

# MULTISECTORAL ACTION AND NCDS

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# Session objectives

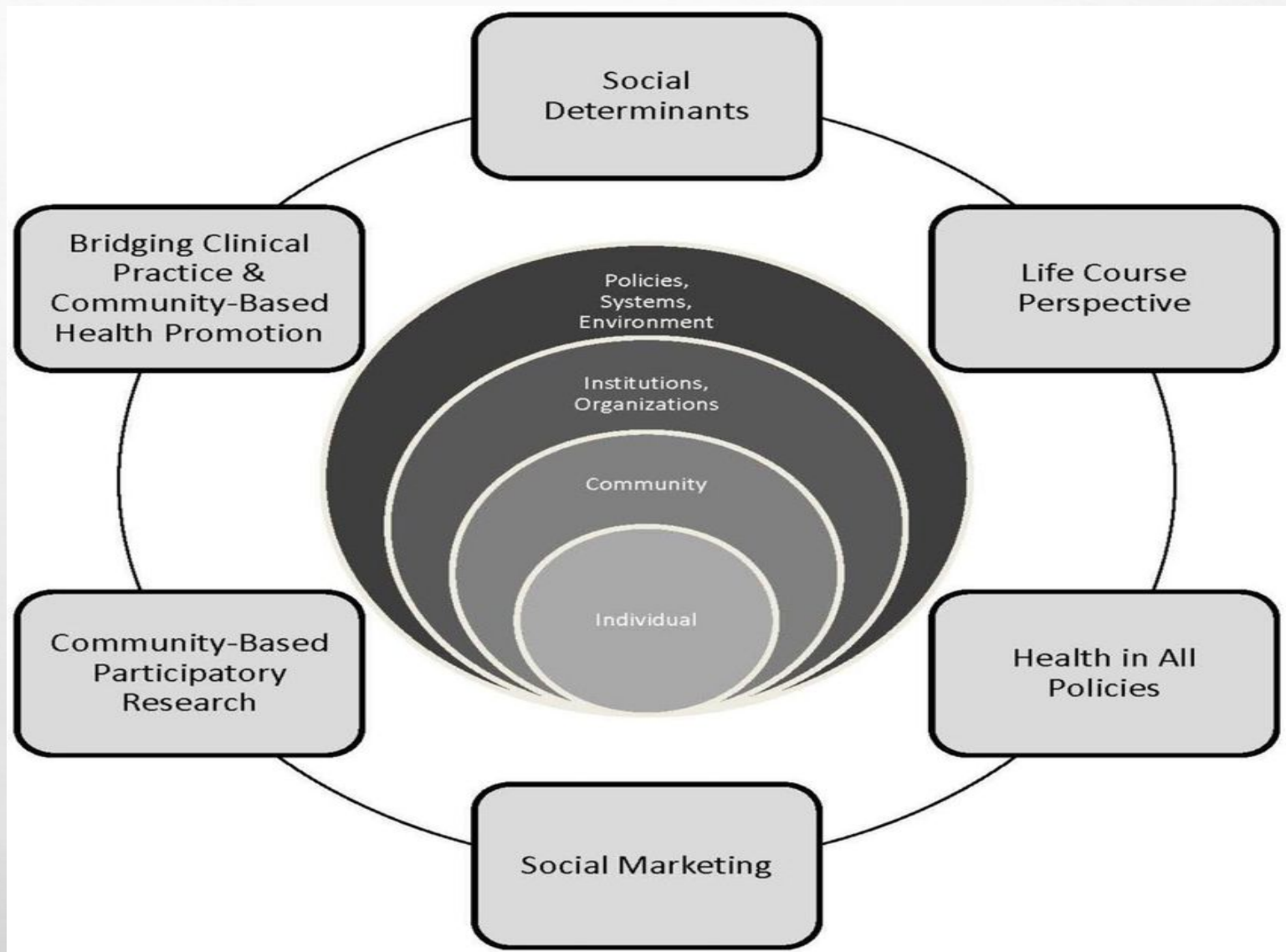
- Define multisectoral approach in the context of NCDs
- Highlight roles of various stakeholders in NCD prevention and control
- Managing conflicts of interest

