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Overview and Lessons Learned from the UN Capacity Needs Assessment

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1. Overview of the Capacity Needs Assessment

Capacity Needs Assessment of Government Institutions to Implement the 2030 Agenda and Identification of Priority Areas for Capacity Development in the Asia and Pacific Region and Eastern Africa

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1. Overview of the Capacity Needs Assessment



Objectives

- ✓ To assess public institutions' capacity needs and priorities in implementing the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development
- ✓ To analyze the progress in the implementation of the SDGs at international level
- ✓ To develop the training and capacity development work of UNPOG/DPADM/UNDESA



2. Structure of the Questionnaire

Part I. Integration of the SDGs in the National Development Process

Part II. Public Administration and Public Service in SDGs Implementation

Part III. Mobilising Civil Society, the Private Sector, Scientific Community and Citizens

Part IV. Resources and Technology

Part V. Monitoring, Review and Follow-up

Part VI. UNDESA Expected Role in Supporting Capacity Development Efforts of Countries in Special Situations



3. Collaboration with Other UN Agencies



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United Nations
Economic Commission for Africa



4. Response Status & Ongoing Efforts

SDIS
(16)

5 countries

LDCs/LLDCs
(19)

7 countries

Middle &
Low
Income
(12)

6 countries

a total of **18** countries out of **47** countries
in Asia and the Pacific & Eastern Africa



5. Analysis on the Collected Responses & Implications (1)

Countries have been making institutional steps to implement the 2030 Agenda. The type and extent of the steps is different from country to country.

- **Malaysia** Three levels of committees
: National SDG Council, National Steering Committee, and various technical working groups



5. Analysis on the Collected Responses & Implications (2)

- **Maldives:** A **Technical Committee for the SDGs implementation** with focal points of all the government offices and state agencies.
- **Indonesia:** **Presidential Decree** regulating institutional arrangement for coordination and implementation of SDGs;



5. Analysis on the Collected Responses & Implications (3)

Countries have been making efforts to integrate the SDGs and targets into their national development plans, policies and strategies.

- **Pakistan**: integrates SDGs in its three-tier development planning process - **the Pakistan Vision 2025, 5-year plans**, and the **annual development plan**



5. Analysis on the Collected Responses & Implications (4)

■ Mongolia

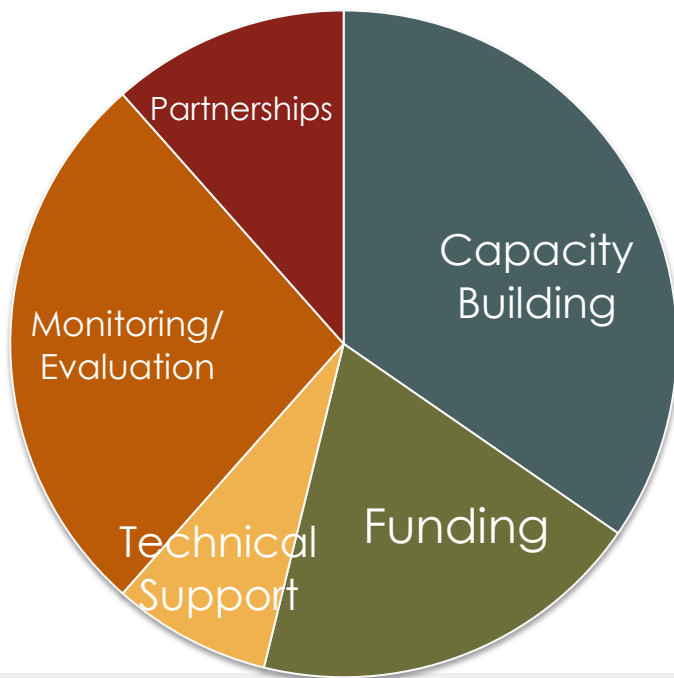
the **Mongolia Sustainable Development Vision 2030 (SDV)** using the Agenda 2030 as a guiding framework;

a legal mandate requiring to prepare an integrated guideline to review existing policy documents against SDV/DDGs



5. Analysis on the Collected Responses & Implications (5)

Priority areas where countries need support for effective SDGs institutionalization & implementation



- ✓ capacity development training
- ✓ tools for capacity development
- ✓ knowledge exchange
- ✓ learning from other countries' experiences/best practices



