news/HdjGK#

Achievements of WASH Programme Towards Millennium Development Goals and Beyond (BRAC Research and Evaluation Division, Monograph Series 60)

Link: <a href="http://research.brac.net/monographs/Monograph\_60.pdf">http://research.brac.net/monographs/Monograph\_60.pdf</a>

#### **News items:**

# **Changing behaviour and strengthening local institutions**



Published on: 23/12/2014

Behaviour change lies at the heart of the BRAC WASH programme, which reaches half the rural population of Bangladesh, using an equity-based approach and sustained intensive interaction, based on 'selling not telling'. (Link: http://www.ircwash.org/news/changing-behaviour-and-strengthening-local-institutions)

# Reaching millions and monitoring change



Published on: 17/12/2014

The BRAC WASH programme covers half of Bangladesh and measures quality of change outcomes as well as programme outputs. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/reaching-millions-and-monitoring-change)

# **BRAC WASH: transforming Bangladesh**



Published on: 17/12/2014

This is how the BRAC WASH programme (2006-2015) is achieving lasting behaviour change and transforming hygiene, sanitation and water services with half the rural population of Bangladesh, using an equity-based approach and sustained intensive interaction. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/brac-wash-transforming-bangladesh)

# **Decision-support for arsenic and salt mitigation**



Published on: 26/10/2014

The ASTRA decision support tool aims to help mitigate the effects of arsenic and salt contamination of water in Bangladesh. The tool stimulated lively discussion at the 37th WEDC Conference. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/decision-support-arsenic-and-salt-mitigation)

#### **WASH Info open source monitoring system**



Published on: 13/10/2014

A new online open source monitoring system provides quantitative and qualitative data to guide decisions and plans for BRAC WASH. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/wash-info-open-source-monitoring)

#### A tool for water free from arsenic and salt



Published on: 26/06/2014

An action research project is developing a decision-support tool to help deliver arsenic- and salt-free drinking water in Bangladesh. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/wash-info-open-source-monitoring)

# The modeling and monitoring workshops of SWIBANGLA



Published on: 26/06/2014

The Managing Saltwater Intrusion Impacts in Bangladesh (SWIBANGLA) applied research project held two workshops in June 2014: one on groundwater modelling and one on groundwater quality monitoring. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/modelling-and-monitoring-workshops-swibangla)

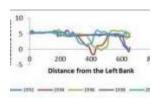
# BRAC WASH releases video on faecal sludge management



Published on: 29/03/2014

In Bangladesh, BRAC is looking at business models for the use of faecal sludge as organic fertiliser. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/brac-wash-releases-video-faecal-sludge-management)

# Understanding the groundwater system of Bangladesh and its salinity related issues



Published on: 21/12/2013

A report on Fahad Khan Khadim's multifaceted visit from Bangladesh to The Netherlands. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/understanding-groundwater-system-bangladesh-and-its-salinity-related-issues)

#### BRAC WASH latrines will power business to turn faecal waste into energy

Published on: 18/11/2013

The BRAC WASH programme in Bangladesh is to conduct detailed planning to convert faecal matter from millions of pit latrines into commercially viable fertiliser, biogas and electricity. Speaking in the lead up to World Toilet Day (19 November), Babar Kabir, Director of the BRAC WASH programme. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/brac-wash-latrines-will-power-business-turn-faecal-waste-energy)

# Participatory performance monitoring of WASH services at scale in BRAC WASH **Programme**



Published on: 04/11/2013

Participatory performance monitoring of WASH services at scale in BRAC WASH Programme (http://www.ircwash.org/news/participatory-performance-monitoring-wash-services-scale-bracwash-programme)

# The fact-finding mission and first fieldwork measurements of SWIBANGLA



Published on: 20/09/2013

The first of three SWIBANGLA missions examines salinity problems in coastal Bangladesh. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/fact-finding-mission-and-first-field-work-measurements-swibangla)

