



Jur River County - Water, Sanitation and Hygiene Factsheet

Western Bahr el Ghazal State, South Sudan



November/December 2018

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Displacement

Percentage of households by displacement status ¹:

Host community **100%**

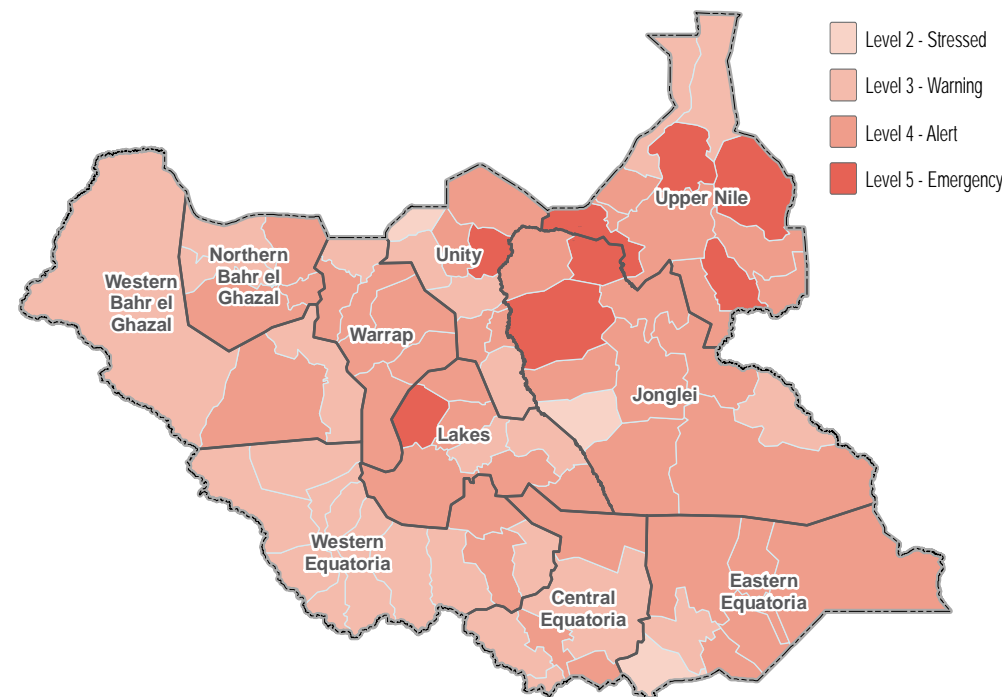
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- Not having access to a latrine (private, shared, or communal/institutional).
- Not owning a jerrycan or bucket with a lid and soap, and that every member of the HH did not sleep under a mosquito net.
- Having one or more household members affected by self-reported water or vector borne disease in the two weeks prior to data collection.

Percentage of IDP households by time arrived in their current location:

Percentage of returnee households by time arrived in their current location:

Most commonly reported vulnerability, by percentage of households: (more than one answer was possible)

Children under 5	77%
Elderly persons	32%
Female headed	28%
Adopted children	6%
Physically disabled	5%



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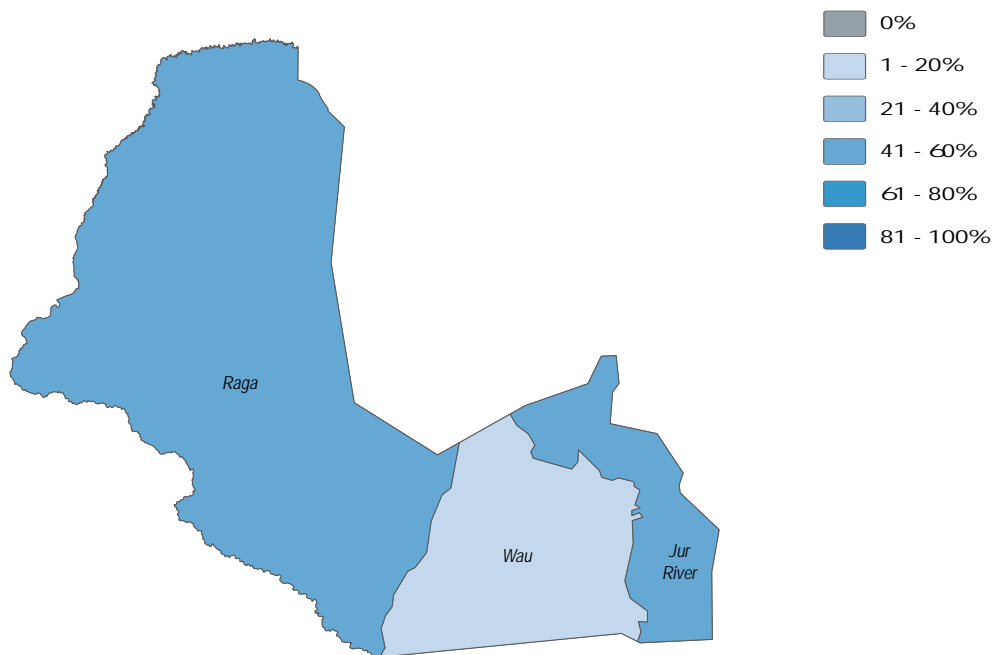


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Water

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- 51%** of Jur River County HHs reported having safe access to an improved source of drinking water as their main source, in July and August, 2018.
- 4%** of HHs reported feeling unsafe while collecting water, in November and December, 2018. This was a decrease from the previous season.
- 16%** of HHs reported feeling unsafe while collecting water, in July and August, 2018.

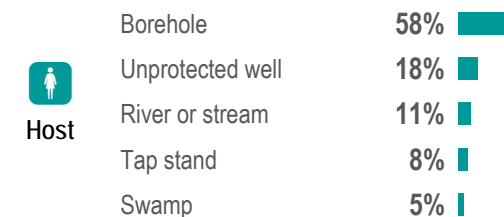
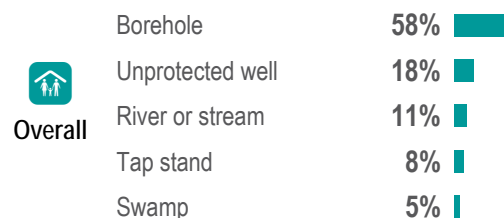
% of HHs having safe access to and use an improved water source (borehole, tapstand, water yard) as their main source of drinking water in under 30 minutes:



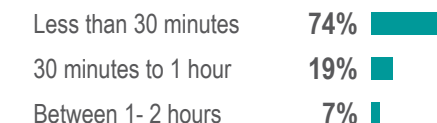
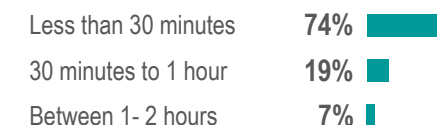
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Most commonly reported sources of drinking water by percentage of households:



Most commonly reported time spent collecting drinking water (walking to collection point, waiting, filling container, returning home) by percentage of households:





