

SANITATION: ZOD

14.a

ACTIVITY:	Blocking bad practice
CARD SET:	14.a
TIME:	One hour
OBJECTIVE:	To open up discussion on unsafe sanitation practice
KEY MESSAGE:	'GOD loves ZOD'
HOMEWORK:	Zero open defecation around your home

METHOD:

1. Facilitator gives out the set of pictures to the participants.
2. Those with pictures come to the front and each one describes what is in the picture.
3. Each time a participant explains their picture they must say whether there is open defecation (faeces exposed to the air)
4. Make two groups: those with open defecation pictures and those with no open Defecation
5. Ask the groups if these practices are common in the area. Remove those that are not common.
6. Now ask the participants in the 'Open Defecation Group' to find a partner whose picture shows a way to make faeces safe.
7. Each pair must then present their pictures together explaining how one picture provides the solution to open defecation
8. Now discuss the following: *How do we ensure Zero Open Defecation?*

RECOMMENDED PRACTICES:

- Do not urinate and defecate freely in the open
- Always dig and hole and cover faeces if defecating outside
- Do not use fresh faeces as fertilizer.
- Human faeces should be composted for over six months before use.
- Children should defecate into chamber-pot
- Children's faeces should be buried if there is no latrine (cat sanitation).
- Never let dog or pig eat children's faeces after defecation.
- Do not defecate into water, ponds or dry gullies