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Reckitt Catalyst is a growing global community of social innovators tackling health and hygiene challenges in ways that are locally relevant.

Since its launch, Reckitt Catalyst has supported innovators across Africa, Asia and Latin America who are expanding access to healthcare, improving maternal and child health, strengthening disease prevention and advancing water, sanitation and hygiene solutions in underserved communities.

Our 2025-2026 cohort of social innovators spans nearly 20 WASH and Health businesses: from air-to-water generators to a flat-packable hand-washing machine, to life-saving emergency response support. These innovators are our partners in creating better health in more hands every day.

Explore our community of innovators and discover the entrepreneurs creating impact across 20 health and WASH solutions.

Reckitt Catalyst Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene (WASH) social innovators:



AeroNero (WASH)

Aeronero develops and deploys Atmospheric Water Generators that extract clean drinking water from air using advanced cooling condensation technology and multi stage filtration. The company serves residential, commercial and institutional markets through a growing network of partnerships and a B2B2C model, delivering sustainable and decentralised water solutions.

Website



Aqua Clara Solutions

Aqua Clara Kenya is a social enterprise working across East Africa to improve access to safe drinking water. Since 2009, they have distributed simple, affordable and effective technologies that have enabled more than 150,000 people to have access to safe drinking water.

Website



Asani.io

Asani.io is a climate-tech venture that develops modular hardware and software (Asani Super App + BMS) to optimize water and energy usage for residential, commercial, and industrial users. Their IoT-powered solutions detect leaks, automate pumps, and monitor utilities in real time — enabling equitable distribution, cost savings, and climate resilience. To date, they've saved over 300 million gallons of water and reduced reliance on water tankers, proving measurable impact at scale.

Website



Banka BioLoo Limited

Banka Bio is on a mission to close India's Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene (WASH) gap, bringing dignity, health, and clean water to communities that need it most. From rural schools to bustling cities, their sustainable sanitation and wastewater treatment solutions keep over 5 million litres of water safe every single day. They do their work because they believe that water should never be a luxury; it's a right.

Website



Iriba Water Group

IRIBA Water Group addresses the critical lack of access to safe drinking water in schools and underserved communities across Sub-Saharan Africa. Their model not only solves the access problem by installing smart, solar-powered water ATMs, but also addresses sustainability through a climate finance approach, leveraging carbon credits to fund long-term maintenance and operations.

Website



Isla Urbana

Isla Urbana designs and installs rainwater catchment and filtration systems for use in households, schools, industries, and other commercial buildings with headquarters in Mexico. This technology improves water access while also reducing exploitation of other water sources, mitigating flooding, and decreasing GHG emissions from water transportation.

Website



Komodo Water

Komodo Water is a social enterprise that provides water access and sustainable water management solutions for small islands and coastal communities in Indonesia using sustainable approaches and eco-friendly technologies.

Website



O2Eco

O2eco Tecnologia Ambiental delivers smart solutions for sludge treatment and water regeneration, cutting costs and CO_2 emissions in industrial processes. Their patented technology has already saved millions of litres of water and prevented dozens of tons of CO_2 annually with clients such as Ambev and ArcelorMittal. They are scaling their solution globally to make water management more efficient, circular, and sustainable.

Website



PW Tech

PWTech produces portable water treatment stations, with a robust and efficient treatment system that processes up to 10,000 liters of water per day with a 100% guarantee against viruses and bacteria.

Website



Solinas

Solinas tackles water pipeline wastage and contaminationby replacing costly, manual, and inaccurate trenching methods with advanced trenchless solutions. Their products, Endobot (a pipeline crawler that inspects and collects defect data) and Swasth (an AI-based software for defect detection and mapping), enable precise, data-driven monitoring, repair, and maintenance.



The Washing Machine Project

The Washing Machine Project is a social enterprise tackling the global burden of handwashing clothes, which affects 60% of the world's population. Their flagship innovation, the Divya manual washing machine, is a flat-packable, off-grid solution that saves up to 75% of time and 50% of water compared to handwashing. They partner with NGOs, corporates and governments to bring dignity, health and opportunity to vulnerable communities worldwide.

Website

Reckitt Catalyst Health social innovators:



Débbo Africa

Débbo Africa is a digital women's health platform bridging the gender health gap by delivering AI-powered, culturally sensitive, and accessible care designed for African women. Our platform integrates AI triage, virtual consultations, and quality diagnostics—including imaging and at-home testing—through a HEFAMAA-accredited lab. By combining trusted, context-specific care with continuous follow-up, they empower millions of African women with affordable solutions that improve health outcomes and reduce preventable delays in care.

Website



Emergency Response Africa

Emergency Response Africa (ERA) is a health tech company that saves lives by connecting anyone experiencing a medical emergency to the largest network of first responders, emergency vehicles, and hospitals in minutes using technology.

With a single request, they deliver end-to-end emergency medical care—from immediate phone-based first aid to on-site treatment by trained paramedics and safe transport to the nearest emergency-ready hospital. Their mission is simple: to save lives and stop preventable deaths.

Website



Korui

Korui is a certified B Corp that creates sustainable menstrual and personal care products to reduce waste, promote conscious consumption, and empower vulnerable communities through menstrual education and menstrual cup donations..

Website



Lifebank

LifeBank is a tech-enabled healthcare company transforming medical supply chains across Africa. Operating in Nigeria, Kenya, and Ethiopia, they've built a marketplace platform that delivers four essential products – blood, oxygen, medical equipment, and consumables – to hospitals and care centres.

All their products are sourced from accredited partners who meet global standards, and their WHO-recommended cold chain system with blockchain-powered records guarantees safety from pickup to delivery. With their multimodal distribution network of drones, boats, bikes, and tricycles, they reach hospitals in under 45 minutes. Their 24/7 operations ensure you can access life-saving supplies anytime, anywhere.

Website



OneHealth

OneHealth is an online pharmacy and healthcare platform providing access to affordable, quality medicines and health solutions for patients, payers, and providers across Nigeria with seamless digital experiences, data-driven insights, and end-to-end medication fulfillment. They combine an online pharmacy and retail model with a growing network of state-based dispensing hubs, ensuring patients receive quality medicines directly, reliably, and quickly. By partnering with community pharmacies, they extend last-mile delivery to urban, peri-urban, and rural households.

Sehat Kahani



Sehat Kahani is the leading female-led health tech platform in Pakistan that bridges critical healthcare gaps by connecting underserved communities to over 7,500 licensed doctors through a hybrid model of e-clinics, mobile applications, and digital health services. By reactivating thousands of qualified but homebound female doctors and embedding locally trained nurse intermediaries, they deliver affordable, culturally acceptable, and high-quality care to millions who previously lacked access, with over 4.6 million consultations delivered,impacting more than 20 million people via health education, promotion and counselling. Sehat Kahani is transforming healthcare access, promoting gender equity, and building resilient, sustainable health systems..

Website

Zoie Health



Zoie Health is Africa's first digital women's health clinic, building a comprehensive ecosystem of healthcare services and products designed for women and their families. Their platform combines telemedicine, an online pharmacy, contraceptive subscriptions, supplements, at-home STI test kits, and affordable employee health benefits. With a mission to reach 100 million people, they're making healthcare more accessible, affordable, and empowering across Africa and beyond.

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