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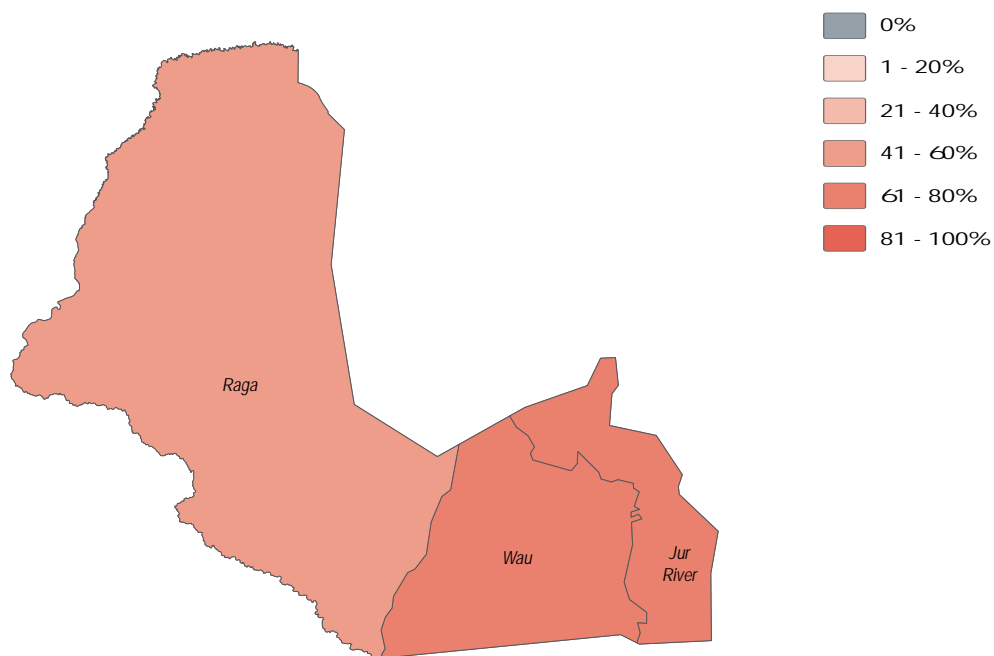


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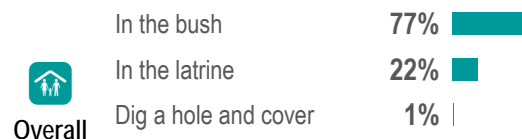
Sanitation

- 24%** of Jur River County HHs reported having access to a latrine (private, shared, or communal/institutional), in November and December, 2018. This was an increase from the previous season.
- 21%** of Jur River County HHs reported having access to a latrine (private, shared, or communal/institutional), in July and August, 2018.
- 22%** of HHs reported their most common defecation location was a latrine, in November and December, 2018. This was an increase from the previous season.
- 15%** of HHs reported their most common defecation location was a latrine, in July and August, 2018.

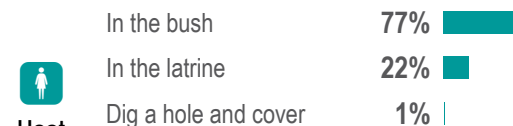
% of HHs not usually using a latrine (private, shared, or communal/institutional)²:



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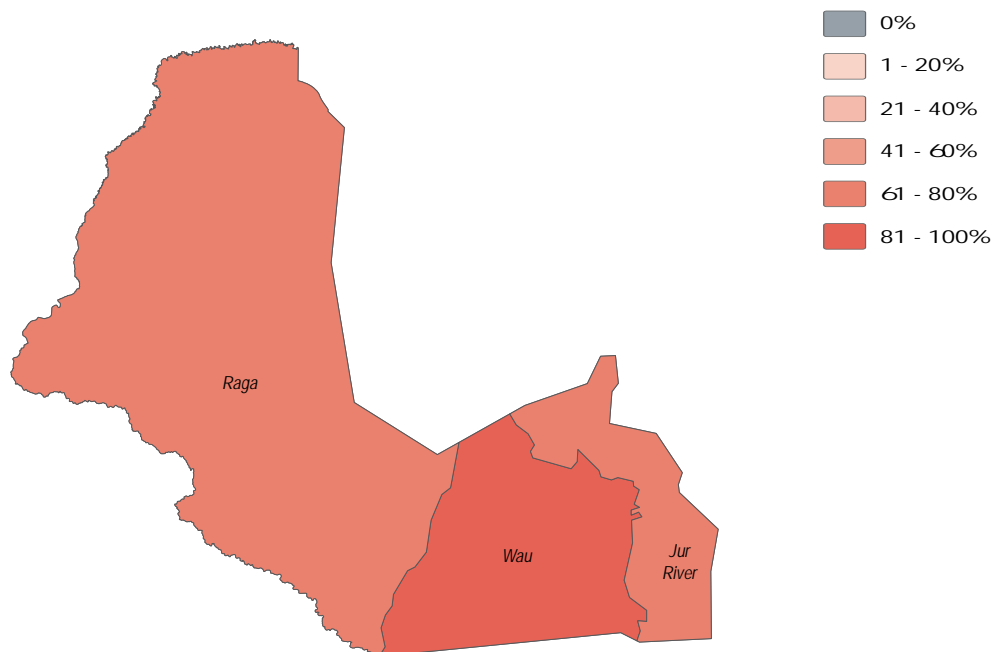


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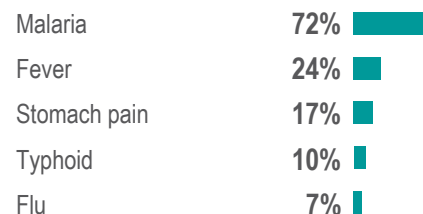
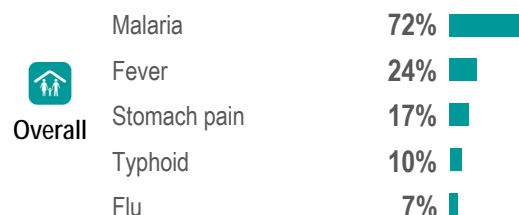
Health

- 68%** of Jur River County HHs reported one or more HH member was affected by self-reported water or vector borne disease in the two weeks prior to data collection, in November and December, 2018. This was a decrease from the previous season.
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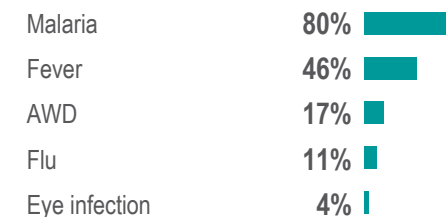
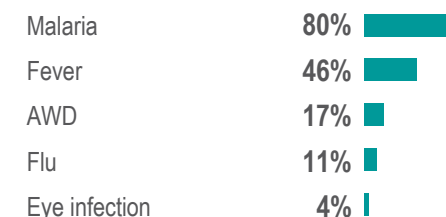
% of HH with one or more HH member affected by self-reported water or vector borne disease in the two weeks prior to data collection:



Most commonly self-reported water or vector borne diseases for adults in the two weeks prior to data collection by percentage of households: (more than one answer was possible)



Most commonly self-reported water or vector borne disease for children under 5 in the two weeks prior to data collection by percentage of households: (more than one answer was possible)





