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Confluence is a French non-governmental organization active in the sector of rural development in Laos. Since April 2013 Confluence is supporting rural communities in Luang Prabang to develop sustainable access to clean water and improved sanitation facilities and to help them adopting safer hygiene practices.

Developing access to clean water supply -

Construction of new water supply systems and rehabilitation of damaged ones; Assistance to the communities in the establishment of village water committees to operate and maintain the water systems; Introduction of water treatment solutions like water filters or domestic chlorine water treatments for households, schools and health centers as alternatives to fire boiling water.

Sanitation and hygiene - Construction of child-friendly toilet blocks in schools with permanent access to water and soap supply; Promotion of safe hygiene practices in schools; Development of sanitation services for the rural communities by small local private operators; Stimulation of the demand for sanitation and sustaining communities behavior change towards.

Through partnerships with the Department of Health, Confluence reinforces the capacities of the local authorities on technical aspects, tools and methodologies while defining appropriate approaches for the project based on knowledge of local partners.

The PERSEA project

PERenniser des Services d'Eau et d'Assainissement dans la province de Luang Prabang (Sustainable Water and Sanitation Services in Luang Prabang Province).

The PERSEA project targets 22 villages in 3 districts of Luang Prabang.

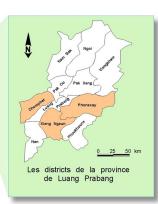
PERSEA aims to

- Ensure sustainable access to drinking water for communities
- Increase access to sanitation for families and children in schools through a market approach
- Improve the adoption of good hygiene practices in households and schools.

The two-year PERSEA project was designed and will be implemented with the health authorities of the province of Luang Prabang, with financial support from l'Agence de l'Eau Loire-Bretagne and la Région Centre Val-de-Loire.

The intervention area





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