UCCE Caregiver Interactive Digital Survey - Ethiopia pilot

Introduce yourself and the project

Introduce yourself to the caregiver and show identification.

Introduce the project

“We are planning to make changes to the latrines soon and have limited resources to do so. To ensure we make the best of these resources we would like to hear your and your children’s opinion on options so we build the best possible.

When children feel uncomfortable using latrines and they do not use them this can cause some serious health risks. We recognise that this might be due to the latrines not being child-friendly. Our intention is to understand a bit better what would make a good latrine for your children so we can build better ones.

Whilst we will do our best to build the best latrines possible, we have limited resources in this emergency situation and we cannot promise that everything that is desirable will be included in new latrines.”

Please confirm that you consent to taking part in this survey.

☐ Consent received

Receive verbal consent

Get their verbal consent for them to take part and for their children to be asked to take part in the survey.

“As users of the sanitation facilities in the village, I am inviting you and your children to take part in this survey. We value your opinion. There are no wrong answers to the questions we will ask in the survey. We will use approximately 30 minutes of your and your children’s time to collect all the information. We will be asking questions about your experiences with sanitation facilities.

Your participation in this survey is completely voluntary. You are free to withdraw your consent and stop answering this survey at any time. If you decide that you do not want to answer the survey, there will be no negative effect. Once the survey has been completed,
your answers cannot be withdrawn but the information given by you will be anonymised. Your name will not be shared publicly or linked to your answers. We will use what you tell us to help us adapt and manage this project, and a research paper using the survey results may be published. There will be no reward for completing the survey but we hope to use what you tell us to improve the sanitation facilities.

If you have any questions, you can contact Save the Children by [contact details information].”

Please confirm that you consent to your children being asked to take part in this survey.

☐ Consent received

Demographic questions

1. How old are you?

2. From observation: add respondents gender

☐ Female

☐ Male

3. How many people live in your household?

4. How many children aged 5 to 12 years live in your household?

Questions about current use of sanitation facilities

5. Where do your children currently DEFECATE most often during the DAY?

☐ At home in bed

☐ At home in a bucket

☐ Outside of home, around the camp

☐ Camp latrines

☐ Child-friendly spaces latrines

☐ Other __________________________
6. Where do your children currently URINATE most often during the DAY?

- At home in bed
- At home in a bucket
- Outside of home, around the camp
- Camp latrines
- Educational facility latrines
- Child-friendly spaces latrines
- Other __________________________

7. Where do your children currently DEFECATE most often during the NIGHT?

- At home in bed
- At home in a bucket
- Outside of home, around the camp
- Camp latrines
- Educational facility latrines
- Other __________________________

8. Where do your children currently URINATE most often during the NIGHT?

- At home in bed
- At home in a bucket
- Outside of home, around the camp
- Camp latrines
- Educational facility latrines
- Other __________________________

9. How appropriate is the location of the sanitation facilities for your child?

- Very appropriate
- Somewhat appropriate
- Neither appropriate nor inappropriate
- Somewhat inappropriate
- Very inappropriate
10. How appropriate are the current latrines for your child to use?

- [ ] Very appropriate
- [ ] Somewhat appropriate
- [ ] Neither appropriate nor inappropriate
- [ ] Somewhat inappropriate
- [ ] Very inappropriate

11. How safe are the current latrines for your children to use during the DAY?

- [ ] Extremely safe
- [ ] Very safe
- [ ] Moderately safe
- [ ] Slightly safe
- [ ] Not safe at all

12. How safe are the current latrines for your children to use during the NIGHT?

- [ ] Extremely safe
- [ ] Very safe
- [ ] Moderately safe
- [ ] Slightly safe
- [ ] Not safe at all

13. How frequently do your children use the current camp latrines?

- [ ] Always
- [ ] Often
- [ ] Occasionally
- [ ] Rarely
- [ ] Never
14. How appropriate are the current handwashing facilities for your children?