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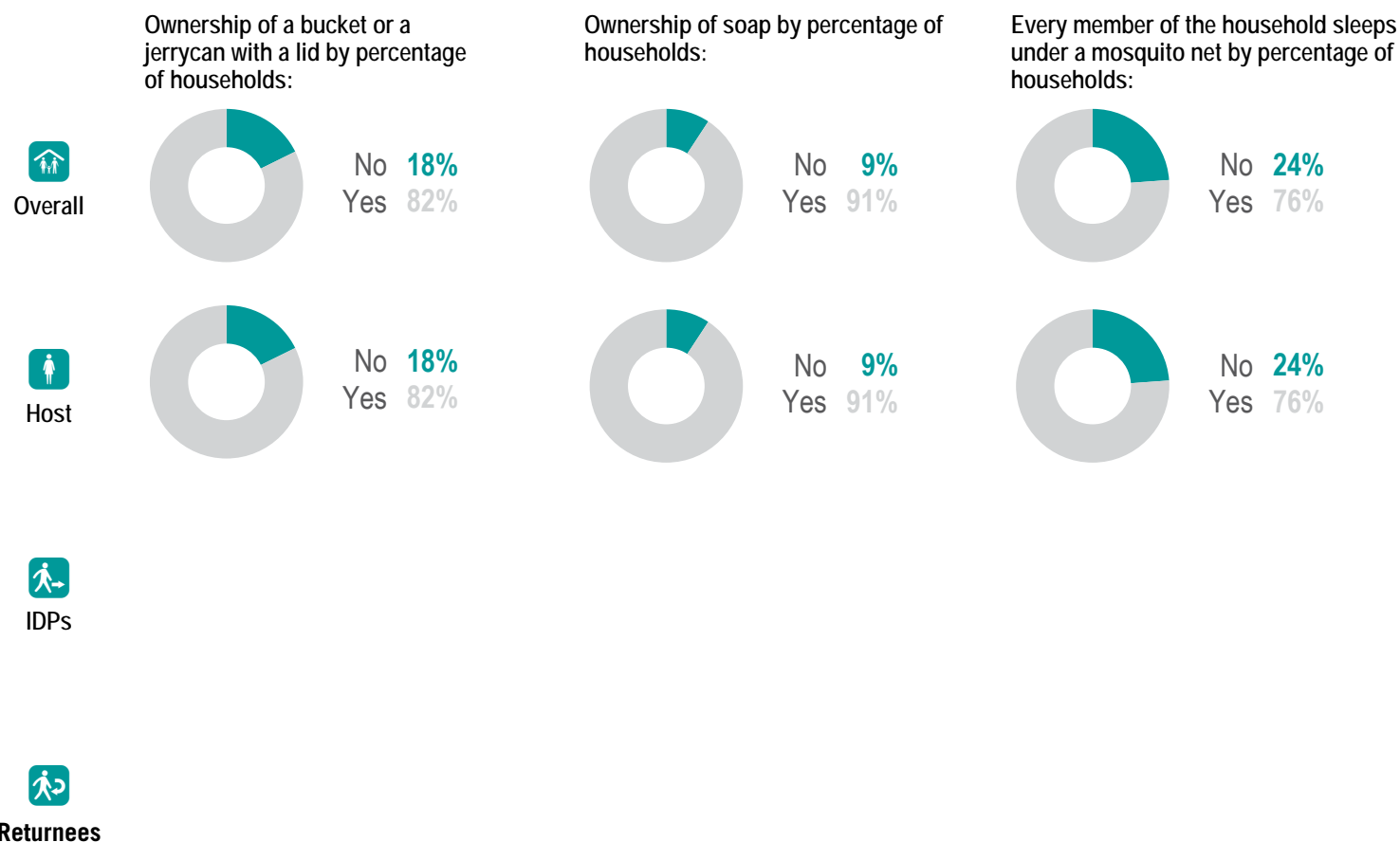
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NFI WASH NFIs

- 25%** of Jur River County HHs reported owning at least one jerrycan or bucket with a lid, with access to soap, and that every member of the HH slept under a mosquito net in November and December, 2018. This was a decrease from the previous season.
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- 3** was the average number of jerrycans and/or buckets per HH in July and August, 2018. This was an increase from the previous season.
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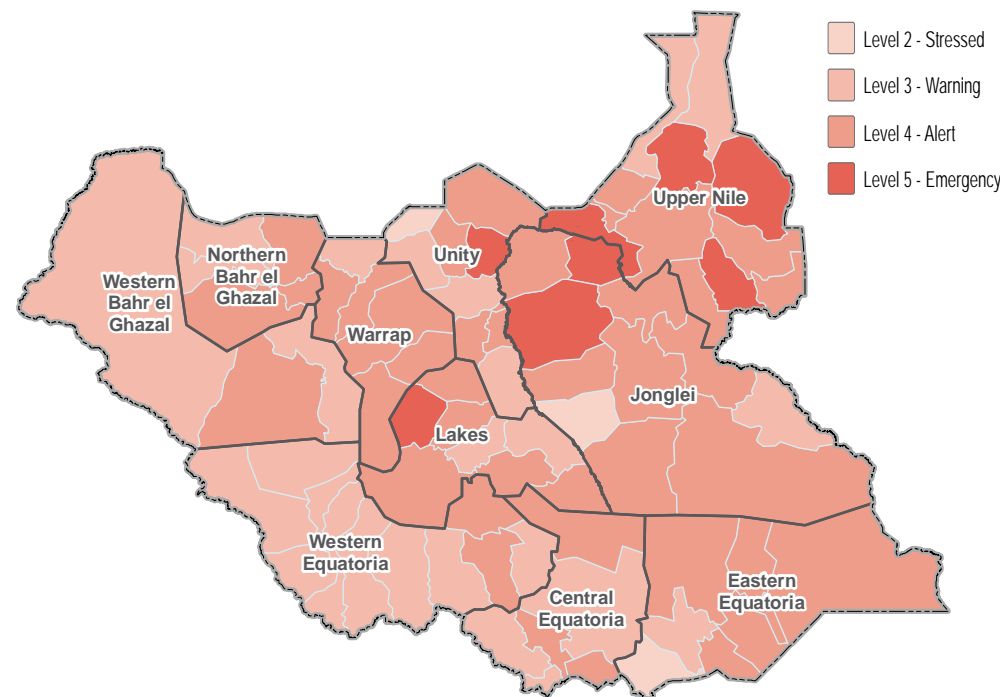
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Displacement

Percentage of households by displacement status ¹:



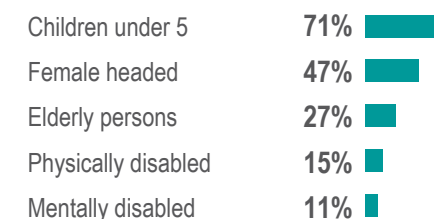
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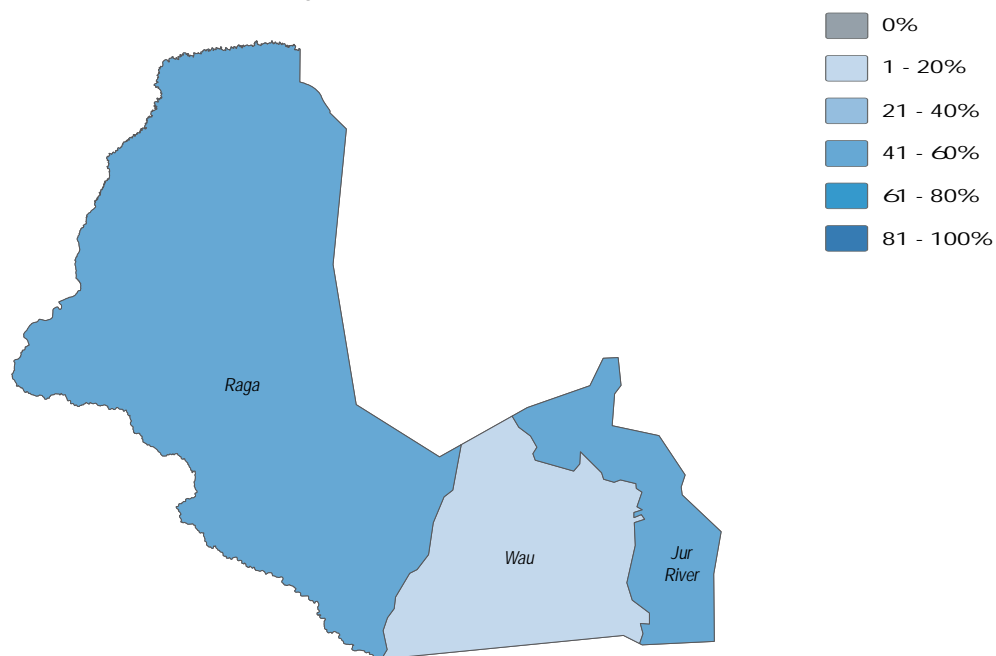


