

Clarifying today's objectives

Objective 1

- To inform people about what the VUNA project was all about

Objective 2

- To lay the basis for assessing where to next
 - How to move forward from the research phase, to wider piloting, further development and implementation at scale
- Today is about equipping sanitation role-players for that bigger discussion

The VUNA project in context

- VUNA is not a new toilet option, or a new plug-and-play technology
- VUNA is part of developing a new sanitation paradigm
 - Beyond flush toilets as the only gold standard
 - New systems that meet people's aspirations
- VUNA contributes to developing new technologies which -
 - Don't depend on water
 - Aren't connected to sewers
 - Don't pollute the environment
- VUNA manages urine differently
 - Resource / nutrient recovery
 - Without environmental pollution
 - In both dry and wet systems
 - While respecting user perspectives
- VUNA forms part of the Reinventing the Toilet Challenge