

## School based hand washing campaign

Hand washing campaign was conducted from October 30 to November 3, 2017 at 11 ECD centers in the target woredas namely Arbegnoch, Atse Fasil, Ethiopia Tikidem, Melkam Ermejachen, Hibret, John F. Kennedy, Africa Andenet 1&2, KG 03, Ras Abebe Aregay, and Key Kokeb. During the school hand washing campaign children practices the standard hand washing steps and banners were posted for all school community to enhance sanitation and personal hygiene. In addition, Woreda health extension workers demonstrate each step practically for students and made a speech for the students and the school community. A total of 9 health extension workers participated on the event and an estimated number around 2000 students participated in the school hand washing campaign. This event increased the awareness of the students and school community on the importance of proper hand washing to protect them from disease caused by poor hygiene.



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