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Water

- 89%** of Raja County HHs reported having safe access to an improved source of drinking water as their main source, in November and December, 2018. This was an increase from the previous season.
- 58%** of Raja County HHs reported having safe access to an improved source of drinking water as their main source, in July and August, 2018.
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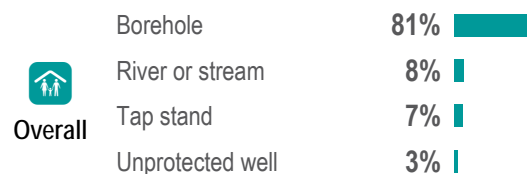
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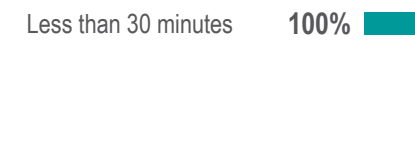
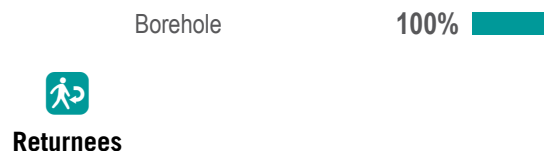
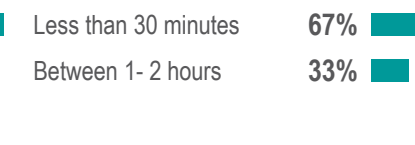
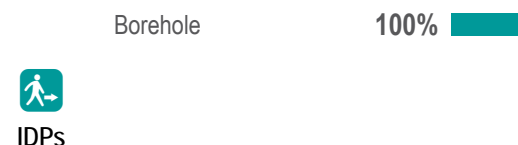
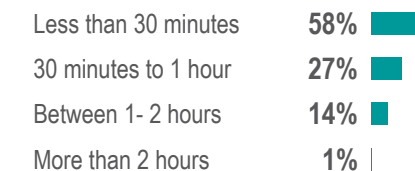
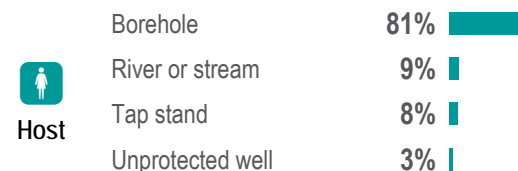
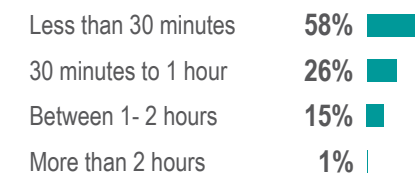
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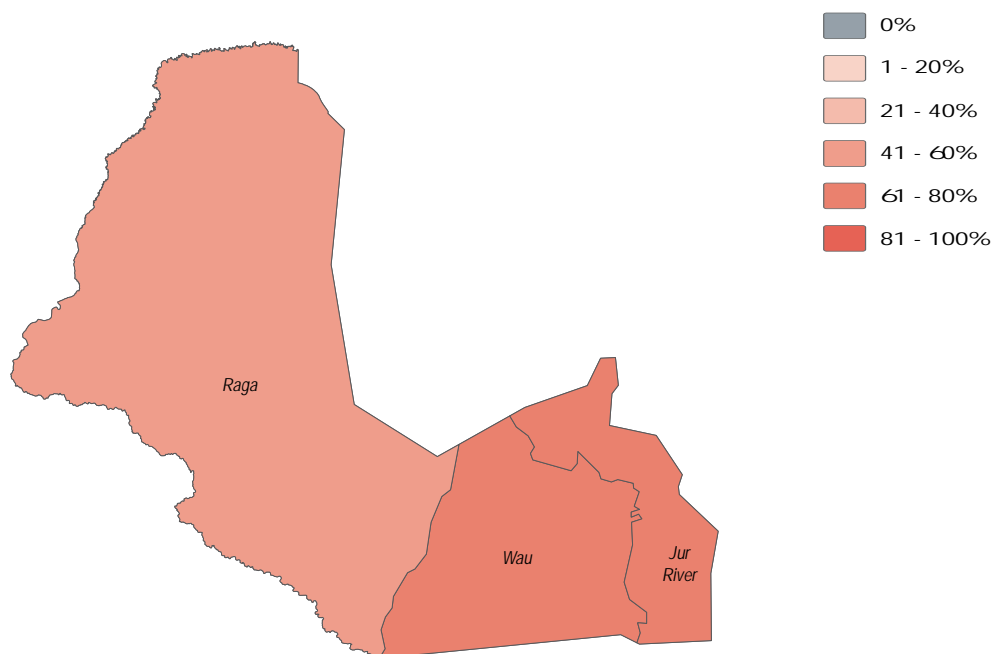


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Sanitation

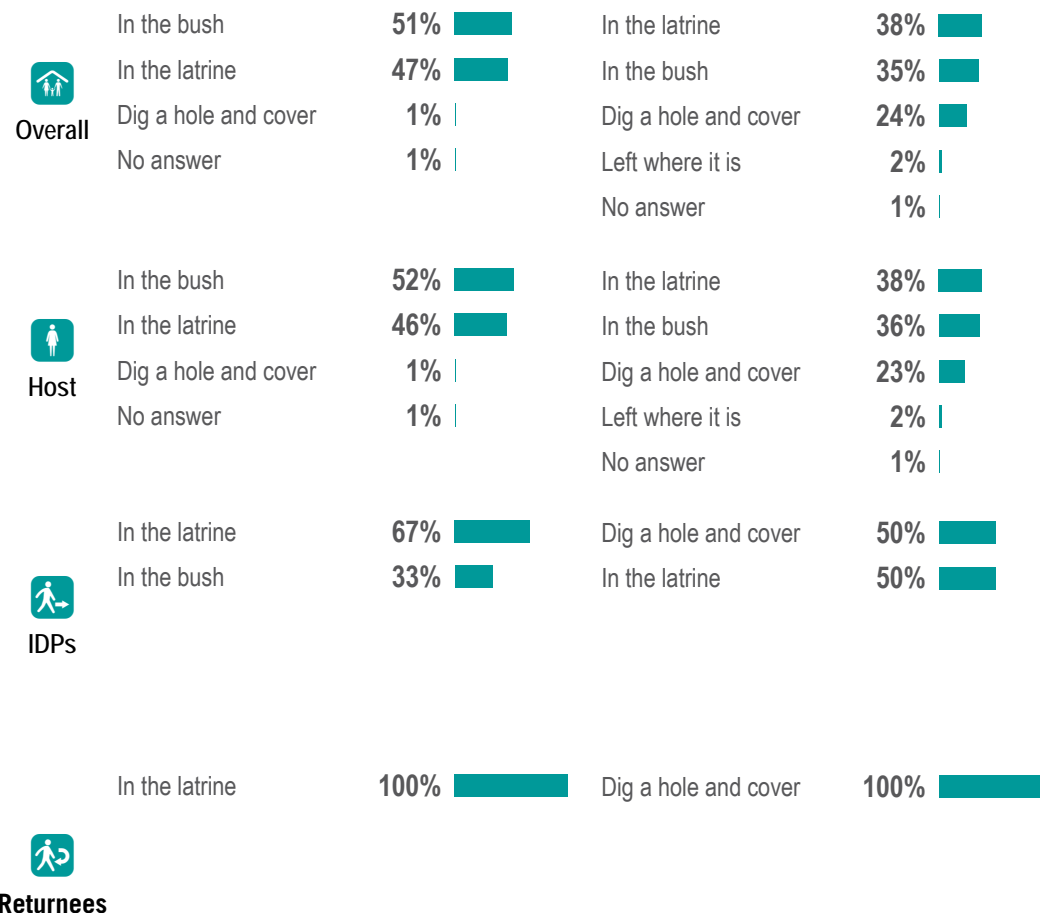
- 49%** of Raja County HHs reported having access to a latrine (private, shared, or communal/institutional), in November and December, 2018. This was an increase from the previous season.
- 44%** of Raja County HHs reported having access to a latrine (private, shared, or communal/institutional), in July and August, 2018.
- 47%** of HHs reported their most common defecation location was a latrine, in November and December, 2018. This was an increase from the previous season.
- 29%** of HHs reported their most common defecation location was a latrine, in July and August, 2018.