# Asian Development Bank and Gates Foundation set up new sanitation trust fund



Published on: 05/09/2013

The Asian Development Bank (ADB) and the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation have set up a joint trust fund to expand non-sewered sanitation and septage management solutions across Asia. The Gates Foundation will invest US\$ 15 million into the new Sanitation Financing Partnership Trust Fund, which. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/asian-development-bank-andgates-foundation-set-new-sanitation-trust-fund)

# What Is Good Enough? Defining a "Basic Service Level" for WASH in Schools



Published on: 24/07/2013

Programme managers and funders want to know the costs for the provision of WASH in schools

and how to fund the desired outcomes over at least a 10 year period.

(http://www.ircwash.org/news/asian-development-bank-and-gates-foundation-set-new-

sanitation-trust-fund)

# **Introducing the ASTRA project**



Published on: 08/07/2013

The BRAC WASH II research call for low-cost water technologies was won by PRACTICA Foundation, based in The Netherlands. Their project title is ASTRA, Aiding Sustainable Water Technology Realization in Arsenic and Salinity contaminated Areas of Bangladesh. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/introducing-astra-project)

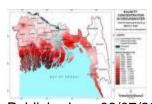
#### Kick-off action research on saltwater intrusion in Bangladesh



Published on: 08/07/2013

SWIBANGLA is the name of the winning project tendered by the IRC International Water and Sanitation Centre for the BRAC WASH II programme. SWIBANGLA stands for managing saltwater intrusion impacts in Bangladesh and was kicked-off formally at the BRAC head office in Dhaka on Sunday 7 July, 2013. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/kick-action-research-saltwater-intrusion-bangladesh)

# **Introducing the SWIBANGLA project**



Published on: 08/07/2013

The Managing Saltwater Intrusion Impacts in Bangladesh (SWIBANGLA) applied research project aims to make the salinization issue an integral part of water safety planning in Bangladesh. This can only be achieved when a sufficient level of awareness, knowledge and skills is reached. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/introducing-swibangla-project)

# Introducing the VeSV project



Published on: 08/07/2013

The 'Value at the end of the Sanitation Value-chain' (VeSV) project aims to develop and adopt business models for a low cost, safe method for the collection and processing of faecal sludge from pit latrines; a method that can be operated by local entrepreneurs and results in the production of a... (http://www.ircwash.org/news/introducing-vesv-project)

#### **Introducing the SANTE project**

Published on: 08/07/2013

The Sanitation Technology for Enterprises (SANTE) applied research project aims to identify safe sustainable solutions for sanitation in high water table areas, rocky areas and flood prone areas in Bangladesh. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/introducing-sante-project)

# **Introducing BRAC WASH research**



Published on: 08/07/2013

Action research in the BRAC WASH II programme focuses on six issues: sanitation in areas with high groundwater tables, secondary sludge treatment, low-cost water supply technologies, saline intrusion, monitoring and pit latrine sludge processing. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/introduction-brac-wash-research)

# Highlights of BRAC's WASH Programme in 2012 Annual Report



Published on: 25/06/2013

BRAC's 2012 Annual Report includes highlights from the "largest NGO-led [WASH] project of its kind in the world". These include increased coverage, the introduction of innovative monitoring tools, action research on low-cost sanitation and the use of faecal waste as organic fertiliser. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/highlights-bracs-wash-programme-2012-annual-report)

# Applying a life-cycle costs approach to BagherparaUpazila



Published on: 15/05/2013

This case study applies a life-cycle costs approach (LCCA) to the sanitation and hygiene activities undertaken in BagherparaUpazila, Jessore District, Bangladesh from 2006-2011, the duration of BRAC WASH-I programme. This was done to evaluate the sustainability of the sanitation and hygiene...( http://www.ircwash.org/news/applying-life-cycle-costs-approach-bagherpara-upazila-0)

