



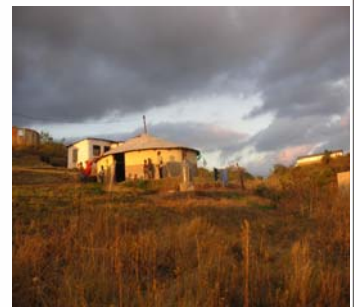
SOCIAL PERSPECTIVES ON WATER AND SANITATION

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Socio-economic and political dynamics are important factors bearing on successful implementation of good technological options. Increasingly, professionals are looking to collaborate across the disciplines to solve today's complex implementation challenges. Communities are key partners in service delivery, and ultimately, must drive their own development.



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