% of HHs not usually using a latrine (private, shared, or communal/institutional)²:



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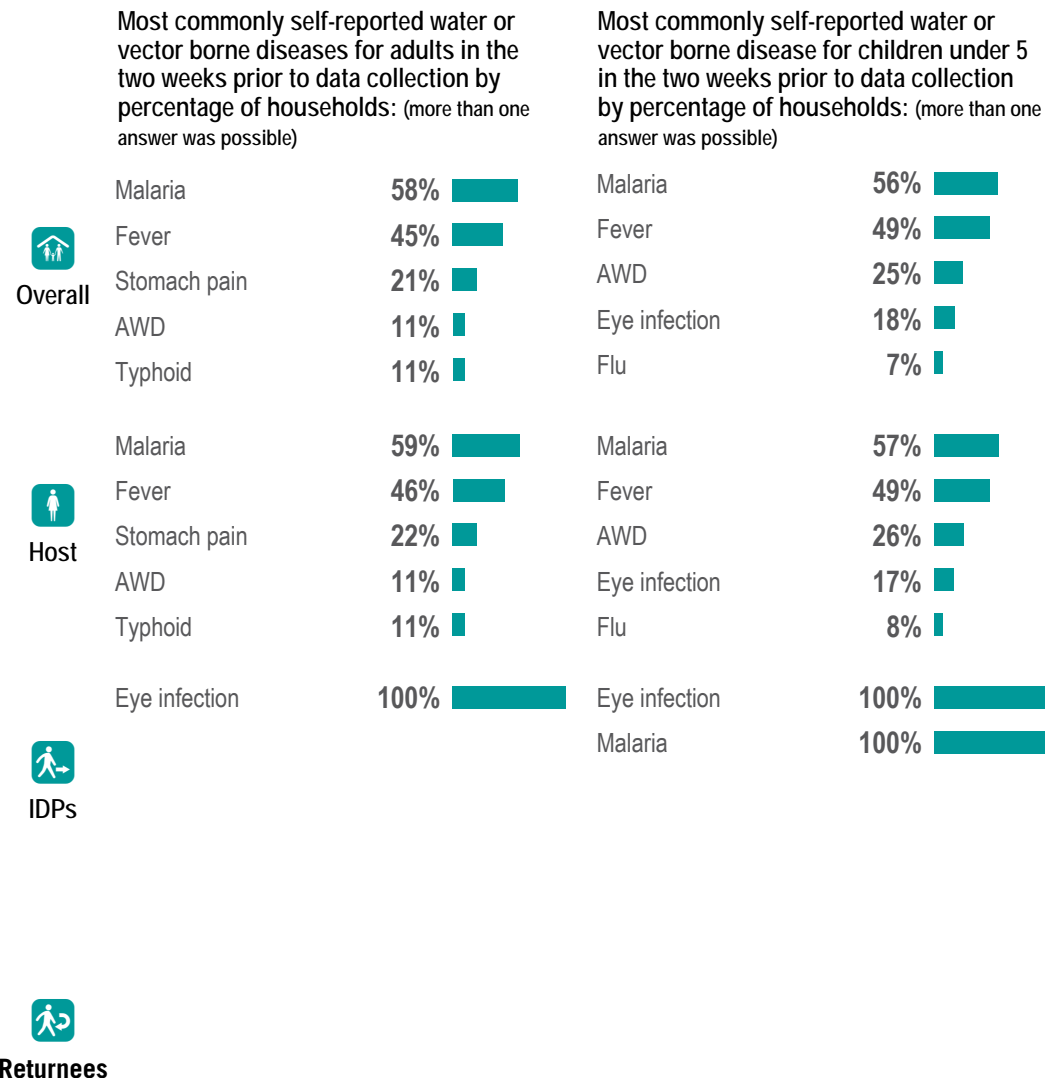
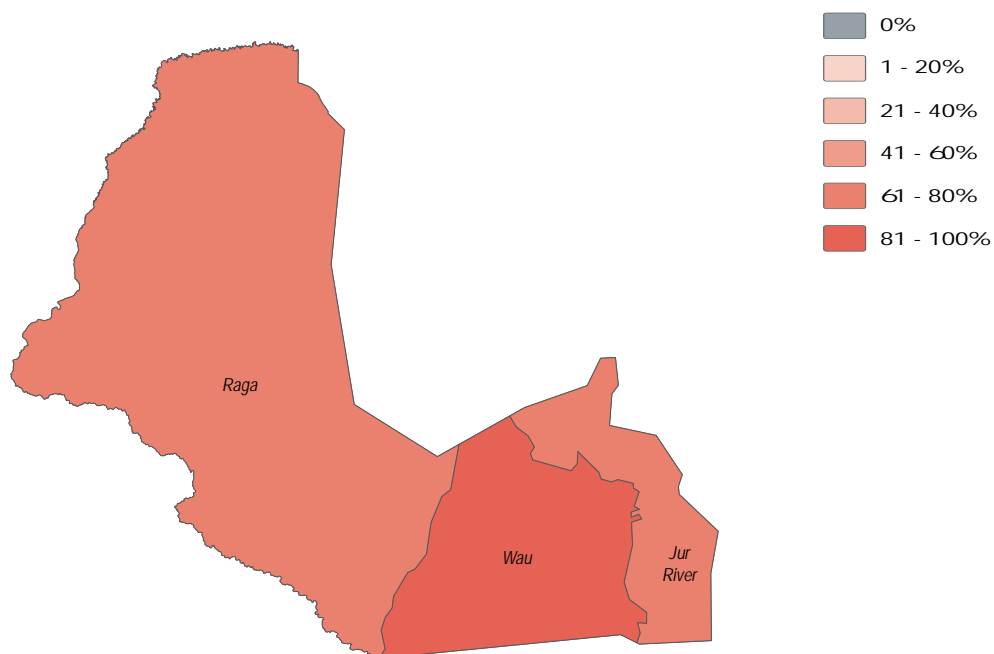
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Health

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- 90%** of Raja County HHs reported one or more HH member was affected by self-reported water or vector borne disease in the two weeks prior to data collection, in July and August, 2018.
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% of HH with one or more HH member affected by self-reported water or vector borne disease in the two weeks prior to data collection:





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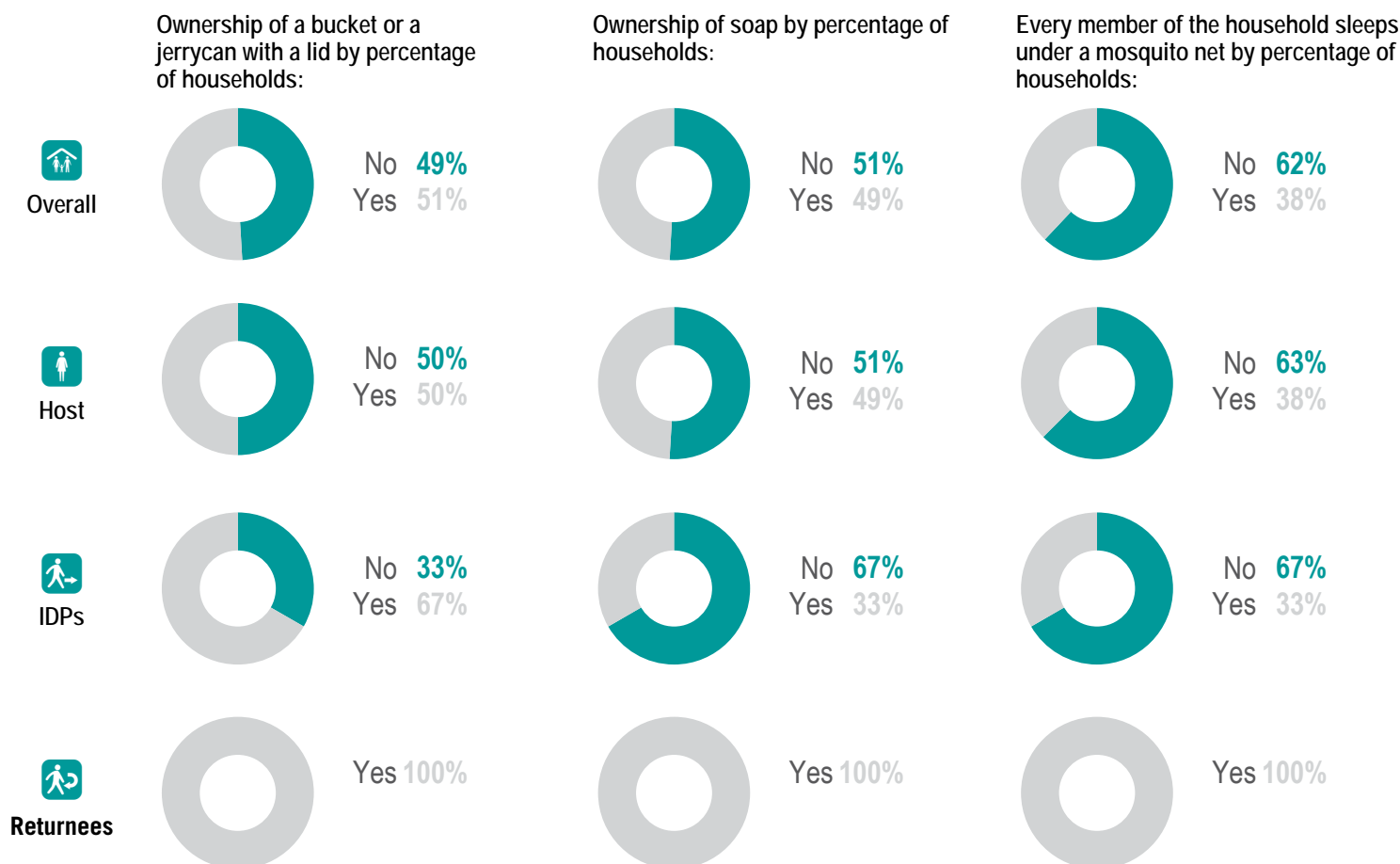
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NFI WASH NFIs