# BRAC WASH offers to help half a million Indian imams promote hygiene

Published on: 25/03/2013

On WaterCouch.tv, Rabbi AwrahamSoetendorp shares a practical example of international cooperation between BRAC in Bangladesh and the All India Organization of Imams of Mosques, which emerged during the 2013 World Water Day celebrations in The Hague, The Netherlands. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/brac-wash-offers-help-half-million-indian-imams-promote-hygiene-0)

#### Join the live twitter chat with IRC & BRAC

Published on: 27/02/2013

Have a question on how BRAC WASH became the world's largest programme of it's kind? Ask the experts during a one hour live twitter chat on 28 February 2013 on 21:00 (GMT+6). Chat with Babar Kabir, Senior Director of BRAC WASH, as well as sanitation expert, Joep Verhagen of IRC. Please use the... (http://www.ircwash.org/news/join-live-twitter-chat-irc-brac)

#### Village WASH committee function leads to getting elected in local elections

Published on: 27/02/2013

The Village Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH) Committee (VWC) is one of the cornerstones of the BRAC WASH programme at community level. 46,000 committees consisting of both men and women have been formed and are supported by the programme. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/village-wash-committee-function-leads-getting-elected-local-elections)

# **Turning faecal waste into into energy**

Published on: 06/02/2013

Innovative research on the potential of turning the faecal waste from millions of pit latrines in Bangladesh into fertiliser, biogas and electricity. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/turning-faecal-waste-energy)

# BRAC photo story about a single mother receiving subsidy for constructing a latrine

Published on: 16/10/2012

This is a photo story about Bilkis Begum a single mother of five who has installed a toilet in her house. She was able to do this with the help of the BRAC WASH programme which gives out subsidies to the hardcore poor for installing a twin pit latrine. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/brac-photo-story-about-single-mother-receiving-subsidy-constructing-latrine)

#### IRC research calls on BRAC WASH II II - extended to 31 Aug 2012

Published on: 19/07/2012

IRC is happy to announce two research calls in the field of sanitation: Low-cost sanitation technologies for areas with high groundwater tables Faecal sludge secondary treatment options. These calls are part of the BRAC WASH II programme in which EUR 1.5 million will be used for innovative research... (http://www.ircwash.org/news/irc-research-calls-brac-wash-ii-ii-extended-31-aug-2012)

#### **About BRAC WASH II**

Published on: 30/05/2012

BRAC WASH II is the second phase of the WASH programme. It aims for a sustained change in personal/family hygiene, sanitation and water safety. The programme focuses on sustainably improved household and school sanitation and hygiene practices, and safe drinking water use. The BRAC WASH II... (http://www.ircwash.org/news/about-brac-wash-ii)

# Monitoring at scale in BRAC WASH



Published on: 28/03/2012

Management Information Systems (MIS), SenseMaker and the Quality Information System (QIS) keep track of progress across nearly half of Bangladesh. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/monitoring-scale-brac-wash)

#### **BRAC WASH Programme**

Published on: 28/03/2012

Since 2006 IRC supports a large-scale holistic programme that enables the poor in 250 subdistricts of Bangladesh to seize control of their lives (http://www.ircwash.org/news/ircs-roleknowledge-and-innovation-partner-brac-wash)

#### Interview with Dr. Babar Kabir from BRAC

Published on: 07/02/2012

Dr. Babar Kabir explains that thanks to BRAC's WASH 1 Programme 25 million people have access to improved hygienic latrines. In this programme, which ran for 4,5 years and finished in

April 2011, the focus was on hygiene. However, more time is needed to change behaviours, so in the WASH 2 Programme...( http://www.ircwash.org/news/interview-dr-babar-kabir-brac)

# The BRAC WASH programme: describing the core operational approaches, monitoring, evaluation and some results

Published on: 16/01/2012

This paper describes the major operational approaches of the BRAC WASH programme including monitoring, evaluation and some results. To carry out this study on water safety practices, use of sanitation facilities and self-reported water-related disease prevalence, a comparison was made between...( http://www.ircwash.org/news/brac-wash-programme-describing-core-operational-approaches-monitoring-evaluation-and-some)