# Guiding principles of effective NCD programs

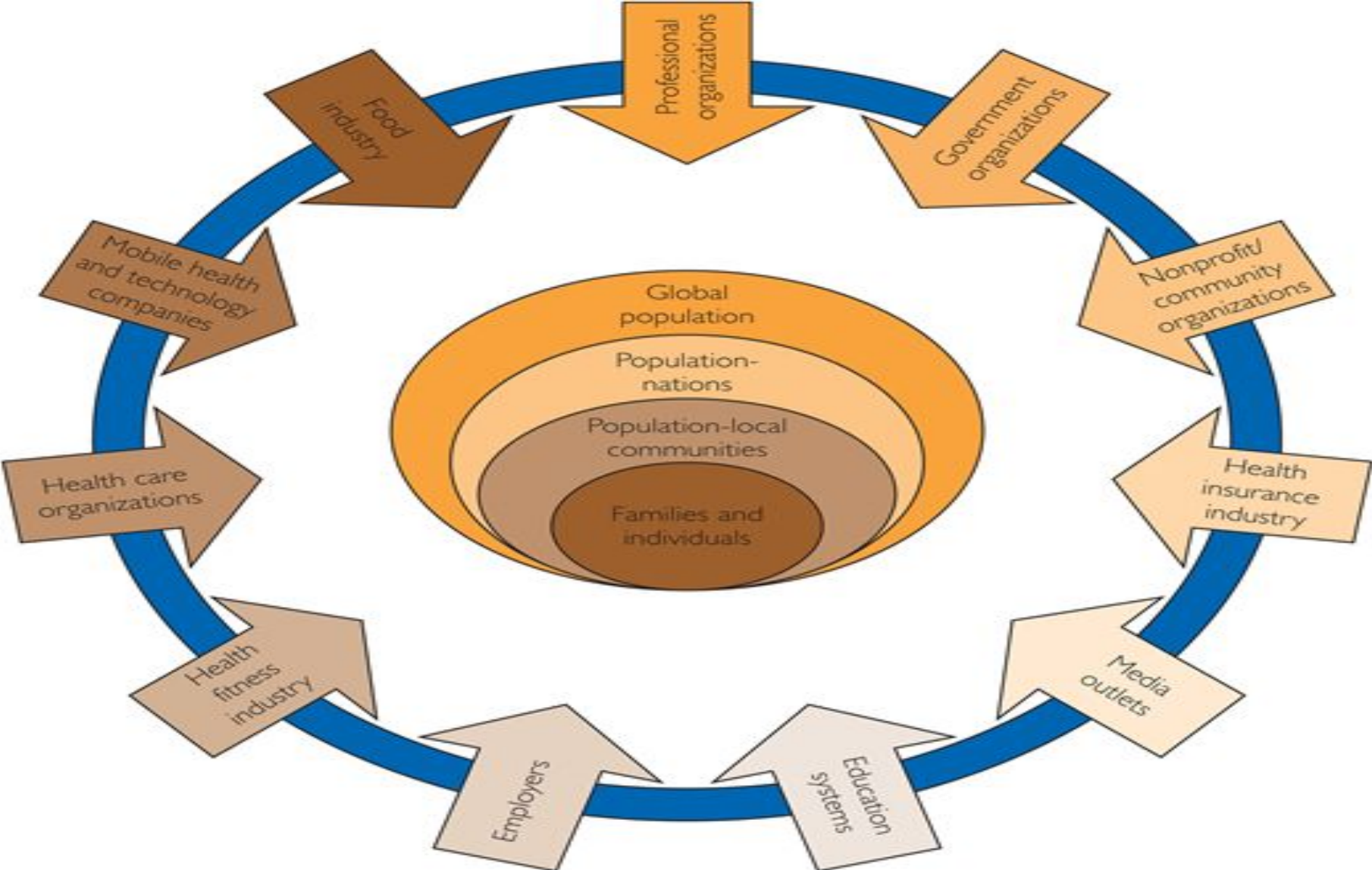
- Whole of government approach
- Whole-of-society approach
- Health in all policies
- Life-course approach



