

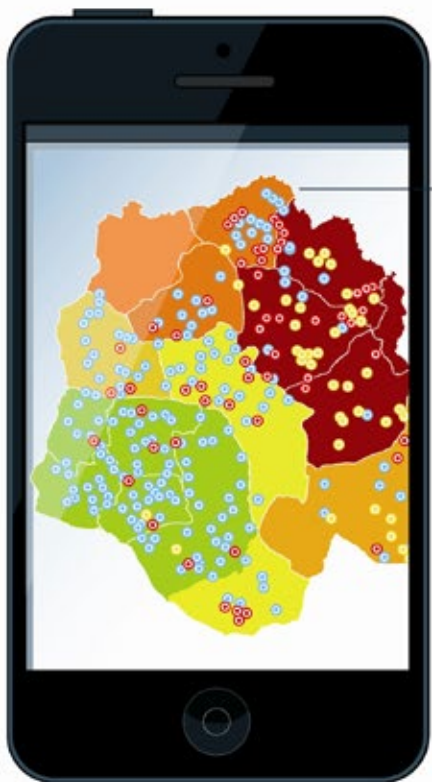
Waterpoint mapping

Accurate information on the location and condition of waterpoints is vital to ensure people have lasting access to safe water. This data makes it easier to plan new facilities and hold to account those responsible for delivering services.

WaterAid has pioneered innovative waterpoint mapping technology using simple handheld GPS devices or smartphones and online maps. This makes it easy for our partners to record data on waterpoints and share it with others.

The location of waterpoints is logged and pinpointed on an online map.

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Information can easily be logged on a GPS device or smartphone.

If waterpoints need maintenance this information can be recorded and shared.

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“The maps we generate help planners, decision-makers and district development partners know exactly where to install new waterpoints or rehabilitate existing ones. They also help with the day-to-day monitoring of waterpoints and improve sustainability.”

Samuel Ruzindana, Bugesera District Water, Sanitation and Hygiene Coordinator, Rwanda