# Improving menstrual hygiene facilities in secondary schools Initiatives from BRAC-WASH Program - Bangladesh

Published on: 12/12/2011

This presentation describes the WASH in Schools activities of the BRAC-WASH program in Bangladesh. Along with financial support from school authorities, BRAC WASH is constructing separate sanitary latrines for girls with menstrual hygiene facilities in secondary schools. It also addresses the...(http://www.ircwash.org/news/improving-menstrual-hygiene-facilities-secondary-schools-initiatives-brac-wash-program)

# Message dissemination to women through cluster meetings of BRAC WASH Programme

Published on: 20/10/2011

A large-scale survey carried out by BRAC's Research Evaluation Division (RED) amongst 30,000 households found that knowledge of hygiene is very strong among more than 90% of the people, but actual hygiene practices develop far more slowly. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/message-dissemination-women-through-cluster-meetings-brac-

wash-programme)

# The role of Rural Sanitation Centres in BRAC's WASH programme

Published on: 04/10/2011

BRAC has been implementing the Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH) programme in 150 sub-districts of Bangladesh with a focus of achieving MDG 7; target 10 with support from the Government of the Netherlands since 2006. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/role-rural-sanitation-centres-brac%E2%80%99s-wash-programme)

#### Bangladesh: BRAC video shows importance of school sanitation for girls

Published on: 08/09/2011

This new 9 minute video shows how BRAC is addressing high absenteeism rates among female students through a water, sanitation and hygiene programme in nearly 3,000 schools across rural Bangladesh. The programme includes menstrual hygiene facilties. [Female students] have expressed that something so...( http://www.ircwash.org/news/bangladesh-brac-video-shows-importance-school-sanitation-girls)

# Community-based strategies for hygiene education



Published on: 16/01/2010

The BRAC WASH (water, sanitation and hygiene) programme aims to reach 37 million people with hygiene education and promotion. A paper describes three community-based aspects of hygiene education: through Imams, schools and folk media. (http://www.ircwash.org/news/role-imams-and-different-institution-hygiene-promotion-brac-wash-programme)

#### **Videos**

 BRAC WASH Programme overall activity, Impact, Innovation and Sustainability 2007-2012

(Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i-zc9q6wrYk)

Water and sanitation technologies

(Link: http://youtu.be/bAoPO3XBF8g)

Increasing access to safe water supply

(**Link:** <a href="http://youtu.be/sfqRWLkYXDE?list=PL5sHBH5T4J5sjm4rY6Ay45-WEE1zjOG">http://youtu.be/sfqRWLkYXDE?list=PL5sHBH5T4J5sjm4rY6Ay45-WEE1zjOG</a> I)

Faecal sludge management video

(Link: <a href="http://youtu.be/IKCwtCIIHhY">http://youtu.be/IKCwtCIIHhY</a>)

Qualitative Information System on BRAC WASH

(Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9ilPgXKoCd8)

WASH Cost study at BRAC WASH

(Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LIALQbPz3io)

Hand washing

(Link: http://www.ircwash.org/news/save-lives-clean-your-hands)

National sanitation month celebration

(Link: http://youtu.be/-D71rVErMR0)

Improving Education: Through Water & Sanitation, Bangladesh (BRAC) —
 (Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pjDpL5vZ8oo)

WASH Stories from BRAC – (

(Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n3pSQ f68dU)

