

### **BPEC Life Award**

- Provides opportunities for professional plumbers to play a role in raising the standards of clean drinking water and adequate sanitation is available to those who have the greatest need.
- 15 substantial projects have been commissioned overseas and across the UK, during 2012-16.
- The amount of funding BPEC has provided is in excess of £137,000

### **Overseas projects supported through the BPEC Life Award**

- Providing clean water supplies to a **Mozambique** medical centre (originally using a heavily polluted lake for drinking water).
- Installing sustainable village laundries in **Nicaragua** – providing the female villagers protection from violence and rape as the facility has eliminated the need for long journeys into dangerous neighbouring areas.
- Raising the sanitary standards in a **Gambian** hospital by refurbishing the toilets and showers and providing training and apprenticeship opportunities for the maintenance team.
- Providing solar domestic hot water supply to a **Zimbabwean** orphanage – making a huge impact on personal health & hygiene.
- Providing clean drinking water to several rural communities in **Malawi** – originally all drinking water was from polluted supplies. This project has provided clean water to 1,000 people, benefiting approx. 50,000 people.
- A new township plumbing training programme in Diepsloot, **Johannesburg** – saving 4000 litres of water per toilet.
- New indoor toilets and shower facilities in a school in **Moldova** – allowing children access indoor plumbing facilities for the first time.
- Supporting a group of Welsh plumbing students, who have helped local communities install plumbing systems in a new school being built in **Uganda**.