- 2%** of Raja County HHs reported owning at least one jerrycan or bucket with a lid, with access to soap, and that every member of the HH slept under a mosquito net in November and December, 2018. This was a decrease from the previous season.
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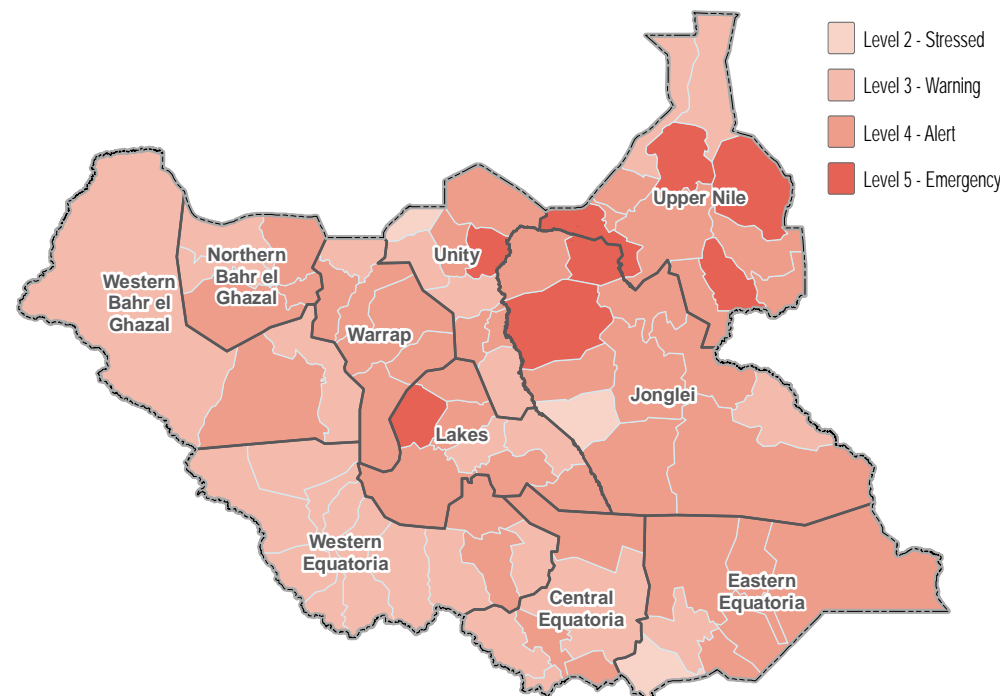
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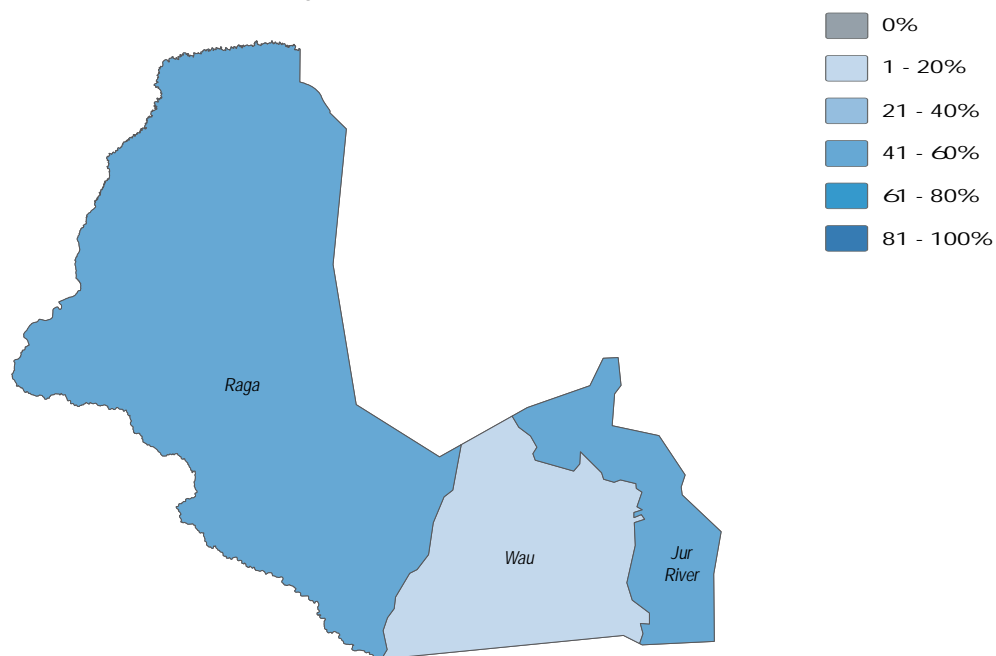


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- 19%** of HHs reported feeling unsafe while collecting water, in November and December, 2018. This was a decrease from the previous season.
- 28%** of HHs reported feeling unsafe while collecting water, in July and August, 2018.

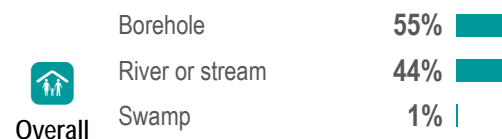
% of HHs having safe access to and use an improved water source (borehole, tapstand, water yard) as their main source of drinking water in under 30 minutes:



This simple water access composite aims to measure access to an improved water source, without protection concern. The composite was created by averaging the 'yes' responses of households reporting on the following indicators, with all indicators considered to have the same weight:

- Access to a borehole, tapstand, or water yard as the primary source of drinking water
- Can collect water (walking to collection point, waiting, filling container, returning home) in under 30 minutes
- Did not report any security concerns while accessing water point

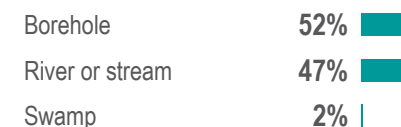
Most commonly reported sources of drinking water by percentage of households:



