**Objective:** Strengthen capacities in leadership, management and community organization in the representatives of rural sanitation management boards strengthening relations with local to support territorial development.

**Location:** La Unión Leticia, Tarma, Junín, Perú  
Coord. UTM 8'742,357.43 N  41,4854.28 E

**Results:**
- 01 populated centers have a JASS constituted and formalized with a municipal recognition resolution
- Training of 9 JASS of the district in administrative management, community organization, operation and maintenance of SAP (disinfection of catchment and reservoir sources, chlorination by drip)
- Water quality analysis of water sources and diagnosis of current situation of the sanitary infrastructure
- 03 JASS developed actions to improve their sanitary infrastructure (fences in reservoirs and water sources of catchment, painting of reservoirs, cleaning desinfección), requested authorizations to ALA Tarma for drinking water license (Casampa, Condorcocha and Uchuracra)
- 03 reports of chlorinated water quality according to established national standards
- Implementation of drip chlorinator in the 09 population centers

**Leading actors:** Asociación UNACEM  

**Community:** 09 JASS: La Unión, Condorcocha Pomacocha, Cari, Llimapuquio, Mayor, Cuyruhuasi, Casampa y Uchuracra.

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**Description:**  
The main support of UNACEM Association is the strengthening of local authorities and medical personnel of the health center it strengthens the relation between public institutions and community.

- Communication and sensitization of social organizations, institutions and authorities to present UNACEM proposal through informative and coordination meetings.
- Strengthening of community organizations for JASS directives (by meetings and assemblies) and for local authorities and health personal (by meeting and workshops)
- Strengthening the social network between social organizations and government entities by planning joint actions.
Context:
The UNACEM Corporate Social Responsibility area identified the Rural Sanitation Management Boards (JASS) as a community actor to be strengthened in 2017, to improve the quality of water and sanitation services.

Investment/period:
- 7,692.30 USD/12 months

Sustainability strategy:
The project has proven to be sustainable and can be replicated. The key actions to achieve sustainability are:
- Support local government by donating cement. The Municipality should present technical file
- Continue with strengthening actions for the formation of a District Network of JASS, incorporating in the next stage technical management in operation and maintenance of the SAP for which it requires experienced staff (Sanitary Engineer and technical operators)
- Formulate an agreement among the municipality, EESS and Association UNACEM or an specific agreement between the Association UNACEM and the Municipality.
- Incorporate impact measurement of child malnutrition reduction.

References/links:
- www.elaguanosune.org