#### Blogs:

- Overall WASH: The Bangladesh Paradox: exceptional health and sanitation advances despite poverty – Link: <a href="http://blog.brac.net/2014/08/the-bangladesh-paradox-exceptional-health-and-sanitation-advances-despite-poverty/#sthash.3Z1ririh.dpuf">http://blog.brac.net/2014/08/the-bangladesh-paradox-exceptional-health-and-sanitation-advances-despite-poverty/#sthash.3Z1ririh.dpuf</a>
- School WASH: Yes, hygiene and school enrolment are directly proportional
  - o Link: <a href="http://blog.brac.net/2015/01/yes-hygiene-and-school-enrolment-are-directly-proportional/#sthash.3WcHcPnv.dpuf">http://blog.brac.net/2015/01/yes-hygiene-and-school-enrolment-are-directly-proportional/#sthash.3WcHcPnv.dpuf</a>
- Hygiene Promotion:

- The tea-time message for men is hot and strong but first wash your hands! Link: <a href="http://blog.brac.net/2014/05/the-tea-time-message-for-men-is-hot-and-strong-but-first-wash-your-hands/#sthash.RQjybq7C.dpuf">http://blog.brac.net/2014/05/the-tea-time-message-for-men-is-hot-and-strong-but-first-wash-your-hands/#sthash.RQjybq7C.dpuf</a>
- "Talk dirty: 12 things you probably don't know about hygiene" Link:
   <a href="http://blog.brac.net/2014/07/talk-dirty-12-things-you-probably-dont-know-about-hygiene/#sthash.59gCDNxs.dpuf">http://blog.brac.net/2014/07/talk-dirty-12-things-you-probably-dont-know-about-hygiene/#sthash.59gCDNxs.dpuf</a>
- Going beyond the hygiene taboos: It's really simple! Link: http://blog.brac.net/2013/03/going-beyond-the-hygiene-taboos-its-really-simple/

# Monitoring:

- "Information management systems help BRAC WASH Programme Link: <a href="http://blog.brac.net/2013/04/information-management-systems-help-brac-wash-programme/#sthash.Us2lc5cN.dpuf">http://blog.brac.net/2013/04/information-management-systems-help-brac-wash-programme/#sthash.Us2lc5cN.dpuf</a>
- "Making sense of sanitation monitoring in Bangladesh"
   Link: <a href="http://www.ircwash.org/blog/making-sense-sanitation-monitoring-bangladesh">http://www.ircwash.org/blog/making-sense-sanitation-monitoring-bangladesh</a>
- Monitoring behavioural change using QIS: Reflections by Dr Christine Sijbesma and Mahjabeen Ahmed on the QIS monitoring system. – Link: <a href="http://www.ircwash.org/blog/bangladeshi-women-catch-sanitation">http://www.ircwash.org/blog/bangladeshi-women-catch-sanitation</a>
- "Getting timely information in the format you want" Link:
   <a href="http://www.ircwash.org/blog/getting-timely-information-format-you-want">http://www.ircwash.org/blog/getting-timely-information-format-you-want</a>

#### Sanitation:

- Open defecation is becoming a thing of the past... isn't it?:Faecal sludge from millions of pit latrines around the world is being dumped indiscriminately. What can be done to stop this new sanitation challenge? http://www.ircwash.org/blog/dealing-postponed-open-defecation
- UP chairman: 'Sanitation is our work, not BRAC's: A sub-district chairman and a schoolteacher/imam in Chittagong, Bangladesh talk to Dick de Jong about their roles in WASH delivery. <a href="http://www.ircwash.org/blog/chairman-">http://www.ircwash.org/blog/chairman-</a> %E2%80%98sanitation-our-work-not-brac%E2%80%99s%E2%80%99
- Meet the foot soldiers of the BRAC WASH programme: BRAC's WASH activities reach more than 30 million people, and the Village WASH Committee (VWC) plays a crucial role. - <a href="http://www.ircwash.org/blog/foot-soldiers-brac-wash-programme">http://www.ircwash.org/blog/foot-soldiers-brac-wash-programme</a>
- There's brown gold in those pit latrines, but how to convince people of its worth?: A sanitation project's work is not finished with the installation of a pit latrine. What happens a year or two later, when the latrine is full? <a href="http://www.ircwash.org/blog/%E2%80%9Cbrown-gold%E2%80%9D-pit-latrines">http://www.ircwash.org/blog/%E2%80%9Cbrown-gold%E2%80%9D-pit-latrines</a>
- Village WASH committees reward at both social and personal levels: The BRAC WASH programme has helped establish 80,000 Village WASH Committees, whose members are so engaged they're even going into politics. <a href="http://www.ircwash.org/blog/village-wash-committee-reward">http://www.ircwash.org/blog/village-wash-committee-reward</a>

