

## COST SAVINGS DUE TO IMPROVED HEALTH FROM INCREASED ACCESS TO WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION, 2000

(in \$ million)

<b>Health Sector Costs Averted due to Less Illness Per Year</b>				
	<b>Intervention 1</b>	<b>Intervention 2</b>	<b>Intervention 3</b>	<b>Intervention 4</b>
East and Northeast Asia	1,273.7	2,547.4	6,548.7	9,822.8
North and Central Asia	55.7	111.4	442.7	713.8
Pacific	9.6	19.3	44.5	65.2
South and Southwest Asia	983.1	1,966.1	5,306.0	8,038.2
Southeast Asia	265.7	531.4	1,612.8	2,497.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,587.8</b>	<b>5,175.6</b>	<b>13,954.7</b>	<b>21,137.7</b>
<b>Patient Costs Averted due to Less Illness Per Year</b>				
	<b>Intervention 1</b>	<b>Intervention 2</b>	<b>Intervention 3</b>	<b>Intervention 4</b>
East and Northeast Asia	32.7	65.4	168.2	252.3
North and Central Asia	1.2	2.4	9.3	14.9
Pacific	0.2	0.5	1.1	1.7
South and Southwest Asia	41.5	83.0	216.8	326.2
Southeast Asia	7.4	14.8	45.5	70.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>83.1</b>	<b>166.2</b>	<b>440.8</b>	<b>665.5</b>

Source: Hutton, G. and L. Haller. Evaluation of the Costs and Benefits of Water and Sanitation Improvement at the Global Level. Geneva: World Health Organization, 2004. (WHO/SDE/WSH/4.04)

Note: Figures may not add up due to rounding.