# NCD determinants



# Multiplicity of NCD actors



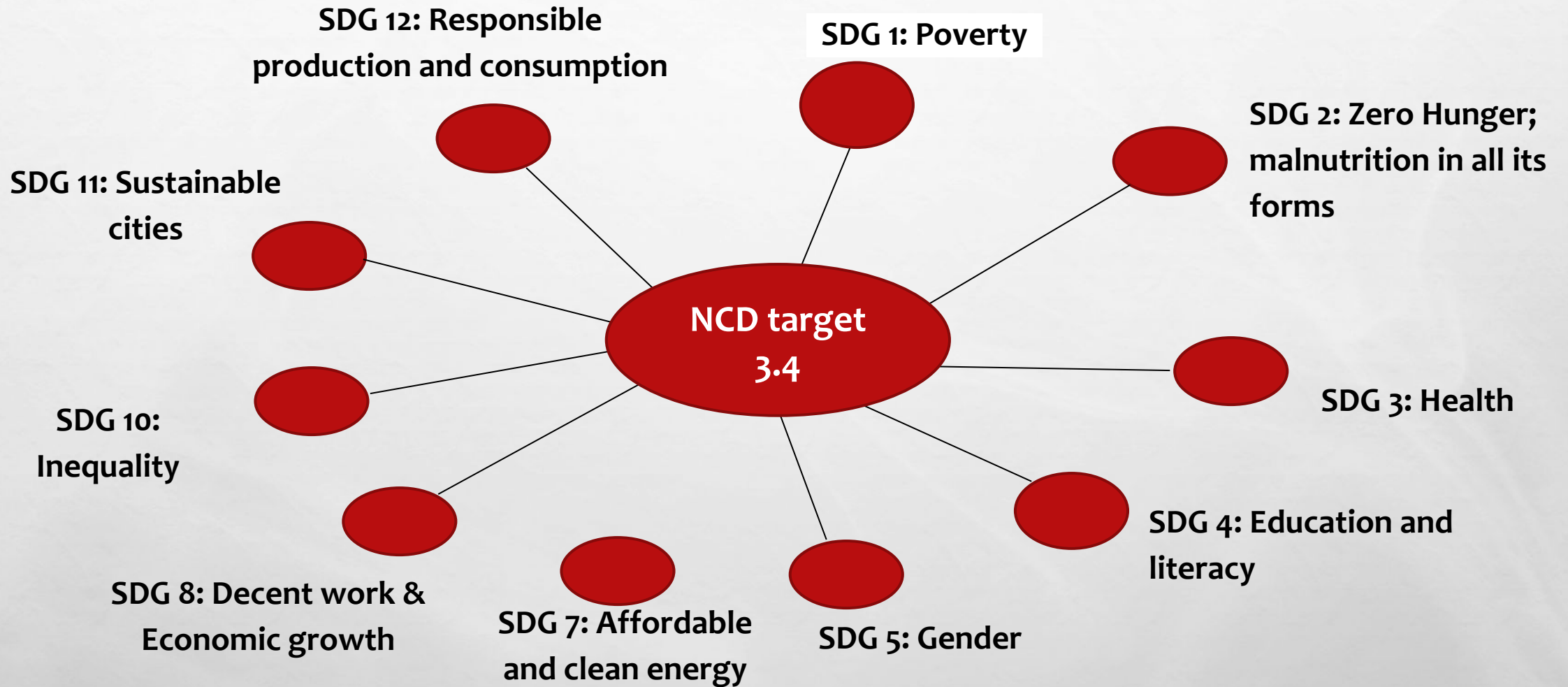
# Multisectoral Action

- Deliberate engagement of multiple stakeholders in NCD-related sectors
- Action geared towards NCD prevention and control is undertaken across different sectors

# Why Multisectoral action?

- Resource-intensive NCD interventions
  - Resource pooling for efficiency and avoid duplication of interventions
- Risk factors and social determinants go beyond health
  - Advertising/marketing campaigns, trade, agriculture, transport, education and school health
- NCDs have implications on other sectors
  - Economy: household and government expenditure
  - Productivity: premature deaths and prolonged illness affecting economically productive individuals and their care-givers