Overall



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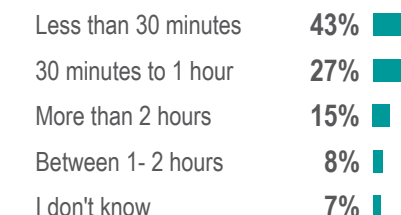
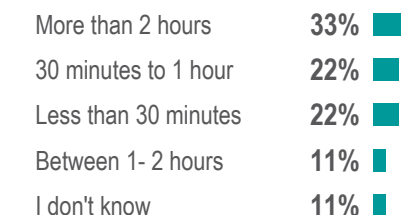
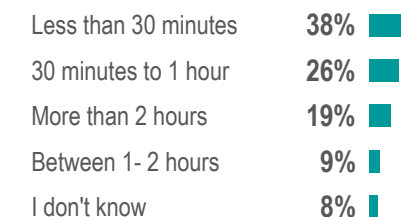


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Returnees

Most commonly reported time spent collecting drinking water (walking to collection point, waiting, filling container, returning home) by percentage of households:





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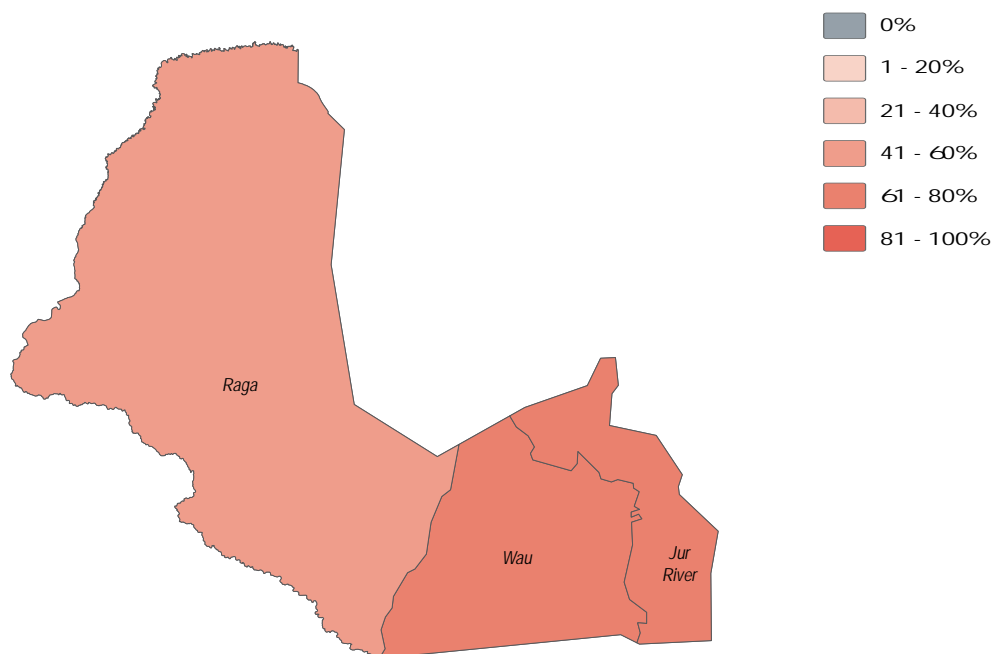


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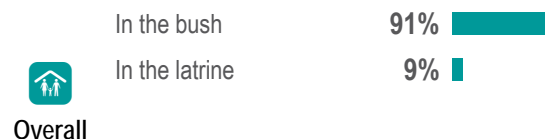
Sanitation

- 22%** of **Wau County** HHs reported having access to a latrine (private, shared, or communal/institutional), in November and December, 2018. This was an increase from the previous season.
- 4%** of **Wau County** HHs reported having access to a latrine (private, shared, or communal/institutional), in July and August, 2018.
- 9%** of HHs reported their most common defecation location was a latrine, in November and December, 2018. This was an increase from the previous season.
- 4%** of HHs reported their most common defecation location was a latrine, in July and August, 2018.

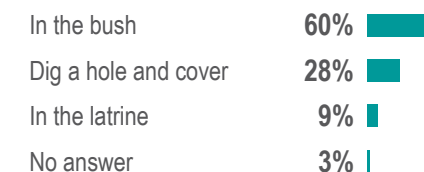
% of HHs not usually using a latrine (private, shared, or communal/institutional)²:



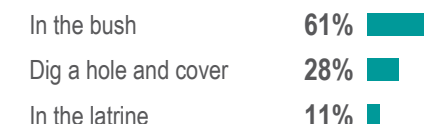
Most commonly reported defecation location by percentage of households:



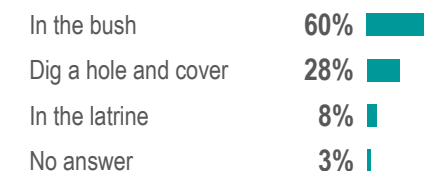
Most commonly reported excreta disposal methods for children under five by percentage of households:



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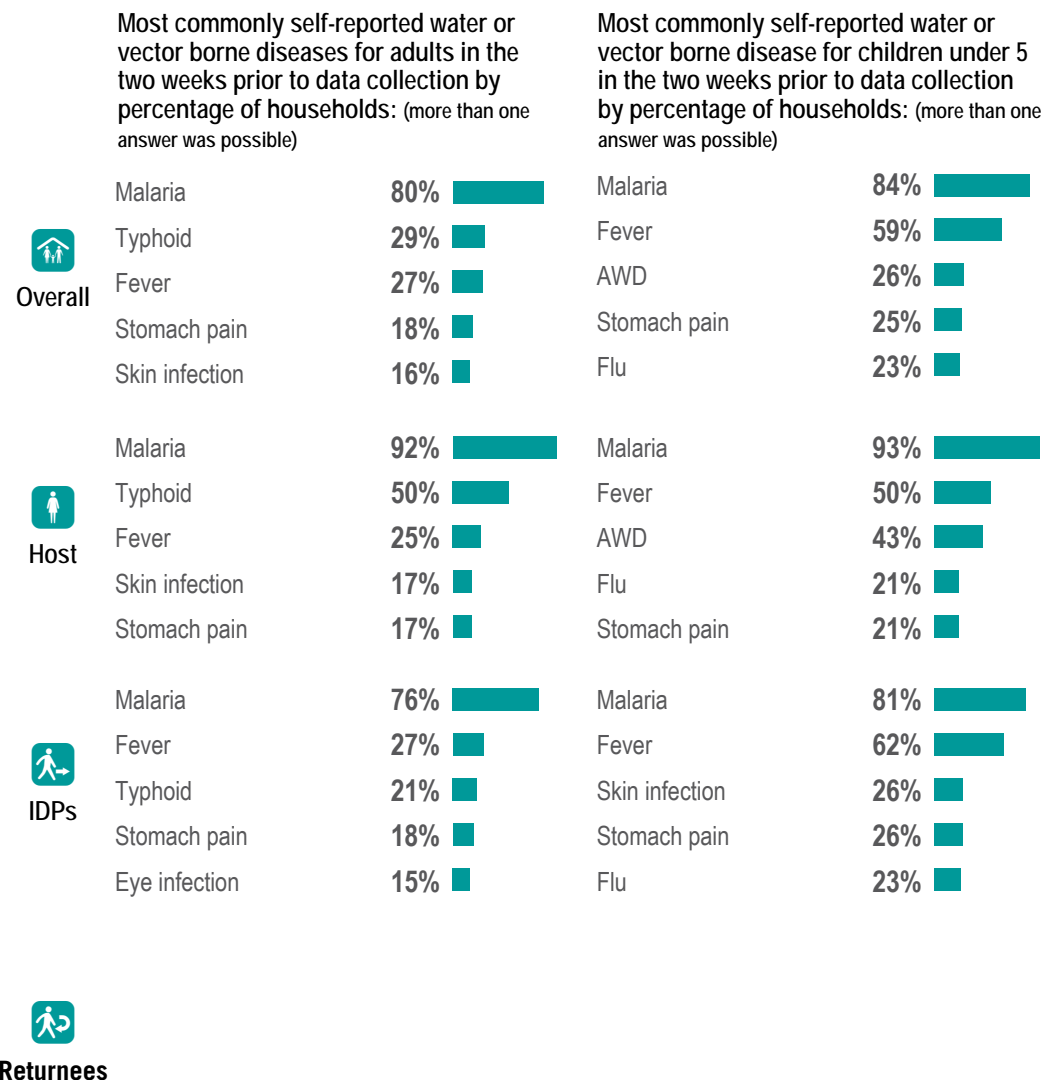
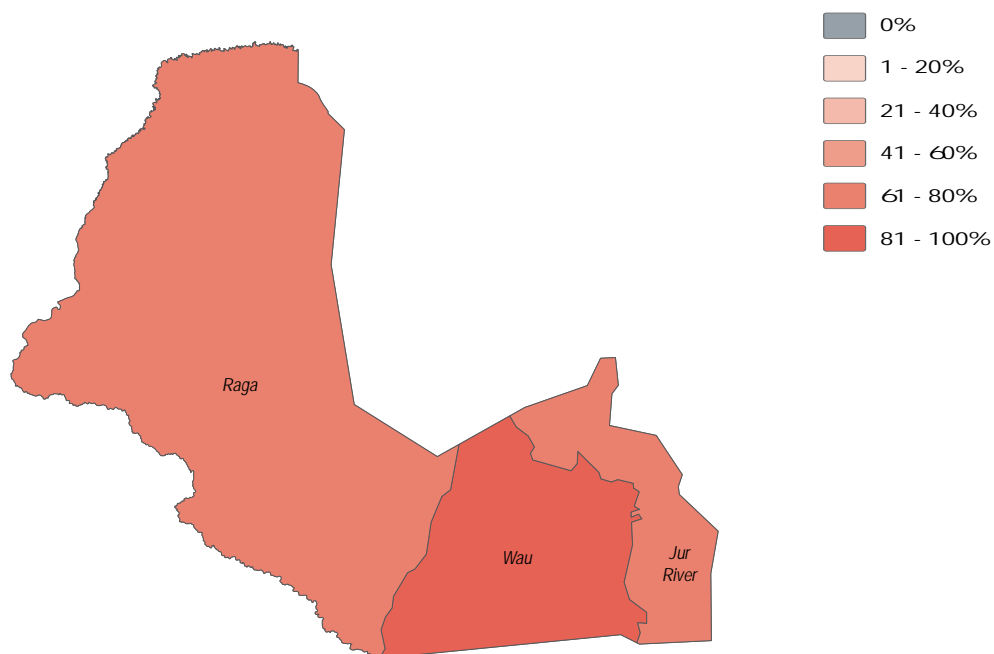
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Health

