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Water risks

- Droughts
- Competition over water allocation
- Floods
- Water pollution
- Access to water and sanitation
- Ageing or missing infrastructure
- Water borne diseases

Obstacles to water governance

- Lack of monitoring and evaluation of public policies
- Fragmentation of municipal authorities
- Lack of staff
- Low citizen awareness
- Weak enforcement
- Weak public procurement processes
- Political interference
- Lack of conflict resolution mechanism
- Weak basin governance
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**National and local policy frameworks**

**National level**
- Dedicated national water and sanitation policy indicating goals, duties, and resources
- Recognition of the UN right to Water and Sanitation

**Local level**
- Social measures on water and/or sanitation for vulnerable categories
- Absence of a dedicated water and sanitation policy
- Minimum amount of water guaranteed to the population

**Transparency and accountability mechanisms**

- Clear procurement processes
- Random integrity testing or audits

- Annual budget auditing of water and sanitation services
- Annual disclosure of financial information of water and sanitation services
- Clear budget transparency rules
- Anti-bribery management systems
- Whistle-blower protection policies
- Institutional anti-corruption plans
- Clear and mandatory processes to prevent potential conflicts of interest

**Forward-looking strategies**

**High**
- Build, operate, or maintain water infrastructure
- Raise citizen awareness on water risks
- Foster cooperation with cities and/or national governments
- Catalyse water financing
- Build capacity of officials and stakeholders

**Medium**
- Develop legal or regulatory frameworks
- Enhance stakeholder engagement

**Low**