# NCDs across SDGs

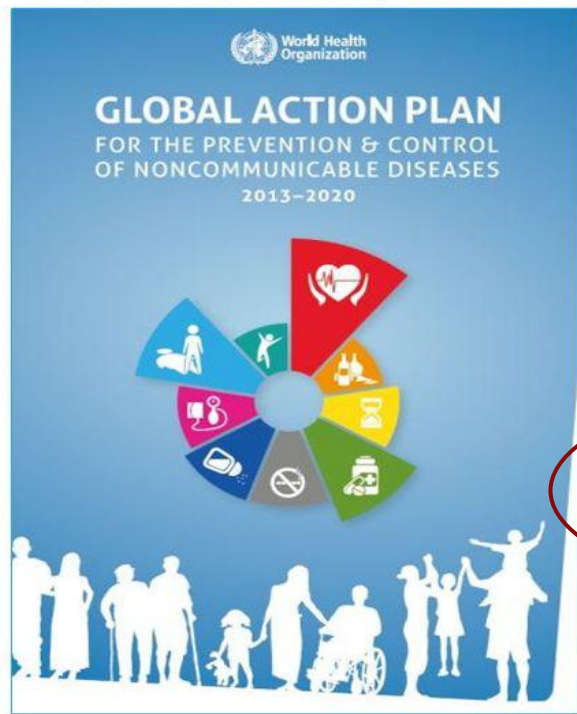




# Global, local policy goals

## The WHO Global NCD Action Plan 2013-2020

unites governments, international partners and WHO around a common agenda

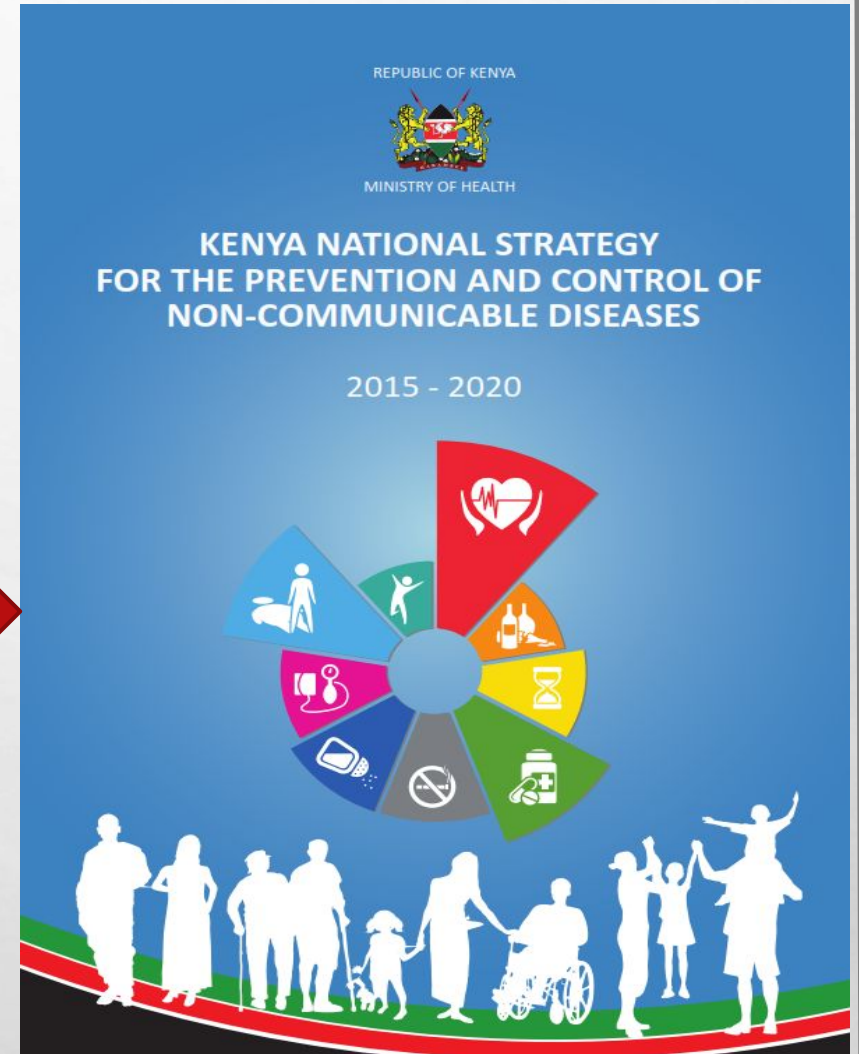


### Vision:

A world free of the avoidable burden of NCDs

### Goal:

To reduce the preventable and avoidable burden of morbidity, mortality and disability due to NCDs by means of multisectoral collaboration and cooperation at national, regional and global levels



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# Sectors involved in NCD risk factor prevention

Tobacco	Physical inactivity	Harmful use of alcohol	Unhealthy diet
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# • Focus of multi-sectoral action in NCDs

- Creating mechanisms to achieve whole-of-government action; securing high-level political commitment
- Integrate specific health concerns into relevant sectors' policies, programmes
- Reinforcing responsible stewardship
- Safeguarding against potential conflict of interest
- Establishing sustainable and predictable financing mechanisms
- Investing in an appropriate workforce; safe, effective medicines and technologies

# Process of multi-sectoral action

Assess readiness to enact NCD-related policies; citizenry preparedness

- Generate evidence to make the business/investment case for NCDs
  - Economic studies that estimate the cost of action, cost of inaction and current investments
- Showcase relevance of NCD interventions to the existing programmes of non-health sectors
- Close monitoring of implementation through process indicators and periodic reporting to the coordinating authority

# Main barriers to multi-sectoral action

- Low awareness by various sectors about their potential role
- Weak political will
- Complex policy environments
- Coordination complexity
- Inadequate resources

# NCD intersectoral coordinating committee



# Identify and mitigate conflicts of interest!!!

- Addressing "commercial" determinants of health
  - Strategies by the private sector to promote products and choices that are detrimental to health
- Corporate capture of public health institutions
- Conflict of interest vs Confluence of



# WHO Framework for engagement with non-state actors

- Due diligence