- 95%** of **Wau County** HHs reported one or more HH member was affected by self-reported water or vector borne disease in the two weeks prior to data collection, in November and December, 2018. This was an increase from the previous season.
- 89%** of **Wau County** HHs reported one or more HH member was affected by self-reported water or vector borne disease in the two weeks prior to data collection, in July and August, 2018.
- Malaria** was the most commonly reported water or vector borne disease in November and December, 2018. This was the same as the previous season.
- Malaria** was the most commonly reported water or vector borne disease in July and August, 2018.

% of HH with one or more HH member affected by self-reported water or vector borne disease in the two weeks prior to data collection:





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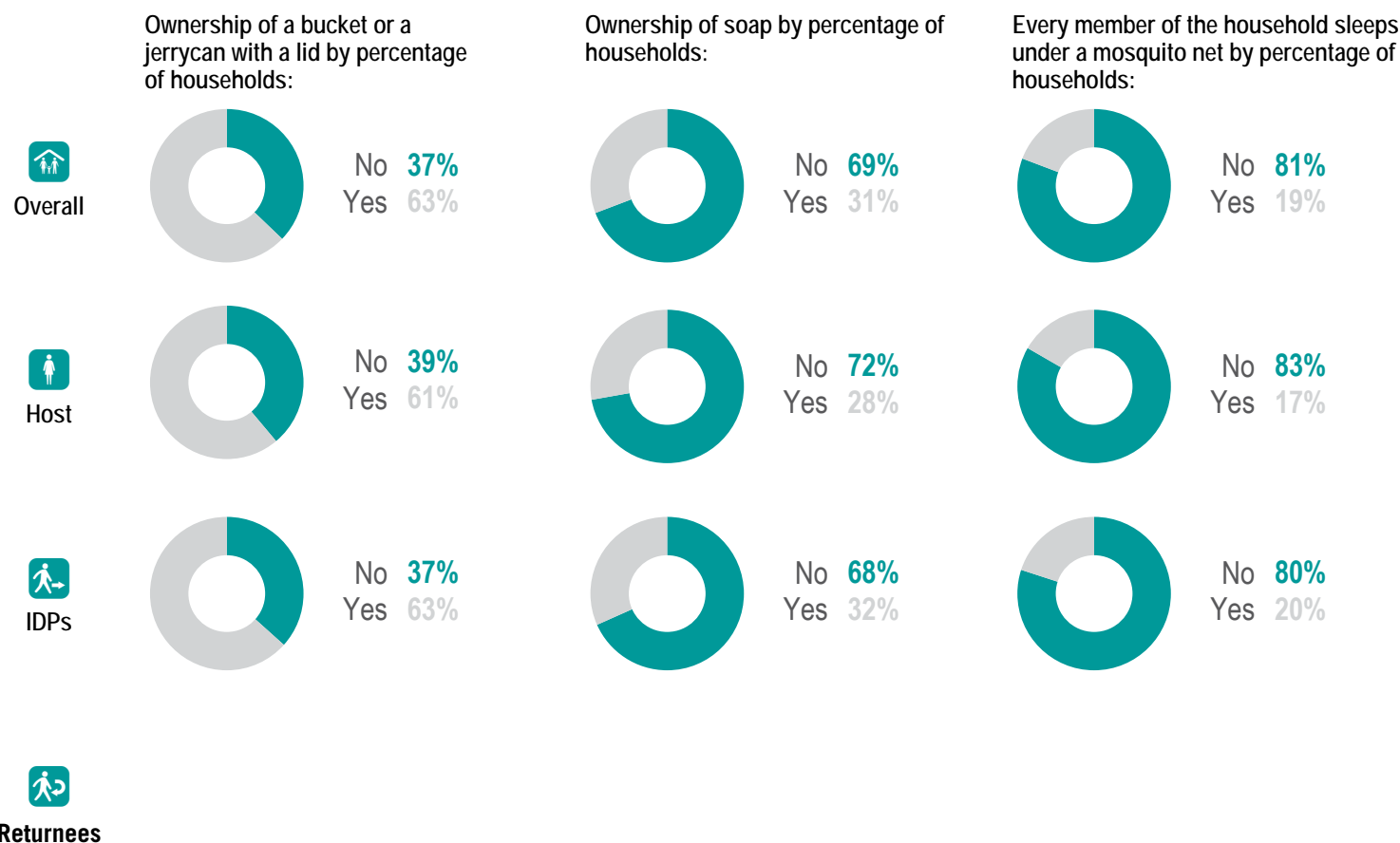
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NFI WASH NFIs

- 5%** of **Wau County** HHs reported owning at least one jerrycan or bucket with a lid, with access to soap, and that every member of the HH slept under a mosquito net in November and December, 2018. This was an increase from the previous season.
- 0%** of **Wau County** HHs reported owning at least one jerrycan or bucket with a lid, with access to soap, and that every member of the HH slept under a mosquito net in HH in July and August, 2018.
- 3** was the average number of jerrycans and/or buckets per HH in July and August, 2018. This was an increase from the previous season.
- 2** was the average number of jerrycans and/or buckets per HH in November and December, 2018.



Endnotes

1. This data is as of November/December 2018. Note, population movement remains fluid.
2. An institutional latrine can be found in a school, hospital, clinic, market place.
3. HHs are asked to produce soap within a minute when assessing the presence of soap in the HH, as if they are not able to locate it within a minute then it stands to reason it is not commonly used.
4. The composite was created by averaging the 'yes' responses of HHs reporting on the following indicators, with all considered to have the same weight: access to soap, access to jerrycans/buckets with lids, everyone in the HH slept under a mosquito net.

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