

# FEEDBACK REPORT

## 2019-2018 Thirst Relief Wells

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## Introduction

Clean water is a basic necessity yet over one billion people worldwide have no access to safe drinking water and almost half of the world's population lack adequate sanitation.

Without safe, clean water, communities cannot thrive; instead they suffer from a variety of diseases caused by contaminated water. Being too sick to work or go to school ensures that the people of these communities are trapped in a cycle of poverty.

We believe that clean water is a right not a luxury. Our Thirst Relief campaign builds life-saving, sustainable wells in impoverished communities across the world.

#### IMPACT

Through our Thirst Relief programs, we're providing safe water to enable locals to drink, wash, clean and irrigate their crops as well as hydrate their animals. Our Thirst Relief programs lead to healthier lives, better educated communities and a route out of poverty.

#### MESSAGE FROM LOCAL RESIDENTS

- "This hand pump will make our life better. Thank you."
- "Today I am happy that our donor has provided us this hand pump to our family. Thank you for this precious gift."
- "Thank you donor for providing us with clean water."
- "Today, I am happy that someone like you donor has provided us one hand pump to our family. We are drinking water and I am thinking of my children education in future. Thank you!"





# 131 Wells have been completed





# Of these, Penny Appeal USA general donations helped with:

2 deeps wells in Somalia1 deep well in Niger

10 deep wells in Pakistan 1 deep well in Gambia

## **Case Study**

### 10 Wells in Pakistan

COUNTRY	AREAS	VILLAGE
Pakistan	Tehsil Shorkot & Jhatpat	Village Chah Faqeeran Wala

#### WATER SITUATION PRIOR TO WELL INSTALLATION

Water access in Pakistan is a big problem, especially in more rural areas. The majority of the families in these areas have no access to clean water at all. The few safe water sources that have been installed are shared by the entire village, this means that people have to wait to collect water, the wells are susceptible to contamination and are not always available for use. With no alternative, every day, women and children have to walk for miles to find water or they and their families drink whatever water is available, despite the health risks. The journey can take hours meaning that the women are away from home most of the day and the children miss out on going to school.

TYPE OF WELLS	DEPTH OF WELLS	
Hand pumps	52 – 71 ft	









