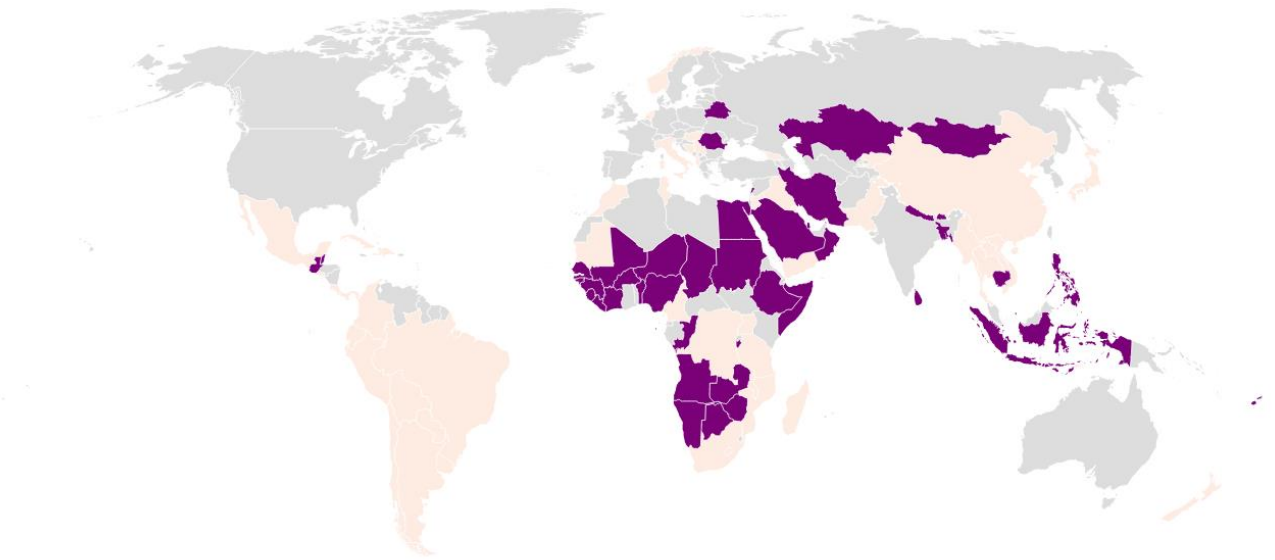


Almost two thirds of countries include MHH in at least one of their WASH policies/plans.

Countries with a school policy or plan that addresses ‘safe menstrual hygiene management’

MHH In School Policies

School Policy Addresses MHH School Policy Does Not Address MHH



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- **63% (62/99) of countries reported MHH to be in their WASH policies and plans.** Almost all are in Africa and Asia.
- Menstrual health and hygiene is most often included in policies and plans for **WASH in schools** and **WASH in health care facilities**.
- **72% (51/71) of countries reported MHH to be included in joint sector reviews.**
- **Only 25% (24/97) of countries** reported having targets for MHH.

Type of Policy/Plan	% of Countries
Any WASH policy or plan	63
Urban Sanitation	32
Rural sanitation	31
Urban drinking-water	21
Rural drinking-water	19
WASH in schools	43
WASH in health care facilities	43

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