- [ ] Very appropriate
- [ ] Somewhat appropriate
- [ ] Neither appropriate nor inappropriate
- [ ] Somewhat inappropriate
- [ ] Very inappropriate

15. How safe are the current handwashing facilities for your children to use during the DAY?

- [ ] Extremely safe
- [ ] Very safe
- [ ] Moderately safe
- [ ] Slightly safe
- [ ] Not safe at all

16. How safe are the current handwashing facilities for your children to use during the NIGHT?

- [ ] Extremely safe
- [ ] Very safe
- [ ] Moderately safe
- [ ] Slightly safe
- [ ] Not safe at all
Questions about current sanitation facilities

Outside of the latrine

17. This is an image of the outside of a latrine. Please point out any problems your children might have when using it.

Options:
- Area around the latrine
- Entrance area
- Door handle
- Door lock
- Latrine door
- Roof

[Respondent points out up to three things by tapping on the screen]

If the area around the latrine was pointed at:

18. Why is this a problem to your children?

☐ It is dirty
☐ It is not easy to walk on
☐ It is too dark
☐ There are animals
☐ Other __________________________

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If the door lock was pointed at:

19. Why is this a problem to your children?

☐ It is too high for my children
☐ My children do not like to be locked in
☐ It is broken
☐ My children do not feel safe
☐ It is difficult to unlock for my children
☐ Other __________________________

If the door handle was pointed at:

20. You pointed at the door handle. Why is this a problem to your children?

☐ It is too high
☐ It is broken
☐ It is too hot to touch
☐ Other __________________________

If the latrine door was pointed at:

21. Why is this a problem to your children?

☐ It is difficult to open for my children
☐ It is difficult to close for my children
☐ People can see my children inside
☐ Other __________________________
If the latrine roof was pointed at:

22. Why is this a problem to your children?

☐ It is broken
☐ People can look inside
☐ Other __________________________

Inside of the latrine

23. This is an image of the inside of a latrine. Please point out any problems your children might have when using it.

Options:
- Hole
- Footrest
- Walls
- Door
- Floor

[Respondent points out up to three things by tapping on the screen]

If the hole was pointed at:

24. Why is this a problem to your children?

☐ It is too big for my children
☐ It is too smelly
☐ There are too many flies
☐ It is full
☐ Other __________________________
If the footrest was pointed at:

25. Why is this a problem to your children?

☐ It is too wide for my children
☐ It is too high for my children
☐ It is not comfortable
☐ It is slippery
☐ It is dirty
☐ Other _______________________

If the walls was pointed at:

26. Why is this a problem to you?

☐ It is too dark
☐ People can see my children inside
☐ My children do not feel safe
☐ Other _______________________

If the door was pointed at:

27. Why is this a problem to your children?

☐ It is difficult to open for my children
☐ It is difficult to close for my children
☐ The lock is broken
☐ I can’t see my children
☐ People can see my children inside
☐ Other _______________________
If the floor was pointed at:

28. Why is this a problem to your children?

☐ It is dirty
☐ It is broken
☐ My children do not feel safe
☐ The space inside is too small
☐ It is too dark
☐ Other __________________________

Handwashing station

29. This is an image of the handwashing station. Please point out any problems your children might have when using it.

Options:
- Bucket
- Tap
- Soap
- Area around the handwashing station

If the tap was pointed at:

30. Why is this a problem to your children?

☐ The tap is not working
☐ The tap is difficult to open for my children
☐ There is no water
☐ It is broken
☐ It is too high for my children
☐ Other __________________________
If the soap was pointed at:

31. Why is this a problem to your children?

- My children can't reach the soap
- There is no soap available
- It is dirty
- Other __________________________

If the bucket was pointed at:

32. Why is this a problem to your children?

- It is broken
- It is often full
- It is missing
- Other __________________________

If the handwashing station was pointed at:

33. Why is this a problem to your children?

- It is muddy
- It is dirty
- My children do not feel safe
- Other __________________________
Household items

34. These are images of three household items: A nappy, a bedpan, and a mattress protector. Please point out any items that would be useful for you and your children.

Options:
- Bedpan
- Mattress protector
- Nappy

[Respondent points out up to three things by tapping on the screen]

End of survey

35. How confident are you that Save the Children will act on your feedback?

☐ Extremely confident
☐ Very confident
☐ Moderately confident
☐ Slightly confident
☐ Not confident at all

Thank the caregiver for taking part in the survey.