- Risk assessment
- Transparency

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## Framework of engagement with non-State actors

The Sixty-ninth World Health Assembly,

Having considered the report on the framework of engagement with non-State actors and the revised draft framework of engagement with non-State actors;<sup>1</sup>

Having noted the report of the Programme, Budget and Administration Committee of the Executive Board to the Sixty-ninth World Health Assembly;<sup>2</sup>

Recalling resolution WHA64.2 (2011) and decision WHA65(9) (2012) on WHO reform, and decisions WHA67(14) (2014), EB136(3) (2015), EB138(3) (2016) and resolution WHA68.9 (2015) on a framework of engagement with non-State actors;

Recalling also United Nations General Assembly resolution 70/1 “Transforming our world: the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development”, and the equally important Goals, targets and means of implementation contained therein, which calls, inter alia, for a revitalized global partnership for sustainable development, based on the spirit of strengthened global solidarity, focused in particular on the needs of the poorest and most vulnerable and with participation of all countries, all stakeholders and all people;

Recalling also United Nations General Assembly resolution 69/313 on the Addis Ababa Action agenda of the Third International Conference on Financing for Development (Addis Ababa, 13–16 July 2015), which is an integral part of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development;

Recalling further the Rome Declaration on Nutrition and the Framework for Action on Nutrition adopted by the Second International Conference on Nutrition (Rome, 19–21 November 2014);

Underscoring the full political commitment of all Member States towards the consistent and coherent implementation of the framework of engagement with non-State actors across the three levels of the Organization,

1. ADOPTS the Framework of Engagement with Non-State Actors, as set out in the Annex to this resolution;<sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Document A69/6.

<sup>2</sup> Document A69/60.

<sup>3</sup> Consisting of an overarching framework and four specific policies on engagement with non-governmental



# THANK YOU