 Faecal Sludge Management in China: a strong public sector enables innovative business: Participants from IRC, the BRAC WASH programme and Biosol Energy BVAs have been on a study trip to China as part of ongoing action research on the... - <a href="http://www.ircwash.org/blog/fsm-china-strong-public-sector-enables-innovative-businesses">http://www.ircwash.org/blog/fsm-china-strong-public-sector-enables-innovative-businesses</a>

# Supply Chain and Rural Sanitation Centres:

- 'Boroitoli: A strange picture of sanitation' Link:

  http://blog.brac.net/2013/09/boroitoli-a-strange-picture-of-sanitation/
- 'Change from the very, very bottom-up' Link:
   <a href="http://blog.brac.net/2013/05/change-from-the-very-very-bottom-up/">http://blog.brac.net/2013/05/change-from-the-very-very-bottom-up/</a>
- "Competition? I am the best": Mrs RashedaSahab, a 38-year old widow, has become a successful sanitation entrepreneur, thanks to BRAC's microcredit programme.

Link: <a href="http://www.ircwash.org/blog/%E2%80%9Ccompetition-i-am-best%E2%80%9D">http://www.ircwash.org/blog/%E2%80%9Ccompetition-i-am-best%E2%80%9D</a>

#### Water and Gender:

- 'Village WASH committees empowering rural women' Link:
   <a href="http://blog.brac.net/2013/08/village-wash-committees-empowering-rural-women/">http://blog.brac.net/2013/08/village-wash-committees-empowering-rural-women/</a>
- 'Overcoming gender inequality through water, sanitation and hygiene'- Link: http://blog.brac.net/?s=Water#sthash.GhogWbpP.dpuf
- 'Meet Akhi: A girl who takes water seriously' Link:
   <a href="http://blog.brac.net/2012/03/meet-akhi-a-qirl-who-takes-water-seriously/">http://blog.brac.net/2012/03/meet-akhi-a-qirl-who-takes-water-seriously/</a>

#### Nutrition and WASH:

"The role of WASH in scaling up nutrition in Bangladesh' – Link:
 <a href="http://blog.brac.net/2013/10/the-role-of-wash-in-scaling-up-nutrition-in-the-context-of-bangladesh/">http://blog.brac.net/2013/10/the-role-of-wash-in-scaling-up-nutrition-in-the-context-of-bangladesh/</a>

# Hard to reach areas:

'Islands of Hope Amid Flash Floods'

http://www.huffingtonpost.com/brac/islands-of-hope-amid-flas b 4080013.html

'The threat from salt water in Bangladesh – we may have been here before: 8,000 years ago:: We can see that what was happening six or seven thousand years ago is still affecting what is happening in the subsurface from a salinity point of...-

Link: <a href="http://www.ircwash.org/blog/threat-salt-water-bangladesh-%E2%80%93-we-may-have-been-here-8000-years-ago">http://www.ircwash.org/blog/threat-salt-water-bangladesh-%E2%80%93-we-may-have-been-here-8000-years-ago</a>

# • About Feacal Sludge management

- Waste is a resource in the wrong place' Link: <a href="http://blog.brac.net/2013/02/waste-is-a-resource-in-the-wrong-place/">http://blog.brac.net/2013/02/waste-is-a-resource-in-the-wrong-place/</a>
- 'The business of turning faecal waste into energy' Link: http://blog.brac.net/2013/12/the-business-of-turning-faecal-waste-into-energy/

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