

Journal Assignment 1 (Optional)
Due Session 6

Note that this readings journal entry is optional; as noted on the class syllabus, the first required entry is due Session 5. We will, however, tackle the discussion questions below in class, so please think about them as you complete the readings.

From a planning/policy perspective, do you think we need to take particular measures to infuse our programs with gender considerations? In other words, would good planning automatically take care of the gender dimension in W&S, or should we give added attention to women/girls as a unique stakeholder group apart from 'households' or 'users' more generally?

Would you recommend trying to design a W&S project such that it could be used as a vehicle to change the existing structure of power and gender relations in this community? Why or why not? If so, what might some of your goals and strategies to achieve them be?