5. Analysis on the Collected Responses & Implications (6)

Specific Areas of Challenges and Needs

✓ **Innovative public service delivery and ICTs for development**

✓ **Climate change and disaster risk reduction**



6. UNPOG's Future Capacity Development (1)

1. Project Document Phase II
→ Objectives and Key Value for Capacity Development

2. Capacity Needs Assessment
→ Areas/Topics for Capacity Development

3. 10-years Experience in Capacity Development
→ Training Methods



6. UNPOG's Future Capacity Development (2)

UNPOG's Three Objectives of Capacity Development

- 1) Build National/Local Institutions for SDG Implementation
- 2) Promote Innovation for Inclusive Service Delivery
- 3) Develop Open Innovation System for the Vulnerable

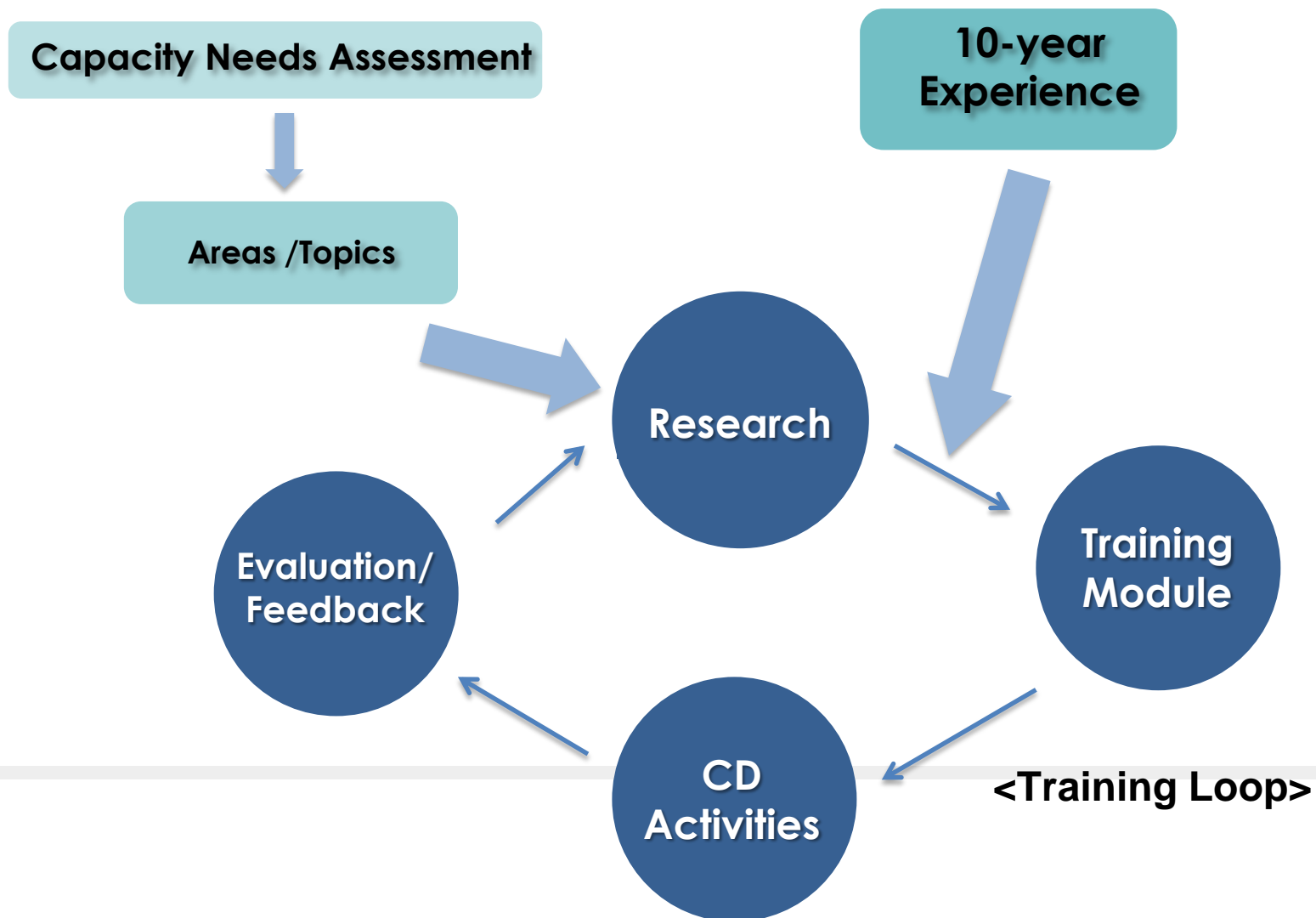


Three Key Value

- 1) Effectiveness
- 2) Inclusiveness
- 3) Accountability



6. UNPOG's Future Capacity Development (3)





Thank You